



To: The Green Climate Fund ("GCF")

Antananarivo, 20 FEB 2020

**Re: Funding proposal for the GCF by International Fond for Agricultural Development (IFAD) regarding the project "Increase Resilience to Climate Change of Smallholders Receiving the Services of the Inclusive Agricultural Value Chains Programme (DEFIS +)".**

Dear Madam, Sir,

We refer to the project "Increase Resilience to Climate Change of Smallholders Receiving the Services of the Inclusive Agricultural Value Chains Programme" in five (05) regions of Madagascar, as included in the Funding Proposal submitted by IFAD to us on November 25, 2019.

The undersigned is the duly authorized representative of the Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development, the National Designated Authority/focal point of Madagascar.

Pursuant to GCF decision B.08/10, the content of which we acknowledge to have reviewed, we hereby communicate our no-objection to the Increase Resilience to Climate Change of Smallholders Receiving the Services of the Inclusive Agricultural Value Chains Programme.

By communicating our no-objection, it is implied that:

- (a) The government of Madagascar has no-objection to the programme as included in the funding proposal;
- (b) The programme as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with Madagascar's national priorities, strategies and plans;
- (c) In accordance with the GCF's environmental and social safeguards, the programme as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with relevant national laws and regulations.

We also confirm that our national process for ascertaining no-objection to the programme as included in the funding proposal has been duly followed.

We also confirm that our no-objection applies to all projects or activities to be implemented within the scope of the programme.

We acknowledge that this letter will be made publicly available on the GCF website.

Kind regards,

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