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December 14, 2020

Ms. Adriana Dinu
Executive Coordinator
Global Environmental Finance, UNDP
New York, USA

Dear Ms. Dinu:

Subject: Commitment of Co-financing for the Green Climate Fund (GCF) funded project titled, "Monrovia Metropolitan Climate Resilience Project (MMCRP)"

The Ministry of Finance and Development planning (MFDP) presents its commitments and would like to pledge its concurrence and support to the GCF funded project: "Monrovia Metropolitan Climate Resilience Project (MMCRP)" to be implemented in Monrovia. This project buttresses the efforts of the Government of Liberia (GoL) to achieve the following objectives:

- Protect coastal communities and infrastructure at West Point against erosion caused by sea-level rise and increasingly frequent high-intensity storms
- Build institutional capacity and policy support for the implementation of Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) across Liberia
- Protect mangroves and strengthen gender- and climate-sensitive livelihoods to build local climate resilience in Monrovia

The MFDP is the legal custodian of the state's resources with the authority of planning and financing development programs and projects in the Republic of Liberia.

Recognizing the magnitude of climate change and its impacts on the urban communities in Monrovia, such as rapid coastal erosion resulting to displacement of people, loss of critical infrastructure and economic assets, loss of livelihoods and social disruption, the GoL through the MFDP, is pleased to confirm the co-finance source over the project implementation period to support and the aforementioned GCF project as follows:

- An amount of USD \$ 2,540,000 (Two million five hundred and forty thousand United States Dollars) in grant and
- An amount of USD \$ 4,265,400 (Four million two hundred and sixty-five thousand four hundred United States Dollars) in kind will be contributed to the project through material resources in support of the project



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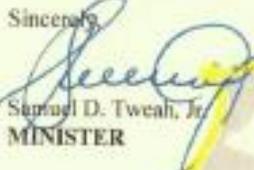
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Project duration – six years (2021-2026)

We thank the GCF for the opportunity to address one of the critical development challenges facing Liberia through the MMCRP, which aligns with Liberia's National Policy and Responses Strategy on Climate Change and Pillar two of Liberia's National Development plan: "the Pro-Poor Agenda for Prosperity and Development (PAPD)".

Please accept the assurances of my highest esteem.

Sincerely,


Samuel D. Tweah, Jr.
MINISTER



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Mr. Pradeep Kurukulasuriya,
Executive Coordinator,
UNDP - Global Environmental Finance unit
New York, USA

23 December 2019

Subject: Co-financing of the project: *“Monrovia Metropolitan Climate Resilience Project”*

Dear Mr. Kurukulasuriya,

Reference is made to the above subject as part of the submission requirements for the project proposal *“Monrovia Metropolitan Climate Resilience Project”* to the Green Climate Fund. I am pleased to confirm UNDP Liberia’s co-financing commitment to the project in the tune of US\$ 1,577,750.00. This commitment will be funded from our trac resources which is always used to fund other environmental projects.

This new and additional co-financing is leveraged to complement GCF resources for: i) Institutional capacity building and policy support for the implementation of Integrated Coastal Zone Management (Output 2); (iii) Protecting mangroves and strengthening gender- and climate-sensitive livelihoods to increase local adaptive capacity (Output 3) and project management.

I confirm that the above stated resources have been committed to contribute to the achievement of objectives and outputs of the project that is submitted to the Green Climate Fund.

With sentiments of my highest consideration.


Mulugeta Abebe
Resident Representative, a.i.