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To: The Green Climate Fund "GCF"
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Letter of intent from the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) to contribute to the co-financing of the project "Community-based Landscape Management for Enhanced Climate Resilience and Reduction of Deforestation in Critical Watersheds" "(hereinafter, 'GCF project') in Timor-Leste

Dear Madam/Sir,

We are pleased to inform you that the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) intends to contribute to the co-financing of the above mentioned GCF project proposed to the Green Climate Fund (GCF), as described in the Funding Proposal submitted from JICA as the Accredited Entity (AE).

The co-financing will be in form of grants through "The project for Community-Based Landscape Management for Reduction of Deforestation and Strengthening of Climate Resilience of Local Livelihoods in the Priority Watersheds" (title subject to change) (hereinafter, 'JICA project') intended to be for five years. However, please note that official approval of the co-financing JICA project will be made in course of the protocol of the Japanese Government, to be officially approved by the Japanese government in April 2021, and amount of budget and implementation schedule of the project to be finalized through the Detail Planning Survey scheduled in 2021. Record of Discussion (RD) will be concluded with the TL government to finalize the project design including the necessary inputs to fulfill the project objectives with certain flexibility. Necessary inputs will be modified according to the project procedure and implementation. Primary assumption of the co-financing amount will be up to approximately 360 million Japanese yen (three hundred sixty million JPY) per now with aforementioned flexibility.

Kindly note that this letter does not constitute a legally binding commitment. The final funding decision is subject to legal, budgetary and policy considerations of the Government of Japan and the GCF project approval by the GCF Board.

Sincerely yours,

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