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MINISTRY OF  
AGRICULTURE AND  
ANIMAL RESOURCES

OFFICE OF THE  
PERMANENT SECRETARY

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Board Members  
Green Climate Fund (GCF)  
Songdo Business District, 175 Art Centre Daero  
Yeonsu-gu, Incheon 22004, Republic of Korea

Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: Co-Financing for GCF project "Transforming Eastern Province of Rwanda through Adaptation (TREPA)"**

The Ministry of Agriculture and Animal Resources (MINAGRI) is a public institution with a mission to initiate, develop and manage suitable programs of transformation and modernization of agriculture and livestock to ensure food security and to contribute to the national economy.

MINAGRI is a member of the steering committee for the project entitled "Transforming Eastern Province of Rwanda through Adaptation (TREPA)" led by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) to be funded by GCF. MINAGRI is interested in TREPA since this project will support the ministry's core strategic thrusts including (i) sustainable management of natural resources, particularly soil and water, (ii) promoting the gender approach and reducing vulnerability among disadvantaged groups, and (iii) strengthening agricultural value chains.

To support implementation of this project, MINAGRI is committing to include an in-kind co-financing equivalent **to six million USD (\$6,000,000)** during the entire project period as follow:

- **Earmarked funds' 'in cash :** Every year of the project life, MINAGRI will earmark **USD 1,000,000** to the respective districts of Eastern province to support implementation of the activities related to small scale irrigation technologies, provision of Lime and Compost supported with 'one cow per poor family' as well as veterinary services, and agricultural extension services 'Twigire muhinzi' (Total \$6,000,000 **for 6years**)

MINAGRI is looking forward to sustaining our collaboration and relationship with the International Union for Conservation of Nature and Green Climate Change through implementation of GCF project **"Transforming Eastern Province of Rwanda through Adaptation (TREPA)"**

Sincerely,

**MUSABYIMANA Jean Claude**  
Permanent Secretary

**Cc:**

- **Hon. Minister of Agriculture and Animal Resources**
- **Hon. Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Animal Resources**