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RWANDA FORESTRY AUTHORITY (RFA)
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RE: Co-Financing for GCF project "Transforming Eastern Province of Rwanda through Adaptation (TREPA)"

Rwanda Forestry Authority (RFA) is a public institution working under the Ministry of Environment of the Government of Rwanda and is responsible for protection and promotion of forest resources. RFA is one of the executing entities 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. Responsibilities of RFA will include leading implementation of **Outcome 1: Restored landscapes that support climate resilient agro-ecological systems and livelihoods in Eastern Province** and **Outcome 3: Output 3.3 Seed and seedling supply systems are enhanced to provide diverse climate adapted species and varieties**. To support implementation of this project, RFA is committing to include a co-financing equivalent **to five million USD (\$5,000,000)** during the entire project period as follow:

- **Earmarked funds' 'in cash:** Every year of the project life, Rwanda Forestry Authority (RFA) will earmark **USD 750,000** to the respective districts of Eastern province to support implementation of the activities related to afforestation, rehabilitation of degraded forests and establishment of agroforestry (Total \$4,500,000 **for 6years**)
- **Logistic and Administrative facilities:** RFA will provide in Kind contribution through its premises and resources, which will be used by project staff based at RFA equivalent to **USD 500,000** throughout the project period.

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

Sincerely,

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Director General
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