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

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

The International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) is an intergovernmental organization with a mission to influence, encourage and assist societies throughout the world to conserve the integrity and diversity of nature and to ensure that any use of natural resources is equitable and ecologically sustainable. IUCN-Rwanda office is hosted by the government of Rwanda and has been supporting Rwanda to implement Forest Landscape Restoration for climate resilience since 2014.

IUCN-Rwanda office is one of the executing entities for the project entitled "Transforming Eastern Province of Rwanda through Adaptation (TREPA)" to be funded by GCF. To support implementation of this project, IUCN-Rwanda office is committing to include a grant co-financing equivalent to **Three Million Four Hundred Fifty-Six Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-Eight USD (\$ 3,456,398)** during the entire project to support the following activities:

- Provision of technical assistance to farmers in planting agroforestry/fruit trees and in implementation of agroforestry technologies in their owned parcels;
- Monitoring, control and evaluation of supported agroforestry areas;
- Support the restoration of degraded District owned tree plantations through the provision of technical assistance for their sustainable management;
- Production of research publications on the role of agroforestry systems for building climate resilience in semi-arid landscapes; and
- Production of 2 publications on the role of agroforestry systems for food security and building socio-economic resilience of local communities;

IUCN would like to renew its compliments to GCF and to the Government of Rwanda, and please accept, your highly esteemed members of the GCF board, the expression of our highest consideration.

Sincerely,

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