



MINISTRY OF METEOROLOGY, ENERGY,  
INFORMATION, DISASTER MANAGEMENT,  
ENVIRONMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
CLIMATE CHANGE (MEIDECC)  
NUKU'ALOFA, TONGA.

Ref: DCC/10/24  
To: The Green Climate Fund ("GCF")  
Date: 11 October, 2024.

**Re: Funding proposal for the GCF by Save the Children Australia regarding  
Building the Climate Resilience of Children and Communities through  
the Education Sector (BRACE).**

Dear Madam, Sir,

We refer to the project titled "*Building the Climate Resilience of Children and Communities through the Education Sector*" (BRACE) in Tonga as included in the funding proposal submitted by Save the Children Australia to us on 7 October, 2024.

The undersigned is the duly authorized representative of Ministry for Meteorology, Energy, Information, Disaster Management, Environment, Climate Change and Communications (MEIDECC), the National Designated Authority of Tonga.

Pursuant to GCF decision B.08/10, the content of which we acknowledge to have reviewed, we hereby communicate our no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal.

By communicating our no-objection, it is implied that:

- (a) The Government of Tonga has no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal;
- (b) The project as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with the national priorities, strategies and plans of Tonga;
- (c) In accordance with the GCF's environmental and social safeguards, the project as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with relevant national laws and regulations.

We also confirm that our national process for ascertaining no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal has been duly followed.

We acknowledge that this letter will be made publicly available on the GCF website.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Sione Pulotu 'Akau'ola  
Tonga NDA to GCF, and  
Chief Executive Officer for MEIDECC  
Tonga.

