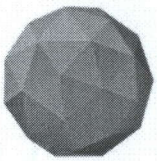


No-objection letter template for programmes



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IMPORTANT NOTE]

- The content of the NOL templates follows the No objection procedure adopted by Decision B.08/10. The NoL templates are therefore not subject to deviation. No additional text should be added or removed from the template.



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To: The Green Climate Fund ("GCF")

Cotonou, 21 May 2025

Re: Concept Note for the GCF by the Africa Finance Corporation regarding the AFC Sovereign Climate Facility ("ASCF")

Dear Madam, Sir,

We refer to the programme titled *the AFC Sovereign Climate Facility* in republic of Benin as included in the concept note submitted by the Africa Finance Corporation to us on 3 February 2025.

The undersigned is the duly authorized representative of Martin Pépin AÏNA, National Designated Authority of Republic of Benin.

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

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

- (a) The government of Republic of Benin has no-objection to the programme as included in the concept note ;
- (b) The programme as included in the concept note is in conformity with the national priorities, strategies and plans of Republic of Benin;
- (c) In accordance with the GCF's environmental and social safeguards, the programme as included in the concept note is in conformity with relevant national laws and regulations.

We also confirm that our national process for ascertaining no-objection to the programme as included in the concept note has been duly followed.

We also confirm that our no-objection applies to all projects or activities to be implemented within the scope of the programme

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

Kind regards,

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