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**Subject: Developed Countries Constituency selections for the 5<sup>th</sup> Term of the GCF Board from 2025-2027**

Dear Artur,

I am writing to you on behalf of the members of the Green Climate Fund Board Developed Countries Constituency following agreement between members of the constituency and the Chairs of the Regional Groups.

In accordance with the Governing Instrument of the Green Climate Fund and the Rules of Procedure, this letter submits the selections of the Board Members and Alternate Board Members of the Developed Countries Constituency for the 5<sup>th</sup> term of the Green Climate Fund Board for 2025-2027.

In selecting the candidates, due attention has been given to strong experience and qualifications in climate change and development finance and to gender balance.

Please find the names of the selected Board Member and Alternate Board Members in the table on the following page. Constituencies can decide on rotating their Board Member and Alternate Board Member within their seat during the Board term at their own discretion.

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Metcalf

Chair of the Green Climate Fund Developed Countries Constituency



CONSTITUENCY	BOARD MEMBER	ALTERNATE BOARD MEMBER
Spain New Zealand Ireland	<b>Ramon LOPEZ PEREZ</b> Senior Advisor, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Business (Spain)	<b>Gillian NAUGHTON MURPHY</b> International Climate and Sustainable Finance, Senior Policy Advisor, Ministry of Finance (Ireland)
Austria Italy Portugal	<b>Gisella BERARDI</b> Deputy Director, Ministry of Economy and Finance (Italy)	<b>Jose DELGADO</b> Senior Climate Policy Advisor, Ministry of Finance (Austria)
Canada Belgium Poland	<b>Andrew HURST</b> Executive Director, Climate Finance Division, Global Affairs Canada (Canada)	<b>Jonas DE MEYER</b> Senior Advisor, FPS Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation (Belgium)
Netherlands Denmark Luxembourg	<b>Sandra LOUISZOOM</b> Senior Policy Advisor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Netherlands)	<b>Tanne Nørgaard JENSEN</b> Head of Section, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Denmark)
United States	<b>Victoria GUNDERSON</b> Director, Office of Climate and Environment, Department of the Treasury (United States)	<b>Giulia CHRISTIANSON</b> Senior Advisor for Climate Finance, Office of the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate (United States)
Norway Australia Iceland Czech Republic	<b>Hans Olav IBREKK</b> Special Envoy, Climate and Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Norway)	<b>Richard BONTJER</b> Director, Climate and Environment Diplomacy Branch, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (Australia)
Germany	<b>Annette WINDMEISSER</b> Co-Head of Division Climate Finance, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (Germany)	<b>Cara-Sophie SCHERF</b> Sweden , Federal Foreign office (Germany)
Sweden	<b>Leif HOLMBERG</b>	<b>Henrik BERQUIST</b>

	Deputy Director, Department for Multilateral Development Banks, Sustainability and Climate, Ministry for Foreign Affairs (Sweden)	Deputy Director, Department for Multilateral Development Banks, Sustainability and Climate, Ministry for Foreign Affairs (Sweden)
<b>Japan</b>	<b>Hideaki CHOTOKU</b> Deputy Director General of the international Cooperation Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Japan)	<b>Tsuyoshi HYOKAI</b> Director for Climate Change and Environmental Issues, International Bureau, Ministry of Finance (Japan)
<b>Finland Switzerland Hungary Monaco Liechtenstein</b>	<b>Lucretia LANDMANN</b> Senior Policy Advisor, Federal office for the Environment (Switzerland)	<b>Anna MERRIFIELD</b> Director for Climate and Environmental Diplomacy, Ministry for Foreign Affairs (Finland)
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>Sarah METCALF</b> Head of Climate and Environment Funds Department, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (United Kingdom)	<b>Joshua TEBBUTT</b> Head of Climate Multilaterals, Department for Energy Security and Net Zero (United Kingdom)
<b>France</b>	<b>Stephane CIENIEWSKI</b> Senior Advisor on Environment and Climate, French Treasury (France)	<b>Pierre MARC</b> Deputy Head of Unit, Multilateral Development and Climate Finance, French Treasury (France)