Annex IV (a) – Confirmation letter (Co-financing Letter)

GREEN CLIMATE FUND FUNDING PROPOSAL

Government of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Women and Children Affairs (MoWCA)
Planning-2 Section

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Subject: Commitment of Co-financing for GCF-funded project “Enhancing adaptive capacities of coastal communities, especially women, to cope with climate change induced salinity”


In reference to the above-mentioned Project, the Government of Bangladesh, represented by the Ministry of Women and Children Affairs (“MoWCA”), confirms that a total of USD 8 million of co-financing, with USD 7 million as cash, in the form of a grant, and USD 1 million as in-kind contribution, is committed to the Project over the Project duration of six years. This co-financing is conditional upon approval of the proposed Project by the GCF Board.

The Project title: Enhancing Adaptive Capacity of Coastal Communities, Especially Women, to Cope with Climate Change Induced Salinity in Bangladesh.

Project Duration: 2018 to 2024

Project Cost: Total USD 32,980,000 of which USD 8,000,000 as co-financing from the Government of Bangladesh and USD 24,980,000 from GCF.

This new and additional co-financing is leveraged to complement GCF resources for: (i) investments in resilient livelihood assets and inputs, business skills development, value-addition, market access, access to finance linkages, (Output 1); (ii) infrastructure investments for drinking water supply systems and financing operation and maintenance costs for water supply solutions (Output 2); and (iii) enhancing institutional technical capacities for climate-risk informed design and implementation of livelihoods and drinking water solutions and supporting knowledge and learning to build long-term adaptive capacities and support to adaptive management of resilient livelihoods (Output 3). The USD 1 million of in-kind co-financing is in the form of staff time (institutional staff across MoWCA, Department of Women Affairs (“DWA”), Department of Public Health Engineering (“DPHE”), and Local Government Institutes (“LGI”) for various Training of Trainers based capacity building activities across the project and to support effective implementation of the project activities across all outputs.

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