



Ministerio
del Ambiente



Oficio Nro. MAE-D-2015-1130

Quito, D.M., 18 de noviembre de 2015

Asunto: Funding proposal for the GCF by United Nations Development Programme regarding Priming financial and land use planning instruments to reduce emissions from deforestation

Héla Cheikhrouhou
Executive Director
GREEN CLIMATE FUND SECRETARIAT
En su Despacho

Dear Madam:

We refer to the programme *Priming financial and land use planning instruments to reduce emissions from deforestation in Ecuador* as included in the funding proposal submitted by United Nations Development Programme to us on November 6th, 2015.

The undersigned is the duly authorized representative of the Ministry of the Environment, the National Designed Authority/focal point of Ecuador

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 funding proposal.

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

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

Atentamente,

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