Climate Investment Funds

August 3, 2011

Her Excellency Mrs. Ana Chichava Deputy Minister Ministry for Coordination of Environmental Affairs Maputo MOZAMBIQUE

Excellency:

Endorsement of Mozambique's Strategic Program for Climate Resilience (SPCR) under the <u>PPCR</u>

It is my pleasure to confirm that the PPCR Sub-Committee reviewed the *Strategic Program for Climate Resilience*: *Mozambique*, and endorsed the SPCR as a basis for the further development of the projects foreseen in the strategic program and took note of the requested funding of USD 50 million in grant funding and USD 52 million in other concessional resources.

The Sub-Committee reconfirmed its decision on the allocation of resources, adopted at its meetings in June 2010 and 2011, that the range of funding agreed for a single country pilot program is USD 40-50 million in grant resources, and USD 36 million in other concessional resources recognizing that the minimum amount of the range is more likely and that the upper limit of the range will depend on availability of funding.

The Sub-Committee also called for contributors and other countries, MDBs and other development partners to seek to mobilize additional resources to allow the full funding of the SPCR.

We would like to warmly congratulate you on the excellent presentation you made to the Sub-Committee to introduce the strategic program.

In endorsing the SPCR, the Sub-Committee requested the Government of Mozambique and the MDBs to consider how to make monitoring and evaluation consistent across the proposed investments, and conduct an analysis for stakeholder learning needs prior to the start of the implementation of the SPCR. The Sub-Committee invited the African Development Bank and the World Bank Group, in consultation with other development partners, to assist Mozambique in preparing the projects and programs identified in its SPCR.

Please do not hesitate to contact the CIF Administrative Unit or the staff from the African Development Bank and the World Bank Group working with you on the SPCR if you have any questions or need further clarification.

We look forward to receiving proposals for the projects and programs identified in Mozambique's SPCR for approval of PPCR funding by the Sub-Committee.

Sincerely,

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Attachment:

PPCR Sub-Committee meeting of June 28 and 29, 2011 - Co-Chair Summary

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