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RE: LETTER OF APPROVAL: EAST AFRICA RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAMME (EA-REP)

We wish to refer to your request for host country approval for the above-referred Program of Activities (PoA). We note that the objective of this PoA is to support the development and implementation of small-scale renewable energy projects in East Africa (Kenya, Rwanda and Uganda). We further note that the technologies to be implemented under this PoA include small hydro, wind, solar photovoltaic, solar thermal and geothermal.

As the Designated National Authority of Kenya for the Clean Development Mechanism, we wish to confirm that we have reviewed the above-referred Project Design Document. We further wish to confirm that:-

- The Project is approved as a CDM project for the purposes of Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol
- The Government of Kenya is Party to the Kyoto Protocol and that participation in CDM project activities is voluntary
- The project will contribute to Kenya's sustainable development
- Standard Bank Plc is the Coordinating/Managing Entity of this PoA while Uni Power Limited is responsible for the small-scale CPA in Kenya whose title is: EAREP – Njega 5 MW Small Hydro Project

We wish to note and further confirm that this PoA, amongst other issues, will contribute to the overall realization of Kenya Vision 2030, sustainable development and also contribute to the expansion of use of renewable energy in Kenya. It is however to be noted that the PoA must comply with all the required Kenya national regulatory and /or planning requirements throughout all the phases of implementation

in Kenya including the Environmental Impact and Assessment and Environmental
Audit regulations Legal Notice No.121 of 2003.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Wahungu', is positioned above the printed name.

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