

## Letter of Approval

concerning

Ethiopia – Off-Grid Renewable Energy Program

And

Swedish Energy Agency

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- B. The Swedish Energy Agency has been appointed Designated National Authority for the Clean Development Mechanism.
- C. *Swedish Energy Agency* (“the Applicant”) has applied to participate in the *Ethiopia – Off-Grid Renewable Energy Program*

NOW THEREFORE the undersigned as legal and authorized representative of the Government of Sweden declares that:

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- 1 Sweden *approves* Ethiopia – Off-Grid Renewable Energy Program as a Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) activity in accordance with Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol and the relevant rules, decisions, guidelines, modalities, and procedures thereunder and confirms that the participation is voluntary.
- 2 Sweden *authorizes* the Applicant to participate in the Ethiopia – Off-Grid Renewable Energy Program in accordance with the Kyoto Protocol, the Marrakech Accords and the relevant rules, decisions, guidelines, modalities, and procedures thereunder.
- 3 Sweden *affirms* that any public funding for the Ethiopia – Off-Grid Renewable Energy Program does not result in a diversion of Sweden's official development assistance and is separate from and is not counted towards Sweden's financial obligations as a Party.

Eskilstuna, 2020-04-01

For and on behalf of  
The Government of Sweden



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Mattias Blomstrand  
Acting Head Operative Support Unit  
**Swedish Energy Agency**

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Eskilstuna, 2016-02-29

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Erik Eriksson  
Acting Director General  
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