

M.Sc. Carlos Manuel Rodríguez CEO and Chairperson

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Ms. Angela Armstrong GEF Coordinator The World Bank (WB) Washington, DC, USA

Ms. Renae Stenhouse GEF Coordinator World Wildlife Fund (WWF-US) Washington, DC, USA

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Dear Mmes. Armstrong, Samaroo, and Stenhouse, Dear Messrs. Kurukulasuriya and Delahaye, Ms. Orissa Samaroo GEF Coordinator Conservation International (CI) Arlington, VA, USA

Mr. Pradeep Kurukulasuriya GEF Coordinator United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) New York City, USA

## Subject: PFD Inclusion for the June 2023 Work Program

I am pleased to inform you that I have cleared the Program detailed below for inclusion in the upcoming work program. I have also approved your request for Project Preparation Grants for child projects.

Decision Sought:	Program Framework Document (PFD) Clearance for Work Program
	Inclusion and Child Project Preparation Grant Approval
GEFSEC ID:	11198
Agencies:	World Bank, CI, FAO, UNDP, WWF-US
Agency(ies) ID:	N/A
Focal Area:	Multi Focal Area
Project Type:	Program
Country(ies):	Regional (Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Suriname, Venezuela)
Name of Program:	Amazon Sustainable Landscapes Program Phase 3
Indicative GEF	\$88,644,185
Program Financing:	
Indicative Agency Fee:	\$7,977,973
PPG:	\$1,233,487
PPG Agency Fee:	\$111,007
Funding Source:	GEF Trust Fund

Break-down:			Agency Fee (US\$)				
Agency	Trust Fund	Program Financing Amount (US\$)	20% to be committed at PFD Council Approval (US\$)	80% to be committed at first disbursement and / or mid-term review of child projects (US\$)	Total Agency Fee (US\$)	Total Program Cost (US\$)	
CI	GEFTF	4,742,966	85,373	341,494	426,867	5,169,833	
FAO	GEFTF	5,966,208	107,392	429,566	536,958	6,503,166	
UNDP	GEFTF	23,525,533	423,459	1,693,838	2,117,297	25,642,830	
WB	GEFTF	42,477,063	764,587	3,058,347	3,822,934	46,299,997	
WWF-US	GEFTF	11,932,415	214,783	859,134	1,073,917	13,006,332	
Total		88,644,185	1,595,594	6,382,379	7,977,973	96,622,158	

Break-down:		Project	PPG Fee	Total	
Agency	Trust Fund	Preparation Grant (US\$)	(US\$)	(US\$)	
CI	GEFTF	150,000	13,500	163,500	
FAO	GEFTF	150,000	13,500	163,500	
UNDP	GEFTF	450,000	40,497	490,497	
WB	GEFTF	183,487	16,511	199,998	
WWF-US	GEFTF	300,000	26,999	326,999	
Total		1,233,487	111,007	1,344,494	

This clearance is based on the understanding that the Program is in conformity with GEF Trust Fund focal area strategies and with GEF policies and procedures. Please ensure that the final child project documents, having fully addressed all Secretariat, STAP, Convention Secretariats, and Council comments, will be endorsed / approved within 18 months of Council approval of the work program or within the Program Commitment Deadline.

Sincerely,

M.Sc. Carlos Manuel Rodríguez Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

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