



**GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY**  
INVESTING IN OUR PLANET

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CEO and Chairperson

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Mr. Leite Fábio  
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Dear Mr. Fábio:

I am pleased to inform you that I have endorsed the full-sized project proposal detailed below:

Decision Sought:	CEO Endorsement of Full-sized Project
GEFSEC ID:	9271
Agency(ies):	Funbio
Focal Area:	Biodiversity
Project Type:	Full-Sized Project
Country(ies):	Brazil
Name of Project:	National Strategy for Conservation of Threatened Species (PROSPECIES)
GEF Project Grant:	\$13,435,000
Agency Fee:	\$1,209,150
Funding Source:	GEF Trust Fund


Break-down of Indicative Agency Fee				
Agency	Trust Fund	Fees committed at Council Approval	Fees to be committed at CEO Endorsement	Total (US\$)
Funbio	GET	\$483,660	\$725,490	\$1,209,150

I am endorsing this project on the understanding that the GEF Agency will have its internal approval of the project no later than four months after the CEO endorsement.

This endorsement is subject to the comments made by the GEF Secretariat in the attached document. It is also based on the understanding that the project is in conformity with GEF focal areas strategies and in line with GEF policies and procedures.

Sincerely,



 Naoko Ishii  
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: GEFSEC Project Review Document  
Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point, GEF Agencies, STAP, Trustee