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Request for No-Cost Extension

*SDG-Climate Facility Project: Climate Action for Human Security
(Sida project Number 12054 - UNDP Project No. 00111749)*

On behalf of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), we would like to sincerely thank the Government of Sweden for its contribution to the *SDG-Climate Facility Project: Climate Action for Human Security*.

The Project has been successfully implementing activities since 2019 through key regional partnerships with AWC, WFP, UNEP FI, UNHABITAT, and UNDRR, and a strategic partnership with the League of Arab States (LAS). The project also continues to implement 7 resilience grants at the national level in 6 countries across the region, through UNDP country offices, and their existing national networks.

To enable the completion of ongoing activities, and facilitate a sustainable conclusion to the project, we would like to request a 12 month No-Cost Extension from 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023. During this period, the project will carry out key activities in line with the agreed workplans as elaborated in the enclosed Annexes, and within the available budget which includes both Sida resources, and UNDP's own contributions.

We appreciate and look forward to your positive consideration and approval of this request.

Sincerely,

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