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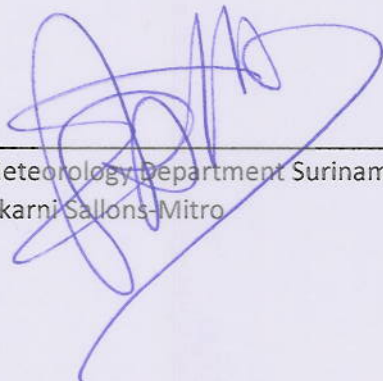
Letter of Support

The Meteorology Department Suriname (MDS) and the Hydraulic Research Division (WLA) of the Ministry of Public Works Transport and Communication hereby offer their support for the procurement of Hydro-Met equipment from Sutron, for the expansion of the hydrological and meteorological network in Suriname, as part of the Global Climate Change Alliance + Suriname Adaptation Project.

The MDS will be destined with 16 Automatic Weather Stations from Sutron to increase infrastructural and institutional capacity of MDS, through the Climate Change Adaptation Program (CCAP), executed by the Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre (CCCCC), and funded by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID).

To increase the effectiveness and efficiency of the two projects, especially in training, operation, maintenance and after sales services of equipment, it is recommended that the same brand be procured from the same supplier so that sustainability is achievable. Moreover, Sutron/ OTT has delivered similar equipment in the Caribbean region, therefore, obtaining equipment from the same manufacturer would be recommendable.

Yours sincerely,



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