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**To: Joelle Chassard
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Subject : Burundi's Expression of Interest

Dear Joelle,

We refer to your letter dated May 5, 2012 to express the interest for Burundi in joining the Forest Carbon Partnership Facility (FCPF) on behalf of the Government of Burundi that I am representing in the United Nations Framework on Climate Change Convention.

As you know, the Government of Burundi has already shown his commitment regarding the benefit for the country to become part of the REDD Countries in the FCPF, which has been acknowledged by the Facility Management Team of the FCPF.

We further appreciate the specific resolutions from the eleventh meeting held in Asuncion-Paraguay in March 2012 for having taken into account the possibility of including additional REDD countries in the FCPF. This should be a quite opportunity for Burundi to participate in the activities preparing to potential carbon benefits markets.

We have the pleasure to write officially this letter to the FCPF Secretariat for confirming again the interest of Burundi for being one of the REDD countries in the FCPF; our wish is therefore the consideration of the same country's expression of interest by the participants Committee during its fourteenth meeting in March 2013.

Thanks you again for your kind collaboration,

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Director General of IGEBU
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