



Letter of Authorization

The Ministry of Environment and Climate Change of the Government of Sierra Leone ("Authority"), as designated to issue authorizations under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement on behalf of the Republic of Sierra Leone ("Host Party"), a Party to the Paris Agreement, wishes to provide its authorization in relation to the project named 'DelAgua Clean Cooking Grouped Project in Sierra Leone' referred to in Annex 1 and described in the project documentation in Annex 2, received by the Government of Sierra Leone on 22nd February 2023.

The Ministry of Environment and Climate Change confirms that the project and its greenhouse gas emission reductions and/or removals, referred to here as "mitigation outcomes", occur within the geographical boundaries of the Republic of Sierra Leone and that mitigation outcomes for the project are expected to be, issued by Verra as Verified Carbon Units (VCUs) under the Verified Carbon Standard (VCS).

The Ministry of Environment and Climate Change authorizes the use of the mitigation outcomes issued for the project as VCUs, as set out in Annex 1, pursuant to Article 6 of the Paris Agreement and decision 2/CMA.3 and other relevant decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA). DelAgua ("Project Proponent") will pay \$5.00 per VCU sold internationally as mitigation outcomes to the Government of Sierra Leone. For VCUs that are sold internationally as mitigation outcomes in excess of \$20 by DelAgua, DelAgua will pay an additional 30% of any value above \$20 to the Government of Sierra Leone.

The Host Party undertakes, where the relevant first transfer condition for the VCUs set out in Annex 1 is met, to not use the mitigation outcomes represented by the VCUs towards the achievement of its Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC), by applying and reporting corresponding adjustments in its accounting for Article 6 and its NDC pursuant to relevant decisions adopted by the CMA.

The Ministry of Environment and Climate Change of the Government of Sierra Leone further agrees Verra, as the administrator of the VCS, may rely on the provisions of this Letter.

Signed by Government of Sierra Leone
representative

Name: Jiwoh Abdulai

Title: Minister of Environment and
Climate Change



Signed by project proponent

Name: Ibrahim Marrah

Title: Country Representative



Sign and Date:

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Annex 1- Authorization under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement

1. Host Party	The Republic of Sierra Leone
2. Authority	Sierra Leone Meteorological Agency (under Ministry of Environment and Climate Change)
3. Authority representative	Mr. Gabriel Kpaka (Deputy Director General, Sierra Leone Meteorological Agency)
4. Authority Contact Information	Address: F18 Charlotte Street, Freetown, Sierra Leone Telephone: +232 79667742 Email: gabrielkpaka@gmail.com
5. DNA signature	
6. Issuing Program	Verified Carbon Standard (VCS)
7. Project	DelAgua Clean Cooking Grouped Project in Sierra Leone VCS3837
8. Project Link	https://registry.verra.org/app/projectDetail/VCS/3837
9. Project location	Sierra Leone
10. Authorized uses	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All uses OR select one or more of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> NDC use <input type="checkbox"/> International mitigation purposes (e.g., CORSIA) <input type="checkbox"/> Other purposes (e.g., voluntary action)
11(a). First transfer condition If 'all uses' is selected, or if several uses including NDC use are selected (delete row if not applicable)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First international transfer



