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Direction Générale de l'Énergie et du Climat

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Le Directeur Général

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**Objet :** Letter of approval (LOA) for a project activity under article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol

**Project reference:** « Nam Gion Hydropower Project »

**Beneficiary of the LOA:** Orbeo – Tour Société Générale, 17 Cours Valmy, 92987 Paris la Défense Cedex- France

The General Directorate for Energy and Climate Change of the Ministry of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development and Town and Urban Planning, acting as the French Designated National Authority (DNA) to the UNFCCC Secretariat, declares that:

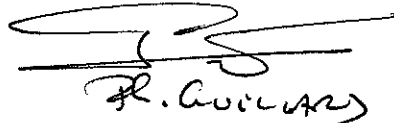
1. France has ratified the Kyoto Protocol to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change on May 31, 2002.
2. France participates in the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) voluntarily.
3. It grants its approval to the above mentioned project activity to be carried out under article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol in Vietnam, as presented by Orbeo to the General Directorate for Energy and Climate Change of the Ministry.

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4. France does not intend to be involved in taking any decision on the distribution of the Certified Emission Reduction Units (CERs) generated by the project.

8/ The General Director for Energy and Climate Change

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