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Dear Sir,

### APPRECIATION LETTER

I am writing to express our deepest appreciation to your Agency for the Solar-powered equipment support provided to some selected fadama farmer groups and their farms across twenty-seven States and FCT. The generous support targeted at the electrification of agriculture, land and water resources leveraged on the Non-binding MoU signed between your Rural Electrification Agency (REA) and the National Fadama Coordination Office (NFCO).

The program has been a huge success and yielding positive results. The selected farmer groups and farms in 27 States of the Federation benefited from the procured and distributed One Thousand Three and Ninety-Two (1,392) solar pumps and the installation of Two Hundred and Sixty (260) solar streetlights by your agency. This attests to your readiness and willingness to partner with lined MDAs to implement the electrification programme targeted at agriculture, land and water resources. Specifically, this support presents a huge opportunity to cushion the impact of the recent floods and improve the nation's food security. Additionally, the Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development will leverage on this scalable intervention, especially during the current dry season farming operations.

To this end, the NFCO and the State Fadama Coordination Offices (SFCO) will continue to provide technical guidance on the effective utilization of the opportunity provided through this collaboration.

Once again, thank you for the support as we look forward to more productive partnerships and opportunities.

Please accept as always, the Permanent Secretary's esteem regards.

Dr Kush Peter Kukwi  
Director, Project Coordinating Unit  
For: Permanent Secretary