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Dear Mr. Braulio Ferreira de Souza Dias,

Subject: Elements of a Framework for Conceptual Clarity on Socio-Economic Considerations

Please refer to your Notification Ref.: SCBD/BS/CG/ps/84239 dated 15 January 2015, inviting National Focal Points to submit views and comments on the "Elements of a Framework for Conceptual Clarity on Socio-Economic Considerations" and such information could be submitted no later than 13 March 2015.

We would like to inform you that Thailand agrees that Socio-Economic should be taken into consideration in any decision making concerned LMOs. Anyway many involved agencies in Thailand view that the Elements of a Framework have already fulfilled the conceptual clarity and have no further comment on them.

Thank you very much for your kind consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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