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By email

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(Attn: Ms Cecilia Kwei, Director, Standard Setting)

Dear Ms Kwei,

Invitation to Comment on the IFRS Foundation Exposure Draft Proposed Targeted Amendments to the IFRS Foundation Constitution to Accommodate an International Sustainability Standards Board to Set IFRS Sustainability Standards

I refer to your letter of 4 May 2021 inviting us to comment on the captioned consultation document.

The development of a global set of sustainability reporting standards echoes the green and sustainable finance strategy developed by the Green and Sustainable Finance Cross-Agency Steering Group which Insurance Authority is one of the members.

We appreciate the initiative of the IFRS Foundation and support the proposal to establish the new International Sustainability Standards Board for developing the IFRS sustainability standards. We have carefully studied the consultation document and have no further comments.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to comment on the consultation document.

Yours sincerely,

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