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Dear Dr. Mojtaba Aghamohammadi(Moji Agha)

In response to your proposal, as the Director General of Office of International Relations at the University of Tehran, I would like to thank you for contacting us and bringing the Earth Muslims and Climate Change (EMCC) initiative to the attention of our university. Because of the critical nature of the issues that your project highlights, and given the global emphasis of our university's mission, we will be happy in principle to collaborate in the realms of this multi-dimensional and demanding global undertaking that concern the interfaces of the environmental and social sciences.

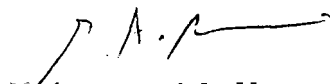
I am delighted to report that resulting from the meetings that you had with the Deans of the University of Tehran's Faculties of the Environment and Social Sciences (among other top colleagues at our university), they have expressed their interest in this project.

However, given the budgetary limitations, we are not able to allocate any budget for your project. In other words, our general agreement of cooperation is subject to the availability of funds which you are seeking from other sources throughout the world.

Upon receiving information on the financial situation and other details, the University of Tehran will take the final decision.

Please keep me updated of your next steps in developing this project upon your return to the U.S. and we take this opportunity to wish the success of your plan.

Truly yours,



Mohammad A. Mousavi, Ph.D.
Director General