

Gabon National Investment Framework

EB.2017.03.

Adopted in Paris on 28 April 2017

On the basis of:

- a. the revised National Investment framework (NIF) submitted by the Government of Gabon to the CAFI Executive Board on 13 April 2017;
- b. the response matrix to the EB consolidated comments on an earlier version of the NIF;
- c. the independent reviews of the NIF and the corresponding response matrix;
- d. the findings of the CAFI mission to Gabon, held 22-24 March 2017;
- e. the session held with Gabon during the CAFI 6th Executive Board,

the Executive Board

- 1. Congratulates the Government of Gabon for its National Investment Framework
- 2. <u>Requests</u> that the government responds, in a matrix, to the last comments provided by the EB and the independent evaluators, and when needed, makes the corresponding adjustments to the NIF
- 3. <u>Considers that</u> with these adjustments the Gabon National Investment Framework is a good basis to initiate negotiations on a Letter of Intent between the Government of Gabon and the CAFI Executive Board
- 4. <u>Decides</u> to nominate Norway to lead the negotiations on the milestones of the Letter of Intent, in close collaboration and consultation with all members of the CAFI Executive Board, and with coordination provided by the CAFI Secretariat, as per the CAFI terms of reference and decision EB.2015.07
- 5. <u>Recalls</u> that the specific programmes presented in the Annex of the National Investment Framework will be subject to later consideration, following independent reviews.