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Dear Friends,

In February 2008, the Office of Agriculture in the Bureau of Economic Growth, Agriculture and Trade (EGAT/AG) issued a draft Livestock-Climate Change Collaborative Research Support Program (CRSP) Concept Paper for comment. EGAT/AG would like to thank all of you who took the time to comment.

Your comments centered around five themes and key issues. As you will see in the attached, we prepared responses against these common themes and key issues.

A revised Livestock-Climate Change CRSP Concept Paper is now being drafted that will soon be issued. The revised version will incorporate these responses, and provide further clarification on the objectives and anticipated direction of the proposed Livestock-Climate Change CRSP.

Our intention is to post the revised version of the Concept Paper on Grants.gov and request your additional comments. We will respond to those comments and incorporate revisions into a more detailed Program Description which will form the basis for a Request for Assistance (RFA) that USAID will issue sometime this summer.

Thank you again for your interest in a proposed Livestock-Climate Change CRSP.

Sincerely,

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