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Subject: *Letter of support for ExtremeEarth*

Dear Dr. Rabier,

This letter expresses the commitment of Hellenic National Meteorological Service (HNMS) to the ExtremeEarth Flagship proposal to be submitted to the second stage of the call FETFLAG-01-2018 in the area Energy, Environment and Climate change.

HNMS fully supports the technological and scientific ambitions of ExtremeEarth, which has the potential to enable large capability breakthroughs in the area of weather, climate and a variety of environmental issues.

HNMS is looking forward to collaborate with the ExtremeEarth project consortium, should it be positively evaluated and receive funding. Specifically, our cooperation could involve research on climate, weather and marine extremes, through the further development of physical models which are already being used in our service.

Yours sincerely,

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