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Excellencies,

*Loan 9006-BR - BRAZIL: Ceará Water Security and Governance Project
(Projeto de Apoio à Melhoria da Segurança Hídrica e Fortalecimento da Inteligência na
Gestão Pública do Estado do Ceará)
Declaration of Effectiveness*

We refer to the Loan Agreement between the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the Bank) and the State of Ceará (the Borrower), as well as the Guarantee Agreement between the Federative Republic of Brazil (the Guarantor) and the Bank, dated December 30, 2019 for the above-mentioned project.

We are pleased to notify you that the Bank accepts the evidence furnished in fulfillment of the conditions precedent to effectiveness of the Loan Agreement and Guarantee Agreement. Consequently, the Loan Agreement as well as the Guarantee Agreement become effective today, February 10, 2020.

Sincerely,



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