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Khadija T. Sesay, Human Resource Specialist, GIZ – Sierra Leone, 32D Wilkinson Road, Freetown, Sierra Leone.

Dear Madam Khadija,

<u>Subject: Application for Advisor – Private Sector Development Position</u>

Am excited to submit an application for the position of Advisor – Private Sector Development within the Socio-Ecological and Economic transformation (EET) project. As a current Junior Data Management Specialist at GIZ, I have gained valuable knowledge into our organizational goals and the critical role we play in fostering sustainable development in Sierra Leone. My experience in coordinating project outcomes, promoting gender sensitivity and inclusivity, engaging with stakeholders, and implementing data-driven strategies positions me well to contribute effectively to the EET project's objectives of strengthening MSMEs and promoting economic empowerment for women and youth.

In the same vien, my experience in supporting the private sector in collaborating with key partners of both the private and public sector with my proficiency in data analytics and visualization, has enabled me to provide actionable insights that drive project outcomes. Additionally, my background in facilitation and capacity building equips me to effectively support the development of tailored training programs for MSMEs, ensuring that they have the necessary skills and resources to thrive in competitive markets.

Am committed to GIZ's mission, values, procedures and rules, and I believe that my proactive approach, strong problem-solving skills and dedication to fostering inclusive economic growth align perfectly with the requirements of this role.

I look forward to the opportunity to discuss how I can contribute to GIZ's mission and the success of the private sector development initiatives.

Sincerely,

Hassan Sidique Konneh.