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Dear Sir or Madam

It is an honor for me to present you an investment option that could be of your interest. I would like to talk about the Public-Private Partnerships for the development of large scale transportation and port infrastructure projects, to foster sustainable development in Costa Rica, with a decarbonization approach.

In terms of public transport, we have three main projects. The first one is the electric freight train connecting the North of the country (*Huetar Norte region*) with the Caribbean (*Huetar Caribe region*). The second one is the electric passenger's train of the metropolitan area (*Gran Área Metropolitana*). The third one is the expansion of the National Road 32 (*Ruta Nacional 32*) which will be expanded to four lanes and is one of the main highways of our country. Among the projects of port infrastructure in the Caribbean, I am proud to mention the Marina de Limón, a cruise terminal and the building and equipment of the Area of Intermodal Transfer of Cargo and Logistic Activities in the Port Complex (*Zona de Transferencia Intermodal de Carga y de Actividades Logísticas en el Complejo Portuario*).

All these projects were prioritized in our National Plan of Development and Public Investment 2019-2022 of the Government of Carlos Alvarado Quesada. The Plan was presented on December 2018. This is the reason why Costa Rican Government is particularly interested in attracting private capital to make all these infrastructure projects come true, given their impact in our country development and the commitment we made with the citizens.

We have the best team working to accomplish a successful relation among Costa Rica and the United Arab Emirates. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Yours sincerely,

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Minister

