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Samoa like the
other Small Islands
developing States and
Least Developed countries
have significant
needs with



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respect to adaptation to
the adverse impacts of
Climate change.

Yet ~~we~~ ~~face~~ more and
more we face continued
obstacles ^{in the UNFCCC ~~process~~} ~~during negotiations~~
^{process} on adaptation measures
generally and project
funding in particular.
I am talking ^{here} about



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adaptation
direct actions on the
ground to address our
needs and where
further delays would
^e exersasbate
~~exersasbate~~? our
vulnerability and
will place the associate
costs at a later
stage ~~to~~ truly beyond
our reach.



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I wish to ^{high light} ~~underscore~~
that among the ~~many~~ ^{many}
challenges that we
face in this international
process, the most serious
is our inability to
access financial ~~support~~ ^{support} for
and insurance ~~support~~ ^{support} against
the damage caused by
climate change.



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believe therefore

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I ~~Therefore believe~~ that
the entity entrusted with
funds ~~of~~ ^{for} this convention
needs to ^{be} given direct,
constructive and sensitized
guidance to facilitate
~~the~~ ~~improvement~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~provision~~
~~sufficient~~ the provision
of sufficient ~~funds~~
resources towards
adaptation activities



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by SIDS, ~~against~~ to
~~the~~ strengthen their
~~resilience~~ resilience against
the ~~ad~~ negative effects
of climate change.

At the same time
~~we in the developing~~
~~we in developing~~ developing
countries
~~countries~~ should also
explore our own
domestic arrangements



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to promote greater
access to international
financial resources.

Finally Sir,
while ^{the} integration of
adaptation actions into
national plans is
welcomed, in fact this
is already the case
among SIDS and LDCs, thus
~~the~~ actions should



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be country driven
and not imposed from
~~outside~~, and developed
by the countries themselves.

* We also agree that
Capacity building in
systemic improvement
and integration has
been implemented by us

However, now is the
time for ~~strengthening~~



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institutional Strengthened
at the national level
to support adaption
~~activities~~ action.

Thank you



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