



Program Management

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A Weekly Update on GEF Program Management

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Costa Rica	Tunisia	Cameroon	Bosnia & Herzegovina	China	Philippines	
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Notification of Schedule of Forthcoming GEF Council Meetings

2010

GEF Assembly, Uruguay - May 25-26

Special Council Meeting - May 25

Consultations and GEF Council Meeting - Week of June 29th

Consultations and GEF Council Meeting - Week of November 15th

In making these arrangements, we have tried to avoid a conflict with any other scheduled meetings related to the global environment. We would like to seek your assistance in reserving these dates should you participate in deliberations as to the scheduling of other related meetings.

Requests Received from Implementing/Executing Agencies

April 19 - 23, 2010

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>ADB</u>									
4236		MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	ADB	Regional	GHG Assessment Methodologies in Public Transport	Osamu Mizuno	21-Apr-10
<u>EBRD</u>									
3593		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	EBRD, UNIDO	Russian Federation	RUS Market Transformation Programme on Energy Efficiency in GHG-Intensive Industries in Russia	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
<u>FAO</u>									
4066		FP	POPs	CEO PPG approval	UNEP, FAO	Regional (Cook Islands, Fiji, Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Palau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Samoa)	PAS Pacific POPs Release Reduction Through Improved Management of Solid and Hazardous Wastes	Ibrahima Sow	22-Apr-10

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<u>IADB</u>									
3766		FP	International Waters	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	IADB, UNEP	Regional (Antigua And Barbuda, Barbados, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, St. Lucia, Panama, Suriname)	Testing a Prototype Caribbean Regional Fund for Wastewater Management (CReW)	Christian Severin	23-Apr-10

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3885	3975	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Liberia	Enhancing Resilience of Vulnerable Coastal Areas to Climate Change Risks	Saliha Dobardzic	16-Apr-10
3659	4131	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Russian Federation	RUS: Building Energy Efficiency in the North West of Russia	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	19-Apr-10
3635	4136	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Cambodia	SFM Strengthening Sustainable Forest Management and the Development of Bio-energy Markets to Promote Environmental Sustainability and to Reduce Green House Gas Emissions in Cambodia	Ulrich Apel	19-Apr-10
4228	4290	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Belarus	Improving Energy Efficiency in Residential Buildings in the Republic of Belarus	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
4228	4290	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Belarus	Improving Energy Efficiency in Residential Buildings in the Republic of Belarus	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
4229	4371	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Mexico	Fifth National Communication to the UNFCCC	Josef Buchinger	21-Apr-10
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3377		FP	Land Degradation	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank, UNDP	Mali	SIP-Restoring Agricultural and Pastoral Productivity	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	22-Apr-10
4187	4378	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Montenegro	Capacity building for integration of global environment commitments in investment/development decisions	Danielius Pivoriunas	22-Apr-10

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3405		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Ecuador	BS Implementation of the National Biosafety Framework	Jaime Cavelier	19-Apr-10
3332		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	El Salvador	BS Contributing to the Safe use of Biotechnology	Jaime Cavelier	19-Apr-10
3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	19-Apr-10
4254		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Brazil	Mitigation Options of Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emissions in Key Sectors in Brazil	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
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4173		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Peru	Lighting Market Transformation in Peru	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
4173		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Peru	Lighting Market Transformation in Peru	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10
4066		FP	POPs	CEO PPG approval	UNEP, FAO	Regional (Cook Islands, Fiji, Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Palau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Samoa)	PAS Pacific POPs Release Reduction Through Improved Management of Solid and Hazardous Wastes	Ibrahima Sow	22-Apr-10

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3766		FP	International Waters	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	IADB, UNEP	Regional (Antigua And Barbuda, Barbados, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, St. Lucia, Panama, Suriname)	Testing a Prototype Caribbean Regional Fund for Wastewater Management (CReW)	Christian Severin	23-Apr-10
4091		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Ethiopia	Capacity Building for Accessand Benefit Sharing and Conservation and Sustainable Use of Medicinal Plants	Jaime Cavelier	23-Apr-10
4091		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Ethiopia	Capacity Building for Accessand Benefit Sharing and Conservation and Sustainable Use of Medicinal Plants	Jaime Cavelier	23-Apr-10
UNIDO									
3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	19-Apr-10
3593		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	EBRD, UNIDO	Russian Federation	RUS Market Transformation Programme on Energy Efficiency in GHG-Intensive Industries in Russia	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10

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World Bank									
4035		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Tunisia	MENARID Ecotourism and Conservation of Desert Biodiversity	Mohamed Bakarr	19-Apr-10
4205		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Regional (Algeria, Jordan, Morocco, Palestinian Authority)	Regional Technical Assistance and Capacity Building for the Promotion of Treated Wastewater Reuse in the Mediterranean /MENA Countries	Ivan Zavadsky	20-Apr-10
3809	113794	FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Regional (Djibouti, Egypt, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Yemen)	Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Strategic Ecosystem Management	Christian Severin	20-Apr-10
3243	101076	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Philippines	Climate Change Adaptation Project, Phase I	Rawleston Moore	22-Apr-10
3377		FP	Land Degradation	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank, UNDP	Mali	SIP-Restoring Agricultural and Pastoral Productivity	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	22-Apr-10
3313	108845	FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Kenya	Fishery Management and Sustainable Coastal Environment Development Project - under the Strategic Partnership for a Sustainable Fisheries Investment Fund in the Large Marine Ecosystems of Sub-Saharan Africa	Christian Severin	23-Apr-10

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ADB										
4236		MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	ADB	Regional	GHG Assessment Methodologies in Public Transport	Osamu Mizuno	23-Apr-10	PIF approved by CEO
FAO										
4175		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	FAO	China	CBPF: Demonstration of Estuarine Biodiversity Conservation Restauration and Protected Area Networking	Yoko Watanabe	22-Apr-10	PPG approved by CEO
IADB										
3766		FP	International Waters	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	IADB, UNEP	Regional (Antigua And Barbuda, Barbados, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, St. Lucia, Panama, Suriname)	Testing a Prototype Caribbean Regional Fund for Wastewater Management (CReW)	Christian Severin	23-Apr-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO (Email sent to Agency on 4/26)
UNDP										
3215	3735	MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Jordan	Energy Efficiency Standards and Labeling of Building Appliances	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	15-Apr-10	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval
3949	4283	MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Georgia	Ensuring Sufficiency and Predictability of Revenues for the Protected Areas Systems	Dirk Gaul	20-Apr-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision (Review Sheet sent)

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4228	4290	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Belarus	Improving Energy Efficiency in Residential Buildings in the Republic of Belarus	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
4228	4290	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Belarus	Improving Energy Efficiency in Residential Buildings in the Republic of Belarus	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10	PPG recommended for CEO approval
3825	4048	FP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Pakistan	Mountains and Markets: Biodiversity and Business in Northern Pakistan	Yoko Watanabe	21-Apr-10	Milestone Extension recommended for CEO approval (Awaiting CEO approval)
4142	431	MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Turkey	Enabling Activities for the Preparation of Turkey's Second National Communication to the UNFCCC	Rawleston Moore	21-Apr-10	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval
3687	4172	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Madagascar	Network of Managed Resource Protected Areas	Jaime Cavelier	21-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (Email to agency with consultation on CEO Endorsement)
4187	437	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Montenegro	Capacity building for integration of global environment commitments in investment/development decisions	Danielius Pivoriunas	22-Apr-10	PIF approved by CEO
3687	4172	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Madagascar	Network of Managed Resource Protected Areas	Jaime Cavelier	23-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (PM completed Review Sheet)
3144	361	MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Uruguay	PROBIO - Electricity Production from Biomass in Uruguay	Dimitrios Zevgolis	23-Apr-10	MSP approved by CEO

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3764	3832	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Jamaica	Strengthening the Operational and Financial Sustainability of the National Protected Area System	Andrew Velthaus	23-Apr-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement (Posted Monday 4/26)
UNEP										
3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	14-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PPG approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	14-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4173		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Peru	Lighting Market Transformation in Peru	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
4173		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Peru	Lighting Market Transformation in Peru	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	20-Apr-10	PPG recommended for CEO approval
3807		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Global (Chile, Lesotho, Trinidad and Tobago, Vietnam, South Africa)	Project for Ecosystem Services (ProEcoServ)	Mark Zimsky	20-Apr-10	FSP endorsed by CEO (4/21/10 Endorsement letter sent to UNEP.)
3814		MSP	POPs	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Regional (Chile, Peru)	Best Practices for PCB Management in the Mining Sector of South America	Ibrahima Sow	20-Apr-10	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval
4091		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Ethiopia	Capacity Building for Accessand Benefit Sharing and Conservation and Sustainable Use of Medicinal Plants	Jaime Cavalier	22-Apr-10	PIF recommended for CEO clearance

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3766		FP	International Waters	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	IADB, UNEP	Regional (Antigua And Barbuda, Barbados, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, St. Lucia, Panama, Suriname)	Testing a Prototype Caribbean Regional Fund for Wastewater Management (CREW)	Christian Severin	23-Apr-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO (Email sent to Agency on 4/26)

UNIDO

3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	14-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
3842		MSP	International Waters	CEO PPG approval	UNEP, UNIDO	Global	Engaging the Agribusiness Industry in Partnerships to Reduce the Inputs of Excess Nutrients on Large Marine Ecosystems	Ivan Zavadsky	14-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision

World Bank

3392	108886	FP	Land Degradation	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Uganda	SIP-Environment and Natural Resources Sector Wide Approach (ENR SWAp)	Jaime Cavelier	19-Apr-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (Review Sheet completed)
4204		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Russian Federation (Russian Federation)	Support to the Global Tiger Summit Hosted by the Russian Federation	Yoko Watanabe	20-Apr-10	Milestone Extension recommended for CEO approval (Awaiting for CEO's approval)
4204		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Russian Federation (Russian Federation)	Support to the Global Tiger Summit Hosted by the Russian Federation	Yoko Watanabe	20-Apr-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4035		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Tunisia	MENARID Ecotourism and Conservation of Desert Biodiversity	Mohamed Bakarr	21-Apr-10	PPG approved by CEO (04/22/10 PPG Approval Letter Sent to WB)

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3622	106885	FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Philippines	Integrated POPs Management Project: Dioxins and Furans, PCB and Contaminated Sites Management	Ibrahima Sow	21-Apr-10	FSP endorsed by CEO
3243	101076	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Philippines	Climate Change Adaptation Project, Phase I	Rawleston Moore	22-Apr-10	FSP pending CEO endorsement
4027	110523	MSP	International Waters	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Global	Global Partnership with Fisheries Industry for the Sustainability of Living Aquatic Resources	Nicole Glineur	22-Apr-10	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval (04/22/10 Web Posted)
3837		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Liberia	SPWA BD: Biodiversity Conservation through Expanding the Protected Area Network in Liberia (EXPAN)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	22-Apr-10	MSP approved by CEO
3836	98538	MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Ghana	SPWA BD: Landscape Management and Biodiversity	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	23-Apr-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision