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PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

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Cuba	Iran	Chad	Bulgaria	India	Marshal Islands	
Dominica	Israel	Congo, DR	Central African Republic	Korea DPR	Micronesia	
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El Salvador	Lebanon	Cote d'Ivoire	Czech Republic	Lao	Niue	
Grenada	Syria	Equatorial Guinea	Estonia	Maldives	Pacific Islands	
Guatemala	Yemen Arab Republic	Gabon	FYR Macedonia	Mongolia	Palau	
Haiti		Gambia	Georgia	Myanmar	Papua New Guinea	
Honduras		Ghana	Hungary	Nepal	Philippines	
Jamaica		Guinea	Kazakhstan	Pakistan	Salomon Islands	
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NOTIFICATION OF SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING GEF COUNCIL MEETINGS

2011

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of November 7, 2011

2012

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of June 11, 2012

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June 13 - 17, 2011

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<u>FAO</u>									
4434		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cambodia	Strengthening the adaptive capacity and resilience of rural communities using micro watershed approaches to climate change and variability to attain sustainable food security	Claudia Ortiz-Montemayor	15-Jun-11
<u>GEFSEC</u>									
4556		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	India	Strengthening the Enabling Environment for Bd Conservation and Management	Yoko Watanabe	16-Jun-11

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<u>IFAD</u>									
4149		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Mexico	SFM Mitigating Climate Change through Sustainable Forest Management and Capacity Building in the Southern States of Mexico (States of Campeche, Chiapas and Oaxaca)	Linda Heath	13-Jun-11
4036		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Jordan	TT-Pilot (GEF-4) DHRS: Irrigation Technology Pilot Project to face Climate Change Impact	Knut Sundstrom	13-Jun-11
4494		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	IFAD	Sao Tome and Principe	Integrated Ecosystem Approach to Biodiversity Mainstreaming and Conservation in the Buffer Zones of the Obo National Park	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	17-Jun-11

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4485	4092	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Costa Rica	Integrated PCB Management in Costa Rica	Anil Sookdeo	6-Jun-11
4560	4578	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Brazil	5 th Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grant s Program in Brazil	Danielius Pivoriunas	9-Jun-11
4559	4816	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Eritrea	Integrated Semenawi and Debubawi Bahri-Buri-Irrori-Hawakil Protected Area System for Conservation of Biodiversity and Mitigation of Land Degradation	Jaime Cavelier	13-Jun-11
4559	4816	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Eritrea	Integrated Semenawi and Debubawi Bahri-Buri-Irrori-Hawakil Protected Area System for Conservation of Biodiversity and Mitigation of Land Degradation	Jaime Cavelier	13-Jun-11
4165	3937	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Thailand	LGGE Promoting Energy Efficiency in Commercial Buildings in Thailand (PEECB)	David Elrie Rodgers	16-Jun-11
4551	4657	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Nepal	Community Based Flood and Glacial Lake Outburst Risk Reduction	Junu Shrestha	17-Jun-11
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4562	4393	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Mongolia	Network of Managed Resource Protected Areas	Ulrich Apel	17-Jun-11
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4000		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Nauru, Niue, Tuvalu)	PAS Low Carbon-Energy Islands - Accelerating the Use of Energy Efficient and Renewable Energy Technologies in Tuvalu, Niue and Nauru	Dimitrios Zevgolis	3-Jun-11
4543		MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Global (Brazil, Indonesia, Mexico, Congo DR)	The GLOBE Legislator Forest Initiative	Jaime Cavelier	15-Jun-11
4513		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Global (Benin, Bhutan, Central African Republic, Cape Verde, Djibouti, Dominica, Grenada, Gambia, Equatorial Guinea, Guyana, Cambodia, St. Kitts And Nevis, Lao PDR, Liberia, Madagascar, Mauritania, Maldives, Malawi, Nepal, Niue, Palau, Rwanda, Solomon Islands, Togo, Tonga, Uganda, St. Vincent and Grenadines, Vanuatu, Zambia, Congo DR)	Support to GEF Eligible Parties (LDCs & SIDs) for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD - Phase 1	Mark Zimsky	15-Jun-11

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4561		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Regional (Botswana, Ethiopia, Gambia, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Mozambique, Namibia, Senegal, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda, South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe)	Demonstration of interventions, and strengthening national capacity for innovative implementation of (IVM) for disease prevention and control in WHO	Anil Sookdeo	16-Jun-11
4023		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Cook Islands, Nauru, Tonga, Tuvalu)	PAS Implementing the Island Biodiversity Programme of Work by Integrating the Conservation Management of Island Biodiversity	Nicole Glineur	17-Jun-11
4212		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Global	Global Foundations For Reducing Nutrient Enrichment and ODFLB Pollution in Support of GNC	Ivan Zavadsky	17-Jun-11

World Bank

4565		MSP	International Waters	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Global	Results Assessment of Black Sea/Danube Investment Fund for Nutrient Reduction	Ivan Zavadsky	16-Jun-11
4082	112668	FP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Angola	National Biodiversity Project	Jaime Cavelier	17-Jun-11

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FAO										
4545		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Azerbaijan, Kyrgyz Republic, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Turkey)	Safeguarding and disposal of POPs pesticides and other obsolete pesticides from high risk sites and implementation of sound pesticide management programme in Central Asia countries and Turkey	Anil Sookdeo	15-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
IADB										
3981		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Nicaragua	Integrated Mangement in Lakes Apanas and Asturias Watershed	Linda Heath	15-Jun-11	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
4135		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Colombia	Mechanism for Voluntary Mitigation of Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Colombia	Linda Heath	17-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
UNDP										
4544		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Botswana	Improved Management Effectiveness of the Chobe-Kwando-Linyanti Matrix of Protected Areas	Jaime Cavelier	1-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision (Email to Agency requesting re-submission of PPG)
3445	4033	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Thailand	SFM: Integrated Community-based Forest and Catchment Management through an Ecosystem Service Approach (CBFCM)	Yoko Watanabe	13-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

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3956	4259	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Costa Rica	Consolidating Costa Rica's Marine Protected Areas (MPAs)	Mark Zimsky	15-Jun-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4013	3757	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Kazakhstan	Sustainable Transport in the City Of Almaty	Osamu Mizuno	15-Jun-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4485	4092	FP	POPs	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Costa Rica	Integrated PCB Management in Costa Rica	Anil Sookdeo	15-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4221	4298	MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Burkina Faso	SPWA-Protected Area Buffer Zone Management in Burkina Faso	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	16-Jun-11	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval (06/15/11 MSP web posted)
3903	4184	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Central African Republic	CBSP Strengthened Management of the National Protected Areas System Through Involvement of Local Communities	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (06/16/11 Review Sheet send it to UNDP)
4544		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Botswana	Improved Management Effectiveness of the Chobe-Kwando-Linyanti Matrix of Protected Areas	Jaime Cavelier	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Review Sheet Completed)
4544		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Botswana	Improved Management Effectiveness of the Chobe-Kwando-Linyanti Matrix of Protected Areas	Jaime Cavelier	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision (Review Sheet Completed)
4485	4092	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Costa Rica	Integrated PCB Management in Costa Rica	Anil Sookdeo	16-Jun-11	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4479	4637	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Guatemala	Sustainable Forest Management and Multiple Global Environmental Benefits	Ian Gray	17-Jun-11	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Docs circulating for signature)
4479	4637	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Guatemala	Sustainable Forest Management and Multiple Global Environmental Benefits	Ian Gray	17-Jun-11	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

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UNEP										
4000		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Nauru, Niue, Tuvalu)	PAS Low Carbon-Energy Islands - Accelerating the Use of Energy Efficient and Renewable Energy Technologies in Tuvalu, Niue and Nauru	Dimitrios Zevgolis	15-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
3841		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Lesotho	Improvement of Early Warning System to Reduce Impacts of Climate Change and Capacity Building to Integrate Climate Change into Development Plans	Knut Sundstrom	16-Jun-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4553		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Nepal	Catalysing ecosystem-based adaptation for resilient ecosystems and rural livelihoods in degraded forests and rangelands of Nepal.	Junu Shrestha	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4553		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Nepal	Catalysing ecosystem-based adaptation for resilient ecosystems and rural livelihoods in degraded forests and rangelands of Nepal.	Junu Shrestha	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
3822		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Central African Republic, Congo, Cameroon, Gabon, Equatorial Guinea, Congo DR)	CBSP - A Regional Focus on Sustainable Timber Management in the Congo Basin	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	16-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

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3943		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	Nigeria	SPWA-CC Mini-grids based on Renewable Energy (small-hydro and biomass) Sources to Augment Rural Electrification	Dimitrios Zevgolis	14-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

World Bank

3830		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Argentina	Rural Corridors and Biodiversity Conservation	Mark Zimsky	13-Jun-11	FSP recommended for endorsement
4552	122218	MSP	International Waters	CEO PIF Approval	World Bank	Global	Results Assessment of Black Sea/Danube Investment Fund for Nutrient Reduction - Tranche 3 of 3	Ivan Zavadsky	13-Jun-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4210	121162	MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Thailand	Sustainable Urban Transport in Chiang Mai	Osamu Mizuno	14-Jun-11	MSP approved by CEO
4528	124812	FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Ghana	West Africa Regional Fisheries Program in Ghana	Andrew Hume	14-Jun-11	FSP endorsed by CEO (CEO Endorsement letter send it to WB)