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- Approvals, Endorsements and Other Comments

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Barbados	Egypt	Burkina Faso	Azerbaijan	Bhutan	Indonesia	
Belize	Morocco	Cameroon	Belarus	Cambodia	Kiribati	
Costa Rica	Tunisia	Cape Verde	Bosnia & Herzegovina	China	Malaysia	
Cuba	Iran	Chad	Bulgaria	India	Marshal Islands	
Dominica	Israel	Congo, DR	Central African Republic	Korea DPR	Micronesia	
Dominican Republic	Jordan	Congo, Republic of	Croatia	Korea Rep.	Nauru	
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	
Mexico		Guinea Bissau	Kosovo	Sri Lanka	Samoa	
Nicaragua		Liberia	Kyrgyz Republic	Thailand	Timor-Leste	
Panama		Mali	Latvia	Vietnam	Tonga	
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St. Vincent and the Grenadines		Nigeria	Poland			
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Guyana		Togo	Slovak Republic			
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Uruguay		Burundi	Turkey			
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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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GEF TRUST FUND / SCCF WORK PROGRAM CALENDAR

EVENTS	Nov. CWP
CEO Meeting with Team Leaders on WP(a)	15-Sep
GEFSEC constitutes WP	16-Sept
Announce to Council of upcoming WP(b)	19-Sept
Deadline for Teams' inputs for CN	28-Sept
Draft CN to CEO	30-Sept
Draft CN to GEFOP	4-Oct
GEFOP Meeting	6-Oct
Posting of WP	10-Oct
Council Meeting	11/7 – 10, 2011
Council Approval	10-Nov
a) Assumes all PIFs in the line up have all been cleared prior to meeting with CEO	
b) Simultaneous notification to Executive GEFOP and STAP of upcoming meetings	

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August 8 - 12, 2011

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FAO									
4447		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Haiti	Strengthening climate resilience and reducing disaster risk in agriculture to improve food security in Haiti post earthquake	Knut Sundstrom	8-Aug-11
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	Bonizella Biagini	12-Aug-11
GEFSEC									
4597		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	Belarus	Updating National BD Strategy and Action Plan in line with the COP10 Strategic Plan, Preparing 5th National Report, and Reenforcing Clearing House Mechanism	Yoko Watanabe	10-Aug-11
4591		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	Belarus	Updating National BD Strategy and Action Plan in line with the COP10 Strategic Plan, Preparing 5th National Report, and Reenforcing Clearing House Mechanism	Yoko Watanabe	12-Aug-11

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<u>IFAD</u>									
4098		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Panama	Sustainable and climate-friendly development in Veraguas Province -Proyecto Participa	Linda Heath	10-Aug-11
<u>UNDP</u>									
4585	4566	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Samoa	Enhancing the resilience of tourism-reliant communities to climate change risks	Rawleston Moore	9-Aug-11
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4586	4587	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Jordan	Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation in Tourism Sector Development in Jordan	Jaime Cavelier	10-Aug-11
4589	4464	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Angola	Expansion and Strengthening of Angola's Protected Area system	Jaime Cavelier	11-Aug-11
4589	4464	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Angola	Expansion and Strengthening of Angola's Protected Area system	Jaime Cavelier	11-Aug-11
4590	4741	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Honduras	Delivering Multiple Global Environment Benefits through Sustainable Management of Production Landscapes	Ian Gray	12-Aug-11

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4549		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Kenya	Support to Kenya for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavelier	10-Aug-11
4587		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Iraq	Support to Iraq for the first NBSAP and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavelier	11-Aug-11
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3921		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	Pakistan	Promoting Sustainable Energy Production and Use from Biomass in Pakistan	Dimitrios Zevgolis	11-Aug-11
4569		MSP	POPs	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Global (Burkina Faso, Mali, Senegal)	Improve the Health and Environment of Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining (ASGM) Communities by Reducing Mercury Emissions and Promoting Sound Chemical Management	Ibrahima Sow	12-Aug-11

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<u>World Bank</u>									
4156		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	China	Eco-Transport in City Clusters: Model Development & Pilots	Hiroaki Takiguchi	8-Aug-11
4281		MSP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Vanuatu	Geothermal Power and Electricity Sector Development Project	Dimitrios Zevgolis	8-Aug-11

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ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
EBRD										
4009		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	EBRD	Romania	Financing Public Building Efficiency	David Elrie Rodgers	11-Aug-11	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
FAO										
4582		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Global	Global Coordination and Knowledge Management for ABNJ Governance	Mark Zimsky	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4581		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Global	Sustainable Management of Tuna Fisheries and Biodiversity Conservation in the Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (ABNJ)	Nicole Glineur	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4580		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	FAO, UNEP, World Bank	Global	Global Sustainable Fisheries Management and Biodiversity Conservation in the Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (ABNJ)	Nicole Glineur	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PFD revision
4583		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Turkey	Sustainable Land Management and Climate Friendly Agriculture	Ulrich Apel	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
UNDP										
4562	4393	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Mongolia	Network of Managed Resource Protected Areas	Ulrich Apel	5-Aug-11	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4562	4393	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Mongolia	Network of Managed Resource Protected Areas	Ulrich Apel	5-Aug-11	PPG approved by CEO

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3971	4197	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Bolivia	SFM Biodiversity Conservation through Sustainable Forest Management by Local Communities	Mark Zimsky	11-Aug-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4375	4518	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Ecuador	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Program in Ecuador	Danielius Pivorius	12-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

UNEP

3951		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Global (Chile, Indonesia, Nepal, Vietnam)	Expanding FSC Certification at Landscape-level through Incorporating Additional Eco-system Services.	Ian Gray	9-Aug-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
3897		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Kiribati	PAS:Phoenix Islands Protected Area (PIPA)	Nicole Glineur	10-Aug-11	MSP recommended for CEO approval (Docs circulating for signature)
3631		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Panama	BS Consolidation of National Capacities for the Full Implementation of the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety in Panama.	Jaime Cavalier	10-Aug-11	MSP recommended for CEO approval (Docs circulating for signature)
4580		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	FAO, UNEP, World Bank	Global	Global Sustainable Fisheries Management and Biodiversity Conservation in the Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (ABNJ)	Nicole Glineur	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PFD revision
3897		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Kiribati	PAS:Phoenix Islands Protected Area (PIPA)	Nicole Glineur	11-Aug-11	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval (Due date August 25)

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3631		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Panama	BS Consolidation of National Capacities for the Full Implementation of the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety in Panama.	Jaime Cavalier	11-Aug-11	MSP approved by CEO

World Bank

4336	124014	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Liberia	Lighting One Million Lives in Liberia	David Elrie Rodgers	20-May-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4284		MSP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Solomon Islands	Development of Community-based Renewable Energy Mini-Grids	David Elrie Rodgers	4-Aug-11	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4281		MSP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Vanuatu	Geothermal Power and Electricity Sector Development Project	Dimitrios Zevgolis	4-Aug-11	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4283		MSP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Papua New Guinea	PNG Energy Development Project	Dimitrios Zevgolis	4-Aug-11	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4511	125210	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Ethiopia, Ghana, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Sudan, Senegal, Chad, Togo)	Sahel and West Africa Program in Support of the Great Green Wall Initiative	Mohamed Bakarr	10-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4202		MSP	Climate Change	Cancellation of Project	World Bank	Yemen	Removing Barriers to Energy Efficiency Improvements	Osamu Mizuno	10-Aug-11	Project Cancelled
4580		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	FAO, UNEP, World Bank	Global	Global Sustainable Fisheries Management and Biodiversity Conservation in the Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (ABNJ)	Nicole Glineur	11-Aug-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PFD revision