



Program Management

November 29 - December 3, 2010

A Weekly Update on GEF Program Management

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Cuba	Iran	Cape Verde	Bulgaria	India		
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El Salvador	Lebanon	Congo, Republic of	Czech Republic	Lao	Fiji	
Grenada	Syria	Cote d'Ivoire	Estonia	Maldives	Kiribati	
Guatemala	Yemen Arab Republic	Equatorial Guinea	FYR Macedonia	Mongolia	Marshal Islands	
Haiti		Gabon	Georgia	Myanmar	Micronesia	
Honduras		Gambia	Hungary	Nepal	Nauru	
Jamaica		Ghana	Kazakhstan	Pakistan	Niue	
Mexico		Guinea	Kosovo	Sri Lanka	Palau	
Nicaragua		Guinea Bissau	Kyrgyz Republic	Thailand	Samoa	
Panama		Liberia	Latvia	Vietnam	Salomon Islands	
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St. Vincent and the Grenadines		Niger	Poland		Vanuatu	
Trinidad y Tobago		Nigeria	Romania			
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Guyana		Sierra Leone	Slovak Republic			
Paraguay		Togo	Slovenia			
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Uruguay		Botswana	Turkey			
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Argentina		Central African Republic	Ukraine			
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Colombia		Eritrea				
Ecuador		Kenya				
Peru		Lesotho				
Venezuela		Madagascar				
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2011

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of May 23, 2011

2011

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

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November 29 - December 3, 2010

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<u>ADB</u>									
3589		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB	Regional (Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines)	CTI Coastal and Marine Resources Management in the Coral Triangle: Southeast Asia under Coral Triangle Initiative	Nicole Glineur	1-Dec-10
3641		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB	Regional (Cook Islands, Tonga, Vanuatu, Samoa)	PAS: Promoting Energy Efficiency in the Pacific	Osamu Mizuno	1-Dec-10
<u>EBRD</u>									
4009		FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	EBRD	Romania	Financing Public Building Efficiency	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	1-Dec-10
<u>GEFSEC</u>									
4418		EA	Multi Focal Area	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	Philippines	GEF National Portfolio Formulation Document	Henry Salazar	2-Dec-10
4419		EA	Multi Focal Area	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	Bahamas	GEF National Portfolio Formulation Document	Rawleston Moore	2-Dec-10
4420		EA	Multi Focal Area	CEO EA Approval	GEFSEC	Burkina Faso	GEF National Portfolio Formulation Document	Henry Salazar	2-Dec-10

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4138		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Colombia	Catalytic Investments for Geothermal Power	Dimitrios Zevgolis	24-Nov-10

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UNDP									
4332	4418	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Sustainable Land and Forest Management in the Greater Caucasus Landscape	Ulrich Apel	23-Nov-10
4417	4356	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Colombia	Development of National Capacity for the Environmentally Sound Management and Disposal of PCBs	Ibrahima Sow	29-Nov-10
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3724	4175	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Ukraine	Transforming the Market for Efficient Lighting	David Elrie Rodgers	29-Nov-10
3794	4122	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Nigeria	SPWA-CC Promoting Energy Efficiency in Residential and Public Sector in Nigeria	Dimitrios Zevgolis	29-Nov-10
3724	4175	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Ukraine	Transforming the Market for Efficient Lighting	David Elrie Rodgers	30-Nov-10
2906	3447	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Regional (Central African Republic, Congo, Cameroon, Gabon, Congo DR)	CBSP Sustainable Financing of Protected Area Systems in the Congo Basin	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	30-Nov-10
3936	4257	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	India	IND-BD Mainstreaming Coastal and Marine Biodiversity Conservation into Production Sectors in the Godavari River Estuary in Andhra Pradesh State	Ulrich Apel	30-Nov-10
3953	4223	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Indonesia	Wind Hybrid Power Generation (WHyPGen) Marketing Development Initiatives	Dimitrios Zevgolis	1-Dec-10

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
4187	4378	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Montenegro	Capacity Building For Environmental Policy Institutions For Integration Of Global Environment Commitments In The Investment And Development Decisions/Projects	Danielius Pivoriunas	1-Dec-10
4099	4333	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Mauritius	Removal of Barriers to Solar PV Power Generation in Mauritius, Rodrigues and the Outer Islands	Osamu Mizuno	1-Dec-10
4262	4156	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Togo	Strengthening the Adaptive Capacities of the Agricultural Sector to Climate Change in Togo	Saliha Dobardzic	1-Dec-10
4081		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Chad	SPWA-Strengthening the national protected area network in Chad	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	2-Dec-10
3825	4048	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Pakistan	Mountains and Markets: Biodiversity and Business in Northern Pakistan	Yoko Watanabe	2-Dec-10
4340	4549	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Indonesia	Strategic Planning and Action to Strengthen Climate Resilience of Rural Communities in Nusa Tenggara Timor province (SPARC)	Rawleston Moore	2-Dec-10
3000	3091	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP, World Bank	Tanzania	SFM Sustainable Woodland Management in the Miombo Areas of Western Tanzania	Jaime Cavalier	3-Dec-10

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3664		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Cook Islands, Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Palau, Tonga, Vanuatu, Samoa)	PAS Prevention, Control and Management of Invasive Alien Species in the Pacific Islands	Christian Severin	1-Dec-10
UNIDO									
4387		FP	Ozone Depleting Substances	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Russian Federation	Phase-out of CFC Consumption in the Manufacture of Aerosol Metered-dose Inhalers (MDIs) in the Russian Federation	Ibrahima Sow	29-Nov-10
World Bank									
4194		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Moldova	Biogas Generation from Animal Manure Pilot Project	Osamu Mizuno	29-Nov-10
4316	123692	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Russian Federation	Energy Efficiency Financing (REEF)	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	1-Dec-10
3000		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP, World Bank	Tanzania	SFM Sustainable Woodland Management in the Miombo Areas of Western Tanzania	Jaime Cavelier	3-Dec-10

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<u>ADB</u>										
4130		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB	Nepal	Kathmandu Sustainable Urban Transport (SUT) Project	Osamu Mizuno	30-Nov-10	FSP endorsed by CEO
<u>AfDB</u>										
4274		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	AfDB	Sao Tome and Principe	Strengthening the Adaptive Capacity of Most Vulnerable Sao Tomean's Livestock-keeping Households	Bonizella Biagini	1-Dec-10	PPG approved by CEO
<u>EBRD</u>										
4009		FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	EBRD	Romania	Financing Public Building Efficiency	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	2-Dec-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
<u>FAO</u>										
4411		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	FAO	Haiti	Strengthening climate resilience and reducing disaster risk in agriculture to improve food security in Haiti post earthquake	Lars Christiansen	23-Nov-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision
3266		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Ecuador	Management of Chimborazo's Natural Resources	Mark Zimsky	29-Nov-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement (Comments due 12/28)

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4356		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	China	Securing Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use in China's Dongting Lake Protected Area	Yoko Watanabe	1-Dec-10	PIF not recommended for further development (Review Sheet sent)
4356		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	FAO	China	Securing Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use in China's Dongting Lake Protected Area	Yoko Watanabe	1-Dec-10	PPG not recommended for further development (Review Sheet sent)

IADB

4132		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Global (Mexico)	TT-Pilot (GEF 4): Promotion and Development of Local Wind Technologies in Mexico	Chizuru Aoki	24-Nov-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
3889		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Panama	Mainstreaming biodiversity conservation through low-impact ecotourism in the SINAP	Mark Zimsky	1-Dec-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
3766		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	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	2-Dec-10	FSP endorsed by CEO

IFAD

4368		FP	Climate Change	Council approval of PIF	IFAD	Ghana	Promoting Value Chain Approach to Adaptation in Agriculture	Bonizella Biagini	18-Nov-10	PIF approved by Council
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UNDP

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4255	3603	FP	Climate Change	Council approval of PIF	UNDP	Swaziland	To promote the implementation of national and transboundary integrated water resource management that is sustainable and equitable given expected climate change.	Bonizella Biagini	18-Nov-10	PIF approved by Council
4261	3929	FP	Climate Change	Council approval of PIF	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Integrating climate change risks into water and flood management by vulnerable mountainous communities in the Greater Caucasus region of Azerbaijan	Bonizella Biagini	18-Nov-10	PIF approved by Council
4012	3875	MSP	POPs	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Georgia	Disposal of POPs Pesticides and Initial Steps for Containment of Dumped POPs Pesticides	Ibrahima Sow	24-Nov-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision
2706	3524	FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, UNDP	Regional (Cape Verde, Comoros, Mauritius, Maldives, Seychelles, Sao Tome and Principe)	Implementing Integrated Water Resource and Wastewater Management in Atlantic and Indian Ocean SIDS	Ivan Zavadsky	24-Nov-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
4392	4567	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Egypt	Protect human health and the environment from unintentional releases of POPs originating from incineration and open burning of health care- and electronic-waste.	Ibrahima Sow	24-Nov-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4034	3868	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Lao PDR	Improving the Resilience of the Agriculture Sector in Lao PDR to Climate Change Impacts	Lars Christiansen	29-Nov-10	FSP endorsed by CEO

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4318	4377	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Central African Republic	Integrated Adaptation Programme to Combat the Effects of Climate Change on Agricultural Production and Food Security in CAR	Rawleston Moore	30-Nov-10	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4340	4549	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Indonesia	Strategic Planning and Action to Strengthen Climate Resilience of Rural Communities in Nusa Tenggara Timor province (SPARC)	Rawleston Moore	30-Nov-10	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4318	4377	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Central African Republic	Integrated Adaptation Programme to Combat the Effects of Climate Change on Agricultural Production and Food Security in CAR	Rawleston Moore	30-Nov-10	PPG approved by CEO
4019	3977	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Guinea-Bissau	Strengthening Resilience and Adaptive Capacity to Climate Change in Guinea-Bissau's Agrarian and Water Sectors	Lars Christiansen	2-Dec-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
3828	4037	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Syria	LGGE Energy Efficiency Buildings Codes	David Elrie Rodgers	2-Dec-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
4187	4378	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Montenegro	Capacity Building For Environmental Policy Institutions For Integration Of Global Environment Commitments In The Investment And Development Decisions/Projects	Danielius Pivoriunas	2-Dec-10	PPG approved by CEO

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2706		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, UNDP	Regional (Cape Verde, Comoros, Mauritius, Maldives, Seychelles, Sao Tome and Principe)	Implementing Integrated Water Resource and Wastewater Management in Atlantic and Indian Ocean SIDS	Ivan Zavadsky	24-Nov-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
4415		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Global	Capacity Building for the Early Entry into Force of the Protocol on Access and Benefit Sharing	Mark Zimsky	29-Nov-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision (11/29/10 Review Sheet sent it to UNEP.)
3651		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Cameroon	Development and Institution of A National Monitoring and Control System (Framework) for Living Modified Organisms (LMOs) and Invasive Alien Species (IAS)	Jaime Cavelier	30-Nov-10	FSP recommended for endorsement (Cover Memo and Review Sheet Completed by PM)
3651		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Cameroon	Development and Institution of A National Monitoring and Control System (Framework) for Living Modified Organisms (LMOs) and Invasive Alien Species (IAS)	Jaime Cavelier	2-Dec-10	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
3788		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda)	LGGE Promoting Energy Efficiency in Buildings in Eastern Africa	Alexis Jean-Roch Mariani	2-Dec-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
3766		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	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	2-Dec-10	FSP endorsed by CEO

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3855		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Regional (Bolivia, Colombia, Costa Rica)	Strengthening the Implementation of Access to Genetic Resources and Benefit-Sharing Regimes in Latin America and the Caribbean	Jaime Cavalier	3-Dec-10	MSP sent to Agency for revision (Email sent to Agency for clarifications)
3969		FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, UNIDO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Central African Republic, Cape Verde, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Sierra Leone, Senegal, Sao Tome and Principe, Chad, Togo)	AFLDC:Capacity Strengthening and Technical Assistance for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention National Implementation Plans (NIPs) in African Least Developed Countries (LDCs) of the ECOWAS Subregion	Ibrahima Sow	3-Dec-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

UNIDO

3571		MSP	POPs	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNIDO	Armenia	Technical Assistance for Environmentally Sustainable Management of PCBs and Other POPs Waste in the Republic of Armenia	Ibrahima Sow	30-Nov-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
2875		MSP	POPs	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNIDO	Macedonia	Demonstration project for Phasing-out and Elimination of PCBs and PCB-Containing Equipment	Ibrahima Sow	30-Nov-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO

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3969		FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, UNIDO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Central African Republic, Cape Verde, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Sierra Leone, Senegal, Sao Tome and Principe, Chad, Togo)	AFLDC:Capacity Strengthening and Technical Assistance for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention National Implementation Plans (NIPs) in African Least Developed Countries (LDCs) of the ECOWAS Subregion	Ibrahima Sow	3-Dec-10	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

World Bank

3830		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Argentina	Rural Corridors and Biodiversity Conservation	Mark Zimsky	25-Oct-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4207		FP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Mexico	Fostering Sustainable and Competitive Production Systems Consistent with the Conservation of Biodiversity	Mark Zimsky	25-Oct-10	Milestone Extension approved by CEO