

## Sixth Comprehensive Evaluation of the GEF

## Protocol for interaction with GEF and convention focal points and civil society - Discussion Notes

This protocol describes the issues that the GEF Independent Evaluation Office would like to raise with GEF and convention focal points and civil society for the Sixth Comprehensive Evaluation (OPS6) of the GEF. This list is by no means is restrictive: the Office would like to invite you to raise any issue you feel is important for OPS6. Our goal is to identify issues that need to be explored further and sources of information. Complete one form per country and return it to the Office representative. Send any further information to OPS@TheGEF.org.

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**Country name:** 

Do you feel that the GEF support in your country matches the guidance of the conventions, as relevant to your country and supportive of national priorities?

## **Trends in performance issues**

**Consider the following questions:** 

- Do you feel the GEF project cycle is efficient (with respect to time, effort, and money that it takes to develop and implement a GEF project)? How does it compare to other donors' cycles in your country?
- Would you like to raise any issues about the co-funding your country achieved at the level of GEF interventions?
- What has been the role, division of labor, and comparative advantage of the GEF Agencies in your country?
- Have GEF lessons been shared with your country or organization, and have lessons learned in your country or organization been shared with the GEF community?

## Involvement of civil society and private sector in GEF activities in your country?

**Consider the following questions:** 

- Are you satisfied with the involvement of civil society organizations and the private sector in GEF activities in your country?
- In what ways could civil society organizations and the private sector be more involved with GEF activities?
- What are the barriers to the involvement of civil society organizations and the private sector in GEF activities in your country?

**Overall Comments**