



Program Management

July 6 - 10, 2015

A Weekly Update on GEF Program Management

Contacts

- Travel/Leave Schedules

Calendar

- Council Meeting Schedules
- Project Review Meeting Schedules
- Work Program Project Review Meeting Schedule

Communications

- Project Concepts, Proposals, Draft Documents Received
- Approvals, Endorsements and Other Comments

Naoko Ishii
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson
nishii@thegef.org

FRONT OFFICE

Peter Lallas
Advisor to the Chief Executive Officer
plallas@thegef.org
+1 202 473 9732

Claus Pram Astrup
Senior Operations Officer
castrup@theworldbank.org
+ 1 202 478 7270

Elif Kiratli
Special Assistant
ekiratli@theworldbank.org
+202-458-2006

Beatrice B. Owolabi-Jokoh
Resource Management Officer
bowolabi@thegef.org
+1 202 458 4215

Julienne Kouame
Program Analyst
jkouame@thegef.org
+1 202 473 8736

Mailing Address:
GEF Secretariat
1818 H Street, NW, MSN P4-400
Washington, D.C. 20433
+1 202 473 0508; Fax: +1 202 522 3240/3245

PROGRAMS

Gustavo Fonseca
Director,
gfonseca1@thegef.org
+ 1 202 458 4818

Anil Bruce Sookdeo
Senior Environmental Specialist
asookdeo@thegef.org
+1 202 458 0683

Astrid Hillers
Senior Environmental Specialist
International Waters (Africa)
ahillers@thegef.org
+1 202 458 8173

Chizuru Aoki
Senior Technology Transfer Officer
caoki@thegef.org
+1 202 473 6068

Claude Gascon
Manager
cgascon@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9755

Dustin S. Schinn
Operations Analyst
dschinn@thegef.org
+1 202 458 1234

Fareeha Iqbal
Climate Change Specialist
fiqbal1@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9593

Glynis Barber
Program Assistant
gbarber@thegef.org
+1 202 473 9647

Jean-Marc Sinnassamy Senior
Environmental Specialist
(Land Degradation/SFM)
jsinnassamy@thegef.org
+1 202 458 8060

Andrew Chilombo
ET Temporary
achilombo@thegef.org
+1 202 473 9890

Chibulu Luo
Junior Professional Associate
clu@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9212

Christian Severin
Senior Environmental Specialist (International Waters)
cseverin@thegef.org
+1 202 458 2001

David Rodgers
Senior Energy Specialist
(Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy)
drodgers@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9869

Evelyn Swain
Environmental Specialist
eswain@thegef.org
+1 202 473 1151

Flavius Mihaies
Consultant
fmihaies@thegef.org

Jaime Cavalier
Senior Biodiversity Specialist
(Biodiversity/Biosafety/ABS, Land Degradation)
jcavalier@thegef.org
+1 202 473 4886

Ian Gray
Senior Environmental Specialist
(SFM/REDD+)
igray@thegef.org
+1 202 473 8718

Kathryn Cherrie
Senior Program Assistant
kcherrie@thegef.org
+1 202 458 1460

Knut Roland Sundstrom
Climate Change Specialist
ksundstrom@thegef.org
+1 202 473 7510

Lulwa Ali
Senior Environmental Specialist
lali1@thegef.org
+1 202 473 5618

Maria Camila Florez Bossio
ET Consultant
cflorezbossio@thegef.org
+1 202 473 4346

Milena Gonzalez Vasquez
Junior Professional Associate
mgonzalezvasquez@thegef.org
+1 202 458 1284

Mohamed Imam Bakarr
Senior Environmental Specialist
(Land Degradation)
mbakarr@thegef.org
+1 202 458 8890

Nhu Quynh Phan
Program Assistant
nphan@thegef.org
+1 202 473 4236

Rawlestone Moore
Senior Climate Change Specialist
rmoore1@thegef.org
+ 1 202 473 8231

Robert K. Dixon
Advisor, Climate and Chemicals
Rdixon1@thegef.org
+1 202 473 2340

Ibrahima Sow
Senior Environmental Specialist
isow@thegef.org
+1 202 473 2716

Kettly Denis
Program Assistant
kdenis@thegef.org
+1 202 473 0825

Leah Karrer
Senior Environmental Specialist
lkarrer@thegef.org
+1 202 473 8364

Mark Zimsky
Senior Biodiversity Specialist
mzimsky@thegef.org
+1 202 473 7855

Masako Ogawa
Senior Environment
Specialist
mogawa2@thegef.org
+1 202 458 2789

Ming Yang
Senior Environmental Economist
(Energy Efficiency)
myang@thegef.org
+1 202 473 5707

Monica Fernandes
Senior Program Assistant
mfernandes@thegef.org
+1 202 473 9647

Nicole Glineur
Senior Environmental Specialist
(Biodiversity/International Waters)
nclineur@thegef.org
+1 202 473 2512

Ram Ha
Temporary
rha@thegef.org

Sarah Wyatt
Junior Professional Associate
swyatt@thegef.org
+1 202 473 0534

Saliha Dobardzic
Senior Climate Change Specialist
sdobardzic@thegef.org
+1 202 473 5943

Steffen Hansen
Junior Professional Officer
shansen@thegef.org
+1 202 458 8796

Takuya Nomoto
Consultant
tnomoto@thegef.org

Xiaomei Tan
Climate Change Specialist
(Sustainable City, Urban & Transport)
xtan1@thegef.org
+1 202 473 7448

Shakil Kayani
Program Assistant
skayani@thegef.org
+1 202 458 4680

Tigest Tirfe
Program Assistant
ttirfe@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9297

Ulrich Apel
Senior Environmental Specialist
uapel@thegef.org
+1 202 473 2573

Yoko Watanabe
Senior Biodiversity Specialist
[ywatane@thegef.org](mailto:ywatanabe@thegef.org)
+1 202 473 9847

INDEPENDENT EVALUATION OFFICE

Juha Uitto

Director

GEF Independent Evaluation Office

juitto@thegef.org

Aaron Zazueta

Chief Evaluations Officer

azazueta@thegef.org

+1 202 473 6406

Carlo Carugi

Senior Evaluations Officer

ccarugi@thegef.org

+1 202 473 8154

Anna Viggh

Senior Evaluations Officer

aviggh@worldbank.org

+1 202 473 8896

Kseniya Temnenko

Knowledge Management
Officer

ktemnenko@thegef.org

+1 202 458 4908

Jeneen Garcia

Evaluation Officer

jgarcia2@thegef.org

+1 202 458 2719

Francisco Grahammer

ET Consultant

fgrahammer@thegef.org

+1 202 473 4914

Ruben Sardon

ET Consultant

rsardon@thegef.org

+1 202 473 1703

Marie-Constance Manuella Koukoui

Senior Executive Assistant

mkoukoui@thegef.org

+1 202 458 9682

Neeraj Kumar Negi

Senior Evaluations Officer

nnegi1@thegef.org

+1 202 473 2259

Juan Portillo

Senior Operations Officer

jportillo@worldbank.org

+1 202 473 6056

Baljit Wadhwa

Senior Evaluations Officer

bwadhwa@worldbank.org

+1 202 473 0266

Sandra Romboli

Evaluation Officer

sromboli@thegef.org

+1 202 458 4972

Malac Kabir

Research Assistant

mkabir4@thegef.org

+1 202 473 1808

Joshua Schneck

ET Consultant

jschneck@thegef.org

+1 202 458 9552

Shanna Edberg

Junior Professional Associate

sedberg@thegef.org

Evelyn Chihuguyu

Program Assistant

echihuguyu@thegef.org

+1 202 473 0654

ADAPTATION FUND BOARD SECRETARIAT

Marcia Levaggi

Senior Program Manager

mlevaggi@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 473 6390

Mikko Antti Ollikainen

Senior Environmental Specialist

mollikainen@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 458 8912

Daouda Ben Oumar Ndiaye

Adaptation Officer

dndiaye@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 473 4611

Dima Shocair Reda

Operations Officer

dreda@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 458 5184

Cathryn Leigh Poff

ET Consultant

cpoff@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 473 5463

Aya Mimura

Program Assistant

amimura@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 458 7347

Hugo Remaury

Junior Professional Associate

hremaury@adaptation-fund.org

+1 202 473 5463

GEF DIRECTORY OF ADDRESSEES

GEF Secretariat

GEF Secretariat¹
Program Coordination Registry
1818 H Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20433, USA
gcoordination@thegef.org

Attn: Mr. Ramesh Ramankutty
Head, Operations and Business Strategy
rramankutty@thegef.org
+1 202 458 2725

GEF Trustee

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (The World Bank) Registry
1818 H Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20433, USA
geftrustee@worldbank.org

Mr. Praveen Desabatla
Team Leader, DFPTF
pdesabatla@worldbank.org
+1 202 458 2099

Convention Secretariats

UN Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)
413 rue Saint-Jacques, Suite 800
Montreal, Quebec, Canada H2Y 1 N9
Secretariat@cbd.int

Attn: Mr. Braulio F. de Souza Dias
Executive Secretary
GEF Contact Person: Mr. Yibin Xiang
Program Officer
Yibin.xiang@cbd.int
+1 514 288 2220

UN Framework on Climate Change Convention (UNFCCC)
Haus Carstanjen
Martin Luther King Strasse 8
53175 Bonn, Germany
secretariat@unfccc.int

Attn: Ms. Christiana Figueres
Executive Secretary
GEF Contact Person: Mr. Yolando Velasco Manager, FTC Programme
gefenabling.activities@unfccc.int
gefprojects@unfccc.int
+45228 815 1999

Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions
UNEP International Environment House 1
11-13 Chemin des Anemones
1219 Chatelaine, Geneva, Switzerland

Attn: Dr. Rolph Payet
Executive Secretary
Mr. Frank Moser
GEF Focal Point
Office of the Executive Secretary
frank.moser@brsmeas.org
+41 22 917 8951

**UN Convention to Combat Desertification
(UNCCD)**

Herrmann-Ehlers Str. 10
D-53113 Bonn, Germany
secretariat@unccd.int

Attn: Ms. Monique Barbut
Executive Secretary

GEF Contact Person: Ms. Anja Thust
Program Officer, FCMI Unit
athust@unccd.int
+49 228 815 2828

Interim Secretariat of the Minamata Convention

International Environment House 1
13, chemin des Anémones
CH-1219 Chatelaine, Geneva
Switzerland

Mr. Jacob Duer
Coordinator, Minamata Convention
jacob.duer@unep.org
+41 22 917 82 17

¹ GEF Secretariat's physical address: Presidential Plaza Building, 900 19th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20006

STAP Panel and Secretariat

Panel

Rosina Bierbaum

Chairperson

rbierbau@umich.edu

+1 734 763 8675

Ralph E. Sims

Panel Member on Climate Change Mitigation

R.E.Sims@massey.ac.nz

+64 21 166 4555

Brian Child

Panel Member on Biodiversity

bchild@ufl.edu

+352 392 0494

Ricardo Barra

Panel Member on Chemicals & Waste

ricbarra@udec.cl

56-41-2204002

Annette Cowie

Panel Member on Land Degradation

annette.cowie@une.edu.au

+61 2 677 28080

Jakob Granit

Panel Member on International Waters

jakob.granit@sei-international.org

+46 73 707 8536

Anand Patwardhan

Panel Member on Adaptation

apat@umd.edu

+1 301 405 3413

Michael Stocking

Advisor to the STAP Chair

m.stocking@uea.ac.uk

+44 1603 592 339

Thomas E. Lovejoy

Advisor to the STAP Chair

tlovejoy@unfoundation.org

Secretariat

Thomas Hammond

STAP Secretary

thomas.hammond@unep.org

+1 202 974 1318

Guadalupe Duron

Programme Officer

guadalupe.duron@unep.org

+1 202 974 1313

Robin Burgess

Programme Assistant

robin.burgess@unep.org

+1 202 974 1311

Christine Wellington-Moore

Senior Programme Officer

christine.wellington-moore@unep.org

+1 202 974 1303

Lev Neretin

Senior Programme Officer

lev.neretin@unep.org

+1 202 621 5020

Virginia Gorsevski

Consultant

virginia.gorsevski@unep.org

+1 202 621 5039

GEF Agency Secretariats

African Development Bank (AfDB) Registry

Headquarters
01 BP 1387 Abidjan 01
Côte d'Ivoire
Gef_afdb@afdb.org

Mr. Mahamat Assouyouiti
GEF Coordinator
m.assouyouiti@afdb.org

Copy to:
Mr. Kurt Lonsway
Division Manager, Environment and Climate
Change
k.lonsway@afdb.org

Asian Development Bank (ADB) Registry

6 ADB Avenue
Mandaluyong City 1550
Metro Manila, Philippines
adbgef@adb.org

Attn: Mr. Nessim Ahmad
Director, Environment and Social Safeguards
and GEF Official Focal Point
njahmad@adb.org

Copy to:
Mr. Bruce Dunn
ADB/GEF Coordinator
bdunn@adb.org
+632 683 1922/ +632 683 1923

European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) Registry

One Exchange Square
London EC2A 2JN, United Kingdom
ebrdgef@ebrd.com

Attn: Ms. Marta Simonetti
Senior Manager
(Multilateral Funds – Climate and Environment)
EBRD GEF Executive Coordinator
Donor Co-Financing – VP Policy
simonetm@ebrd.com
+ 0044 (0) 207338 7259
+ 0044 (0) 7921 039815

United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Registry

Viale Dell Terme di Caracalla
00153 Rome, Italy
GEF-Coordination-Unit@fao.org

Attn: Mr. Gustavo Merino
Director, Investment Centre Division
TCI-Director@fao.org
faogef@fao.org
+3906 570 54477

Copy to:
Mr. Jeffrey Griffin
Senior Coordinator - GEF
Investment Center Division
Jeffrey.Griffin@fao.org
+3906 570 55680

GEF Agency Secretariats cont'd

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Registry

1300 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20577, USA
Idb-gef@iadb.org

Mr. Michael Collins
GEF Coordinator
michaelc@iadb.org
+ 1 202 623 2158

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (The World Bank) Registry

1818 H Street, NW Washington,
D.C. 20433, USA
wbgfoperations@worldbank.org

Ms. Karin Shepardson
GEF Executive Coordinator
kshepardson@worldbank.org
+ 1 202 458 1398

International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) Registry

Via Paolo di Dono, 44
00142 Rome, Italy
ECDmailbox@ifad.org

Mr. John McIntire
Associate Vice President,
Programme Management Department
+39 06 5459 2320

Copy to:

Mr. Gernot Laganda
Acting Director, Environment and Climate Division
g.laganda@ifad.org
Tel: +39 06 5459 2142

Ms. Sheila Mwanundu
GEF Coordinator
s.mwanundu@ifad.org
Tel: +39 06 5459 2031

Ms. Aisha Nazario
a.nazario@ifad.org
Tel: +39 06 5459 2459

United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) Registry

United Nations Avenue
Gigiri, PO Box 30552
00100 Nairobi, Ken ya
Unepgef@unep.org

Local Office:

900 17th Street, NW
Suite 506, Washington, D.C. 20006

Ms. Brennan VanDyke
GEF Executive Coordinator
Deputy Director, Office for Operations
vandyke@un.org
Tel: (917) 367-2114

Copy to:

Ms. Kelly West
Senior GEF Portfolio Manager
Office for Operations
Kelly.West@unep.org

GEF Agency Secretariats cont'd

United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) Registry
Vienna International Centre
PO Box 300
A-1400 Vienna, Austria
gef@unido.org

Mr. Juergen Hierold
GEF Coordinator
J.Hierold@unido.org
+43 1 26026 4565

Copy to:
Ms. Anya Onysko
UNIDO Liaison Officer
g.onysko@unido.org
+1 43-1-26026 3647

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Registry
304 East 45th Street
New York, NY 10017, USA
undpgef@undp.org

Attn: Ms. Adriana Dinu
GEF Executive Coordinator
Adriana.dinu@undp.org
+1 212 906 5143

GEF Project Agency Secretariats

Conservation International (CI) Registry
2011 Crystal Drive, Suite 500
Arlington VA, 22202
USA
CIGEF@conservation.org

Ms. Lilian Spijkerman,
Vice President Global Public Partnerships
+ 703 341 2552
lspijkerman@conservation.org

Copy to:
osamaroo@conservation.org

World Wildlife Fund, Inc. (WWF-US)
1250 24th St, NW
Washington, DC 20037-1193
WWFGEF@wwfus.org

Attn: Dr. David S. McCauley
Senior Vice President
Policy and Government Affairs
david.mccauley@wwfus.org
+1-202-495-4159

Copy to:
Mr. Hervé Lefevre
Senior Director, GEF Relations and
GEF Coordinator
Herve.Lefevre@wwfus.org
+1-202-459-8533

GEF Project Agency Secretariats cont'd

International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

Rue Mauverney, 28
CH-1196 Gland,
Switzerland
IUCNGEF@iucn.org

Attn: Cyrie Sendashonga
Global Director, Policy and Programme
Cyriaque.Sendashonga@iucn.org
+41 22 999 03 17

Copy to:
Mr. Jean-Yves Pirot,
Head, GEF Coordination Unit
jean-yves.pirot@iucn.org
+41 22 999 02 56

Mr. Sébastien Delahaye
Portfolio Manager
GEF Coordination Unit
Sebastien.Delahaye@iucn.org
+ 41 22 999 02 51

Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA)

1258 Lever Road, Headway Hill
Midrand, 1685
South Africa
DBSAGEF@dbsa.org

Ms. Nomsa T. Zondi
GEF Coordinator
nomsaz@dbsa.org
+27 11 313 3491

**DISTRIBUTION LIST WHEN SUBMITTING PROJECT PROPOSALS
FOR GEF CEO APPROVAL/ENDORSEMENT**

As a rule, all GEF Agencies are expected to circulate their project proposals to the GEF Secretariat, GEF Agencies, and STAP and to the relevant Convention Secretariat.

Standard Distribution List for all projects (PIF, PPG, FSP, MSP, and EA):

gcoordination@thegef.org
stapsec@unep.org
thomas.hammond@unep.org
adbgef@adb.org
bdunn@adb.org
njahmad@adb.org
gef_afdb@afdb.org
m.assouyouiti@afdb.org
k.lonsway@afdb.org
CIGEF@conservation.org
lspijkerman@conservation.org
osamaroo@conservation.org
DBSAGEF@dbsa.org
nomsaz@dbsa.org
ebrdgef@ebrd.com
simonetm@ebrd.com
GEF-Coordination-Unit@fao.org
faogef@fao.org
TCI-Director@fao.org
Jeffrey.Griffin@fao.org
idb-gef@iadb.org
michaelc@iadb.org
ECDmailbox@ifad.org
s.mwanundu@ifad.org
a.nazario@ifad.org
IUCNGEF@iucn.org
Cyriaque.Sendashonga@iucn.org
Sebastien.Delahaye@iucn.org
jean-yves.piroton@iucn.org
unepgef@unep.org
vandyke@un.org
Kelly.West@unep.org
gef@unido.org
j.hierold@unido.org
g.onysko@unido.org
undpgef@undp.org
adriana.dinu@undp.org
wbgefoperations@worldbank.org
WWFGEF@wwfus.org
David.McCauley@wwfus.org
Herve.Lefevre@wwfus.org

To be included in the Standard Distribution List as appropriate:

For Biodiversity Projects:

secretariat@cbd.int
yibin.xiang@cbd.int

For Climate Change Projects:

gefprojects@unfccc.int
gefenabling.activities@unfccc.int

For Land Degradation Projects:

secretariat@unccd.int
athust@unccd.int

For Mercury Projects

jacob.duer@unep.org
shelia.logan@unep.org

For POPs Projects:

ta@brsmeas.org
maria.cardenas@brsmeas.org
frank.moser@brsmeas.org

Country Support Program Activities Expanded Constituency Workshops

Fiscal Year 2015

February 17-19

Southern Africa: Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia, Zimbabwe
Windhoek, Namibia

March 3-5

Mesoamerica + Venezuela: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Venezuela
Managua, Nicaragua

March 17-19

Asia: Cambodia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Thailand, Vietnam + Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka + China
Colombo, Sri Lanka

April 14-16

South America: Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay + Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador
Asuncion, Paraguay

April 21-23

Sahel West Africa: Burkina Faso, Cabo Verde, Chad, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, The Gambia
Cabo Verde (location TBD)

May 19-21

Central Africa: Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo, Congo DR, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Sao Tome and Principe
Libreville, Gabon

June 23-25

Eastern Europe: Albania, Bulgaria, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Georgia, Macedonia, Moldova, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Ukraine.
Tbilisi, Georgia

Fiscal Year 2016

July 20-22

Kampala, Uganda

September 8-10

Aqaba, Jordan

September 22-24

Minsk, Belarus

October 6-8

Avarua, Cook Islands

November 3-5

Lome, Togo

Requests Received from GEF Agencies

July 6 - 10, 2015

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>AfDB</u>									
8019		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Congo	Promoting Access to Renewable Energy and Development of IT Tools for Climate Change Adaptation for Rural Communities of Congo	Ming Yang	7-Jul-15
5504		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	AfDB	Central African Republic	Reducing Rural and Urban Vulnerability to Climate Change by the Provision of Water Supply	Saliha Dobardzic	7-Jul-15
8019		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Congo	Promoting Access to Renewable Energy and Development of IT Tools for Climate Change Adaptation for Rural Communities of Congo	Ming Yang	8-Jul-15
9043		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Regional (Africa)	Investing in Renewable Energy Project Preparation under the Sustainable Energy Fund for Africa (SEFA)(non-grant)	David Elrie Rodgers	10-Jul-15

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>FAO</u>									
5410		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Venezuela	Sustainable Forest Lands Management and Conservation under an Eco-social Approach	Ian Gray	26-May-15
5407		FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Regional (Antigua And Barbuda, Barbados, Bahamas, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Guyana, Jamaica, St. Kitts And Nevis, St. Lucia, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, St. Vincent and Grenadines)	Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs, Promotion of Alternatives and Strengthening Pesticides Management in the Caribbean	Anil Sookdeo	24-Jun-15
<u>UNDP</u>									
5179	4686	FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Mexico	Sound Management of POPs Containing Waste	Ibrahima Sow	30-Jun-15
<u>UNEP</u>									
5775		MSP	Land Degradation	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Global (Ethiopia, Indonesia, India, Kenya, Niger)	Building the Foundation for Forest Landscape Restoration at Scale	Mohamed Bakarr	7-Jul-15
9186		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Djibouti	Increasing institutional and technical capacity for climate-resilient development in Djibouti's Gobaad Plains and Tadjourah City	Knut Sundstrom	9-Jul-15

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
UNIDO									
9177		MSP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Kazakhstan	Introduction of ODS alternatives in agriculture and in post-harvest sector	Lulwa Ali	29-Jun-15
9184		MSP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Kazakhstan	Introduction of ODS Alternatives in Agriculture and in Post-harvest Sector	Lulwa Ali	29-Jun-15
5154		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Kenya	Sustainable Conversion of Waste into Clean Energy for GHG Emission Reduction	Ming Yang	7-Jul-15

Responses to Proponents

July 6 - 10, 2015

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
AfDB										
8019		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Congo	Promoting Access to Renewable Energy and Development of IT Tools for Climate Change Adaptation for Rural Communities of Congo	Ming Yang	8-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9051		FP	Land Degradation	CEO endorsement of FSP	AfDB	Regional	Moringa Agro-forestry Fund for Africa (non-grant)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	9-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
FAO										
4775		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Ecuador	Promotion of Climate-smart Livestock Management Integrating Reversion of Land Degradation and Reduction of Desertification Risks in Vulnerable Provinces	Mohamed Bakarr	1-Jul-15	FSP endorsed by CEO
9178		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	FAO	Burundi	Food-IAP: Support for Sustainable Food Production and Enhancement of Food Security and Climate Resilience in Burundi's Highlands	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
5798		MSP	Land Degradation	CEO MSP Approval	FAO	Regional (Morocco, Mauritania, Tunisia)	Adaptive Management and Monitoring of the Maghreb's Oases Systems	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	7-Jul-15	MSP approved by CEO

ID	IA	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response	
	ID								Date	Remarks
9166		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Chad	Strengthening agro-ecosystems' adaptive capacity to climate change in the Lake Chad Basin (Lac, Kanem, Bahr El Ghazal, and part of the Hadjer-Lamis region)	Knut Sundstrom	8-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

UNDP

5327		5054 FP	Land Degradation	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	South Africa	Securing Multiple Ecosystems Benefit Through SLM in the Productive But Degraded Landscapes of South Africa	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	1-Jul-15	FSP endorsed by CEO
9159		5612 FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Congo	Integrated and Transboundary Conservation of Biodiversity in the Basins of the Republic of Congo	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9155		5610 FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Cameroon	Integrated and Transboundary Conservation of Biodiversity in the Basins of the Republic of Cameroon	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9156		5467 FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Tanzania	Combating poaching and the illegal wildlife trade in Tanzania through an integrated approach	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9158		5474 FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Mozambique	Strengthening the Conservation of Globally threatened Species in Mozambique through Improving Biodiversity Enforcement and Expanding Community Conservancies around Protected Areas	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO

ID	IA		Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response	
	ID	Type							Date	Remarks
9154	5590	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Botswana	Managing the Human-wildlife Interface to Sustain the Flow of Agro-ecosystem Services and Prevent Illegal Wildlife trafficking in the Kgalagadi and Ghanzi Drylands	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9157	5609	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Ethiopia	Enhanced Management and Enforcement of Ethiopia's Protected Areas Estate	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9049	5544	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Yemen	Upscale of Solar Energy Applications for Productive End-uses in Rural Communities	Ming Yang	7-Jul-15	PIF pending GEF Sec clearance (The project is on-holding because of the Civil War in the Country, although the project is technically cleared)
9148	3298	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	India	Securing livelihoods Conservation Sustainable Use and Restoration of high range Himalayan Ecosystems (SECURE-Himalayas)	Jaime Cavalier	7-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
9167	5531	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Mexico	Sixth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Programme in Mexico	Maria Del Pilar Barrera Rey	7-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Review sheet sent to Agency)
9150	5391	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Indonesia	Combatting Illegal and Unsustainable Trade in Endangered Species in Indonesia	Jaime Cavalier	7-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO

ID	IA		Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response	
	ID	Type							Date	Remarks
5808	531	MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Algeria	Developing a National Strategy and Legal and Institutional Framework on Access to Genetic Resources and Related Benefit Sharing and Traditional Knowledge in Line with the CBD and Its Nagoya Protocol in Algeria	Jaime Cavalier	7-Jul-15	MSP approved by CEO
9169	5206	EA	Climate Change	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Sri Lanka	Preparation of Sri Lanka's Third National Communication (TNC) to the UNFCCC	Ogawa Masako	9-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
9170	5661	EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	India	Improve Mercury Management in India	Anil Sookdeo	9-Jul-15	EA approved by CEO
UNEP										
8022		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Lao PDR	Building the Capacity of the Lao PDR Government to Advance the National Adaptation Planning Process	Fareeha Iqbal	18-Jun-15	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Technically cleared)
5822		MSP	Land Degradation	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Serbia	Enhanced Cross-Sectoral Land Management through Land Use Pressure Reduction and Planning	Ulrich Apel	1-Jul-15	MSP approved by CEO
5194		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Rwanda	Building Resilience of Communities Living in Degraded Forests, Savannahs and Wetlands of Rwanda Through an Ecosystem Management Approach	Knut Sundstrom	7-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

ID	IA	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response	
	ID								Date	Remarks
4940		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Mozambique, Seychelles, Somalia, Tanzania, South Africa)	Implementation of the Strategic Action Programme for the protection of the Western Indian Ocean from land-based sources and activities (WIO-SAP)	Astrid Hillers	7-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
6990		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Achieving Biodiversity Conservation through Creation, Effective Management and Spatial Designation of Protected Areas and Capacity Building	Yoko Watanabe	7-Jul-15	PIF recommended for CEO approval (Docs circulating for clearance/signature)
5483		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Armenia	Enhancing Livelihoods in Rural Communities through Mainstreaming and Strengthening Agricultural Biodiversity Conservation and Utilization	Ulrich Apel	7-Jul-15	MSP recommended for CEO approval (Docs circulating for clearance/signature)
6990		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Achieving Biodiversity Conservation through Creation, Effective Management and Spatial Designation of Protected Areas and Capacity Building	Yoko Watanabe	8-Jul-15	PIF approved by CEO
6990		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Achieving Biodiversity Conservation through Creation, Effective Management and Spatial Designation of Protected Areas and Capacity Building	Yoko Watanabe	8-Jul-15	PPG approved by CEO
5150		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Chile	Delivering the Transition to Energy Efficient Lighting	David Elrie Rodgers	8-Jul-15	FSP endorsed by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
8034		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Zambia	Building the Resilience of Local Communities in Zambia through the Introduction of Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) into priority ecosystems, including wetlands and forests	Ibrahima Sow	9-Jul-15	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Technically cleared)
9172		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Cameroon	Development of Minamata Initial Assessment in Cameroon	Dustin Schinn	9-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
9171		EA	Climate Change	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Ghana	Enabling preparation of Ghana's Fourth National Communication (NC4) and Second Biennial Update Report (BUR2) to UNFCCC	Knut Sundstrom	10-Jul-15	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision

UNIDO

4893		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	India	Promoting Market Transformation for Energy Efficiency in Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	Ming Yang	1-Jul-15	FSP endorsed by CEO
9152		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNIDO	Nepal	Minamata Initial Assessment in Nepal	Ogawa Masako	1-Jul-15	EA approved by CEO
9164		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNIDO	Gabon	National Action Plan on Mercury in the Artisanal and Small-Scale Gold Mining sector in Gabon	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	EA approved by CEO
9168		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNIDO	Chad	Enabling Activities to Review and Update the National Implementation Plan for the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Ibrahima Sow	2-Jul-15	EA approved by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
9056		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Burundi	Promotion of Small Hydro Power (SHP) for Productive Use and Energy Services	Ibrahima Sow	7-Jul-15	MSP sent to Agency for revision

World Bank

9160	15596	MSP	International Waters	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Regional (Africa)	Regional Partnership for African Fisheries Policy Reform (RAFIP)	Astrid Hillers	1-Jul-15	MSP approved by CEO
4927	128921	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	India	Facility for Low Carbon Technology Deployment	David Elrie Rodgers	9-Jul-15	PIF withdrawn by Agency (Dropped/cancelled)