



PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

June 24th, 2016 - July 1st, 2016

A weekly update on the GEF Program Management

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Projects

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- Project Clearances, Approvals, Endorsements and Other Comments

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- GEF Agencies
- GEF Trustee Convention Secretariats

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- Introducing new staff to the GEFSEC
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SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING GEF COUNCIL MEETINGS

Meetings/Consultations	Fall 2016
GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society	October 24
GEF Council Meeting	October 25-27
LDCF/SCCF Council Meeting	October 27
STAP Panel Meetings	

GEF Work Program Calendar for 2016

Events	Oct. CWP
Receipt deadline for PIF	25-Jul
GEF clearance deadline	29-Aug
Draft Cover Note to Agencies, ConvSec, STAP	19-Sept
Inter-Agency Meeting with ConvSec, STAP	22-Sept
Posting of Work Program	27-Sept
Council Meeting	25-27 Oct
Council Approval	27-Oct

Fiscal Year '16

Country Support Program Activities

Expanded Constituency Workshops

July 26-29

Expanded Constituency Workshop - Comoros, Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Rwanda, Seychelles, Somalia, Southern Sudan, Sudan, Tanzania, and Uganda (14)

Madagascar, Antananarivo – Venue: The Carlton

September 6-9

Expanded Constituency Workshop - Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo, Congo DR, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon 2015, and Sao Tome and Principe (8)

Cameroon - Venue TBD

September 20-23

Expanded Constituency Workshop - Afghanistan, Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon, Pakistan, Syria, and Yemen + Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, and Tunisia + Iran, Turkey (14)

Venue TBD

October 4-7

Expanded Constituency Workshop - Cook Islands, Fiji, Indonesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Timor Leste, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu (17)

Fiji - Venue TBD

Requests Received from GEF Agencies

June 27 - July 1, 2016

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>ADB</u>									
9067		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB	Cook Islands	Renewable Energy Sector Project	Ming Yang	24-Jun-16
<u>AfDB</u>									
9532		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	AfDB	Central African Republic	LCB-NREE CAR child project: Enhancing agro-ecological systems in northern prefectures of the Central African Republic (CAR)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	27-Jun-16
9383		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Benin	Sustainable Forest Management and Conservation Project in Benin central region	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	27-Jun-16
5487		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	AfDB	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, Cameroon, Guinea, Mali, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	Integrated Development for Increased Rural Climate Resilience in the Niger Basin	Astrid Hillers	29-Jun-16
<u>CAF</u>									
5384		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	CAF	Regional (Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru)	Adaptation to the Impact of Climate Change in Water Resources for the Andean Region	Saliha Dobardzic	28-Jun-16

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<u>CI</u>									
9129		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	WWF-US, CI	Indonesia	Eco-system Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM) in Eastern Indonesia (Fisheries Management Area (FMA)- 715, 717 & 718)	Leah Karrer	30-Jun-16
<u>FAO</u>									
5551		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Kiribati	Resilient Islands, Resilient Communities	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	24-Jun-16
5397		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Vanuatu	R2R: Integrated Sustainable Land and Coastal Management	Nicole Glineur	28-Jun-16
5429		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Chile	Mainstreaming the Conservation, Sustainable Use and Valuation of Critically Threatened Species and Endangered Ecosystems into Development-frontier Production Landscapes of the Arica y Parinacota, and Biobio Regions	Mark Zimsky	29-Jun-16
9537		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	Revitalising Oasis Agro-ecosystems through a Sustainable, Integrated and Landscape Approach in the Draâ-Tafilalet Region (OASIL)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	29-Jun-16

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<u>IADB</u>									
5388		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Regional	PPP-IDB Sustainable Caribbean Basin Private Equity Fund (PROGRAM)	David Elrie Rodgers	30-Jun-16
<u>IFAD</u>									
9138		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Malawi	Food-IAP: Enhancing the Resilience of Agro-Ecological Systems	Fareeha Iqbal	23-Jun-16
9134		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD, UNIDO	Senegal	Food-IAP: Agricultural Value Chains Support Project	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	27-Jun-16

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UNDP									
9531	5844	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Afghanistan	Conservation of Snow Leopards and their Critical Ecosystem in Afghanistan	Nicole Glineur	27-Jun-16
9536	5507	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Papua New Guinea	Sustainable financing of Papua New Guinea's protected area network	Cyrille Barnerias	28-Jun-16
5535		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, UNEP	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, Cameroon, Guinea, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	Improving IWRM, Knowledge based Management and Governance of the Niger Basin and the Iullemeden Taoudeni Tanezrouft Aquifer System (ITTAS)	Astrid Hillers	29-Jun-16
5339	4673	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Indonesia	Market Transformation through Design and Implementation of Appropriate Mitigation Actions in Energy Sector	David Elrie Rodgers	29-Jun-16
6923	4633	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Eritrea	Mainstreaming Climate Risk Considerations in Food Security and IWRM in Tsilima Plain	Dustin Schinn	29-Jun-16
9538	5905	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Zambia	Promoting the adoption and upscaling of proven climate-resilient agricultural practices and technologies by smallholder farmers in Zambia	David Elrie Rodgers	29-Jun-16

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UNEP									
9533		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Regional (Mali, Senegal)	Development of National Action Plan for Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining Mali and Senegal	Ogawa Masako	27-Jun-16
5815		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Bhutan, Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar)	Building Climate Resilience of Urban Systems through Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) in the Asia-Pacific Region.	Fareeha Iqbal	27-Jun-16
9535		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Mongolia	Development of National Action Plan for Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining	Ogawa Masako	27-Jun-16
5535		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, UNEP	Regional (Burkina Faso, Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, Cameroon, Guinea, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	Improving IWRM, Knowledge based Management and Governance of the Niger Basin and the Iullemeden Taoudeni Tanezrouft Aquifer System (ITTAS)	Astrid Hillers	29-Jun-16

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<u>UNIDO</u>									
9263		FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Cote d'Ivoire	Sound Management of Unintentional POPs and PBDEs to Reduce their Emission from the Industrial Waste Sector	Ogawa Masako	22-Jun-16
5300		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	Regional (Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Ukraine)	Regional Demonstration Project for Coordinated Management of ODS and POPs Disposal in Ukraine, Belarus, Kazakhstan and Armenia	Evelyn Swain	24-Jun-16
9134		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD, UNIDO	Senegal	Food-IAP: Agricultural Value Chains Support Project	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	27-Jun-16
5725		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Thailand	Greening Industry through Low Carbon Technology Application for SMEs	Ogawa Masako	30-Jun-16
<u>World Bank</u>									
9534		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Global	Coastal Fisheries Initiative Challenge Fund: Enabling Sustainable Private Sector Investment in Fisheries (CFI-CF)	Leah Karrer	28-Jun-16
9125	155101	FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Global	The Coastal Fisheries Initiative: Challenge Fund (CF)	Leah Karrer	28-Jun-16
9240	151281	FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	China	Capacity Strengthening For Implementation Of Minamata Convention On Mercury	Anil Sookdeo	29-Jun-16

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WWF-US									
5765		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	WWF-US	Regional (Belize, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico)	Integrated Transboundary Ridges-to-Reef Management of the Mesoamerican Reef	Leah Karrer	29-Jun-16
9129		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	WWF-US, CI	Indonesia	Eco-system Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM) in Eastern Indonesia (Fisheries Management Area (FMA)- 715, 717 & 718)	Leah Karrer	30-Jun-16

Responses to Proponents

June 27 - July 1, 2016

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ADB										
9067		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	ADB	Cook Islands	Renewable Energy Sector Project	Ming Yang	27-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
DBSA										
9492		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP, DBSA	South Africa	Leapfrogging South Africa's Markets to High Efficiency LED Lighting and High Efficiency Distribution Transformers	David Elrie Rodgers	22-Jun-16	PPG approved by CEO
FAO										
5720		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Sri Lanka	Implementation of the National Biosafety Framework in Accordance with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety (CPB)	Jaime Cavelier	21-Jun-16	FSP endorsed by CEO
5000		FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Regional (Azerbaijan, Kyrgyz Republic, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Turkey)	Lifecycle Management of Pesticides and Disposal of POPs Pesticides in Central Asian Countries and Turkey	Lulwa Ali	27-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
5397		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Vanuatu	R2R: Integrated Sustainable Land and Coastal Management	Nicole Glineur	28-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

IFAD

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9133		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Swaziland	Food-IAP: Climate-Smart Agriculture for Climate-Resilient Livelihoods (CSARL)	Mohamed Bakarr	2-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
9523		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Cameroon	Rural Youth Environmental Initiatives Promotion Project	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
UNDP										
5470	5226	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Uruguay	Improved Convention Coordination for Sustainable Growth in Uruguay (ECCOSUR)	Susan Waithaka	22-Jun-16	MSP approved by CEO
9492	1357	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP, DBSA	South Africa	Leapfrogging South Africa's Markets to High Efficiency LED Lighting and High Efficiency Distribution Transformers	David Elrie Rodgers	22-Jun-16	PPG approved by CEO
5772	5338	MSP	International Waters	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Regional	Strengthening the Institutional Capacity of African Network of Basin Organization (ANBO), Contributing to the Improved Transboundary Water Governance in Africa	Astrid Hillers	27-Jun-16	MSP sent to Agency for revision
6971	5272	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Mali	Generating Global Environment Benefits through Improved Environmental Information, Planning and Decision Making Systems	Susan Waithaka	27-Jun-16	MSP sent to Agency for revision

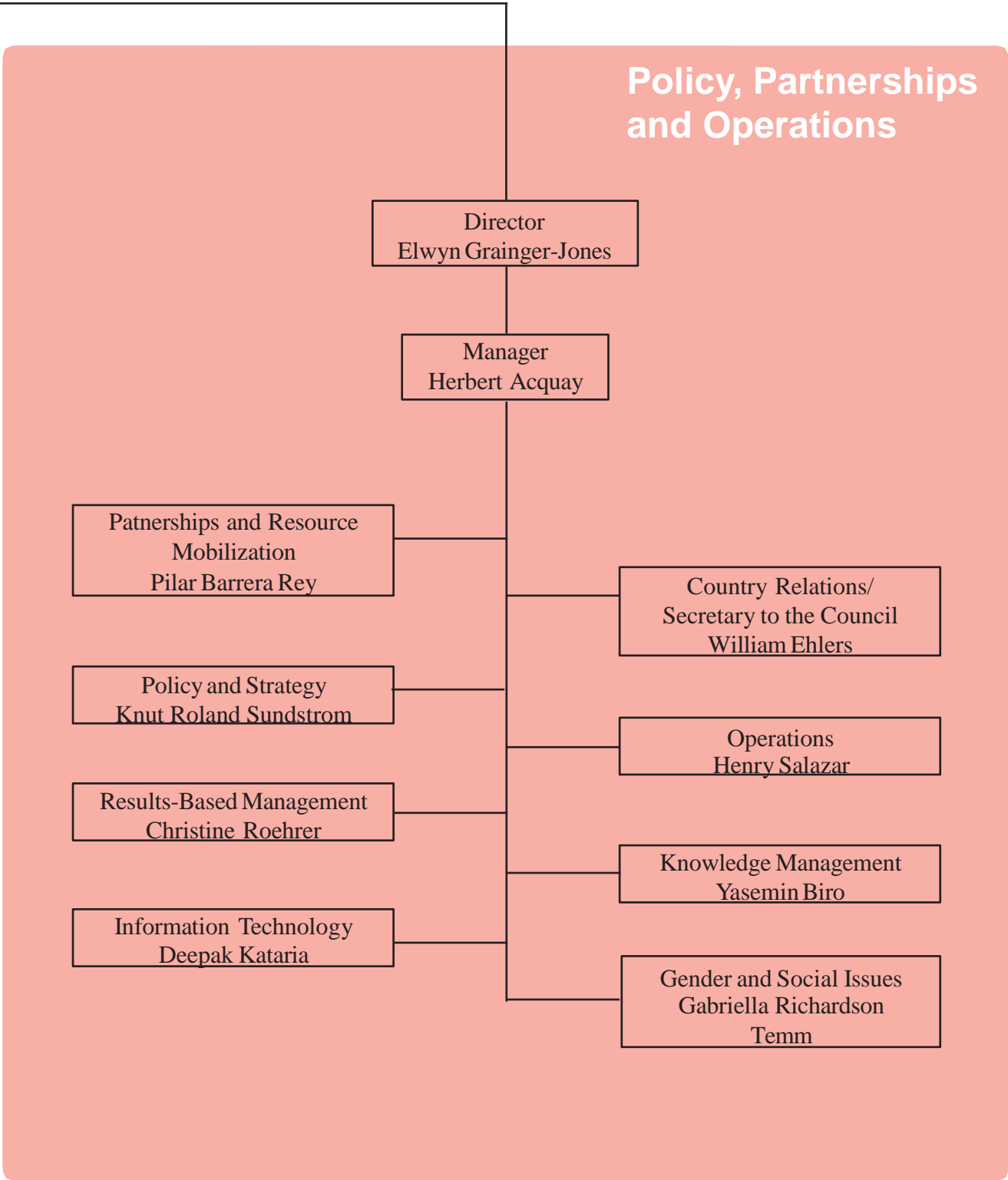
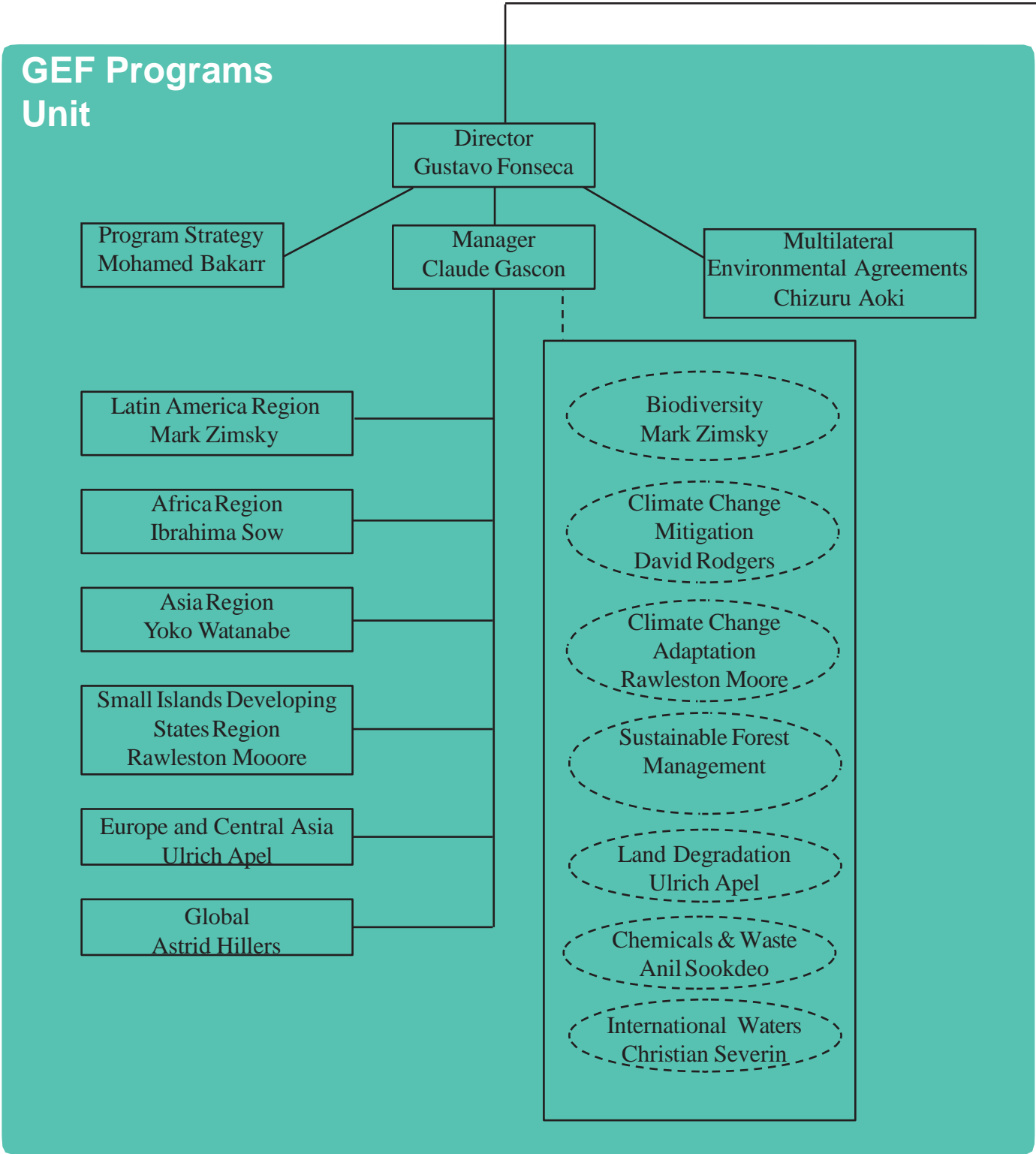
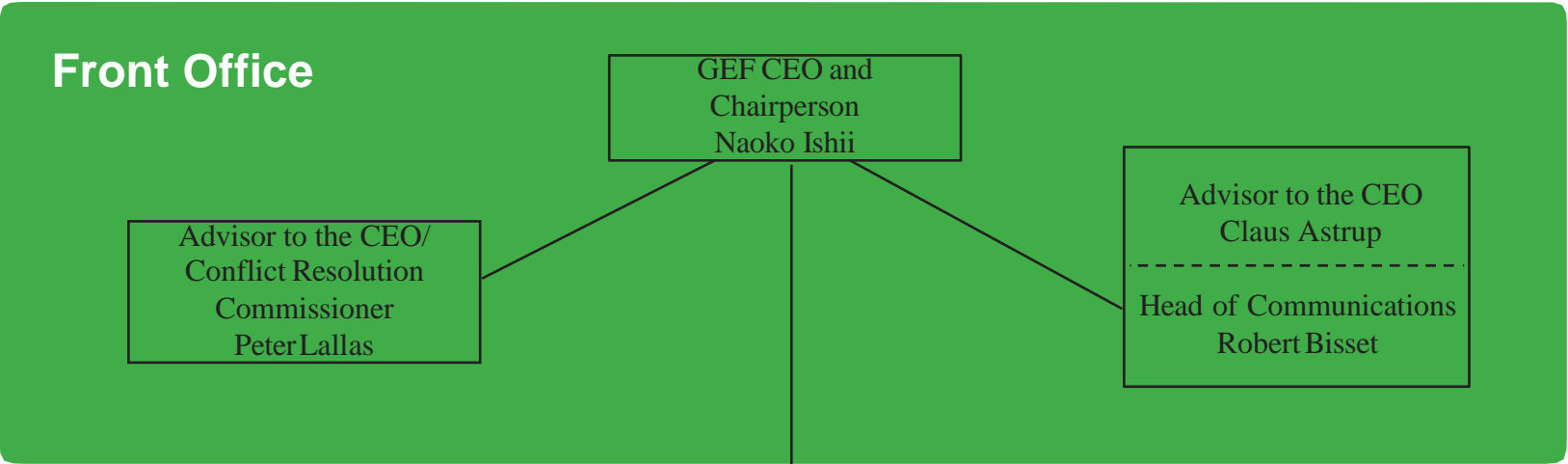
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9502	5737MSP		Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Guinea-Bissau	Strengthening natural resource valuation capacities for improved planning and decision-making to conserve the global environment	Susan Waithaka	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Review sheet sent to agency for consideration)
9395	4948FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Baku Green Port and Logistics Initiative	Ming Yang	29-Jun-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Yellow sheet has given to Akila for clearance)
5734	5345FP		Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Argentina	Sustainable Business Models for Biogas Production from Organic Municipal Solid Waste	Milena Vasquez	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
9395	4948FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Baku Green Port and Logistics Initiative	Ming Yang	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9531	5844FP		Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Afghanistan	Conservation of Snow Leopards and their Critical Ecosystem in Afghanistan	Nicole Glineur	30-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
9531	5844FP		Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Afghanistan	Conservation of Snow Leopards and their Critical Ecosystem in Afghanistan	Nicole Glineur	30-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

UNEP

9525		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	South Africa	Strengthening institutions, information management and monitoring to reduce the rate of illegal wildlife trade in South Africa	Jaime Cavalier	21-Jun-16	PPG recommended for CEO approval
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4739		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Cameroon	Participative Integrated Ecosystem Services Management Plans for Bakassi Post Conflict Ecosystems PINESMAP BPCE	Jaime Cavelier	23-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
9421		FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Regional (Kyrgyz Republic, Tajikistan)	Demonstration of Non-thermal Treatment of DDT Wastes in Central Asia	Lulwa Ali	29-Jun-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Docs circulating for clearance/signature)
5694		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Comoros	Building Climate Resilience through Rehabilitated Watersheds, Forests and Adaptive Livelihoods	Rawleston Moore	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
5283		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Angola, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mozambique, Congo DR)	Multi-Country Project to Strengthen Institutional Capacity on LMO Testing in Support of National Decision-making	Jaime Cavelier	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4739		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Cameroon	Participative Integrated Ecosystem Services Management Plans for Bakassi Post Conflict Ecosystems PINESMAP BPCE	Jaime Cavelier	29-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
5290		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Venezuela	Implementation of the National Biosafety Framework in Venezuela in Accordance to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety	Jaime Cavelier	30-Jun-16	MSP sent to Agency for revision
5351		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Madagascar	Strengthening the Network of New Protected Areas in Madagascar	Jaime Cavelier	5-Jul-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

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<u>UNIDO</u>										
9263		FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Cote d'Ivoire	Sound Management of Unintentional POPs and PBDEs to Reduce their Emission from the Industrial Waste Sector	Ogawa Masako	18-Mar-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9056		MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	UNIDO	Burundi	Promotion of Small Hydro Power (SHP) for Productive Use and Energy Services	Ming Yang	27-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9495		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Gambia	Operationalization of the SE4All Action Agenda: Promoting Inclusive, Environmentally-sound and Low-carbon Development	Ogawa Masako	27-Jun-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision



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