



PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

September 26th, 2016 - September 30th, 2016

A weekly update on the GEF Program Management

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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

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)

Nadi, Fiji, Venue: *Sheraton Fiji Resort*

Constituency Meetings

October 5-6

Coastal West Africa – *Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire*

October 13

East Africa – *Port Louis, Mauritius*

October 13-14

Southern Cone – *Montevideo, Uruguay*

October 17-18

Southern Africa – *Luanda, Angola*

October 19

South Asia – *Dhaka, Bangladesh*

Introduction Seminar

November 30 - December 2

Washington, DC

Requests Received from GEF Agencies

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GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>CAF</u>									
9581		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	CAF	Colombia	Transformation of Colombia's Panama Subsector through the NAMA's initial implementation (CPS-NAMA).	Milena Vasquez	26-Sep-16

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UNDP									
9044	5497	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Peru	Sixth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Programme in Peru	Maria Del Pilar Barrera Rey	23-Sep-16
9549	5832	FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Turkey	Demonstration of the Environmentally Sound Management of POPs, hazardous chemicals and wastes in the ship recycling industry	Anil Sookdeo	26-Sep-16
9511	5894	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Djibouti	Strengthening National Capacities for Improved Decision Making and Mainstreaming of Global Environmental Obligations	Susan Waithaka	26-Sep-16
5373	5238	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	China	Greening the Logistics Industry in Zhejiang Province	Xiaomei Tan	27-Sep-16
9646	5599	MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Colombia	Mainstreaming of energy efficiency into public buildings and municipal social housing development.	Milena Vasquez	27-Sep-16
9124	5573	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Regional (Ecuador, Peru)	Coastal Fisheries Initiative- Latin America	Leah Karrer	29-Sep-16

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<u>World Bank</u>									
9444		FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Regional (Ghana, Kenya, Senegal, Tanzania, Zambia)	EHPMP - Environmental Health and Pollution Management Program in Africa	Ibrahima Sow	26-Sep-16
9115	155047	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Indonesia	IBRD Geothermal Energy Upstream Development Project	David Elrie Rodgers	27-Sep-16

Responses to Proponents

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<u>AfDB</u>										
9420		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	AfDB	Regional (Malawi, Tanzania)	Strengthening Trans-boundary Cooperation and Integrated Natural Resources Management in the Songwe River Basin	Astrid Hillers	29-Sep-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
<u>CI</u>										
9403		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNDP, FECO, CI	China	China's Protected Area System Reform (C-PAR)	Yoko Watanabe	28-Sep-16	PFD cleared for WPI by CEO
<u>EBRD</u>										
9607		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNEP, EBRD	Regional (Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Egypt, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Montenegro, Tunisia)	Mediterranean Sea Programme (MedProgramme): Enhancing Environmental Security	Steffen Hansen	1-Sep-16	PFD recommended for CEO clearance
9607		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNEP, EBRD	Regional (Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Egypt, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Montenegro, Tunisia)	Mediterranean Sea Programme (MedProgramme): Enhancing Environmental Security	Steffen Hansen	28-Sep-16	PFD cleared for WPI by CEO

FAO

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9435		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cuba	Introduction of New Farming Methods for the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Biodiversity, including Plant and Animal Genetic Resources, in Production Landscapes in Selected Areas of Cuba	Sarah Wyatt	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9435		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	FAO	Cuba	Introduction of New Farming Methods for the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Biodiversity, including Plant and Animal Genetic Resources, in Production Landscapes in Selected Areas of Cuba	Sarah Wyatt	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO
9261		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Myanmar	My-Coast: Ecosystem-Based Conservation of Myanmar's Southern Coastal Zone	Fareeha Iqbal	29-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Technically cleared by PM)
7996		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Timor Leste	IkanAdapt: Strengthening the adaptive capacity and resilience of fisheries and aquaculture-dependent livelihoods in Timor-Leste	Saliha Dobardzic	29-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
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	Evelyn Swain	29-Sep-16	FSP recommended for endorsement (DOcs circulating for clearance/signature)
<u>FECO</u>										
9403		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNDP, FECO, CI	China	China's Protected Area System Reform (C-PAR)	Yoko Watanabe	28-Sep-16	PFD cleared for WPI by CEO

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<u>IFAD</u>										
9136		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Niger	Niger: Food-IAP: Family Farming Development Programme (ProDAF)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	7-Sep-16	FSP endorsed by CEO
9239		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Indonesia	Integrated Management of Peatland Landscapes in Indonesia (IMPLI)	Yoko Watanabe	27-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9136		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Niger	Niger: Food-IAP: Family Farming Development Programme (ProDAF)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	29-Sep-16	FSP recommended for endorsement
<u>UNDP</u>										
9044	5497	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Peru	Sixth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Programme in Peru	Maria Del Pilar Barrera Rey	19-Sep-16	FSP pending CEO endorsement (CEO package sent back to agency to fix finance break down)
9639	5943	EA	Climate Change	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Uruguay	Institutional Strengthening for the preparation of the Fifth National Communication to the UNFCCC	Milena Vasquez	26-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
9592	5697	FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Regional (Chile, Peru)	Catalysing Implementation of a Strategic Action Programme for the Sustainable Management of Shared Living Marine Resources in the Humboldt Current System	Christian Severin	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

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9592	5697	FP	International Waters	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Regional (Chile, Peru)	Catalysing Implementation of a Strategic Action Programme for the Sustainable Management of Shared Living Marine Resources in the Humboldt Current System	Christian Severin	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO
9449	5792	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Brazil	Sustainable, Accessible and Innovative Use of Biodiversity Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge in Promising Phytotherapeutic Value Chains in Brazil	Mark Zimsky	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9449	5792	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Brazil	Sustainable, Accessible and Innovative Use of Biodiversity Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge in Promising Phytotherapeutic Value Chains in Brazil	Mark Zimsky	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO
9403	5695	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNDP, FECO, CI	China	China's Protected Area System Reform (C-PAR)	Yoko Watanabe	28-Sep-16	PFD cleared for WPI by CEO
9209	5475	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Global	GEF Small Grants Programme - Sixth Operational Phase (Part II)	Maria Del Pilar Barrera Rey	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO (Signed PIF clearance sent to Agency)
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-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9536	5507	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Papua New Guinea	Sustainable Financing of Papua New Guinea's Protected Area Network	Cyrille Barnerias	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO
9574	5926	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Vanuatu	Barrier Removal for Achieving the National Energy Road Map Targets of Vanuatu (BRANTV)	Ogawa Masako	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

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9388	5837	FP	Land Degradation	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Lebanon	Land Degradation Neutrality of Mountain Landscapes in Lebanon	Ulrich Apel	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9045	5562	FP	Chemicals and Waste	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Montenegro	Comprehensive Environmentally Sound Management of PCBs	Evelyn Swain	29-Sep-16	FSP recommended for endorsement (Docs circulating for clearance/signature)
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	29-Sep-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
9592	5697	FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Regional (Chile, Peru)	Catalysing Implementation of a Strategic Action Programme for the Sustainable Management of Shared Living Marine Resources in the Humboldt Current System	Christian Severin	29-Sep-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
9621	5933	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Sixth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Program in India	Maria Del Pilar Barrera Rey	30-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Review sheet sent to Agency)

UNEP

9607		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNEP, EBRD	Regional (Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Egypt, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Montenegro, Tunisia)	Mediterranean Sea Programme (MedProgramme): Enhancing Environmental Security	Steffen Hansen	1-Sep-16	PFD recommended for CEO clearance
5354		MSP	Land Degradation	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Madagascar	Participatory Sustainable Land Management in the Grassland Plateaus of Western Madagascar	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	21-Sep-16	MSP approved by CEO

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9641		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Eritrea	Development of Minamata Initial Assessment and National Action Plan for Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining in Eritrea	Ogawa Masako	21-Sep-16	EA approved by CEO
9530		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Brazil	Review and Update of the National Implementation Plan for the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Brazil	Ogawa Masako	21-Sep-16	EA approved by CEO
9633		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Guatemala	Strengthening and expansion of capacities in biosafety that lead to a full implementation of the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety in Guatemala	Jaime Cavelier	27-Sep-16	MSP sent to Agency for 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	27-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (Email to Agency on # of components)
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	28-Sep-16	FSP recommended for endorsement
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	28-Sep-16	MSP recommended for CEO approval

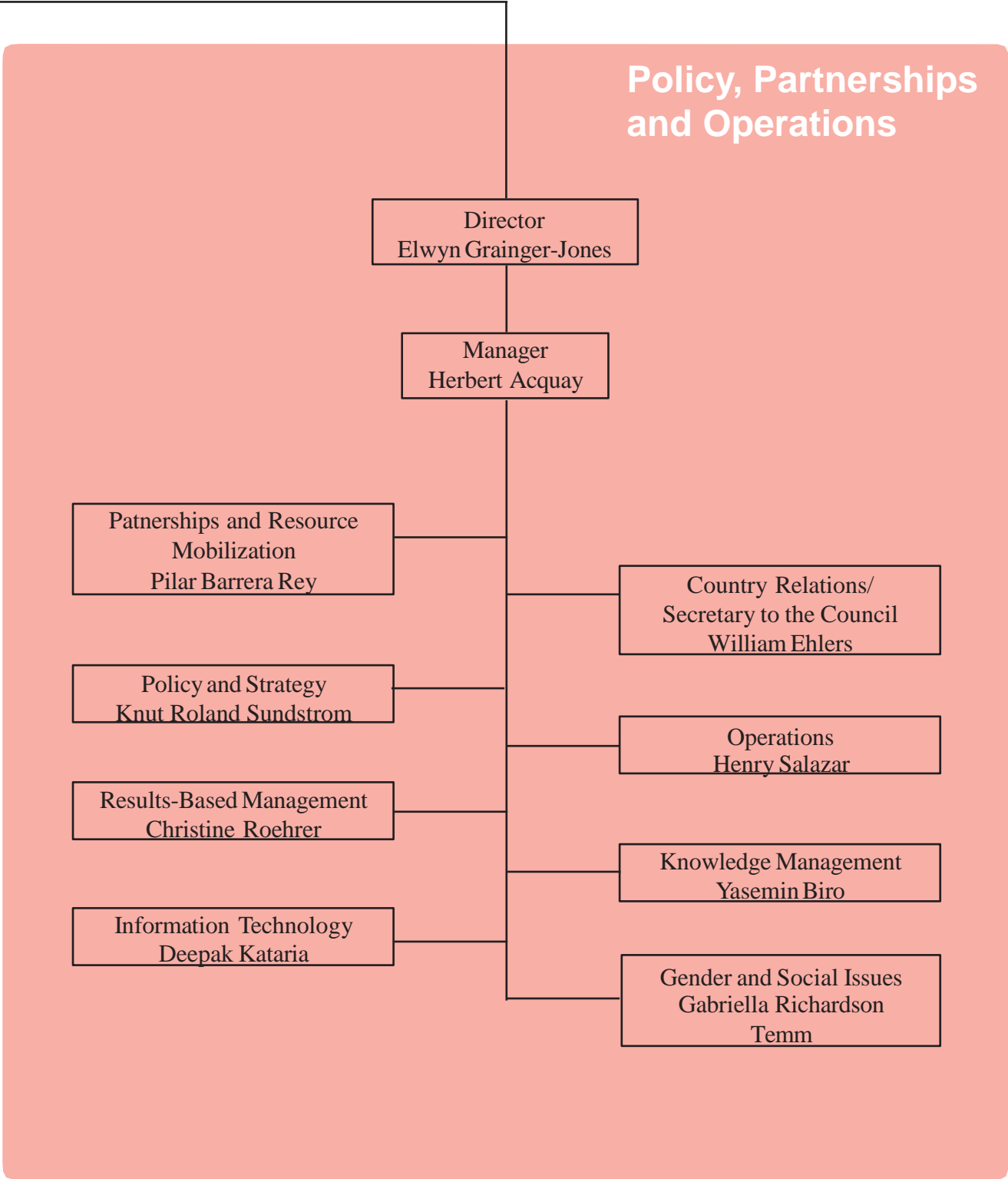
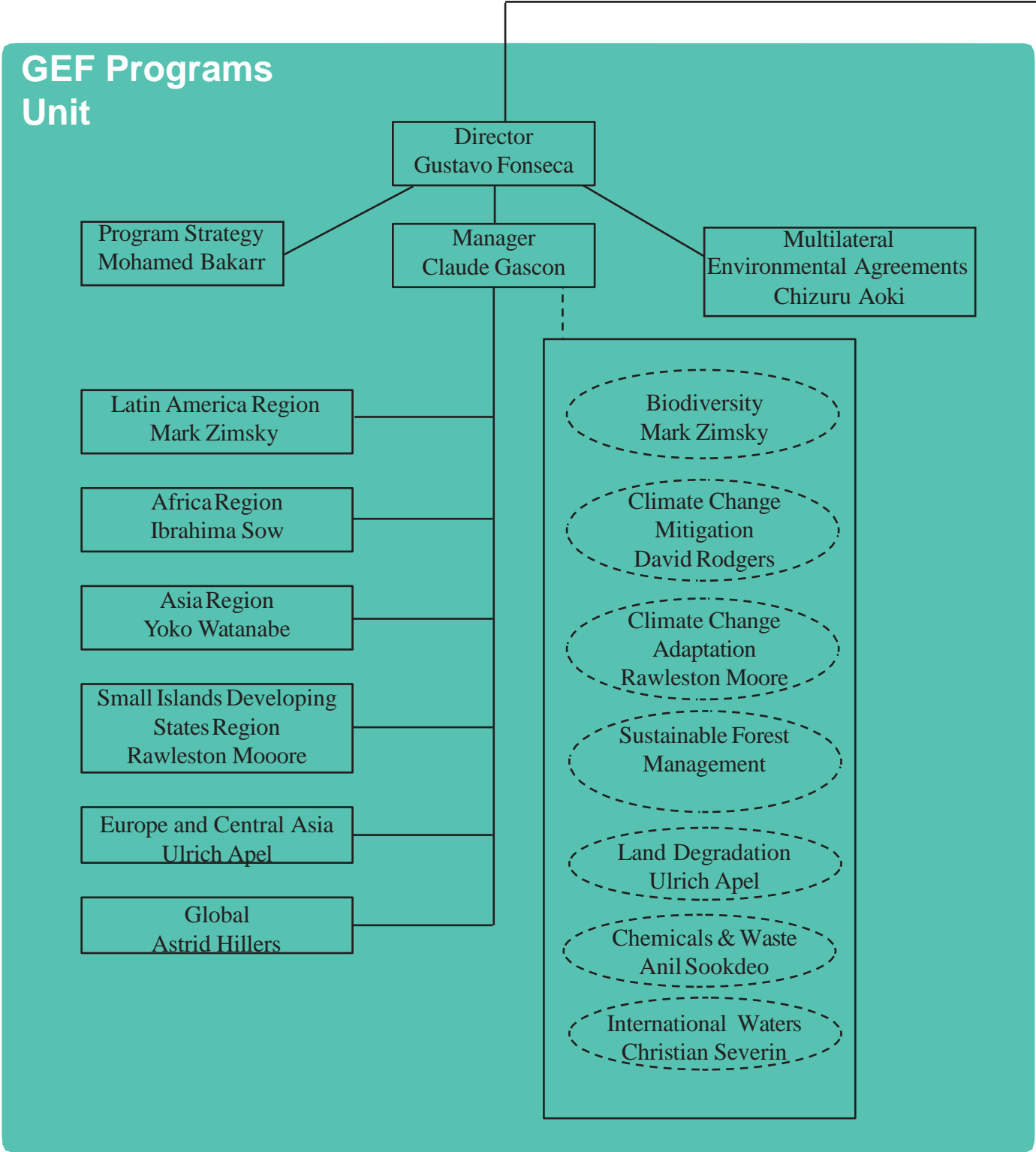
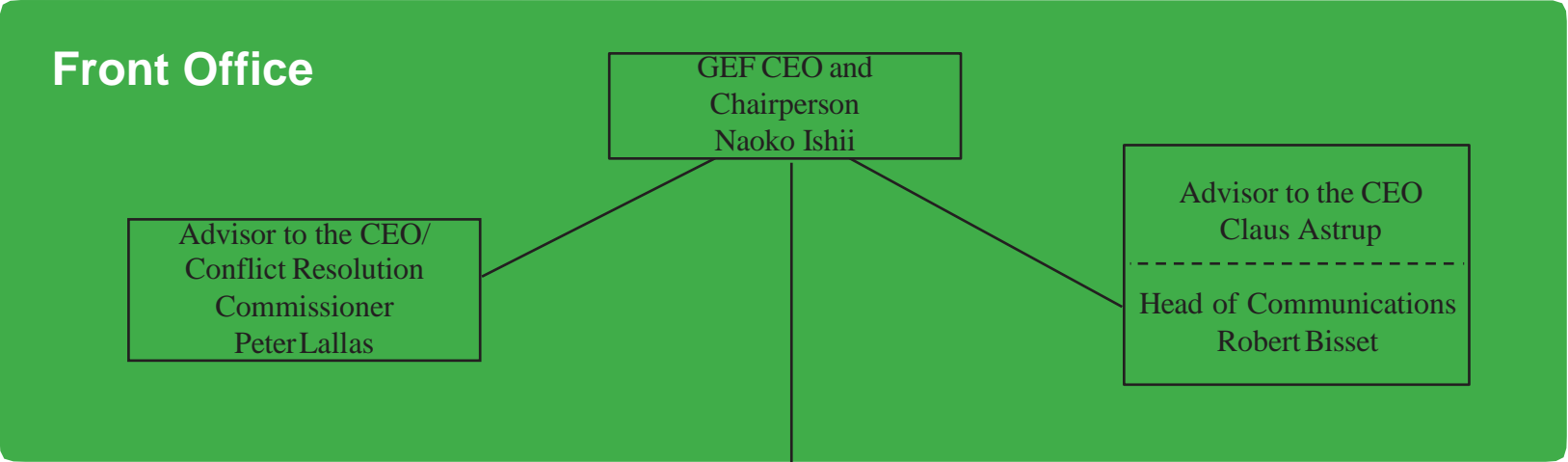
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9539		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Malawi	Enhancing sustainability of Protected Area systems and Stabilizing Agro-production in Adjoining Areas through Improved IAS Management	Jaime Cavalier	28-Sep-16	PIF recommended for CEO approval
9607		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PFD Clearance for WPI	UNEP, EBRD	Regional (Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Egypt, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Montenegro, Tunisia)	Mediterranean Sea Programme (MedProgramme): Enhancing Environmental Security	Steffen Hansen	28-Sep-16	PFD cleared for WPI by CEO
9644		EA	Chemicals and Waste	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Kyrgyz Republic	Development of Minamata Initial Assessment and Updating of National Action Plan for Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining	Evelyn Swain	29-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision

UNIDO

9640		MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	UNIDO	Cambodia	Low-carbon development for productivity and climate change mitigation through the Transfer of Environmentally Sound Technology (TEST) methodology	Ogawa Masako	26-Sep-16	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
9423		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Egypt	Egyptian Programme for Promoting Industrial Motor Efficiency	Ming Yang	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9423		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Egypt	Egyptian Programme for Promoting Industrial Motor Efficiency	Ming Yang	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO

World Bank

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9479	37839	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Global	Credit Insurance Facility to Scale up Solar PV Energy Access Companies	David Elrie Rodgers	26-Sep-16	PIF recommended for CEO clearance
9563	158137	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Seychelles	Third South West Indian Ocean Fisheries Governance and Shared Growth Project (SWIOFish3)	Astrid Hillers	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9555	159835	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Mexico	Sustainable Productive Landscapes	Mark Zimsky	28-Sep-16	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
9555	159835	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Mexico	Sustainable Productive Landscapes	Mark Zimsky	28-Sep-16	PPG approved by CEO



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