

PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

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A weekly update on the GEF Program Management

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- Council Meeting Schedules
- Project Review Meeting Schedules

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- Project Concepts, Proposals, Draft Documents Received
 - Approvals, Endorsements and Other Comments
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Costa Rica	Tunisia	Cape Verde	Bosnia & Herzegovina	China	Malaysia	
Cuba	Iran	Chad	Bulgaria	India	Marshal Islands	
Dominica	Israel	Congo, DR	Central African Republic	Korea DPR	Micronesia	
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El Salvador	Lebanon	Cote d'Ivoire	Czech Republic	Lao	Niue	
Grenada	Syria	Equatorial Guinea	Estonia	Maldives	Pacific Islands	
Guatemala	Yemen Arab Republic	Gabon	FYR Macedonia	Mongolia	Palau	
Haiti		Gambia	Georgia	Myanmar	Papua New Guinea	
Honduras		Ghana	Hungary	Nepal	Philippines	
Jamaica		Guinea	Kazakhstan	Pakistan	Salomon Islands	
Mexico		Guinea Bissau	Kosovo	Sri Lanka	Samoa	
Nicaragua		Liberia	Kyrgyz Republic	Thailand	Timor-Leste	
Panama		Mali	Latvia	Vietnam	Tonga	
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St. Lucia		Niger	Moldova			
St. Vincent and the Grenadines		Nigeria	Poland			
Trinidad y Tobago		Sao tome & Principe	Romania			
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Brazil		Sierra Leone	Montenegro			
Guyana		Togo	Slovak Republic			
Paraguay		East and Southern Africa	Slovenia			
Suriname		Botswana	Tajikistan			
Uruguay		Burundi	Turkey			
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NOTIFICATION OF SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING GEF COUNCIL MEETINGS

2011

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

2012

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of June 11, 2012



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GEF TRUST FUND / SCCF WORK PROGRAM CALENDAR

EVENTS	Nov. CWP
CEO Meeting with Team Leaders on WP(a)	15-Sep
GEFSEC constitutes WP	16-Sept
Announce to Council of upcoming WP(b)	19-Sept
Deadline for Teams' inputs for CN	28-Sept
Draft CN to CEO	30-Sept
Draft CN to GEFOP	4-Oct
GEFOP Meeting	6-Oct
Posting of WP	10-Oct
Council Meeting	11/7 – 10, 2011
Council Approval	10-Nov
a) Assumes all PIFs in the line up have all been cleared prior to meeting with CEO	
b) Simultaneous notification to Executive GEFOP and STAP of upcoming meetings	

Requests Received from Implementing/Executing Agencies

October 17 - 21, 2011

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>EBRD</u>									
4422		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	EBRD	Tajikistan	Increasing Climate Resilience through Drinking Water Rehabilitation in North Tajikistan	Saliha Dobardzic	21-Oct-11
<u>FAO</u>									
4083		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	FAO	Congo	CBSP- Integrated management of mangrove and associated wetlands and coastal forests ecosystems of the Republic of Congo	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	17-Oct-11
<u>Direct Access Proposals</u>									
4703		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	-	Jamaica	Updating the 2003 National Strategy and Action Plan on Biodiversity	Andrew Velthaus	17-Oct-11
4596		EA	POPs	CEO EA Approval	-	Kenya	Updating the Kenya National Implementation Plan under the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants	Ibrahima Sow	18-Oct-11

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UNDP									
4644	4493	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Uganda	Addressing Barriers to the Adoption of Improved Charcoal Production Technologies and Sustainable Land Management practices through an integrated approach	Linda Heath	19-Oct-11
4704	4779	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Azerbaijan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	19-Oct-11
4705		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Botswana	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan in Botswana	Jaime Cavelier	19-Oct-11
4586	4587	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Jordan	Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation in Tourism Sector Development in Jordan	Jaime Cavelier	19-Oct-11
4362	4520	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Kenya	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Program in Kenya	Danielius Pivoriunas	20-Oct-11
4276	4069	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Mozambique	Adaptation in the coastal zones of Mozambique	Saliha Dobardzic	21-Oct-11
4697	4874	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Moldova	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan in Moldova	Yoko Watanabe	21-Oct-11

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2720		FP	POPs	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNIDO	Regional (Ghana, Nigeria)	Regional Project to Develop Appropriate Strategies for Identifying Sites Contaminated by Chemicals listed in Annexes A, B and/or C of the Stockholm Convention	Laurent Granier	19-Oct-11
2329		FP	POPs	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNIDO	Philippines	Global Programme to Demonstrate the Viability and Removal of Barriers that Impede Adoption and Successful Implementation of Available, Non-Combustion Technologies for Destroying Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Laurent Granier	19-Oct-11
3883		FP	POPs	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNIDO	Morocco	Safe PCB Management Programme in Morocco, Pillar II	Laurent Granier	21-Oct-11

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4084	118018	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Cameroon	CBSP Conservation and Sustainable Use of the Ngoyla Mintom Forest	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	14-Oct-11
4515	123896	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Regional (Albania, Macedonia, Serbia)	Southeastern Europe and Caucasus Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility (SEEC CRIF)	Rawleston Moore	18-Oct-11
4092	108592	FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	China	Huai River Basin Marine Pollution Reduction	Ivan Zavadsky	19-Oct-11
4427	123692	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Russian Federation	Russia Energy Efficiency Financing (REEF) Project	David Elrie Rodgers	20-Oct-11

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FAO										
3821		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Cameroon	CBSP Sustainable Community Based Management and Conservation of Mangrove Ecosystems in Cameroon	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	14-Oct-11	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
3808		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, FAO	Global (Brazil, Kenya, Sri Lanka, Turkey)	Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use for Improved Human Nutrition and Well-being	Mark Zimsky	14-Oct-11	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
3985		FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Botswana	Demonstration Project for Decontamination of POPs Contaminated Soils Using Non-thermal Treatment Methods	Jie Pan	17-Oct-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4612		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO, UNEP, FAO	India	Development and Promotion of Non-POPs alternatives to DDT	Anil Sookdeo	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

UNDP

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4678	4561	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Global (Albania, Armenia, Barbados, Burundi, Bhutan, Botswana, Belarus, Cote d'Ivoire, Cameroon, China, Colombia, Cape Verde, Dominican Republic, Eritrea, Fiji, Micronesia, Grenada, Ghana, Guinea, Honduras, Jordan, Lao PDR, Lebanon, St. Lucia, Sri Lanka, Liberia, Macedonia, Mali, Mongolia, Mauritania, Mauritius, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Nicaragua, Nepal, Nauru, Panama, Palau, Paraguay, Rwanda, Solomon Islands, Seychelles, Senegal, Syria, Togo, Tajikistan, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, Uganda, Uruguay, St. Vincent and Grenadines, Venezuela, Vanuatu, Yemen, Congo DR, Zimbabwe)	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Program - Implementing the program using STAR Resources II	Danielius Pivorius	4-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision (Review sheet sent to Agency for consideration)
3844	4181	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Bhutan	Promoting Sustainable Rural Biomass Energy	Dimitrios Zevgolis	17-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

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4097	4134	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Turkmenistan	LGGE Improving Energy Efficiency in the Residential Building Sector	David Elrie Rodgers	17-Oct-11	FSP endorsed by CEO
4157		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNDP	Georgia	Promotion of Biomass Pellet Production and Utilization in Georgia	Dimitrios Zevgolis	17-Oct-11	MSP circulated to Council before CEO approval
4700	4878	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Bangladesh	Integrating Community-based Adaptation into Afforestation and Reforestation Programmes in Bangladesh	Junu Shrestha	17-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
3953	4223	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Indonesia	Wind Hybrid Power Generation (WHyPGen) Marketing Development Initiatives	Dimitrios Zevgolis	17-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4590	4741	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Honduras	Delivering Multiple Global Environment Benefits through Sustainable Management of Production Landscapes	Ian Gray	18-Oct-11	PPG recommended for CEO approval
4590	4741	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Honduras	Delivering Multiple Global Environment Benefits through Sustainable Management of Production Landscapes	Ian Gray	18-Oct-11	PPG approved by CEO
4696	4817	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Timor Leste	Strengthening the Resilience of Small Scale Rural Infrastructure and Local Government Systems to Climatic Variability and Risk	Junu Shrestha	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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4644	4493	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Uganda	Addressing Barriers to the Adoption of Improved Charcoal Production Technologies and Sustainable Land Management practices through an integrated approach	Linda Heath	19-Oct-11	PPG approved by CEO
4697	4874	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Moldova	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan in Moldova	Yoko Watanabe	20-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
4653	4596	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	China	CBPF - MSL: Strengthening the Management Effectiveness of the Protected Area Landscape in Altai Mountains and Wetlands	Yoko Watanabe	21-Oct-11	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Awaiting CEO's clearance)
4653	4596	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	China	CBPF - MSL: Strengthening the Management Effectiveness of the Protected Area Landscape in Altai Mountains and Wetlands	Yoko Watanabe	21-Oct-11	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Docs circulating for signature)

UNEP

4674		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Cameroon	Support to Cameroon for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavalier	3-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
3808		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, FAO	Global (Brazil, Kenya, Sri Lanka, Turkey)	Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use for Improved Human Nutrition and Well-being	Mark Zimsky	14-Oct-11	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement

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4665		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Russian Federation	Conserving Biodiversity in the Changing Arctic	Yoko Watanabe	18-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4665		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Russian Federation	Conserving Biodiversity in the Changing Arctic	Yoko Watanabe	18-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4612		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO, UNEP, FAO	India	Development and Promotion of Non-POPs alternatives to DDT	Anil Sookdeo	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4693		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Cote d'Ivoire	Support to Côte d'Ivoire for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	20-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
4618		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Guatemala	Access to and Benefit Sharing and Protection of Traditional Knowledge to Promote Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use	Mark Zimsky	20-Oct-11	PIF recommended for CEO approval
4618		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Guatemala	Access to and Benefit Sharing and Protection of Traditional Knowledge to Promote Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use	Mark Zimsky	20-Oct-11	PPG recommended for CEO approval
4618		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Approval	UNEP	Guatemala	Access to and Benefit Sharing and Protection of Traditional Knowledge to Promote Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use	Mark Zimsky	20-Oct-11	PIF approved by CEO
4618		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Guatemala	Access to and Benefit Sharing and Protection of Traditional Knowledge to Promote Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use	Mark Zimsky	20-Oct-11	PPG approved by CEO

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UNIDO										
4037		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	Thailand	TT-Pilot (GEF-4): Overcoming Policy, Market and Technological Barriers to Support Technological Innovation and South-South Technology Transfer: The Pilot Case of Ethanol Production from Cassava	Dimitrios Zevgolis	17-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4042		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNIDO	Cambodia	TT-Pilot (GEF-4): Climate Change Related Technology Transfer for Cambodia: Using Agricultural Residue Biomass for Sustainable Energy Solutions	Dimitrios Zevgolis	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4612		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO, UNEP, FAO	India	Development and Promotion of Non-POPs alternatives to DDT	Anil Sookdeo	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
World Bank										
4085		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Brazil	Amazon Region Protected Areas Program Phase 2	Ian Gray	19-Oct-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4286		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	World Bank	Vietnam	Wildlife Consumption: Reforming Policies and Practices to Strengthen Biodiversity Conservation	Yoko Watanabe	21-Oct-11	MSP recommended for CEO approval (Awaiting CEO clearance)