PPCR – **Pilot country meeting**

Friday, 12 November 2010 World Bank headquarters, Washington D.C. Room JB1-080

Program

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| 8.30 - 9.00 | Registration |
| 9.00 - 9.30 | Opening |
| | Welcoming remarks Objectives of the meeting Presentation of the GSP |
| 9.30 – 11.15 | Overview of the development of Strategic Programs for Climate Resilience |
| | Presentation by 4 pilot countries and 1 regional pilot (10 minutes each) Questions and answers Discussion |
| 11.15 – 11.30 | Coffee Break |
| 11.30 - 12.30 | General discussion: the SPCRs in the national context |
| 12.30 – 14.00 | Lunch Break |
| 14.00 – 14.15 | Break-out groups introduction |
| 14.15 – 16.45 | Break-out groups work (coffee break included) |
| 16.45 – 17.45 | Report back from break-out groups |
| 17.45 – 18.00 | Closing |

Guide to the program of the meeting

Meetings of pilot countries and regions participating in the Pilot Program for Climate Resilience (PPCR) took place on October 2009 and March 2010. The third meeting of these pilot countries and regions will take place on November 12, 2010, at the World Bank in Washington D.C (for details see logistics sheet in the annex).

The meeting will focus on the experiences with the preparation of Strategic Programs for Climate Resilience (SPCR).

1. Opening

- 1.1 The meeting will start at 9 a.m. It will be moderated by the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, the African Development Bank and the Asian Development Bank.
- 1.2 After this introduction, Mr. Claudio Forner, Coordinator of the Global Support Program (GSP) of the CIF, will briefly introduce the GSP and describe the services it offers to pilot countries and regions.

2. Overview of the development of Strategic Programs for Climate Resilience

- 2.1 First joint missions to all pilot countries and regions participating in the PPCR have already been completed. All countries are now in the process of developing their SPCR, with some countries more advanced than others.
- 2.2. The meeting has been organized with this context in mind. The objective of the first segment will be to exchange information and experiences from the design of the SPCRs.
- 2.3. At the opening of this plenary segment, the CIF Administrative Unit will provide a brief overview of progress with the implementation of the PPCR. This brief introduction will be followed by presentations from four pilot countries and one regional pilot to provide a sample summary of the state of development of their respective SPCR, with an emphasis on the approach being followed, institutional, technical and financial requirements, and major obstacles and challenges faced. Each of the following countries will have 10 minutes for such presentation:
 - Bolivia
 - Jamaica
 - Mozambique
 - Tajikistan
 - Bangladesh
- 2.4. Participants will have an opportunity to ask questions to the pilot countries and regions after the presentations. This will be followed by an open exchange of views on the challenges and requirements for the preparation of the SPCR. To this end, those pilot countries and regions which

did not make a presentation will be invited to provide a brief update on the state of development of their strategies.

3. General discussion: the SPCRs in the national context

- 3.2. The objective of this segment will be to have a general discussion on the placement of the SPCRs within the national development context, including linkages to other adaptation initiatives. Pilot countries and regions will be invited to consider the following questions:
 - How and which government institutions have been involved in the preparation of the SPCRs? Has the process led to greater cross-sector coordination and/or collaboration?
 - How pilot countries and regions took into consideration other initiatives on adaptation when preparing their SPCR?
 - What approach has been followed for preparing the strategic environmental assessment under the SPCRs?
 - What are the expectations with regards to the formulation of projects under the SPCRs?
- 3.3. Participants to the meeting will also be invited to propose other topics of discussion. Break-out groups will have the flexibility of deciding the topics they wish to address.

4. Break-out groups introduction and work

- 4.1 The objective of this segment is to facilitate communication and cooperation among pilot countries and regions. To that end, nine break-out groups will be formed with a view to having an in depth discussion around a set of issues relevant to the implementation PPCR, including lessons learned in the process of developing SPCRs.
- 4.2. The moderator will provide a brief explanation of the modalities for the work of the break-out groups, including a proposal for the composition of each of these groups; the moderator will propose that one of the break-out groups be composed by representatives from the regional pilots. Break-out group discussions will start straight after this introduction until 17.15, with a coffee break included.
- 4.3. Each break-out group should elect a moderator and a rapporteur. The moderator should encourage interaction between different countries, allowing an opportunity for each representative to contribute to the discussion. All break-out groups should address the following issues and should identify relevant lessons learned:
 - Mainstreaming climate resilience in national and sub-national development plans, including relevant budgets, and the role played by the SPCR.
 - Evaluating climate impacts within and across sectors and set priorities for action on climate resilience
 - Prioritizing mainstreaming areas and investment needs: process to follow, data and assessments and other requirements

5. Report back from break-out groups

- 5.1 The objective of this segment will be to hear reports from the nine break-out groups and to discuss any arising issues. To this end, rapporteurs will have up to eight minutes to provide a summary of the discussions at their respective break-out group.
- 5.2 The moderators may identify issues arising from these discussions which may require further discussion and will invite further views on them.

6. Closing

At the closing segment, the moderators will provide a summary of main points raised during the workshop. Participants will be invited to share their views on specific aspects of support they deem necessary for an effective implementation of the PPCR, including ideas for the organization of the next pilot country meetings and next steps.

Annex: Logistical information

Date and Time: Friday, November 12, 2010.

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Registration: Friday, November 12, 2010 1 hour before the start

of the meetings

Venue and Room PPCR Pilot Countries Meeting (November 12, 2010)

World Bank MC Building

1818 H Street, N.W. Washington D.C., 20433

Room: Preston Auditorium

Building Passes/

Security clearance: For external participants, a photo Identification card or passport will be required

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