

## Annex VIII: Existing intermediaries and implementing entities accredited by other relevant funds

### I. Global Environment Facility

**Table 1: GEF agencies and project agencies**

<b>GEF agencies:</b>	<b>Acronym</b>
African Development Bank	AfDB
Asian Development Bank	ADB
Inter-American Development Bank	IDB
International Fund for Agricultural Development	IFAD
United Nations Development Programme	UNDP
United Nations Environment Programme	UNEP
World Bank (International Bank for Reconstruction and Development)	IBRD
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	FAO
United Nations Industrial Development Organization	UNIDO
European Bank for Reconstruction and Development	EBRD
<b>GEF project agencies with conditional accreditation:</b>	
Development Bank of Southern Africa	DBSA
World Wildlife Fund, Inc.	WWF-US
Conservation International	CI

1. The GEF secretariat updated the GEF Council on agency progress on meeting GEF's Minimum Fiduciary Standard.<sup>1</sup> Four agencies had outstanding issues in order to fully comply with the GEF Fiduciary Standards: FAO, UNDP, UNEP and UNIDO. The GEF secretariat informed the GEF Council that, based on evidence presented, UNDP complied with all fiduciary standards. The other three GEF agencies (FAO, UNEP and UNIDO) continue to make progress towards meeting the fiduciary standards according to their action plans, but no publicly available information can confirm if that process has been completed.

2. In the case of DBSA, WWF-US and CI, the three entities received conditional accreditation. According to paragraph 48 of the GEF Council document GEF/C.41/10/Rev.1, the GEF Accreditation Panel may give conditional approval to an applicant agency that has demonstrated full compliance with the GEF's minimum fiduciary standards, but does not yet fully comply with the GEF's environmental and social safeguards, including gender mainstreaming. These three entities have a grace period of up to one year to complete the necessary steps to fully adhere to the GEF's safeguards.

<sup>1</sup> GEF. 2012. *Agency Progress on Meeting the GEF Fiduciary Standards*. GEF/C.42/Inf.11. Available at <[http://www.thegef.org/gef/council\\_document/agency-progress-meeting-gef-fiduciary-standards](http://www.thegef.org/gef/council_document/agency-progress-meeting-gef-fiduciary-standards)>.

## II. Adaptation Fund

**Table 2: Adaptation Fund – Multilateral implementing entities**

Name	Acronym
African Development Bank <sup>a</sup>	AfDB
Asian Development Bank	ADB
Inter-American Development Bank	IDB
International Fund for Agricultural Development	IFAD
United Nations Development Programme	UNDP
United Nations Environment Programme	UNEP
World Bank (International Bank for Reconstruction and Development)	IBRD
United Nations World Food Programme	WFP
World Meteorological Organization	WMO
United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization	UNESCO

<sup>a</sup> AfDB was accredited by the Adaptation Fund Board, subject to conditions. It is not clear if these conditions have already been met to the satisfaction of the Adaptation Fund Board.

**Table 3: Adaptation Fund – Regional implementing entities**

Name	Acronym	Country
West African Development Bank <sup>a</sup>	BOAD	Togo
Sahara and Sahel Observatory	OSS	Tunisia

<sup>a</sup> BOAD was accredited by the Adaptation Fund Board subject to conditions. It is not clear if these conditions have already been met to the satisfaction of the Adaptation Fund Board.

**Table 4: Adaptation Fund – National implementing entities**

Name	Acronym	Country
Planning Institute of Jamaica	PIJ	Jamaica
Centre de Suivi Ecologique <sup>a</sup>	CSE	Senegal
Agencia Nacional de Investigación e Innovación	ANII	Uruguay
National Environment Fund <sup>b</sup>	NEF	Benin
South African National Biodiversity Institute	SANBI	South Africa
Protected Areas Conservation Trust <sup>c</sup>	PACT	Belize
Ministry of Planning and International Cooperation <sup>d</sup>	MPIC	Jordan
Ministry of Natural Resources <sup>e</sup>	MINIRENA	Rwanda
National Environment Management Authority	NEMA	Kenya
Mexican Institute of Water Technology	IMTA	Mexico
Unidad para el Cambio Rural	UCAR	Argentina
National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development	NABARD	India
Fundecooperación Para el Desarrollo Sostenible	Fundecooperación	Costa Rica
Agency for Agricultural Development	ADA	Morocco
Agencia de Cooperación Internacional de Chile	AGCI	Chile

<sup>a</sup> CSE was required to submit more frequent reporting, but the condition did not question substantial institutional capacities.

<sup>b</sup> NEF was accredited by the Adaptation Fund Board subject to conditions. It is not clear whether these conditions have already been met to the satisfaction of the Adaptation Fund Board.

<sup>c</sup> PACT was accredited by the Adaptation Fund Board subject to conditions. It is not clear whether these conditions have already been met to the satisfaction of the Adaptation Fund Board.

<sup>d</sup> MPIC was accredited by the Adaptation Fund Board subject to conditions. It is not clear whether these conditions have already been met to the satisfaction of the Adaptation Fund Board.

<sup>e</sup> MINIRENA was required to submit more frequent reporting, but the condition did not question substantial institutional capacities.

### **III. EU DEVCO**

3. EU DEVCO provided the interim Secretariat with a list of entities that have been subject to the “six-pillar” assessment under its “Indirect Centralized Management” modality. However, EU DEVCO indicated that such information is subject to change, so publication on an external website is not desirable. Furthermore, information on the entities that successfully completed the assessment is confidential.