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# Environmental & Social Safeguards

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**FP178**

**Desert to Power G5 Sahel Facility**

**African Development Bank (AfDB)**

2021-02-25



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## Environmental and social safeguards report form pursuant to para. 17 of the IDP

Basic project or programme information	
Project or programme title	Desert to Power G5 Sahel Facility
Existence of subproject(s) to be identified after GCF Board approval	Yes
Sector (public or private)	Private
Accredited entity	African Development Bank (AfDB)
Environmental and social safeguards (ESS) category	Category A
Location – specific location(s) of project or target country or location(s) of programme	The project sites are located in Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania and Niger.
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Thursday, February 25, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and French
Explanation on language	French is the national official language of Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, and Niger. With respect to disclosure in English language for French speaking countries, this is an interim arrangement on request by GCF Secretariat to satisfy paragraph 17 of GCF Information Disclosure Policy (IDP).
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Other link(s)	National Bureau for Environmental Assessments (BNEE) Niger website: <a href="https://www.bnee.ne/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/DtP-project-AfDB-ESMF-Niger-FR-version-v1-2.pdf">https://www.bnee.ne/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/DtP-project-AfDB-ESMF-Niger-FR-version-v1-2.pdf</a>
Remarks	The ESIA consistent with the requirements for a Category A programme is contained in the “Environmental Social Management Framework”.
<b>Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)</b>	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Thursday, February 25, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and French
Explanation on language	French is the national official language of Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, and Niger. With respect to disclosure in English language for French speaking countries, this is an interim arrangement on request by GCF Secretariat to satisfy paragraph 17 of GCF Information Disclosure Policy (IDP).

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French:

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Mali:

English:

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French:

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Mauritania:

English:

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Niger:

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Remarks	The ESMP consistent with the requirements for a Category A programme is contained in the “Environmental Social Management Framework”.
<b>Environmental and Social Management (ESMS) (if applicable)</b>	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
<b>Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF), Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), IPP Framework (if applicable)</b>	
Description of report/disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF) / The ESMF include RPFs and the disclosure is made on the Accredited Entity’s website under the Project Number P-Z1-FF0-019
Language(s) of disclosure	English and French
Explanation on language	French is the national official language of Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, and Niger. With respect to disclosure of ESMF in English language, this is an interim arrangement on request by GCF Secretariat to satisfy paragraph 17 of GCF Information Disclosure Policy.
Link to disclosure	See links for ESMF above.
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
<b>Disclosure in locations convenient to affected peoples (stakeholders)</b>	
Date	Thursday, February 25, 2021
Place	The documentation is made available online, and in locations that are accessible to the beneficiaries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In Burkina Faso, the document is available at Agency for Environmental Assessments (ANEVE) situated in Ouagadougou.</li> <li>• In Chad, the document is available at Department of Environmental Assessments and the Fight against Pollution and Nuisance (DEELCPN) at Ministry of Environment in N’Djamena</li> <li>• In Mali, the document is available for consultation at National Directorate of Sanitation and Pollution and Nuisance Control (DNACPN) in Bamako.</li> </ul>

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<b>Date of Board meeting in which the FP is intended to be considered</b>	
Date of accredited entity's Board meeting	Tuesday, October 12, 2021
Date of GCF's Board meeting*	Monday, October 4, 2021

**Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above.**

\*Subsequent to the issuance of this form to the Board and active observers on 26 February 2021, the following update has been made: The date of the GCF Board meeting in which the funding proposal is to be considered has been updated to B.30 date.

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Sector (public or private)	Private
Accredited entity	African Development Bank (AfDB)
Environmental and social safeguards (ESS) category	Category A
Location – specific location(s) of project or target country or location(s) of programme	The project sites are located in Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania and Niger.
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Thursday, February 25, 2021
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Remarks	The ESIA consistent with the requirements for a Category A programme is contained in the “Environmental Social Management Framework”.
<b>Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)</b>	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Thursday, February 25, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and French
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Remarks	The ESMP consistent with the requirements for a Category A programme is contained in the “Environmental Social Management Framework”.
<b>Environmental and Social Management (ESMS) (if applicable)</b>	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
<b>Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF), Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), IPP Framework (if applicable)</b>	
Description of report/disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF) / The ESMF include RPFs and the disclosure is made on the Accredited Entity’s website under the Project Number P-Z1-FF0-019
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<b>Date of Board meeting in which the FP is intended to be considered</b>	
Date of accredited entity's Board meeting	Tuesday, October 12, 2021
Date of GCF's Board meeting	Monday, June 28, 2021

**Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above.**

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