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Enhanced Direct Access – Requirements and Opportunities

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Background and features

- Decision B.10/04 set the EDA:
 - At least 10 Pilots - at least 4 in SIDS/Africa/LDCs.
 - Envelope US\$ 200 million
 - EDA ToR - terms of reference (Annex I, GCF/B.10/17) (see pages 18-22) adopted by the Board at its 10th meeting.
- Country ownership at the center
- Promote fast tracking of DAEs
- Empower the NDAs and the national/local institutions in the oversight and decision making functions



EDA Requirements

Funding proposals should address:

- How the entity established, houses and supports a multi-stakeholder, cross-sectoral decision-making body
- Approval process and selection criteria for the activities
- A composition of the oversight function
- Multi-stakeholder engagement process the entity plans to set-up; and
- How the entity will support the decision-making body in financial and technical due diligence



EDA Opportunities

- Provides an avenue for engaging national and sub-national level decision making bodies throughout the project design and implementation phases; with a particular focus on **country ownership** by setting up climate finance governance at different scales within the country/region
- Build capacity of already accredited or potential DA entities in the oversight and decision making functions
- Possibility for fast tracking the accreditation of DA candidate entities
- Save time: Accreditation process can progress in parallel with funding proposals
- Access to purpose-made funding: Funding cap for EDA RFP can go approx. USD 20 million depending on the entities accreditation scope. The total allocation for EDA pilot is USD 200 million.

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