

# The UN-REDD Programme Strategy: Presentation to Policy Board 5

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# Process

- **Roadmap presented to PB 3**
- **Consultations**
- **Draft strategic elements presented to PB4**
- **Comments from PB members and two independent reviewers**
- **Circulated to 3 agencies for their comments**
- **Document approved by the 3 agencies**
- **Final document being presented to PB 5- a key constituency**



# Process

- **It's a living document responsive to development of REDD-plus mechanism, UNFCCC negotiations and wider external environment**
- **Hence to be reviewed in 2012**
- **This strategy is a joint agency implementation document endorsed by the UN agencies**



# Endorsement Sought from PB

- **As a key constituency PB is requested to endorse the strategy**



# Strategy Outline

- **Context: overview of REDD in today's world and of the evolution of the UN-REDD programme to date**
- **Lessons learned: describes key lessons learned since the inception of the UN-REDD programme**
- **Programme vision, mission and 2010-2015 objective: represents the overall structure on which the Programme Strategy is based.**
- **Defining the programme: six key work areas that together define the thematic priorities of the Programme Strategy**
- **Delivering the programme: presents the implementation modalities i.e through National and Global Programmes and complimented by partnership strategies.**
- **Managing the programme: describes key aspects of programme management / governance, including the role of the Policy Board, Agencies and Secretariat**
- **Financing the programme: outlines the strategy for resource mobilization**



# 4 Key Innovative Elements of Strategy

## 1. Definition of 6 key Work Areas:

- MRV and monitoring
- National REDD+ governance
- Stakeholder engagement
- Multiple benefits
- Equitable benefit sharing
- Sector transformation

## Above enables:

- Longer relevance for UN-REDD within REDD+ cycle
- Provision of in-depth and strategic support to up to 40 countries



# 4 Key Innovative Elements of Strategy

- 2. Delivery Modality: Strategy to be delivered through the National and Global Programmes**
  - Increase support to up 40 countries
  - National Programmes will touch on all six work areas while focusing on capacity building to achieve overall REDD+ readiness
  - The Global Programme will focus on developing and testing methodologies and approaches, capacity building and sharing lessons for scaling up



# 4 Key Innovative Elements of Strategy

- 3. Provide initial readiness for up to 20 new countries depending on funding and demand**
  - **Currently supporting nine pilot countries**
  - **Increasing the number of countries will depend on funding availability and capacity of the Programme to deliver**





# 4 Key Innovative Elements of Strategy

## 4. Work with strategic partners (FCPF, FIP, REDD+ Partnership & other multilaterals)

- Agreeing on modalities for delivering jointly at country level – avoid fragmented implementation structure
- Harmonised RPP template
- Coordination with GEF to increasing funding possibilities for countries
- Provision of secretariat services to Partnership



# Funding Target

- **Target is \$350-400 million over five years**
  - **Considered ambitious yet realistic**
  - **Considers the fast start carbon funding pledges**
  - **Considers donors shifting to bi-lateral funding**
  - **Global financial crisis**
  - **Slow progress with UNFCCC negotiations**
- **An internal resources mobilization plan is under development**



# SUMMARY

- **These are the key elements of the strategy:**
  - 1. Definition of 6 key Work Areas**
  - 2. Targeted support for up to 40 countries**
  - 3. Initial readiness support for up to 20 new countries**
  - 4. Strengthening of existing strategic partnerships**
  - 5. Delivery of strategy through the national and global programmes**
  - 6. Funding target of \$350 – 400 million over 5 years**

**We seek PB endorsement of the strategy**

# For more information...

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