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1. The strategies of the LDN Fund should be transparent at all levels since from call for proposals through planning, implementation and monitoring
2. Stringent monitoring system should be developed with clear, time bound, qualitative and quantitative outcomes and achievements with well-defined indicators and measuring source
3. While investing in profit generation or bankable projects, improving the quality of land in order to make the small peasants self-sustained over the yields of their lands should be ensured as part of a social standard and use of organic manures herbicides should be promoted as part of environmental standard
4. As CSOs have vast experience of implementing such projects in their respective areas, their involvement in the LDN Fund i.e. planning, implementation and monitoring should be ensured by nominating them in national, regional and local committees
5. Priority in selecting projects should be given to the areas with degraded and desertified lands in dry lands/arid or semi-arid zones in Africa and Asia
6. Looking at the empirical experience of the CSOs at grassroots levels, they should be provided with opportunity to plan and implement a few model projects in their own areas.