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# Performance Indicators

## C. Performance indicators

Performance indicators are for measuring progress against the five operational objectives of The Strategy, in line with decision 3/COP.8. The year 2008 (the first year of the Strategy) serves as the baseline year.

Affected country Parties are requested to report on the following fourteen performance indicators out of the eighteen consolidated performance indicators presented in ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.1 and Add.2.

Reporting is guided by means of templates, one for each performance indicator. Within the templates, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts and white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by affected country Parties with relevant quantitative data, selection of multiple choice boxes, or narrative information.

## Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

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### Performance indicator CONS-O-1 for Outcome 1.1

*Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-1 for Outcome 1.1*

*Number and size of information events organized on the subject of DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity, and audience reached by media addressing DLDD and DLDD synergies.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*At the national and local level, the indicator measures the performance of Convention-related communication strategies, in particular, whether DLDD issues and synergies are being communicated and if so, whether the communication is considered to be effective. Effectiveness is assessed through the appraisal of the media campaigns carried out; the assumption is that the stronger the media campaigns on DLDD issues and synergies, the higher the probability of passing the messages on to the target audience. The focus of the indicator is on information activities specifically dedicated to DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on Convention-related communication strategies at subregional, regional and global level.*

*Data needed*

*Information on events/media specifically addressing DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity.*

*Attendance lists of events (meetings, workshops, seminars), programmes/projects' documents, estimate of target audience for major media events (campaigns, radio and television programmes, etc.).*

*Events organized and media produced by the UNCCD NFP or organized/produced by third parties not directly reporting to the Convention (TV channels, newspaper editors, etc.) shall be considered.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*International and national media (newspapers) advertising the events at national and local level, the Internet, the organizers of the events, programmes/projects' final reports.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'NFP', 'ICT', 'Information events', 'Media products', 'STIs', 'CSOs'*

*Media products have been grouped into: (a) Paper media products (articles, press releases, leaflets, flyers, brochures and comics, etc.); (b) radio and television programmes; (c) other ICT (websites, CDs, DVD, etc.).*

*Overall target*

*By 2018, 30 per cent of the global population is informed about DLDD and DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity*

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### **Number of information events**

Year	Number of information events	Estimated number of participants in the information events
2008	300	67200
2009	325	77500
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

***Estimated number of persons reached by media products and by key stakeholders***

Media products have been grouped into: (a) Paper media products (articles, press releases, leaflets, flyers, brochures and comics, etc.); (b) radio and television programmes; (c) other ICT (websites, CDs, DVD, etc.).

Year	Stakeholder	Paper media products	Radio and TV	other ICT
2008	Public at Large	40000	25000	1000
	Civil society organizations	500	150	50
	Science and technology institutions	200	200	150
2009	Public at Large	50000	25000	1100
	Civil society organizations	600	150	50
	Science and technology institutions	200	200	200
2010	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2011	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2012	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2013	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			

2014	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2015	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2016	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2017	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			
2018	Public at Large			
	Civil society organizations			
	Science and technology institutions			

#### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Central Environment Authority**

#### **Attachments:**

none

#### **National contribution to the target**

On the basis of the information you have provided above, estimate the proportion (%) of the population in your country which is informed about DLDD and DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity at the time of reporting?

Estimated share of total country population =

**7 %**

#### **Qualitative assessment**

Is the information you have provided on communication processes part of a national communication strategy addressing environmental issues?

**No**

### **Performance indicator CONS-O-3 for Outcome 1.3**

*Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-3 for Outcome 1.3*

*Number of CSOs and science and technology institutions participating in the Convention processes.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

At the national level, the indicator measures the level of participation of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) in DLDD-related programmes and projects. The indicator will outline whether the active involvement of these stakeholders in country-based initiatives increases over time and whether programmes/projects are valid tools for the engagement of, and receiving contributions from, CSOs and STIs at the field level. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at subregional, regional and global level; in particular, the secretariat and the GM will report on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at the institutional level.

**Data needed**

The specification of the organizations involved in the programmes/projects as reported in the PPSs.

**Data sources (indicative only)**

PPSs submitted to the UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.

**Check the glossary for**

'STIs', 'CSOs', 'PPS', 'Convention processes'

**Overall target**

A steady growth in the participation of CSOs and science and technology institutions in the Convention processes is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.

**In the PPSs you have specified the number of CSOs and the number of STIs involved in each programme/project. Add these numbers and give the totals by year in the table below.**

Year	Number of CSOs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects	Number of STIs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects
2008	26	16
2009	19	16
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**Sources of information**

Programme and project sheets (PPSs) submitted to UNCCD

No answer required

**National contribution to the target**

At the time of reporting, is your government undertaking concrete initiatives to increase the participation of CSOs and STIs in DLDD-related programmes and projects?

**Yes**

**Qualitative assessment**

Specify the reasons for the increasing and/or decreasing trend of the participation of CSOs and STIs to DLDD-related programmes/projects. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance )

	Not important	Important	Very important
Increased networking and collaboration opportunities			
Increased access to information and to national and/or international financing opportunities			
Increased willingness of the government in working with CSOs			
Increased interest of donors in working with CSOs			
Strengthened organizational, project management and fund-raising capacity of CSOs			
Increased funding opportunities requiring partnership with the STIs			
Strengthened organizational, project management and fund-raising capacity of the STIs			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Reasons for decreasing for CSOs**

	Not important	Important	Very important
X Costly participatory processes	X		
X Low organizational, fund-raising and project management capacity of CSOs		X	
X Government policies and/or the legal environment do not foster the engagement of CSOs	X		
X Diminishing funding		X	
X Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**Funding for projects solely depend on viability of the proposed projects. Therefore, during this period, No. of viable projects have been limited compared to previous years.**

**Reasons for decreasing for STIs**

	Not important	Important	Very important
X DLDD topics are not prioritized by national STIs	X		
X Low organizational, fund-raising and project management capacity of STIs	X		
X Decreased networking opportunities at national and international level	X		
X Diminishing funding			X



**Other (specify) (max 30 words)****No answer provided****Performance indicator CONS-O-4 for Outcome 1.3***Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education**Performance indicator CONS-O-4 for Outcome 1.3**Number and type of DLDD-related initiatives of CSOs and science and technology institutions in the field of education.**Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures the number and type of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs in the education sector at the national level. The assumption is that the higher the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by these stakeholders, the stronger their interest in addressing DLDD problems. A distinction is made between activities carried out in the formal education sector and in the non-formal education sector. This indicator focuses on “education” because “awareness” and “advocacy” are already measured through indicators CONS-O-1 and CONS-O-2, respectively. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at subregional, regional and global level.*

*Data needed*

*Information on initiatives undertaken in the field of education that may be found in: written communications by CSOs and STIs to the NFP; contractual and/or programme/project-related documents; records of academic bodies and their curricula.*

*Only initiatives in the field of education (formal and non-formal) directly relating to DLDD issues are to be considered.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*CSOs and STIs operating in the country.*

*Check the glossary for*

*‘CSOs’, ‘STIs’, ‘NFP’, ‘Formal education’, ‘Non-formal education’.*

*Overall target*

*A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and science and technology institutions is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy*

**Number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs formal education</b>	<b>Number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs non-formal education</b>	<b>Number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by STIs formal education</b>	<b>Number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by STIs non-formal education</b>
2008			06	13
2009			06	13
2010				
2011				
2012				
2013				
2014				
2015				

2016			
2017			
2018			

### Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Official communications through relevant agencies**

### Attachments:

none

### National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, is your government undertaking concrete initiatives to increase the delivery of DLDD-related initiatives in the education sector by CSOs and STIs?

**Yes**

### Qualitative assessment

Specify the reasons for the increasing and/or decreasing trend of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs.

(tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)

	Not important	Important	Very important
X Increased access to funding			X
X Increased awareness of DLDD-related problems and of the need for action		X	
X Increased knowledge of DLDD-related topics and enhanced skills of trainers/teachers		X	
X Government policies are more supportive of education initiatives			X
X International donors are more supportive of education-focussed initiatives.		X	
Other			

### Other (specify) (max 30 words)

**No answer provided**

### Reasons for decreasing for CSOs

	Not important	Important	Very important
Lack of financial resources			
Insufficient awareness and knowledge by national CSOs of DLDD-related issues			
Limited capillary presence of national CSOs at the grass-root level			
Other			

### Other (specify) (max 30 words)

**No answer provided**

**Reasons for decreasing for STIs**

	<b>Not important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Very important</b>
Lack of financial resources			
National STIs are more focussed on research activities than on education and training			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

## Operational Objective 2: Policy framework

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### Performance indicator CONS-O-5 for Outcomes 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3

*Operational Objective 2: Policy framework*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-5 for Outcomes 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3*

*Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities to have finalized the formulation/revision of NAPs/SRAPs/RAPs aligned to The Strategy, taking into account biophysical and socio-economic information, national planning and policies, and integration into investment frameworks.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*At the national level, the indicator measures the performance of affected country Parties in formulating or revising their NAPs in alignment with The Strategy. While providing information on this process, the indicator also outlines whether: (a) the analysis of DLDD drivers, barriers to possible solutions, and measures that may eventually overcome these barriers, has been carried out; (b) the alignment process has been supported by biophysical and socio-economic baseline information; (c) the action programmes have been included in integrated investment frameworks; and (d) the action programmes have been integrated with other existing national plans and policies. The indicator will inform on the extent to which Parties have responded to decision 3/COP.8, paragraph 45, and on the feasibility of assessing the progress of The Strategy over its implementation period (2008–2018). Subregional and regional reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on formulation or revision of SRAPs and RAPs in alignment with The Strategy.*

*Data needed*

*UNCCD NAP. Only a NAP formally approved by the relevant governmental authorities is to be considered as 'finalized'. Other relevant planning documents.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*UNCCD NFP.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'Finalized', 'NAP', 'NFP', 'driver', 'barrier', 'integrated investment framework', 'baseline'*

*Overall target*

*By 2014, at least 80 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities have formulated/revise a NAP/SRAP/RAP aligned to The Strategy.*

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### **NAP Adoption and Revision**

Had your country already adopted a NAP prior to The Strategy?

**Yes**

**If yes, has your country revised the NAP in alignment with The Strategy?**

**No**

**If you have revised the NAP in alignment with The Strategy, specify the date of its approval.**

**No answer provided**

**If you have not revised the NAP in alignment with The Strategy, specify why the process was not initiated. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)**

		Not important	Important	Very Important
X	Not a priority for the government	X		
X	Lack of capacities	X		
X	Lack of financial resources			X

X	Understaffing	X		
X	Lack of time	X		
X	Poor internal coordination among relevant ministries	X		
	Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**If your country had no NAP adopted prior to The Strategy, have you formulated an aligned NAP after The Strategy's adoption in 2008?**

**No answer provided**

**If yes, specify the date of its approval.**

**No answer provided**

**If at the time of reporting you have not formulated a NAP aligned to The Strategy specify why the process was not initiated. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)**

	Not important	Important	Very Important
Not a priority for the government			
Lack of capacities			
Lack of financial resources			
Understaffing			
Lack of time			
Poor internal coordination among relevant ministries			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**The questions below apply only to those countries having a NAP aligned to The Strategy**

If you have a NAP, is it supported by biophysical and socio-economic baseline information?

**No answer provided**

**If you have a NAP, does it assess DLDD drivers?**

**No answer provided**

**If you have a NAP, does it assess the barriers to sustainable land management?**

**No answer provided**

**If yes, does the NAP include recommendations to remove these barriers?**

**No answer provided**

**If you have a NAP, has it been included into an integrated investment framework?**

**No answer provided**

**If you have a NAP, has it been integrated into national development planning and relevant sectoral and investment plans and policies?**

**No answer provided**

**If yes, has the NAP been integrated into your country's Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper?**

**No answer provided**

**Did you refer to the Guidelines on the alignment of action programmes with The Strategy as proposed in ICCD/COP(9)/2/Add.1 while developing or reviewing your action plan?**

**No answer provided**

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

**No answer provided**

**Attachments:**

none

**National contribution to the target**

If you do not have an approved NAP aligned to The Strategy at the time of reporting, when do you plan to have it developed and approved?

**2010-11**

**Qualitative assessment**

Has the formulation and/or alignment of the NAP been supported by external assistance?

**Yes**

**If yes, did you receive assistance from one or more of the following institutions? (more than one box can be ticked)**

- **Secretariat**

**If yes, which type of assistance did you receive?**

**Financial Support**

**Identify the major difficulties experienced in the formulation/alignment process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).**

		<b>Not important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Very Important</b>
X	Not a priority for the government	X		
X	Poor availability of biophysical and socio- economic baseline information	X		
X	Existing investment frameworks are not fully compatible with the NAP	X		
X	Streamlining the NAP into existing plans and policies is too time-consuming	X		
	Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Performance indicator CONS-O-7 for Outcome 2.5**

*Operational Objective 2: Policy framework*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-7 for Outcome 2.5*

*Number of initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio Conventions or mechanisms for joint implementation, at*

all levels.

#### Understanding of the indicator

The indicator measures the existence of synergistic processes through the number of instruments (i.e. joint planning/programming and/or operational mechanisms) in place at the national level which foster the introduction of or strengthen the mutually reinforcing measures among the three Rio Conventions. The assumption is that the higher the number of enabling instruments in place, the higher the possibility of achieving synergies in implementation. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on synergistic processes at the subregional, regional and global level.

#### Data needed

Planning/programming documents and legislative/regulatory documents.

Only operational mechanisms which have the achievement of joint implementation, synergies, convergence, and the introduction or strengthening of reinforcing measures among the Rio Conventions clearly stated in their objectives shall be considered under this indicator.

#### Data sources (indicative only)

Relevant national ministries.

#### Check the glossary for

“Joint planning/programming initiatives”, “Operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement”

For an indicative list of activities by Parties to promote synergies among the Rio Conventions, refer to [target=' blank'>UNEP/CBD /COP/DC/IX/16, Annex II](#)

#### Overall target

By 2014, each affected country Party has either one joint national plan in place or functional mechanism(s) to ensure synergies among the three Rio Conventions

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### **Are you implementing joint planning/programming initiatives for the three Rio Conventions?**

**Yes, but for only two of the Rio Conventions**

#### **If yes, specify the type of joint initiative(s) (tick as many boxes as necessary)**

- Review of national plans and identification of gaps in synergies
- Identification of sectors and policies that could benefit from synergies and cooperation

#### **Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

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### **Do operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement exist in your country?**

**Yes, but for only two of the Rio Conventions**

#### **If yes, specify the type of mechanism(s) (tick as many boxes as necessary)**

- Other

#### **Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**The focal point for the three Conventions is the Ministry of Environment and therefore, there is a strong hierarchical implementation mechanism within the Ministry for joint implementation of the RIO Conventions.**

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#### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Ministry of Environment

#### **Attachments:**

none

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**National contribution to the target**

If your country is not implementing joint planning/programming or does not have operational mechanisms in place at the time of reporting, when do you plan to have something ensuring synergies in place?

**No answer provided**

**Qualitative assessment**

Has the establishment of synergistic processes for joint implementation of the Rio Conventions at national level been supported by the institutions of the Rio Conventions?

Yes

*If yes, by which Convention? (more than one box can be ticked)*

- UNCCD
- CBD

*Identify the major difficulties experienced to establish synergistic planning/programming or mechanisms for joint implementation (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).*

		Not important	Important	Very Important
X	Not a priority for the government	X		
X	Lack of capacities	X		
X	Lack of financial resources			X
X	Understaffing	X		
X	Lack of time	X		
X	Poor internal coordination among relevant ministries	X		
	Other			

*Other (specify) (max 30 words)*

**No answer provided**



## Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge

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### Performance indicator CONS-O-8 for Outcomes 3.1 and 3.2

*Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-8 for Outcomes 3.1 and 3.2*

*Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities to have established and supported a national/subregional /regional monitoring system for DLDD.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*At the national level, the indicator measures the monitoring potential of the country by quantifying the number of monitoring systems established and supported. These monitoring systems may be specifically or partially (in the case of environmental monitoring systems) dedicated to UNCCD reporting. The indicator will inform on the extent to which it is realistic to expect more regular and coherent reporting by affected country Parties during the implementation of The Strategy and beyond. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on UNCCD-relevant monitoring systems established and supported at the subregional, regional and global level.*

*Data needed*

*Information on monitoring systems established within the national Ministries or other bodies/institutions.*

*Programmes/projects' documents, fiches and summary sheets, programmes/projects' interim or final reports.*

*Only those monitoring systems storing all or most of the information needed for reporting to the UNCCD shall be considered.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*Relevant national ministries, programme/project management units, other non-governmental initiatives.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'monitoring system', 'vulnerability'*

*Overall target*

*By 2018, at least 60 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities have established and supported national monitoring systems for DLDD*

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***Is a monitoring system for DLDD established at the national level?***

**No**

***If yes, specify whether this system is: Functional***

**No answer provided**

***If yes, specify whether this system is: Regularly Updated***

**No answer provided**

***If no DLDD-specific monitoring system is in place, is an environmental monitoring system partially covering DLDD established at the national level?***

**Yes**

***List any monitoring system available at the sub- national level that can contribute to the UNCCD reporting (add as many rows as necessary).***

- 1). Department of Meteorology- Rainfall intensity monitoring
- 2). Disaster Management Center (DMC)- Drought early warning, Tsunami monitoring
- 3). National Building Research Organization (NBRO)- Landslide monitoring
- 4). Natural Resources Management Center (NRMC)- Department of Agriculture (DOA)- Erosion hazard monitoring

### Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Relevant agencies- Department of Agriculture (DOA), National Building Research Organization(NBRO), Department of Meteorology) etc.,**

### Attachments:

none

### National contribution to the target

If your country does not have a national monitoring system partially or totally dedicated to DLDD in place at the time of reporting, do you plan to initiate one?

**Yes**

### If yes, when?

**2014-15**

### Qualitative assessment

For those countries not having a national monitoring system totally or partially dedicated to DLDD, identify the major difficulties experienced in the establishment process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

	Not important	Important	Very important
Financial constraints			
Lack of capacities			
Human resources constraints			
Lack of coordination among relevant ministries and unclear attribution of responsibilities			
Lack of coordination among donor-led programme/project interventions			
Existing initiatives are too fragmented; cannot be realistically coordinated under one umbrella.			
Existing national and/or sub-national monitoring systems use different methodologies and cannot be realistically harmonised			
Other			

### Other (specify) (max 30 words)

**No answer provided**

**For those countries having a national monitoring system totally or partially dedicated to DLDD, how is the system maintained? (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)**

	Not important	Important	Very important
X By means of national resources			X
X By means of external support			X
X No maintenance is possible due to limited professional capacities		X	
X No maintenance is possible due to limited financial resources		X	
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

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## **Performance indicator CONS-O-9 for Outcome 3.1 and 3.2**

*Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-9 for Outcome 3.1 and 3.2*

*Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities reporting to the Convention along revised reporting guidelines on the basis of agreed indicators*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures the use of biophysical and socio-economic information at the national level in defining a commonly agreed core set of impact indicators for the UNCCD and in monitoring progress against these indicators using harmonized methodologies.*

*The indicator will inform to what extent it is possible to compile a comparable and global assessment of UNCCD impact.*

*Subregional and regional reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on the use of impact indicators at the subregional and regional levels, if and when impact indicators for these levels will be commonly agreed upon by the Conference of the Parties.*

*Data needed*

*Reports to the UNCCD by affected country Parties in 2012 and 2016.*

*The information to report on this indicator will be compiled by affected country Parties every four years when reporting on the strategic objectives that require biophysical and socio-economic information (i.e. SO1, SO2 and SO3). Reporting on this indicator is due in 2012 and in 2016 only.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*UNCCD NFP.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'NFP'*

*Overall target*

*By 2018, at least 90 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities report to the Convention in compliance with the new reporting guidelines.*

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

***Has your country reported on the two impact indicators considered by decision 13/COP.9 to be the minimum reporting requirement?***

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

***Number of impact indicators for strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 your country has reported on in 2012 and 2016***

*2012*  
*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

***2016***

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

***While reporting on impact indicators, did you refer to the reporting guidelines, i.e. using the common baselines and methodologies defined by the CST?***

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows information as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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### **Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **National contribution to the target**

If in 2012 your country has not reported on some or all of the impact indicators for the UNCCD, when do you plan to do so?

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

***If in 2012 your country has not complied with the reporting guidelines, i.e. using the common baselines and methodologies defined by the CST, when do you plan to do so?***

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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### **Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Qualitative assessment**

Identify the major difficulties experienced in reporting against the impact indicators:

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

#### **Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

*No answer required for this indicator in the 2010 reporting cycle*

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## **Performance indicator CONS-O-10 for Outcome 3.3 and 3.4**

*Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-10 for Outcome 3.3 and 3.4*

*Number of revised NAPs/SRAPs/RAPs reflecting knowledge of DLDD drivers and their interactions, and of the interaction of DLDD with climate change and biodiversity.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures knowledge-transfer processes from the theoretical to the operational level. This is done through an assessment carried out by affected country Parties (self-assessment) of the levels of traditional and scientific knowledge reflected in their NAPs. The assumption is that NAPs based on sound scientific and traditional knowledge will propose more significant and effective strategies and activities for implementation at the national level, and will, ultimately, perform better than those NAPs that do not take into account available knowledge on DLDD and DLDD synergies. The indicator will inform to what extent UNCCD implementation is likely to achieve meaningful results. Subregional and regional reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on the assessment of their SRAPs and RAPs.*

*Data needed*

*NAP aligned to The Strategy.*

*Scientific literature consulted for the development of the NAP.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*UNCCD NFP.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'NAP', 'NFP', 'driver'*

*Countries not having a NAP or not having aligned their NAP to The Strategy do not report on this indicator.*

*The below questions are meant to guide the country's self-assessment of its aligned NAP.*

*Overall target*

*By 2018, at least 70 per cent of revised NAPs/SRAPs/RAPs have successfully gone through a quality self-assessment.*

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Countries not having a NAP or not having aligned their NAP to The Strategy do not report on this indicator.**

The below questions are meant to guide the country's self-assessment of its aligned NAP.

In your NAP, is the identification of biophysical and socio-economic drivers, and of their interaction, knowledge-based?

**No answer provided**

**If yes, specify upon which type of knowledge it is based (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).**

**No answer provided**

**If based on scientific literature, list the main reference literature consulted (add as many rows as needed). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.**

**No answer provided**

**In your NAP, is the analysis of the interaction between drought mitigation and restoration of degraded land and climate change mitigation/ adaptation or biodiversity conservation knowledge-based?**

**No answer provided**

**If yes, specify upon which type of knowledge it is based (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).**

**No answer provided**

**If based on scientific literature, list the main reference literature consulted (add as many rows as needed). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.**

**No answer provided**

**Is drought mitigation analyzed and/or reflected in some of the actions outlined in the NAP?**

**No answer provided**

**Attachments:**

none

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above:

UNCCD National Action Programme.

*No answer required*

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**National contribution to the target**

If in your NAP, DLDD drivers, their interactions, and the interaction of DLDD with climate change and biodiversity, are not analyzed on the basis of relevant scientific, expert and/or traditional knowledge, such that the self-assessment process is not fully successful, when do you expect to adjust your NAP so that it can successfully go through the self-assessment?

**No answer provided**

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Qualitative assessment**

If your NAP has not been developed taking into account relevant scientific and/or traditional knowledge, identify the reasons (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

	Not important	Important	Very important
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Relevant scientific literature is not available			
Relevant traditional or expert knowledge is not available			
Lack of financial resources to mobilise the necessary knowledge			
Poor coordination among the relevant ministries prevented an internal pooling of knowledge/expertise			
Relevant ministries could not contribute due to lack of time			
Relevant ministries could not contribute due to lack of staff			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

## Performance indicator CONS-O-11 for Outcome 3.5

*Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-11 for Outcome 3.5*

*Type, number and users of DLDD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems at the global, regional, subregional and national levels described on the Convention website.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures the presence at the national level of DLDD-related knowledge-sharing processes, through the quantification of the type and number of existing knowledge-sharing systems. Effectiveness of these systems is measured through quantification of their user-base. The indicator will inform to what extent scientific and traditional knowledge, including best practices, are available to and sufficiently shared with end-users. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on existing UNCCD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems at the subregional, regional and global level.*

*Data needed*

*Information from websites.*

*Only DLDD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems and networks shall be considered.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*Relevant organizations at the national level, relevant national ministries hosting knowledge-sharing systems and networks within their websites.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'knowledge-sharing system', 'PRAIS'*

**List any DLDD-relevant 'knowledge-sharing system' at the country level you are aware of, providing an Internet link and estimated number of users per year (add as many rows as necessary)**

**Name of the System**

**Department of Meteorology**

**Internet Link**

**www.meteo.slt.lk**

**Estimated number of users per year**

**No answer provided**

**Name of the System**

**National Building Research Organization (NBRO)**

**Internet Link**

**www.nbro.gov.lk**

*Estimated number of users per year*

**No answer provided**

*Name of the System*

**Geological Survey and Mines Bureau (GSMB)**

*Internet Link*

**[www.gsmb.gov.lk](http://www.gsmb.gov.lk)**

*Estimated number of users per year*

**No answer provided**

*Name of the System*

**Disaster Management Centre (DMC)**

*Internet Link*

**[www.dmc.gov.lk](http://www.dmc.gov.lk)**

*Estimated number of users per year*

**No answer provided**

*Name of the System*

**Ministry of Environment**

*Internet Link*

**[www.environmentmin.gov.lk](http://www.environmentmin.gov.lk)**

*Estimated number of users per year*

**No answer provided**

## Operational Objective 4: Capacity building

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### Performance indicator CONS-O-13 for Outcomes 4.1 and 4.2

#### *Operational Objective 4: Capacity building*

#### *Performance indicator CONS-O-13 for Outcomes 4.1 and 4.2*

*Number of countries, subregional and regional reporting entities engaged in building capacity to combat DLDD on the basis of NCSA or other methodologies and instruments*

#### *Understanding of the indicator*

*At the national level the indicator measures the presence of capacity-building processes through the quantification of existing major capacity-building initiatives. The indicator will inform to what extent affected country Parties may be expected to meet their obligations foreseen by the Convention, including forthcoming ones (i.e. new reporting requirements, establishment of environmental monitoring systems, accessing new financing mechanisms). This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on existing UNCCD-related capacity-building initiatives at the subregional, regional and global level.*

#### *Data needed*

*Information on DLDD-related capacity building initiatives.*

*Only major capacity-building plans/programmes/projects mentioned in the PPSs are to be considered.*

#### *Data sources (indicative only)*

*PPSs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise*

*Programmes/projects' documents, fiches and summary sheets, interim or final reports of those programmes and projects identified through the PPSs as having DLDD-related capacity-building as a major objective.*

#### *Check the glossary for*

*'NCSA', 'PPS'*

#### *Overall target*

*By 2014, at least 90 per cent of affected country Parties, sub-regional and regional reporting entities implement DLDD specific capacity building plans or programs or projects.*

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### **Number of DLDD-related capacity building initiatives undertaken**

Identify, if any, relevant programmes and projects through the PPSs and check corresponding programmes/projects' documents, fiches and summary sheets, and interim or final reports, to extract the information needed for completing the table below

<b>Year</b>	<b>NCSA-generated</b>	<b>Other initiatives</b>
2008	0	0
2009	0	0
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		



2017		
2018		

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**Has your country assessed DLDD-related capacity building needs at the national level?**

**Yes**

**If yes, within the framework of which initiative?**

- **NCSA**

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**If yes, do you have assessed the necessary resources for addressing capacity building needs?**

**Yes**

**Are these resource requirements included into an investment framework?**

**No**

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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Report of National Capacity Needs Self- Assessment (NCSA) for Global Environmental Management**

**Attachments:**

none

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**National contribution to the target**

If at the time of reporting there are no DLDD-specific capacity building plans, programmes or projects implemented in your country, when do you plan to have something in place?

**2012-13**

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**Qualitative assessment**

Have you received assistance from one or more of the following institutions to build capacities to combat DLDD? (more than one box can be ticked)

- **GEF**

**If yes, which type of assistance have you received?**

- **Financial support**

# Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer

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## Performance indicator CONS-O-14 for Outcome 5.1

*Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-14 for Outcome 5.1*

*Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities whose investment frameworks, established within the IFS devised by the GM or within other integrated financing strategies, reflect leveraging national, bilateral and multilateral resources for combating desertification and land degradation.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*At the national level, the indicator measures the presence of integrated financing processes allowing the leverage of national, bilateral and multilateral resources for combating desertification and land degradation, through the quantification of investment frameworks developed by country Parties within the IFS devised by the GM or other integrated financing strategies promoted by diverse international institutions. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on the establishment of integrated investment frameworks at national, subregional and regional level.*

*Data needed*

*Investment frameworks documents.*

*Only investment frameworks prepared along the guidelines devised within integrated financing strategies shall be considered.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*Relevant national ministries.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'IFS', 'NAP' 'leveraging', 'integrated investment framework'*

*Overall target*

*By 2014, at least 50 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities have developed integrated investment frameworks.*

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**Has your country developed an integrated investment framework?**

**No**

**If yes, specify when it was developed.**

**No answer provided**

**The questions below apply only to those countries which have an integrated investment framework.**

**Is your integrated investment framework based on the NAP?**

**No answer provided**

**If based on the NAP, who assisted in its development?**

**No answer provided**

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**If assisted, which type of assistance did you receive?**

**No answer provided**

**If assisted by the GM, was it devised within the IFS?**

**No answer provided**

**If your country has an integrated investment framework based on the NAP, is this framework concretely allowing the leverage of national, bilateral and multilateral resources for combating DLDD?**

**No answer provided**

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

**No answer provided**

**Attachments:**

none

**National contribution to the target**

If your country has not developed an integrated investment framework at the time of reporting, do you plan to do it?

**Yes**

**If yes, when?**

**2010-11**

**Qualitative assessment**

Identify the major difficulties experienced in developing an integrated investment framework (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

		Not important	Important	Very Important
X	Financial constraints			X
X	Human resources constraints		X	
X	Lack of coordination among relevant ministries and unclear attribution of responsibilities		X	
X	Lack of coordination among those providing support		X	
X	National, bilateral and multilateral resources are too diverse; cannot be realistically coordinated under one umbrella.		X	
	Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Performance indicator CONS-O-16 for Outcome 5.2**

*Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-16 for Outcome 5.2*

*Degree of adequacy, timeliness and predictability of financial resources made available by developed country Parties to combat DLDD.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*This is a qualitative indicator requiring the perception-based assessment by developing affected country Parties of the adequacy, timeliness and predictability of bilateral contributions received from developed country Parties for the implementation of the Convention. "Adequate", "timely" and "predictable" resources are frequently referred to in The Strategy as being necessary to ensure proper planning and effective implementation. Subregional and regional reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on their perception-based assessments.*

*Data needed*

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Data sources (indicative only)

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Check the glossary for

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Only affected country Parties entitled to receive assistance under the UNCCD are requested to report on this indicator.

Overall target

No target has been set for this indicator

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**How would you rate the bilateral assistance received within the framework of UNCCD for the implementation of The Strategy and of the Convention?**

Adequacy of bilateral assistance

**Not adequate**

**Timeliness of bilateral assistance**

**Not timely**

**Predictability of bilateral assistance**

**Not predictable**

**Provide narrative justification on your above rating (max 100 words)**

Only very recently, land degradation as a main area of concern has drawn attention of the donors. While /recently high priority for biodiversity and climate change, land degradation received low priority by the donor agencies, nearly due to effects of land degradation are not for seen in the short run.

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**Qualitative assessment**

Did you receive assistance in raising resources from bilateral donors?

**No**

**If yes, from whom? (more than one box can be ticked)**

**No answer provided**

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Has the level of adequacy, timeliness and predictability of bilateral assistance constrained your country's performance in planning and implementation with respect to UNCCD?**

**Yes**

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**Performance indicator CONS-O-17 for Outcome 5.3**

*Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-17 for Outcome 5.3*

*Number of DLDD-related project proposals successfully submitted for financing to international financial institutions, facilities and funds, including the GEF.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures the capacity of fund-raising at the national level, through the quantification of project proposals successfully submitted for funding to the various financing organizations. The indicator will inform to what extent affected country Parties make increasing efforts to mobilize resources. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on the fund-raising efforts at national, subregional and regional level.*

*Data needed*

Data sources (indicative only)

PPSs and SFAs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.

The PPS requires specification of the project 'status' thus it allows the identification of relevant projects to be considered by this indicator and the monitoring of their approval status.

The SFA requires the specification of amounts committed to approved projects.

Check the glossary for

'PPS', 'SFA', 'Project proposals', 'currency', 'Successfully submitted proposals'

Overall target

A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related successfully submitted project proposals is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.

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**Number of project proposals submitted (pipeline) and ongoing, by biennium**

Biennium	submitted (pipeline)	ongoing
2008-2009		28
2010-2011		
2012-2013		
2014-2015		
2016-2017		

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**Amount of funds raised, by biennium**

You can find the amount of funds raised for the ongoing projects in the corresponding SFAs. Sum these amounts and give the total in the below table.

Biennium	Total amount
2008-2009	USD546176
2010-2011	
2012-2013	
2014-2015	
2016-2017	

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above: Programme and Project Sheets and Standard Financial Annexes

*No answer required*

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**National contribution to the target**

According to the information provided above, do you think that you are mobilizing enough resources from international financial institutions, facilities and funds through successfully submitted project proposals?

**No**

**If no, do you plan to increase the country's efforts in presenting project proposals to international financial institutions, facilities and funds?**

**Yes**

### Qualitative assessment

Identify the reasons for the increasing or decreasing trend of project proposals successfully submitted to international financial institutions, facilities and funds (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

#### Reasons for increasing

	Not important	Important	Very Important
Easier and more transparent application procedures			
Increased capacities of national stakeholders to prepare applications			
Major natural hazards occurred at the national level considerably increased the level of resources made available by the international community			
Access to funding is increasingly facilitated by third parties such as the private sector			
Existence of a financing strategy (IFS or others)			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

#### Reasons for decreasing

	Not important	Important	Very Important
X Financing opportunities are not publicised enough, lack of access to necessary information			X
X Complicated application procedures, the level of complexity being worsened by the different requirements of the various donors			X
X Limited financial resources are made available for DLDD-related programmes/projects, and lack of DLDD-specific allocations within donors' portfolio.			X
X Other		X	

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**Lack of information on availability of donor funds**

## Performance indicator CONS-O-18 for Outcome 5.5

*Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer*

*Performance indicator CONS-O-18 for Outcome 5.5*

*Amount of financial resources and type of incentives which have enabled access to technology by affected country Parties.*

*Understanding of the indicator*

*The indicator measures whether access to technology is facilitated by means of financial resources or economic and policy incentives. The indicator will inform to what extent an enabling environment for technology transfer has been created at the national level and whether sufficient resources are dedicated to technology transfer. Subregional and regional reporting entities will complement the information provided by affected country Parties by reporting on financial resources and type of incentives which*

have enabled access to technology at the subregional and regional level.

*Data needed*

*Budgets of relevant programmes and projects*

*Information on policy/regulatory, financial and fiscal incentives. Incentives facilitating access to technology shall be those established and implemented at the national level, not necessarily within the framework of DLDD-related cooperation.*

*Data sources (indicative only)*

*Financial documents of programmes and projects submitted as PPSs to the UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.*

*National policy, regulatory and economic/financial documents.*

*Check the glossary for*

*'technical support', 'incentive', 'PPS'*

*Check the programmes and projects financial documents (budgets) and extract amounts allocated to: (1) technical support – material aid (equipment, hardware and software, machineries, etc); and (2) technical support – knowledge aid (technical assistance and advisory services). Add these amounts to provide totals in the table below.*

*Refer to the programmes and projects submitted as PPSs to the UNCCD and their relating budgets*

*Overall targets*

*A steady growth in the financial resources allocated to facilitate access to technology by affected country Parties is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.*

*A steady growth in the number of economic and policy incentives reported upon is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.*

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***Estimate of amounts allocated to facilitate technology transfer***

Check the programmes and projects financial documents (budgets) and extract amounts allocated to: (1) technical support – material aid (equipment, hardware and software, machineries, etc); and (2) technical support – knowledge aid (technical assistance and advisory services). Add these amounts to provide totals in the table below.

Refer to the programmes and projects submitted as PPSs to the UNCCD and their relating budgets

<b>Year</b>	<b>Technical support – material aid</b>	<b>Technical support – knowledge aid</b>
2008	USD1185000	USD1478000
2009	1185000 USD	1478000 USD
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

***Has your country established incentives intended to facilitate access to technology?***

**Yes**

***If yes, specify which types of incentives (more than one box can be ticked)***

- Policy or regulatory incentives (for example, related to market requirements and regulations, import/export, foreign investment, research & development support, etc)
- Financial incentives (for example, preferential rates, State aid, subsidies, cash grants, loan guarantees, etc)
- Fiscal incentives (for example, exemption from or reduction of taxes, duties, fees, etc)

**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Department of External Resources  
Project Documents

**Attachments:**

none

**National contribution to the target**

According to the information provided above, do you think that enough resources are allocated through DLDD-related programmes and projects to facilitate access to technology by your country?

No

*If your country has no incentives in place or if existing incentives to facilitate the creation of an enabling environment for technology transfer do not prove to be effective, are you planning to enforce additional measures?*

Yes

*If yes, when?*

2012-13

**Qualitative assessment**

If existing incentives do not prove to be effective, identify possible reasons (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

		Not important	Important	Very Important
X	Policy or regulatory incentives are not enforced			X
X	There are not enough resources to apply financial or fiscal incentives			X
X	The national financial and credit systems (banks, credit agencies, etc) are not supportive		X	
X	Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

The legal and the institutional weaknesses hinder, incentives for technology transfer being implemented

*Identify the reasons for the increasing or decreasing trend of financial resources allocated through DLDD-related programmes and projects to facilitate access to technology (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).*

**Reasons for increasing**

	Not important	Important	Very Important
Access facilitated by the spreading of IT			
More appropriate technologies available			



Appropriateness of government incentives			
Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**No answer provided**

**Reasons for decreasing**

		Not important	Important	Very Important
X	Technology sustainability is poor; technologies do not represent viable investments			X
X	Lack of fixed infrastructure for accessing technologies (those created on an ad hoc basis disappear once the support ends)	X		
X	Lack of capacities for operation and maintenance of technologies		X	
X	Lack of enabling policy and regulatory environments	X		
X	Other			

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

**Sustainability of technology does not continue due to lack of substantial financial resources and partly due to weaknesses in project planning.**

# Standard Financial Annex

## D. Standard Financial Annex

The CRIC has recommended that financial reporting be based on a standard financial reporting format to be used by affected country Parties and their development partners. It also indicated that emphasis in reports should be put on financial matters and also on an analysis of the impact of the activities undertaken (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5).

The purpose of the Standard Financial Annex (SFA) is to consolidate information on resources mobilized by affected country Parties and their development partners under the framework of relevant strategies and action programmes. It facilitates the aggregation of data on financial commitments, financial flows and resources available by all relevant funding sources for activities related to the implementation of the Convention. It also helps minimize double counting in financial statistics (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.4).

The SFA is to be used by each country Party and other reporting entities to list all financial commitments they have made during the reporting period in support of institutions, programmes, projects, as well as other relevant initiatives undertaken at national or international level for the implementation of the Convention.

More specifically, for each relevant financial commitment or allocation made in the reporting period, the SFA requires a minimum set of data grouped as follows:

Identification, i.e. data required to identify the reporting entity, the funding source and the activity financed;

Basic data, i.e. data specifying the amount and type of financial commitment made, as well as the recipient country, region, and/or organization, and the funding period, if applicable;

(c) Classification, i.e. categorization of the funded activity according to the Rio Markers for desertification, and the UNCCD Relevant Activity Codes (RACs).

The compilation of the SFA is guided by means of a template, which responds to the recommendations of CRIC 7, and builds on the GM methodological guide for financial reporting presented to CRIC 6 as part of the report of the intergovernmental Ad Hoc Working Group to improve the procedures for communication of information.

Within the template, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts, while white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by the reporting entities with relevant data or narrative information.

Decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 8, invites country Parties and other reporting entities to refer to common terminology and definitions. Therefore, these guidelines should be read in conjunction with the comprehensive glossary presented in a separate document.

## Financial Commitment #1 — Forestry Resources Management Project (FRMP)

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### Reporting Entity

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment

### Other

No answer provided

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### Funding Organization

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- Asian Development Bank

### Other

No answer provided

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### Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Forestry Resources Management Project (FRMP)**

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**Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**1744 - SRI (SF)**

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**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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**Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

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**Other**

- **Department of Forest - Ministry of Environment**
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**Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Department of Forest**
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**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**28/06/2000**

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**Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**27000000 US Dollar**

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**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Loan (concessional)**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**23/10/2000**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**22/07/2010**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use

***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **1 Monitoring and Research**
  - **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **3 Resource Management**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Project Documents**

**Donor**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #2 — Coastal Resources Management Project

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Asian Development Bank (ADB)**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Coastal Resources Management Project**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**1716- SL (SF)**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- **Sri Lanka - Central Government Institutions**

### **Other**

- **Coast Conservation Department (CCD)**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Coast Conservation Department (CCD)**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/12/1999**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Loan (commercial)**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**14/06/2000**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**30/06/2008**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**96**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **3 Resource Management**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **1). Project documents**
- **2). Donor**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #3 — Post- tsunami Environment and Community Programme in Tangalle

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **Global Environment Facility (GEF) Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Post- tsunami Environment and Community Programme in Tangalle**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/05/26**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Ruhunu Gami Kantha Sanvidhanaya(Women NGO), Sri Lanka**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Ruhunu Gami Kantha Sanvidhanaya(Women NGO), Sri Lanka**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2006**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**29828 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2006**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**09/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**31**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Web Site- GEF**

**Attachments:**

none



## Financial Commitment #4 — Rehabilitation of abandoned dam

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Rehabilitation of abandoned dam**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE08/08**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Organization for Environment Protection and Economic Development (CEPED)- NGO in Sri Lanka**
- 

### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Organization for Environment Protection and Economic Development (CEPED)- NGO in Sri Lanka**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011),

if applicable

**12/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**16**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
  - **4.1.3 Environment Restoration**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Web Site- GEF**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #5 — Reconstructing sand dunes and clearing lagoons of debris with community participation

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
- 

## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Reconstructing sand dunes and clearing lagoons of debris with community participation**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/05/23**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **sri Lanka Environment and Community Development Institute**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **sri Lanka Environment and Community Development Institute**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2006**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**29598 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**02/2006**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**25**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **2.1 Advocacy and Awareness Raising**
  - **2.1.1 Public Awareness Campaigns**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Web Site- GEF**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #6 — Production of environmentally friendly goods to establish a livelihood for the community of Kabithigollawa

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Production of environmentally friendly goods to establish a livelihood for the community of Kabithigollawa**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SR/03/09**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Women Development Foundation, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Women Development Foundation, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**15993 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**08/2009**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **3 Resource Management**
  - **3.1 Production Systems**
  - **3.1.1 Agriculture**
  - **3.1.2 Forestry**
  - **3.1.3 Livestock Systems**
  - **3.1.4 Other Production Systems**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Web Site- GEF**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #7 — Minimizing land degradation in 100 acres of the Galabada GS Division

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in 100 acres of the Galabada GS Division**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE/08/01**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Laksetha Sahana Sewa - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Laksetha Sahana Sewa - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**26000 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2009**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**17**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
  - **4.1 Mitigation/Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web site**

**Attachments:**

none



## Financial Commitment #8 — Riverbank Conservation of Ravan Oya

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Riverbank Conservation of Ravan Oya**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/08/02**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Integrated Environment Organization - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Integrated Environment Organization - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**08/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
  - **4.1 Mitigation/Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #9 — Riverbank conservation of Nalandha Oya

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Riverbank conservation of Nalandha Oya**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/08/01**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Arunalu Community Development Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Arunalu Community Development Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011),

if applicable

**08/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #10 — Minimizing land degradation in the Elapatha DS Division

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in the Elapatha DS Division**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/08/04**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Sabaragamu janatha Padanama, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Sabaragamu janatha Padanama, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**08/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #11 — Minimizing land degradation in the Nikamawatta, Haragama and Pubudugama Mountain Range~~~

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grant**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in the Nikamawatta, Haragama and Pubudugama Mountain Range**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/02**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Sri Dheeranandha Savings and Credit Organization, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Sri Dheeranandha Savings and Credit Organization, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2007**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**22700 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**13**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none



## Financial Commitment #12 — Minimizing land degradation in the Morutuluwa and Wathtawa area

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in the Morutuluwa and Wathtawa area**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/01**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Grameeya Sanwardhana Maha Sangamaya, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Grameeya Sanwardhana Maha Sangamaya, Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**20370 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #13 — Reduce the land degradation in Muththattupola Galpaya, and Babaragala ~~~

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Reduce the land degradation in Muththattupola Galpaya, and Babaragala**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/07**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Ekbadda Praja Sanwardana Kantha Maha Sangamaya, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Ekbadda Praja Sanwardana Kantha Maha Sangamaya, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2007**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**25360 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**02/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**11/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**21**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #14 — Environmental conservation through the mitigation of land degradation

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Environmental conservation through the mitigation of land degradation**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/11**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Community Resource Protection Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Community Resource Protection Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**17200 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #15 — Minimizing land degradation in Maduhel Mountain Range in Kumbukkana, Moneragala~~~

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in Maduhel Mountain Range in Kumbukkana, Moneragala**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year2/CORE/08/01**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Community Resource Protection Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Community Resource Protection Centre, Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**01/2009**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**22000 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**01/2009**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**05/2010**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**16**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none



# Financial Commitment #16 — Riverbank conservation of selected spots through laying of coir nets to reduce erosion and planting of trees

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Riverbank conservation of selected spots through laying of coir nets to reduce erosion and planting of trees**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/16**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Navodha Farmer Organization- Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Navodha Farmer Organization- Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of

money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**17600 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, Grant

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #17 — Stabilization of degraded banks of the Daduru Oya valley

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Stabilization of degraded banks of the Daduru Oya valley**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE/08/05**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Navoda Environment Conservation society - Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Navoda Environment Conservation Society - Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011),

if applicable

**12/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**17**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **3 Resource Management**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #18 — Rehabilitation of farm lands through the reconstruction of a waste water canal and conservation of river banks

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## Reporting Entity

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment

## Other

**No answer provided**

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## Funding Organization

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- United Nations Development Programme

## Other

- GEF Small Grants
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## Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Rehabilitation of farm lands through the reconstruction of a waste water canal and conservation of river banks**

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## Identification code

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/17**

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## Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Asia
  - Southern Asia
  - Sri Lanka
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## Recipient Organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## Other

- Muslim Youth Council Social Welfare Organization Nintawur- Sri Lanka NGO
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## Executing Agency(ies)

Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Muslim Youth Council Social Welfare Organization Nintawur- Sri Lanka NGO
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## Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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## Currency/Amount committed

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of

money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**12350 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, **Grant**)

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #19 — Sustainable land management and reduction of land degradation in landslide areas

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## Reporting Entity

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment

## Other

No answer provided

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## Funding Organization

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- United Nations Development Programme

## Other

- GEF Small Grants
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## Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Sustainable land management and reduction of land degradation in landslide areas

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## Identification code

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

SRL/06/18

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## Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Asia
  - Southern Asia
  - Sri Lanka
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## Recipient Organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

## Other

- Foundation for Rural Community Development- Sri Lanka NGO
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## Executing Agency(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Foundation for Rural Community Development- Sri Lanka NGO
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## Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

03/2007

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## Currency/Amount committed

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**27800 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2009**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**17**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **3 Resource Management**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none



## Financial Commitment #20 — Sustainable land management practices with community participation

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Sustainable land management practices with community participation**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/19**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Beacon of the East Social Services Organization - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Beacon of the East Social Services Organization - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**18750 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**03/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**12**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #21 — Empowerment of communities in addressing land degradation issues and prevention of forest fires

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Empowerment of communities in addressing land degradation issues and prevention of forest fires**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/25**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Mihimaw Science Foundation - Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Mihimaw Science Foundation - Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**26900 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**03/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**09/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**18**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
  - **4.1 Mitigation/Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #22 — Conservation of the watershed of the Gaddadehi Attha reservoir

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Conservation of the watershed of the Gaddadehi Attha reservoir**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/06/29**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Sri Lanka Samaja Sanwardena Pushthakala Ayathanaya - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Sri Lanka Samaja Sanwardena Pushthakala Ayathanaya - Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**06/2007**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**38000 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**06/2007**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2008**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**18**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #23 — Minimizing land degradation in the Naula, Mathala~~~

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing land degradation in the Naula, Mathala**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE/08/09**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Naula Grameeya Sanwardhana Maha Sangamaya- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Naula Grameeya Sanwardhana Maha Sangamaya- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**08/2008**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2009**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**16**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none



# Financial Commitment #24 — Restoration of degraded lands using sustainable agricultural methods

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Restoration of degraded lands using sustainable agricultural methods**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE/08/03**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Foundation for Strengthening Human Skills- Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Foundation for Strengthening Human Skills- Sri Lanka NGO**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**19868 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2009**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**17**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #25 — Minimizing soil degradation in Welegammadda Mountain Range

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Minimizing soil degradation in Welegammadda Mountain Range**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year1/CORE/08/06**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Soba Shakthi Development Centre- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Soba Shakthi Development Centre- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**13979 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**07/2008**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**12/2009**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**17**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none

# Financial Commitment #26 — Promotion of organic farming system to address land degradation issues

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## Reporting Entity

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment

## Other

**No answer provided**

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## Funding Organization

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- United Nations Development Programme

## Other

- GEF Small Grants
- 

## Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Promotion of organic farming system to address land degradation issues**

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## Identification code

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year2/CORE/08/02**

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## Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Asia
  - Southern Asia
  - Sri Lanka
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## Recipient Organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## Other

- Marunalarchy Social Elevation Organization - Sri Lanka NGO
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## Executing Agency(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Marunalarchy Social Elevation Organization - Sri Lanka NGO
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## Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**04/2009**

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## Currency/Amount committed

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**19000 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**04/2009**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**05/2010**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**13**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**1**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web site**

**Attachments:**

none

## Financial Commitment #27 — Rehabilitation of degraded lands in Haguranketha

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### **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

### **Other**

- **GEF Small Grants**
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### **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**Rehabilitation of degraded lands in Haguranketha**

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### **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**SRL/SGP/OP4Year2/CORE/08/06**

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### **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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### **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

### **Other**

- **Isuru Jeewithodaya Foundation- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **Isuru Jeewithodaya Foundation- Sri Lanka NGO**
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### **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**02/2009**

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### **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**Type of funding**

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g.

15/01/2011)

**02/2009**

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011),

if applicable

**05/2010**

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**Duration (no. of months)**

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**15**

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**Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
  - **4 Mitigation and Recovery**
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**Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **GEF Web Site**

**Attachments:**

none



# Financial Commitment #28 — National Capacity Needs Self- Assessment for Global Environmental Management (NCSA)

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## **Reporting Entity**

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Funding Organization**

Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organization that has made the financial commitment

- **United Nations Development Programme**

## **Other**

- **GEF funded**
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## **Name of activity funded**

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative funded with this financial commitment

**National Capacity Needs Self- Assessment for Global Environmental Management (NCSA)**

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## **Identification code**

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

**00039911**

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## **Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**

Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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## **Recipient Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

## **Other**

- **Ministry of Environment**
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## **Executing Agency(ies)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organization(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- **United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)**
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## **Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**2004**

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## **Currency/Amount committed**

Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals

**199164 US Dollar**

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***Type of funding***

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding,

**Grant**

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***Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**01/01/2005**

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***Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)***

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

**30/09/2006**

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***Duration (no. of months)***

Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**21**

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***Rio Marker for desertification***

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**2**

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***Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)***

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
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***Sources of information***

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Islandwide baseline appraisal**

**Attachments:**

none

# Programme and Project Sheets

## *E. Programme and Project Sheet*

*Programme and Project Sheets (PPS) are used to provide more detailed information on programmes or projects undertaken or completed in the reporting period. This includes programmes and projects in the pipeline, as well as final proposals submitted for funding to internal or external funding sources. All country Parties and other reporting entities involved in the financing, coordination or implementation of relevant programmes and projects are requested to prepare a PPS for each of them, and to attach them to their official report to the UNCCD.*

*The compilation of the PPS is guided by means of a template. These templates are intended to collect a minimum set of qualitative and quantitative data to facilitate the analysis of funding and investment flows, and the production of better financial statistics related to UNCCD implementation (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.4), with a view to enabling the CRIC to undertake an objective review of progress in the implementation of the Convention and The Strategy. The PPS also facilitate the computation of certain performance and impact indicators.*

*A distinctive feature of the PPS is that it allows country Parties and other reporting entities to specify which strategic and operational objectives of The Strategy are targeted by each programme or project. In addition, it allows for individual programme or project components to be categorized using the Rio Markers for desertification and Relevant Activity Codes (RACs).*

*Furthermore, the PPS can be used to indicate whether the objectives of other Rio Conventions (i.e. the UN Convention on Biological Diversity, CBD – and the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, UNFCCC) are also addressed by the programme or project. This is done through the use of the biodiversity and climate change Rio Markers, respectively.*

*The PPS offers an opportunity to increase the visibility of relevant programmes and projects, thereby creating the conditions for a better sharing of experiences and lessons, as well as the transfer of knowledge in general. It also favours collaboration and networking by facilitating the identification of potential synergies.*

*Lastly, the PPS also allows country Parties and other reporting entities to provide a narrative description of the expected or achieved results. This information will facilitate the qualitative assessment of progress in the implementation of The Strategy, including on returns on investment. The CRIC will use the analysis of financial information originating from the PPS to assess results, performance and impacts.*

*To minimize the reporting burden and avoid discrepancies in the information annexed to the reports of different entities, it is recommended that project partners identify the most suitable ways to coordinate among themselves the preparation of PPS to ensure that consistent data are reported for the same projects. It would also be advisable to compile just one PPS for large “umbrella” programmes, instead of separate PPS for each small project stemming from them.*

*In the PPS template, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts, while white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by country Parties and other reporting entities with relevant data or narrative information.*

## **Programme/Project #1 — Forestry Resources Management Project (FRMP)**

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### **Title**

Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

**Forestry Resources Management Project (FRMP)**

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### **Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organization

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project**

Indicate the role of the reporting organization in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

**Executing Agency**

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**Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- **Farmer Organizations**  
**Dumbara Surakinno (NGO)**  
**Survey Department**  
**Divisional Secretariats**
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**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**

Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate "Global" in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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**Target Area size / administrative unit**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project

Area Size

**750000 Hectares**

**Administrative Unit**

**17 terrestrial forest divisions**

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**Target Group**

Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organizations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of an initiative/project/programme

- **1). Communities living adjacent to forest divisions**
  - **2). Community Based Organizations (CBOs)/ Non Government Organizations (NGOs)**
  - **3). District Level Government Officials**
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**Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**377024**

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**Identification Code**

Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

**1744- SRI (SF)**

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**Status**

Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

**Completed**

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

23/10/2000

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

22/07/2010

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**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**

**Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations**

**No answer provided**

**Other**

**No answer provided**

**Currency, Amount**

**For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)**

**Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)**

**No answer provided**

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**UN Conventions' Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD

1

**UNFCCC adaptation**

0

**UNFCCC mitigation**

2

**CBD**

2

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**Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 2
  - 3
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**Operational objectives**

Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
  - 4
  - 5
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**Programme/Project Objectives**

Indicate the objectives pursued by the Programme/Project, as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in document (add Quick Reference Guide document title and reference code (please see footnotes above). The OECD list of purpose is also available at the following link : [http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34447\\_1914325\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1,00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html).

- 312 FORESTRY

Question marked as 'No answer'.

### **Programme/Project Components**

#### **Programme/Project Components**

*Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation.*

*Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no.*

**CONS-O-18.**

**No answer provided**

#### **Currency, Amount**

*Indicate the currency denomination (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)*

*Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)*

0 US Dollar

#### **Rio Marker for desertification**

*Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the [Rio Markers guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)*

1

#### **Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)**

*Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the [RACs guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)*

**No answer provided**

### **Expected or achieved results**

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- **1). Participatory forest planning management and awareness created**
- **2). Suitable forest resource development and management introduced**
- **3). Institutional strengthening for improved sector performance achieved**

### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Project documents**

**Donor**

### **Attachments:**

none

## Programme/Project #2 — Coastal Resources Management Project

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### **Title**

Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

**Coastal Resources Management Project**

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### **Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organization

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

### **Other**

**No answer provided**

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### **Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project**

Indicate the role of the reporting organization in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

**Cooperating Institution**

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### **Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- **1). Fishing Communities**
  - **2). Divisional Secretariats**
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### **Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**

Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate "Global" in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Target Area size / administrative unit**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project

Area Size

**No answer provided**

**Administrative Unit**

**No answer provided**

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### **Target Group**

Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organizations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of an initiative/project/programme

- **Fishing communities**
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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**No answer provided**

**Identification Code**

Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

1716-SL (SF)

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**Status**

Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Completed

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

14/06/2000

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

30/06/2008

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**Programme/Project co-financing****Source**

*Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations*

No answer provided

**Other**

No answer provided

**Currency, Amount**

*For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)*

*Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)*

No answer provided

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**UN Conventions' Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD

2

**UNFCCC adaptation**

0

**UNFCCC mitigation**

0

**CBD**

1

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**Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
  - 2
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**Operational objectives**

Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1



- 4
- 5

### **Programme/Project Objectives**

Indicate the objectives pursued by the Programme/Project, as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in document (add Quick Reference Guide document title and reference code (please see footnotes above). The OECD list of purpose is also available at the following link : [http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34447\\_1914325\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1,00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html).

- 998 UNALLOCATED/ UNSPECIFIED
- 99810 Sectors not specified

Question marked as 'No answer'.

### **Programme/Project Components**

#### **Programme/Project Components**

Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation.

Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-18.

**No answer provided**

#### **Currency, Amount**

Indicate the currency denomination (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)

Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**No answer provided**

#### **Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the [Rio Markers guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)

**No answer provided**

#### **Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the [RACs guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)

**No answer provided**

### **Expected or achieved results**

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- 1). Coastal stabilization
- 2). Revised National Coastal Zone Management Plan
- 3). Enhancement of fisheries resources management through various mechanisms
- 4). Through a computerized data base; institutional strengthening was made

### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- 1). Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources
- 2). Project documents

### **Attachments:**

none

# Programme/Project #3 — GEF Small Grants on Land Degradation

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## **Title**

Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

**GEF Small Grants on Land Degradation**

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## **Organization(s)**

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organization

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## **Other**

**No answer provided**

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## **Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project**

Indicate the role of the reporting organization in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

**Executing Agency**

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## **Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- **Projects are implemented through Community Based Organizations (CBOs)/ Non Government Organizations (NGOs) details including names are given in Standard Financial Annex (SFA)**
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## **Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**

Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate "Global" in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

### **Target Area size / administrative unit**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project

Area Size

**No answer provided**

### **Administrative Unit**

**Project locations in the country**

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## **Target Group**

Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organizations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of an initiative/project/programme

- **Individuals in project locations**
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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

### **Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**No answer provided**

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### **Identification Code**

Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

**Identification number for specific project is given in SFA**

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### **Status**

Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

**Completed**

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**No answer provided**

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

**No answer provided**

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**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

#### **Programme/Project co-financing**

##### **Source**

**Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations**

**No answer provided**

##### **Other**

**No answer provided**

##### **Currency, Amount**

**For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)**

**Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)**

**No answer provided**

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### **UN Conventions' Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD

**2**

UNFCCC adaptation

**0**

UNFCCC mitigation

**0**

CBD

**1**

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### **Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• **1**

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### **Operational objectives**

Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
- 4
- 5

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### **Programme/Project Objectives**

Indicate the objectives pursued by the Programme/Project, as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in document (add Quick Reference Guide document title and reference code (please see footnotes above). The OECD list of purpose is also available at the following link : [http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34447\\_1914325\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1,00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html).

- 998 UNALLOCATED/ UNSPECIFIED
- 99810 Sectors not specified

Question marked as 'No answer'.

#### **Programme/Project Components**

##### **Programme/Project Components**

*Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation.*

*Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no.*

**CONS-O-18.**

**No answer provided**

##### **Currency, Amount**

*Indicate the currency denomination (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)*

*Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)*

**No answer provided**

##### **Rio Marker for desertification**

*Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the [Rio Markers guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)*

**No answer provided**

##### **Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)**

*Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the [RACs guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)*

**No answer provided**

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### **Expected or achieved results**

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- 1). Mitigation of land degradation
- 2). Awareness increase
- 3). Environmental responsibility understood

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### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- 1). Ministry of Environment
- 2). GEF Project Office

### **Attachments:**

none

# Programme/Project #4 — National Capacity Needs Self- Assessment for Global Environmental Management (NCSA)

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## Title

Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

**National Capacity Needs Self- Assessment for Global Environmental Management (NCSA)**

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## Organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organization

- **Sri Lanka - CCD Focal Point - Ministry of Forestry and Environment**

## Other

**No answer provided**

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## Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting organization in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

**Implementing agency**

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## Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- **Non Government organizations (NGOs), Research Institutes, Universities, other Academic Institutes, and Technical Institutes**
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## Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)

Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate "Global" in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- **Asia**
  - **Southern Asia**
  - **Sri Lanka**
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Question marked as 'No answer'.

### Target Area size / administrative unit

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project

Area Size

**No answer provided**

Administrative Unit

**No answer provided**

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## Target Group

Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organizations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of an initiative/project/programme

- **Individuals and Relevant Institutes**
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Question marked as 'No answer'.

### Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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**Identification Code**

Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

00039911

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**Status**

Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Completed

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**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/01/2005

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

30/09/2006

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Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**

Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations

No answer provided

**Other**

No answer provided

**Currency, Amount**

For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)

Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

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**UN Conventions' Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD

2

UNFCCC adaptation

2

UNFCCC mitigation

2

CBD

2

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**Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 2
- 3

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**Operational objectives**

Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
- 2
- 4
- 5

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### **Programme/Project Objectives**

Indicate the objectives pursued by the Programme/Project, as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in document (add Quick Reference Guide document title and reference code (please see footnotes above). The OECD list of purpose is also available at the following link : [http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en\\_2649\\_34447\\_1914325\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1,00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html).

- 998 UNALLOCATED/ UNSPECIFIED
- 99810 Sectors not specified

Question marked as 'No answer'.

### **Programme/Project Components**

#### **Programme/Project Components**

Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation.

Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-18.

**No answer provided**

#### **Currency, Amount**

Indicate the currency denomination (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)

Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

**No answer provided**

#### **Rio Marker for desertification**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the [Rio Markers guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)

**No answer provided**

#### **Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)**

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the [RACs guidance note](#) for more information, examples and instructions)

**No answer provided**

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### **Expected or achieved results**

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- 1). Developed a Capacity Development Action Plan for NCSA
- 2). Three Thematic Reports on UNCCD, UNCBD and UNFCCC
- 3). Legal Report on UNCCD, UNCBD and UNFCCC

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### **Sources of information**

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Islandwide baseline appraisal

### **Attachments:**

none

# Additional Information

## F. Additional information

The section on additional information is meant to provide an instrument of flexibility in the reporting exercise as well as to enrich the knowledge base of the CRIC on concrete issues faced by affected country Parties and consequently to make more targeted and specific recommendations to the COP. It allows affected country Parties to comment or report upon issues that are not covered elsewhere but that are nevertheless of importance at the national level or within the framework of the implementation of The Strategy and the Convention.

The additional information section allows feedback to be received on the reporting process and on the implementation of NAPs as well as lessons learnt, problems, constraints and bottlenecks faced in terms of human and financial resources. It is also meant to accommodate ad hoc COP requests for reporting on specific topics or new reporting requirements deriving from COP deliberations that may supersede existing ones and imply changes in implementation.

The proposed template for reporting is adjusted to the mandate of affected country Parties within the framework of the Convention, as requested by decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 17.

## Reporting process-related issues

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### **Financial resources**

Could your country count on sufficient financial resources to meet UNCCD reporting obligations?

**No**

**Provide an estimate of the amount invested from your country's national budget into the UNCCD reporting process.**

**6395 US Dollar**

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### **Human resources**

How many people were involved in your country in the UNCCD reporting process?

Number of people

**65**

**Estimate the total number of person/day dedicated by these persons to the UNCCD reporting process:**

Number of person/day

**240**

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### **Knowledge**

Could your country count on sufficient technical and scientific knowledge to meet UNCCD reporting obligations?

**Yes**

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### **Coordination**

Was coordination with the relevant implementing agencies satisfactory in order to apply for necessary funds?

**Yes**

**Was coordination at the national level with the relevant line ministries satisfactory in order to comprehensively and coherently report?**

**Yes**

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### **Participation and consultation**

Was a participatory or consultative approach applied to involve all relevant stakeholders in the reporting process?

**Yes**



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***Validation meeting***

Was a validation meeting held as a tool to integrate stakeholders in the reporting process?

**Yes**

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***Subregional and regional processes***

Did your country actively contribute to the subregional and regional reporting processes?

**No**

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***PRAIS portal***

If you are reporting online, did you receive sufficient training on access and utilization of the PRAIS portal?

**Yes**

## Accommodation of specific requests within COP decisions

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### **Report on specific COP requests – iterative process on indicators**

Decision 13/COP.9, paragraphs 2, 3 and 24, envisages an iterative process to refine the set of performance indicators provisionally adopted by the same decision. As a tool to implement this iterative process, affected country Parties can provide here their suggestions and recommendations for improvement.

Tick the cells only when you have experienced difficulties in reporting on one, or more, indicator(s). Indicate against which of the e-SMART criteria the indicator(s) needs to be improved.

	<b>economic</b>	<b>Specific</b>	<b>Measurable</b>	<b>Achievable</b>	<b>Relevant</b>	<b>Time-bound</b>
CONS-O-1	X			X		
CONS-O-3	X					
CONS-O-4	X					
CONS-O-5						
CONS-O-7						
CONS-O-8						
CONS-O-9						
CONS-O-10						
CONS-O-11						
CONS-O-13						
CONS-O-14						
CONS-O-16	X					
CONS-O-17						
CONS-O-18						

## Reporting on the implementation of NAP

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*Which is the percentage of activities included in the NAP that are currently implemented?*

1-30%

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### Human resources

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*Lessons learnt (report on the 2 most important only)*

1

The human resource base dealing with land management is distributed among agencies since responsibilities are fragmented. Efforts have been made by the Ministry of Environment to consolidate bringing these through different mechanisms. (eg. establishment of Advisory Committees) This exercise works

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well provided sufficient attention and monitoring is employed.

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*Problems, constraints and bottlenecks currently faced by your country (report on the 2 most important only)*

1

1). There are human resource gaps to be fulfilled in some specialized fields. This has been highlighted in NCSA. Sufficient resources have to be diverted to fill these gaps, in terms of human resource development. Therefore, sufficient effort has to be diverted to fill skill gaps.

2

2). Highly educated workforce is trainable in any field related to land management. In some occasions, specialized training has been provided and has brought sufficient results. Likewise, the existing workforce can be utilized and provided their skills are enhanced through education and training.

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### Financial resources

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*Lessons learnt (report on the 2 most important only)*

1

1). A diverse mix of donor agencies exist. They have different modes of providing financial resources. We have to make appropriate measures to tap those resources to suit the agency requirements.

2

2). Secondly, full set of information on donors, NGOs and other sources of available finances are beyond our concern. We have to be "vigilant" on such information in order to obtain financial support. Due to lack of information, these resources are not harvested optimally and also due to information

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*Problems, constraints and bottlenecks currently faced by your country (report on the 2 most important only)*

1

1). Long and complex processes in tapping these resources is a major bottleneck. Sometimes, it takes years to prepare proposals, processing such proposals and approval.

2

2). Government priorities do not always reflect land degradation as a major area of concern. This has hindered obtaining limited finances from the Treasury.

## Any other country-specific issues

Has your country any specific issue to bring to the attention of the Conference of the Parties?

Yes

If yes, please specify under which of the following broad categories it can be classified.

**Category**

Policy; legislative; institutional framework

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

1). Policy, legislative, institutional framework

Land degradation in Sri Lanka is characterized mainly by soil erosion in the hill country where heavy rainfall regimes prevail. The slopy areas are susceptible to

**Narrative description**

erosion due to high elevation.

The common practices of vegetable cultivation including potato, are usually highly erosive in nature. Seedling teas in the hilly areas aggravate soil erosion.

Tea is an export product and vegetables are usually used for domestic consumption. Large portion of population in these areas make their living out of this agricultural practices. This is merely due to government's policy related issues related to export earnings and the export income is vital for the economy. However, even if it is difficult to give up these practices, suitable measures can be adopted to avoid soil erosion, provided sufficient resources are diverted.

**Category**

DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/research

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

3) DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/ research

Desertification, land degradation and drought monitoring a series of scientific researches, monitoring and assessment systems should be in place.

**Narrative description**

these monitoring systems require, inter alia, sophisticated equipments, trained personnel and intra agency coordination to bring about results. Establishing drought early warning system itself requires coordinated effort by many agencies including agriculture and trade sectors.

Under these circumstances, substantial flow of resources in terms of financial and technical nature are required to establish proper monitoring and assessments are to be in place.

**Category**

Funding/resource mobilization

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

4). Funding/ resource mobilization

Availability of resources have always been the limiting factor for implementation of successful measures to combat land degradation. As has been discussed at many forums, a concerted effort is needed by all the countries government and donor agencies to overcome the

**Narrative description**

Starting from setting priorities by government, sufficient resources must be available to agencies concerned. The preparation of the IFS could pave the way towards mobilizing sufficient resources.

# Best Practices

## G. Best practices

According to decision 13/COP.9, Annex V, UNCCD best practices shall be collected according to seven themes: 1. SLM technologies, including adaptation; 2. Capacity building and awareness raising; 3. DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/research; 4. Knowledge management and decision support; 5. Policy, legislative, institutional framework; 6. Funding/resource mobilization; 7. Participation, collaboration and networking.

While themes 2 to 7 represent different elements of the enabling environment needed for the implementation and dissemination/up-scaling of sustainable land management (SLM) technologies (indirect impact), theme 1 comprises all actions on the ground that have a direct impact on desertification, land degradation and drought mitigation.

In particular, as specified in document ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5, paragraph 12, theme 1 'SLM technologies, including adaptation' refers to SLM technologies that directly contribute to the prevention, mitigation and rehabilitation of desertification and land degradation on cropland, grazing land and woodland, with the aim of improving the livelihoods of affected populations and conserving ecosystem services. Successful implementation of SLM technologies is the base for achieving strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 of The Strategy. Theme 1 also integrates five of the strategic areas defined by decision 8/COP.4, namely: (a) sustainable land use management, including water, soil and vegetation in affected areas; (b) sustainable use and management of rangelands; (c) development of sustainable agricultural and ranching production systems; (d) development of new and renewable energy sources; and (e) launching of reforestation/afforestation programmes/ intensification of soil conservation programmes.

ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5 provides definitions for 'practice', 'good practice' and 'best practice'. These definitions are included in the common glossary that shall be referred to by Parties and other reporting entities while reporting to UNCCD, according to decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 8.

The template for reporting is based on the general structure for the documentation of best practices contained in ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5, paragraphs 40 to 43; it is tailored to the documentation of best practices related to theme 1 'SLM technologies, including adaptation'.

## Best Practice #1 — Rehabilitation of Small Tank Catchment Areas

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### Property rights

Clarify if the technology described in the template, or a part of it, is covered by property rights:

**No**

**If yes, please provide relevant information on the holder of the rights.**

**(max 100 words)**

**No answer provided**

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### Section 1. Context of the best practice: frame conditions (natural and human environment)

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#### Title of the best practice

Rehabilitation of Small Tank Catchment Areas

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#### Location (if available, also include a map)

Anuradhapura District (The Dry Zone District of Anuradhapura comes within the North Central Province in Sri Lanka)

#### Attachments:

none

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**If the location has well defined boundaries, specify its extension in hectares**

Hectares (ha)

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**Estimated population living in the location**

Number of people

**4500**

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**Prevailing land use within the specified location**

- Other

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**Catchment area of the tank feeding the tanks

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**Brief description of the natural environment within the specified location**

Climate: (max 50 words)

The temperature falls within the range of 25C-37C and the annual rainfall is less than 1500mm. The rainfall is restricted to 3-4 months and the remaining months experiences dry weather. The hydraulic civilization in these areas built small tank systems to retain water for the dry season.

**Soil: (max 50 words)**

Specific Soil Type: Reddish Brown

**Topography: (max 50 words)**

This area is part of the lowest peneplain moving from the coast and altitude is 0-125msl. However, there are undulating parts and isolated mountains within the area.

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**Prevailing socio-economic conditions of those living in the location and/or nearby**

Income level: (max 50 words)

These areas are predominantly agricultural areas and the average income is far below the per capita GDP, which is US\$ 2050 in 2009. Contribution to GDP in these district in the North Central Province is only 2.7% and therefore, these people receive minimum income (less than 100US\$ a month)

**Main income sources: (max 50 words)**

The main sources of income is the income received from agriculture. Agricultural practices include paddy and vegetable crop cultivation. Paddy is grown in lowlands with water from the tank and vegetables are grown in "Chenas" (slash and burn) in highlands.

**Land tenure and land use rights: (max 50 words)**

Land tenure system in these areas has led to land fragmentation, specially paddy fields. The paddy lands have been fragmented to the extent of being economically non-viable. This has become a bottleneck in introducing new agricultural practices.

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**Short description of the best practice**

max 250 words

The hydraulic civilization of the ancient Sri Lanka, built many small tanks in the Dry Zone of Sri Lanka to retain water to be used in the dry season for agriculture, domestic consumption and for the domestic animals. These tanks formed a separate micro environment.

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**On the basis of which criteria and/or indicator(s) (not related to The Strategy) the proposed practice and corresponding technology has been considered as 'best'?**

max 100 words

The practice can be considered "best" due to the following.

- 1). Stakeholder participation ensured
- 2). Minimum cost
- 3). Environment friendly
- 4). It has multiple effects
- 5). Could be early replicated
- 6). Generates sense of ownership.

## Section 2. Problems addressed (direct and indirect causes) and objectives of the best practice

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*With respect to DLDD, the best practice directly contributes to:*

- Mitigation
  - Rehabilitation
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*Main problems addressed by the best practice*

(max 50 words)

- 1). Further degradation of the catchment area and soil erosion 2). Lowering of the water retention capacity of the tank 3). Deterioration of the environment and associated ecosystem services 4). Water scarcity in the dry season 5). Lowering of farmer income and partly malnutrition 6). Conservation of the micro environment
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*Outline specific land degradation problems addressed by the best practice*

max 100 words

Soil erosion due to clearing of the catchment area for cultivation and other purposes was the main environmental issue. The soil erosion could be mitigated through the adoption of the strategies given in this document.

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*Specify the objectives of the best practice*

(max 50 words)

- 1). To mitigate soil erosion in the catchment area of the tank
  - 2). To restore the catchment area
  - 3). To restore micro-environment of the area
  - 4). To avoid water security
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## Section 3. Activities

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*Brief description of main activities, by objective*

Objective 1

(max 50 words)

- Tree planting in the catchment area with inadequate spaces and adoption of soil conservation measures

*Objective 2*

(max 50 words)

- Adoption of conservation practices and awareness on environmental conservation to farmers

*Objective 3*

(max 50 words)

- With the interaction of activities referred to above 1 and 2, it was expected to restore the micro-environment in the area. Minimal disturbance to the natural environment was the key "slogan" in this exercise.

*Objective 4*

(max 50 words)

- Through the adoption of soil erosion practices, and tree planting, it was expected that water retention capacity will increase and the natural environment retain excessive water and release gradually.
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*Short description of the technology*

max 250 words

The activity comprises a mix of activities;

- 1). Land use planning
- 2). Identification of suitable crop species,
- 3). Adoption of soil conservation measures
- 4). Obtaining stakeholder support.

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**Technical specifications of the technology - if any**

max 250 words

The success of the activity was a result of the adoption of a scientific approach for conservation of the catchment that is using land use planning for optimal utilization of land.

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**Section 4. Institutions/actors involved (collaboration, participation, role of stakeholders)**

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**Name and address of the institution developing the technology**

**Name**

Ministry of Environment

**Address**

82, "Sampathpaya"  
Rajamalwatta Road  
Battaramulla.

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**Was the technology developed in partnership?**

Yes

**If yes, list the partners:**

- Partners 1). Land Use Policy Planners
- 2). Forest Department
- 3). Farmer Organizations

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**Specify the framework within which the technology was promoted**

- Local initiative

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

No answer provided

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**Was the participation of local stakeholders, including CSOs, fostered in the development of the technology**

Yes

**If yes, list local stakeholders involved:**

- 1). Farmer Organizations

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**For the stakeholders listed above, specify their role in the design, introduction, use and maintenance of the technology, if any.**

max 250 words

The farmers have indigenous knowledge and it has optimally used in this exercise. They were able to assist in demarcating areas, identification of plant species, adoption of soil conservation measures. There were, the real "implementers" of the activities.

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**Was the population living in the location and/or nearby involved in the development of the technology?**

Yes



*If yes, by means of what?*

- Participatory approaches

*Other (specify) (max 30 words)*

**No answer provided**

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## Section 5. Contribution to impact

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*Specify to which strategic objectives of The Strategy the technology contributes*

(more than one box can be ticked)

- 1. To improve the living conditions of affected population
  - 2. To improve the conditions of affected ecosystems
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*Describe on-site impacts (the major two impacts by category)*

Production or productivity:

1. (max 50 words)

The improved micro-environment in the area will provide ecosystem services rapid. As a result, the tank system will receive continuous supply of water thereby increasing agricultural productivity.

2. (max 50 words)

With the ecosystem restoration, agricultural production will be increased, increasing productivity of agricultural lands. At the same time, the ecosystem will be restored and nutrient and energy transfers within the ecosystem will be re-established.

*Socio-economic level (including cultural level):*

1. (max 50 words)

The agricultural production will generate more incomes to the farmers thereby uplifting their standard of living

2. (max 50 words)

The increased income will increase the purchasing capacity of framers and will increase Physical Quality of Life (PQL) and reduce Human Poverty Index (HPI) and increase their socio - economic level.

*Environmental level:*

1. (max 50 words)

As described in the text, the catchment area restoration will allow to re-generate the system as it was. The micro-environment will start producing ecosystem services. This is extremely important since, about 8 months remain dry in these areas.

2. (max 50 words)

The ecosystem will provide shelter for wild fauna and protect animal biodiversity.

*Other (specify)*

1. (max 50 words)

**No answer provided**

2. (max 50 words)

**No answer provided**

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*Describe the major two off-site (i.e. not occurring in the location but in the surrounding areas) impacts*

1. (max 50 words)

The increase in the water retention capacity of the tank will reduce the threat of floods in the lower parts and/or in the tanks located in the down stream. Sometimes tanks are located as a chain, the upper ones feeding the lower ones.

2. (max 50 words)

The ecosystem will have a "spread effect". Other neighboring villagers will start thinking replicating the experiences.

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***Impact on biodiversity and climate change***

In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on biodiversity conservation?

Yes

***Explain the reasons:***

max 250 words

Sri Lanka is one of the biodiversity hotspots in the world. Since many floral species and faunal spp. are endemic to Sri Lanka, there is possibility of these species being destroyed, if the catchment area is disturbed

***In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on climate change mitigation?***

No answer provided

***Explain the reasons:***

max 250 words

No answer provided

***In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on climate change adaptation?***

No answer provided

***Explain the reasons:***

max 250 words

No answer provided

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***Has a cost-benefit analysis been carried out?***

No

***If yes, summarize its main conclusions:***

max 250 words

No answer provided

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**Section 6. Connection to other UNCCD themes**

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***Specify if the technology relates to one or more of the other UNCCD themes***

- Capacity-building and awareness-raising
  - DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/research
  - Participation, collaboration and networking
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**Section 7. Adoption and replicability**

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***Was the technology disseminated/introduced to other locations?***

Yes

***If yes, where? (add as many rows as necessary)***

Location:

- To serve other districts

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**Were incentives to facilitate the take up of the technology provided?**

**No**

**If yes, specify which type of incentives**

**No answer provided**

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**Can you identify the three main conditions that led to the success of the presented best practice/technology?**

Examples of conditions leading to success may include: highly motivated local governments, farmers organized into well structured cooperatives, extremely favorable weather conditions, etc. For each 'condition of success' you are able to identify, specify whether in your opinion such condition is: (a) linked to the local context and thus cannot be replicated elsewhere; (b) replicable elsewhere with some level of adaptation; (c) replicable elsewhere with major adaptation.

1. (max 50 words)

**The main reason for the success this initiative is the stakeholder participation. In this context, the farmer organization acted as implementer of the programme. They were able to obtain support of all the framers and their contribution was in the form of labour.**

2. (max 50 words)

**The strong commitment from the government side was another reason for the success. The Ministry officials, forest officers, and Officers of the Land Use Policy Planning Department of the district were highly involved and dedicated for the activity.**

3. (max 50 words)

**The end- results could be seen in the short run, preferably with a period of 1-2 years. However, it takes years for this ecosystem to be restored.**

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**In your opinion, the best practice/technology you have proposed can be replicated, although with some level of adaptation, elsewhere?**

**Yes**

**If yes, at which level?**

- **National**
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## **Section 8. Lessons learned**

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**Related to human resources**

(max 50 words)

- **1). Stakeholder participation is essential for the success of country based activities. Their involvement should be obtained for planning, implementation and monitoring of projects. 2). Top-down approach is unsuccessful in activities where strong country participation is needed**
  - 3). Through a well coordinated approach and guidance, we can develop country leaders.**
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**Related to financial aspects**

(max 50 words)

- **1). Costs could be minimized with strong stakeholder participation. 2). Impacts of these projects cannot be measured properly on cost- benefit analysis eg. aesthetic value of a tank system and associated environment and fresh air. 3). However, finance becomes a limiting factor. Therefore, mobilization of resources is necessary**
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**Related to technical aspects**

(max 50 words)

- **1). Adoption of scientific approaches in every activity is essential. In this case, the project became successful since the area was mapped using modern land use planning techniques 2). The technology should be people friendly and people centric. Then the technology is well received by the community 3). Technology should be simple to the extent possible to be understood by the people.**

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