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**United Nations Development Programme**

**Country: Jamaica**

**Project Extension Document**

<b>Project Title:</b>	<b>Promoting National Development Planning Goals, MDGs &amp; Human Development in Jamaica</b>
<b>UNDAF Outcome(s):</b>	<b>Outcome 2</b> Socially excluded and at-risk populations in rural/urban communities have increased access to improved quality health and education services.
<b>Expected CP Outcome(s):</b> <i>(Those linked to the project and extracted from the CPAP)</i>	<b>Outcome 2</b> Policy, Legislative and Institutional frameworks strengthened to promote financial sustainability and equitable growth
<b>Expected Output(s):</b> <i>(Those that will result from the project and extracted from the CPAP)</i>	<b>Output 4:</b> Strengthened national capacity for effective and coordinated use of development assistance for achieving national and millennium development goals
<b>Implementing Partner:</b>	Planning Institute of Jamaica (PIOJ)

**Brief Description**

The project will assist the Government by increasing the effectiveness of development planning towards better monitoring and planning for achieving MDGs. The quality of important development data as well as the capacity to analyse and manage such data will be improved. Data will be used to inform policy development and decision making, address millennium development goals and track progress on human development. Existing data collection and maintenance systems and the data themselves, will be examined and strengthened so that the Government will have good quality data for decision making and information from analysis of these data will be used to improve the effectiveness of development planning in the context of Vision 2030 Jamaica - National Development Plan and the Medium Term Socio-Economic Policy Framework. The project will achieve these objectives by Promoting National Development Goals and MDGs in Jamaica through Studies on the Impact of Poverty, Advocacy, Improved Poverty Measurement Tools, Longitudinal Studies on Quality of Life Indices, and assistance with National Development Plan (Vision 2030) Monitoring and Evaluation. The project will direct technical assistance to ensure full use of the T21 model and the JamStats database.

Programme Period:	2012-2016	2012 AWP budget:	211,000.00
Project Title:	Promoting National Development Planning Goals, MDGs & Human Development in Jamaica	Total resources required	1,111,828.20
Atlas Award ID:	00046228	Total allocated resources:	
Start date:	March 2007	• Regular	1,111,828.20
End Date:	December 2012	• Other:	
Management Arrangements	NEX	○ Donor	_____
		○ Government	_____
		Unfunded budget:	
		In-kind Contributions	

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