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Country: Bahamas

UNDAF Outcome(s)/Indicator(s):

(Link to UNDAF outcome. If no UNDAF, leave blank)

Outcome: Stronger Environmental Management systems with improved level natural disaster preparedness.

Indicator: Island strategies for conservation including policy and advocacy. Supporting Education programmes

Outcome: Digital divide reduced through technology development.

Indicator: Appropriate technology identified

Expected Outcome(s)/Indicator (s):

(CP outcomes linked to the SRF/MYFF goal and service line)

- Framework and strategy for sustainable development - Conservation plans; Service line 3.1
- Effective water governance - Effective management of water resources; Service line 3.2
- Access to sustainable energy - Removal of barriers to renewable energy; Service line 3.3

Implementing partner: Ministry of Energy and Environment

(designated institution/Executing agency)

Other Partners:

(formerly implementing agencies)

Programme Period: 2006-2008
Programme Component: _____
Project Title: PIMS #3212 CC EA SNC of The Bahamas
Project ID: 00038415
Project Duration: 3 years
Management Arrangement: NEX

Budget \$405,000
General Management Support Fee _____
Total budget: \$405,000
Allocated resources: _____
• Government _____
• Regular _____
• Other: _____
 ○ Donor _____
 ○ Donor _____
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• In kind contributions _____
Unfunded budget: _____

Agreed by (Government): [Signature]
Agreed by (Implementing partner/Executing agency): [Signature]
Agreed by (UNDP): [Signature]

UNDP Project Document

Government of the Commonwealth of The Bahamas

United Nations Development Programme

ENABLING ACTIVITIES FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE BAHAMAS' SECOND NATIONAL COMMUNICATION TO THE UNFCCC

PIMS 3212 CC EA SNC Bahamas

Brief Description

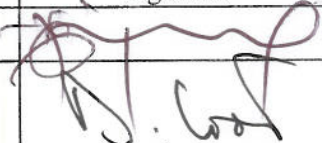
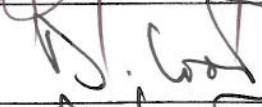

The project will enable The Bahamas to prepare its Second National Communication (SNC) for presentation to the Conference of the Parties of the United Nation Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). The Second National Communication project activities will build on and continue the work done under the First National Communication (FNC). The main components of the SNC project are: (a) assessment of potential impacts of climate change on the most vulnerable sectors, (b) preparation of an inventory of GHG in accordance with the UNFCCC, (c) identification of mitigation measures being undertaken, (d) identification of other information relevant to implementation of the UNFCCC, and preparation of a National Strategy and Action Plan to address climate change and its adverse impacts. Under the Bahamas Environment, Science and Technology (BEST) Commission that serves as the national climate change office, the Project will strengthen the national capacities for addressing climate change and for fulfilling commitments and obligations to the UNFCCC. It is anticipated that the project will increase the public's knowledge and awareness of climate change. The development of a national policy will also contribute to putting climate change issues into the national planning and development mechanisms.

Expected Start Date: June 2006

Expected End Date: April 2009

Total GEF Budget: US\$405,000

Executing Agency: Bahamas Environment Science and Technology

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