

Regional Bureau for Arab States **Project Document** Water Governance Programme for Arab States

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Project ID:

Start Date:

3rd Quarter 2008

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2013

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Virtual PAC (10 Jan08)

Total Budget

10,402,325

Allocated resources:

Government

Regular

1,400,000

Other:

Coca Cola

2,100,931.60.

Unfunded budget:

6,901,393.40

Parallel GEF funding

1,000,000

On behalf of

Signature

Date

Name/Title

Government of:

The Hashemite Kingdon

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