Brief Description: Climate Vulnerable Forum Support (Updated: March 2016)

In line with UNDP's 2014-2017 Strategic Plan, this global project supports developing countries vulnerable to the effects of a warming planet to collaborate to more effectively address climate change at international and national levels. This will be accomplished by supporting South-South cooperation among states participating in the Climate Vulnerable Forum (CVF). The CVF Support project will provide institutional assistance, including secretariat, communications and resource mobilization support, to the Forum and to the CVF ministries of finance cooperating in the context of the Vulnerable Twenty Group (V20), established in October 2015. In addition, the project provides implementation support for activities outlined in the 2016-2018 CVF Roadmap and the V20's 2020 Action Plan in the areas of South-South cooperation, advocacy, international cooperation and research and analysis, including as foreseen in the CVF Trust Fund work plan.

In alignment with UNDP, CVF and V20 priorities, the project seeks to empower CVF and V20 participating governments and their representatives to collectively make a greater contribution towards the creation/development and implementation of more effective international and national climate change policies that strive for consistency with the 1.5°C long term temperature goal of the UNFCCC Paris Agreement and leverage maximum cobenefits of adaptation and mitigation towards transformational development solutions and change.

The extension of the UNDP global support project is guided by High-Level and Senior Official meetings of the CVF and V20 in 2015 leading to the Manila-Paris decisions of the Forum (Manila-Paris Declaration and 2016-2018 Road Map) and the V20 Lima decisions (V20 Design Document, founding Communique and 2020 Action Plan). From the initial project phase of 2013-2016, the project is extended by 2 years, from 2016-2018, in order to see through implementation of the CVF Road Map and initial phase of the V20 Action Plan.

Programme Period:	2013-2018  n): Climate Change; South-South Cooperation 00075932 October 2013 March 2018 September 2013 Direct Implementation	Total Resources Required: Total allocated resources: Regular:	\$5'912'523.00
Key Result Area (Strategic Plan):			\$0.00
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