# Annual Work Plan 2014 Cover Page

Country: Nigeria

## **Narrative Summary**

The objective of the project is to continue to strengthen the functioning of National Ozone Office, as the focal point for all matters relating to the phase-out of Ozone-depleting substances under the Montreal Protocol. Under Phase VII, work will continue on the follow up and implementation of legal and other measures and also most importantly the finalization of the country programme implementation of the HCFC phase-out plan.

Programme Period:

2014

Programme Title:

Institutional Strengthening

Phase VII

Project Number (Atlas): 00086252

**Project Code:** 

NIR-SEV-68-INS-134

**Duration:** 

2 Yrs

Estimated annualized budget:	\$145	,000.00
Allocated resources (Total):	\$145	,000.00
<ul> <li>Government</li> </ul>	\$	0.00
<ul><li>Regular</li><li>Other:</li></ul>	\$	0.00
<ul> <li>Donor</li> </ul>	\$	0.00
Unfunded budget:	\$	0.00

Agreed by Implementing Partner:

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Agreed by UNDP:

Pa Lamin Beyai, Country Director

#### PROJECT SUMMARY

## **Brief Description**

Nigeria is a Party to the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer and its Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer. The Country is operating as an article 5 (Developing Country) party to the protocol, and therefore qualifies for assistance under the MLF financial mechanism.

The Institutional Strengthening (IS) project is designed to assist the developing countries meet their obligations under the Montreal Protocol to continue to strengthen the functioning of National Ozone Offices (NOOs), as the Focal Points for all matters relating to the phase-out of ODS under the Montreal Protocol (MP) in the various countries. It is therefore to continue with the phase-out of ODS and sustain compliance with the Montreal Protocol's ODS phase-out schedule and other requirements of the protocol. The detailed objectives are as follows:

- To assist the NOO for effective implementation and monitoring of phase-out of ODS in all sector of the Nigerian Economy;
- To strengthen ODS import control mechanism and collaboration with relevant chemical enforcement agencies to prevent illegal importation of ODS;
- To increase awareness on ODS phase-out activities nationwide.

## Key Challenges

In keeping with Montreal Protocol's stepwise reduction for subsequent phase-out of HCFCs, the main challenges are as follows:

- Continued awareness and sensitization of all stakeholders;
- Effective coordination of relevant agencies for the control of import of ODS;
- Continued compliance by relevant enterprises in the refrigeration servicing sector with recommended good refrigeration practices.

### **Lessons Learnt**

The following are lessons learnt;

- Institutional strengthening provision is a key factor in enabling Article 5 countries to comply with Montreal Protocol provision;
- Continuous monitoring of ODS phase-out projects is necessary to sustain compliance;
- Need for regular sensitization and awareness activities.

## Priorities for 2014

- Adoption/Implementation of ODS legislation and regulation to control and monitor ODS consumption:
  - Reviewed and Update of ODS Regulation
- 2. Efficient and Timely Data Collection and Reporting:
  - Visit to ODS Point of entry (sea Ports);
  - · Meeting with customs official on generated data;
  - Meeting with NAFDAC on permit issues for the reviewed year.
- 3. Consultation and Coordination with other chemical enforcement Agencies:
  - Organizing of Stakeholders meetings;
  - Verification of ODS stocks in various enterprises;
  - Visit to stakeholders offices
- Supervision and timely implementation of phase-out activities and reduction in ODS consumption.
  - Monitoring and evaluation tool kit developed;
  - Monitoring visits to project sites.
- 5. Awareness Raising and information gathering
  - Increasing public awareness activities on Montreal Protocol's ODS phase-out in Nigeria;
  - International Day for the preservation of the Ozone Layer celebration (Ozone Day)
  - Continuation of Secondary School students outreach programme.
- 6. Regional Cooperation and participation at the Montreal Protocol's meetings
  - Attending and participation at all the Montreal Protocol's statutory meetings

resources, a reformed regulatory framework aligned with Nigeria's international commitments, enforced at Federal, State and local levels by strengthened institutions, private sector and population that are environmentally conscious and taking action towards environmental sustainability. UNDAF OUTCOME: By 2017 Nigeria's environmental vulnerability to negative effects of economic activities, urbanization and climate change is reduced through the efficient use of natural

UNDAF OUTPUT: A comprehensive national regulatory framework is developed in line with ratified international protocols and its implementation supported for the sustainable management of Nigeria's natural resources including land, water, air, oil, biodiversity, natural habitats and extractive industries.

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Agency Results:	Planned Activity	Ē	Time Frame		Responsible		Budget	it.		Progress Towards Results
		5	Q2 Q3	\$	Party	Funding Source	Budget Description	Amt	Exp.	Status of progress to target contribution to country
Agency Result 1: Adoption/Implementation of ODS legislation and regulation to control and monitor ODS consumption Indicator: # of officials trained. Baseline: Customs capacity on ODS controls still low. Target: (a). ODS Legislation presented at National Assembly (b). Capacity of Custom Officers developed	Customs training on Coordination of ODS import control mechanisms conducted	×	×	×	Ozone Office	AP.		25000		programme outcome
Agency Result 2 Efficient and Timely Data Collection and reporting Indicator: Data system in place Baseline: Required skills for ODS monitoring low Target: 90% of officers of the Ozone Unit capacity developed	Capacity Needs Assessment of NOO conducted		×	×	Ozone Office	MP		15000		

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					1			meetings for fruitful deliberation for Ozone Office.	Baseline: Targets: At least 2 participations at global meetings
	15000	MP	Ozone Office		×	×	<b>F</b>	Organize training meeting and Capacity Development for participation at the Regional Conneration	Agency Result 6: Regional Cooperation and Participation to Montreal Protocol Meetings Indicator:
74	15000	MP	Ozone Office		×	×	×	Awareness Strategy Document Produced	Baseline: Awareness very low Target: Awareness Strategy Document Developed
	30000	M <sub>P</sub>	Ozone Office		×			Public Awareness Activities conducted	Agency Results 5: Awareness Raising and Information Gathering Indicator: Level of awareness
	10000	MP	Ozone Office	×	×	×	×	Monitoring visits to project sites	Baseline: Outdated toolkit Target: New toolkit developed according to international best practices for monitoring ODS
	20000	MP	Ozone Office	×	×	×		Monitoring and Evaluation Toolkit Developed.	Agency Result 4: Supervision and Timely Implementation of Phase-Out activities and reduction in ODS Consumption
					Para-complexate the master				Indicator: coordination platform for ODS interventions  Baseline: 0  Target: Platform for knowledge sharing developed
	15000	M₽	Ozone Office	×	×	×	×	Organize meetings with Stakeholders	Agency Result 3: Coordination/Mechanism in place for ODS phase out at Federal Levels