

2 November 2009

Dear Mr. Frandzen,

I am pleased to inform you that the BCPR Project Appraisal Committee (BPAC) approved the allocation of a total amount of USD2,510,000 in support of the project "Advanced Planning for Early Recovery". Funding will be made available from the early recovery window of the Thematic Trust Fund for Crisis Prevention and Recovery (Atlas Fund code 26941; Donor code 00012).

In accordance with our resource management guidelines, you are kindly requested to submit a signed project document, including the Annual Work Plan (AWP), within the next ninety (90) days. BCPR will then establish the authorized spending limit (ASL) in Atlas accordingly. Please ensure that electronic copies of the signed project document, as well as quarterly progress reports, are uploaded into Atlas.

If a signed project document is not received within 90 days, funds will revert back to the original fund.

Please do not hesitate to contact your BCPR regional team (<u>bcpr.arab@undp.org</u>), led by Mr. George Khoury, for any additional support you might require. We look forward to working with you and your team in supporting your office on crisis prevention and recovery.

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