

The Annual Work Plan (AWP) Monitoring Tool – Mid-year report

Year: 2012

UNDAF Outcome: *By 2015, the system of environmentally sustainable economic management expands people's opportunities to participate in social and economic development, especially in rural areas*

CP Outcome: *Men and women of all social groups effectively contribute to the country's development policy and implementation processes to achieve inclusive growth and social equality*

Project title: *Capacity Building Support for the Government of Turkmenistan on SMEs Development*

Implementing Agency: UNDP

EXPECTED CP OUTPUTS AND INDICATORS INCLUDING ANNUAL TARGETS	PLANNED ACTIVITIES <i>List all the activities including monitoring and evaluation activities to be undertaken during the year towards stated CP outputs</i>	EXPENDITURES <i>List actual expenditures against activities completed</i>	RESULTS OF ACTIVITIES <i>For each activity, state the results of the activity</i>	PROGRESS TOWARDS ACHIEVING CP OUTPUTS Using data on annual indicator targets, state progress towards achieving the CP outputs. Where relevant, comment on factors that facilitated and/or constrained achievement of results including: - <i>Whether risks and assumptions as identified in the CP M&E Framework materialized or whether new risks emerged</i> - <i>Internal factors such as timing of inputs and activities, quality of products and services, coordination and/or other management issues</i>
OUTPUT: Private sector enjoys favorable environment for market development INDICATORS - Map out the current SMEs sector in Turkmenistan; - Review existing draft State Programme of Development and Support	Arrange participation of Turkmen women entrepreneurs in workshop on support systems in small businesses at national and local levels.	US\$ 7,518.31	Five Turkmen women entrepreneurs, members of Union of Entrepreneurs of Turkmenistan have improved their business skills in international workshop "Support systems for women in small businesses at national and local level" which took place from 24 April to 10 May 2012 in Haifa, Israel.	The theoretical part of the course included sessions on introduction to entrepreneurship, support of small and medium entrepreneurship in Israel, including business incubator technology and understanding how to apply these ideas in practice, discussion of the position of women entrepreneurs in global change and to share best practice in this area. Turkmen delegates were familiarized with experience on how to start, organize and manage a small private enterprise, consider ways of strengthening institutional resources. As a result of the workshop, the members of the Union of

to Entrepreneurship and provide recommendations	Organize tailor made workshop for Turkmen women entrepreneurs on "Development of entrepreneurship for women's empowerment"	\$ 18,369.58	Twenty five Turkmen women entrepreneurs participated in tailor made workshop "Development of entrepreneurship for women's empowerment" which took place on 13-30 August 2012 in Haifa, Israel.	Entrepreneurs of Turkmenistan shared the knowledge and skills gained with other small and medium entrepreneurs during the round table.
			UNDP specifically targeted women entrepreneurs as well as women-members of the Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs of Turkmenistan by exposing them to experiences of other countries and building their skills in business development and preparation of business plans. UNDP particularly facilitated the access to knowledge and experience in development of private sector, which allowed some of the trainees to expand or revise their businesses, and to introduce new concepts.	Throughout the course, Turkmen women entrepreneurs worked to create their business plans to help improve their businesses back home. They also discussed the ideas for establishment of new businesses. Final business plans were discussed among the seminar participants and lecturers, who gave practical recommendations for implementation of the proposed businesses plans.
Total		US\$ 25,887.89		



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