

## CONCEPT NOTE

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| <b>Project Title</b> | Support to the implementation of Trinidad and Tobago’s Nationally Determined Contribution  |
| <b>Objectives</b>    | The overall objective of the initiative is to increase availability and use of energy from renewable sources and efficiency levels in the consumption of energy.   |
| <b>Background</b>    | <p>The action is designed to assist Trinidad and Tobago in the achievement of its commitments to the global community under the UNFCCC/Paris Agreement as laid down in its Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) as well as in the achievement of its national policy target of 10% of total electricity generated from renewable energy sources by 2021. Specifically, the action aims at an increased availability and use of energy from renewable sources and at increased efficiency levels in the consumption of energy. To these ends, the action will (1) facilitate the installation of solar energy systems: small scale systems in public utilities and remote communities (2) provide technical assistance for the operationalisation of the new, RE/EE–conducive policy and regulatory framework; and (3) support the design and implementation of a public awareness raising campaign on energy efficiency, on correct pricing of energy and on the benefits of using renewable energy.</p> <p>Expected direct benefits are significant with a large percentage of the total population in Trinidad &amp; Tobago benefiting from the use of renewable energy resources and increased energy efficiency. The project will also strengthen institutional and community capacities for sustaining project results. With increased awareness on RE and EE, it is expected that many households will be able to implement RE/EE measures using their own unaided expertise and fin capacity even after the EU-UNDP supported project ends.</p> <p>These funds are targeted at supporting the design and launch of the project. The day-to-day technical and financial monitoring of the implementation of this action will be a continuous process and part of UNDP’s responsibilities. UNDP is also required to recruit an expert in renewable energy to draft a project document for the GCCA+ project. This expert will be supported by the team in the UNDP Trinidad and Tobago Country Office. This is a relatively big project for the CO (2.4</p> |

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
|                              | million EUR) and an investment of USD 25,000 is considered good value for money.   |
| <b>Project Components</b>    | Drafting of a project document that meets the requirement and expectation of all key stakeholder in Trinidad and Tobago  |
| <b>Expected Results</b>      | Project document drafted   |
| <b>Budget (USD)</b>          | <p><b>Total: USD 25,000</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consultant fee: USD 13,000</li> <li>• International travel: USD 5,000</li> <li>• Stakeholder consultations: USD 5,000</li> <li>• Domestic travel: USD 2,000</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Implementing Agency</b>   | <p><b>United Nations Development Programme</b><br/> Ms Rosemary Lall<br/> Programme Officer – Energy, Environment and Disaster Management<br/> Trinidad and Tobago, Suriname, Aruba, Curaçao and Sint Maarten<br/> UN House, 3A Chancery Lane<br/> Port-of-Spain, Trinidad and Tobago<br/> Telephone: +1(868)623-1826/7056<br/> Fax: +1(868)623-1658<br/> Website: www.tt.undp.org</p>   |
| <b>Implementing Partners</b> | <p><b>Ministry of Energy and Energy Industries (MEEI)</b><br/> Levels 15 &amp; 22-26, Energy Tower,<br/> International Waterfront Centre<br/> #1 Wrightson Road<br/> Port of Spain<br/> The Republic of Trinidad and Tobago<br/> Tel : 868 225- 4EEI (4334)<br/> Fax: 868 – 225- 5764<br/> Email: info@energy.gov.tt</p> <p><b>Ministry of Planning and Development (MPD)</b><br/> Level 17, Tower D,<br/> International Waterfront Centre<br/> #1 Wrightson Road<br/> Port of Spain</p> |

|  |  |
|--|--|
|  | <p>The Republic of Trinidad and Tobago</p> <p><b>European Union</b><br/>Sagicor Financial Centre, Queen's Park West 16, Port of Spain<br/>Trinidad</p> |
|--|--|