Deep Dive Session] Virtual Inception Workshop on

Adaptation Fund Climate Innovation Accelerator

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Programme IT platform

- A tool to promote the AFCIA and facilitate knowledge sharing among stakeholders and countries

- Translation to 6 UN languages (based on Google translate)

- Access to the AFCIA landing page through the CTCN website
  - **(Option 1)** Direct link to the AFCIA landing page
  - **(Option 2)** Tool bar ‘Technical Assistance’ - ‘AFCIA’

Please visit the CTCN website: https://www.ctc-n.org
AFCIA landing page

- Entrance of the AFCIA administrated by UNEP-CTCN & UNDP

- **Function 1** Access to the webpages of the AFCIA (UNEP-CTCN & UNDP) by clicking on the buttons

- **Function 2** Provision of informative/impressive indicators of the AFCIA

- **Function 3** Provision of general information of the AFCIA
  - Response to common questions related to the operation of the AFCIA administrated by each entity

- **Function 4** Provision of the deliverables (e.g. publications and data) from micro-grants projects

- **Function 5** Provision of the news related to the AFCIA
Access to the AFCIA webpage via the landing pages administrated by UNEP-CTCN and UNDP

(Function 1) Provision of the detailed information on the AFCIA administrated by UNEP-CTCN
  - Adaptation innovation and associated sectors
  - Eligible countries participating in the AFCIA
  - Management and operation of the AFCIA including draft timeline of the AFCIA
  - Frequently asked questions (FAQs) of the AFCIA

(Function 2) Provision of the application template (language: English, Spanish and French)

(Function 3) Submission of the application (online)
Guide for application process to the programme
Procedure of the application submission

[Step 1] Development of application (technology concept)

[Step 2] Endorsement from national focal points

[Step 3] Submission of application (online)
[Step 1] Development of application

- Download of the application template via the AFCIA webpage
  
  < Main sections in the application template >
  - Geographical scope
  - Problem statement related to climate change
  - Past and on-going efforts to address the problem
  - Specific technology barriers
  - Sectors
  - Technology concept requested
  - Expected timeframe
  - Anticipated gender and other co-benefits from the technology concept
  - Key stakeholders

- Development of the application in close consultation with its national focal points to the CTCN and the Adaptation Fund
  - It is acceptable to develop an application in which multiple countries engage.
[Step 2] Endorsement from national focal points

- **(Endorsement 1)** National focal point to the Adaptation Fund
  - The following needs to be confirmed by the **Designated Authority** of the country prior to official submission.

  "The Designated Authority of the country has been engaged in the design of the technology concept and will be involved in the further process leading to the implementation of the micro-grants project."

- **(Endorsement 2)** National focal point to the CTCN
  - The application should be signed by the **National Designated Entity (NDE)** of the country prior to official submission.

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**Find the national focal points of your country through links as below:**

- **NDE**: [http://unfccc.int/ttclear/support/national-designated-entity.html](http://unfccc.int/ttclear/support/national-designated-entity.html)
- **Designated Authority**: [https://www.adaptation-fund.org/apply-funding/designated-authorities/](https://www.adaptation-fund.org/apply-funding/designated-authorities/)
[Step 3] Submission of application

- Submission of the application endorsed by the national focal points via the AFCIA webpage

- Provision of basic information online
  - Title of the technology concept
  - Sectors
  - Contact details (Click on “Add additional country details” if more than 2 countries engage in the application)

- Upload of the application and clicking on “Submit” button
Upcoming schedule of the AFCIA

- Launch of the programme IT platform: Early November 2020

- First call for submission of the technology concept (application): Early November 2020

- Virtual joint launch event of the AFCIA: 18th November 2020 (tentative)
  - The event will be organised together with UNDP and the Adaptation Fund
Thank you

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