

UNEP GEF PIR Fiscal Year 2023

Reporting from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023

1. PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

1.1. Project details

		GEF ID.: 10428	Umoja WBS: SB-016241	
Identification Table		SMA IPMR ID: 43944	Grant ID: S1-32GFL-000754	
		Project Short Title: CBIT Mauritania		
Project Title		Strengthening Mauritania's nation and ambitious climate reporting	nal capacity for transparency	
Duration months	Planned	36 months		
Duration months	Age	0 month		
Project Type		Medium Size Project		
Parent Programme	if child project	N/A		
Project Scope		National		
Region		Africa		
Countries		Mauritania		
GEF Focal Area(s)		Climate Change Mitigation		
GEF financing amo	unt	US \$ 1,102,200		
Co-financing amount		US \$ 161,450		
Date of CEO Endor		19 November 2021		
UNEP Project Approval Date (on Decision Sheet)		1 June 2022		
Start of Implementation (PCA entering into force)		6 July 2022		
Date of Inception W available	/orkshop, if	Not available yet		
Date of First Disbur	sement	15 September 2022		
Total disbursement	as of 30 June 2023	US \$ 200,000		
Total expenditure a	s of 30 June 2023	US \$ 0		
Midterm undertaker	י?	No		
Actual Mid-Term Date, if taken		N/A		
Expected Mid-Term Date, if not taken		N/A		
Completion Date	Planned – original PCA	31 August 2025		
Completion Date	Revised – Current PCA	N/A		
Expected Terminal	Evaluation Date	28 February 2026		
Expected Financial	Closure Date	31 August 2026		



1.2. Project description

Project objective: Strengthen Mauritania's capacities in climate transparency, according to the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF) under the Paris Agreement and thereby achieve its sustainable low-carbon development goals.

Component 1: Strengthening Mauritania's capacity to collect and process climate change data into useful information for policy-making and reporting to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC).

Expected Outcome: Mauritania improves its Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) system and institutional capacity to comply with the Enhanced Transparency Framework.

Executing Agency: Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development (MEDD)

Division(s) Implementing the project	Industry and Economy Division
Name of co-implementing Agency	N/A
Executing Agency(ies)	Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development (MEDD)
Names of Other Project Partners	N/A
UNEP Portfolio Manager(s)	Geordie Colville
UNEP Task Manager(s)	Julien Lheureux
UNEP Budget/Finance Officer	Fatma Twahir
UNEP Support/Assistants	Hassan Coulibaly
EA Manager/Representative	Sidi Mohamed El Wavi
EA Project Manager	Not hired yet
EA Finance Manager	Cheikh Ahmed EL Heiba Mohamed Saad Bouh
EA Communications Lead, if relevant	N/A

1.3. Project Contacts



2. OVERVIEW OF PROJECT STATUS

2.1 UNEP PoW and UN

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UNEP Current Subprogramme(s)	<u>Climate stability:</u> Countries increasingly transition to low- emission economic development pathways and enhance their adaptation and resilience to climate change.
PoW Indicator(s)	Indicator (iii) Number of national, subnational and private sector actors reporting under the enhanced transparency arrangements of the Paris Agreement with UNEP support
UNEP previous Subprogramme(s)	N/A
UNSDCF / UNDAF linkages	The United Nations Development Assistance Framework signed with Mauritania for the period 2018-2022 rests on three pillars, namely (i) Promoting strong, sustainable and inclusive growth, (ii) The human capital and basic social services and (iii) Strengthening governance in all its dimensions. The CBIT project will contribute to all three pillars.
Link to relevant SDG Goal(s)	SDG5 - Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls SDG13 - Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts
Link to relevant SDG Target(s)	 5.5 Ensure women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic and public life 13.1 Strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity to climate-related hazards and natural disasters in all countries. 13.2 Integrate climate change measures into national policies, strategies and planning. 13.3 Improve education, awareness- raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction and early warning. 13.b Promote mechanisms for raising capacity for effective climate change-related planning and management in least developed countries, including focusing on women, youth and local and marginalized communities.

2.2. GEF Core Indicators

la dia stano	Targe	ets – Expected		
Indicators	Mid-term	End-of- project	Total target	Materialized to date
Number of direct beneficiaries disaggregated by gender as co-benefit of GEF investment	N/A	Women: 42 Men: 78 Total: 120	Women: 42 Men: 78 Total: 120	Project has not start implementation yet.

2.3. Implementation Status and Risk

	FY 2023	FY 20	FY 20	FY 20	FY 20
PIR #	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	
Rating towards outcomes (DO) (section 3.1)	Not rated				
Rating towards outputs (IP) (section 3.2)	U				
Risk rating (section 4.2)	S				



Rating towards outcomes:

Given that the project has not started implementation yet, it is not possible to assess the project's progress towards achieving the expected outcome. This is therefore **Not Rated**.

Rating towards outputs:

Following the signature of the Project Cooperation Agreement between UNEP and the Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development (MEDD) in July of 2022, the project activities were originally planned to be started in September, with the recruitment of a Project Manager. The MEDD prepared TORs for a Project Manager in October 2022 and a call for applications was issued in November 2022. A selection committee from the MEDD reviewed the different applications and prepared a report with a shortlist of candidates which was shared with UNEP in March 2023. Ever since, and despite several attempts by UNEP to follow up, the MEDD did not conclude the recruitment process of the Project Manager. Mauritania has also undergone parliamentary elections in May 2023, which may have been an additional source of disruption in the process. Nearly 12 months after the signature of the legal agreement between UNEP and MEDD, project implementation has not yet started.

Based on the situation described above, the project's implementation progress is rated as Unsatisfactory.

Overall risk rating:

Based on the situation described above, it is unclear whether the problem is related to a loss of interest of MEDD in the CBIT project, or whether MEDD is facing internal capacity issues to hire a Project Manager and to execute the project. Given these challenges, the project is currently rated at **Significant** risk. Section 4 (see further down) of the PIR provides a suggestion of action plan to overcome these challenges.

[section will be uploaded into the GEF Portal]

2.4. Co-financing

Planned Co-finance: Total: US\$ 161,450 Actual to date:	Project has not started yet. No co-finance mobilized yet.
US\$ 0	
Progress	Project has not started yet. No co-finance mobilized yet.

2.5. Stakeholder engagement

Date of project steering committee meeting	No PSC meeting organized yet.
Stakeholder	Project has not started yet.
engagement	[section will be uploaded into the GEF Portal]

2.6. Gender

Does the project have a gender action plan?	Yes



Gender mainstreaming	Project has not started yet.
	[section will be uploaded into the GEF Portal]

2.7. Environmental and social safeguards management

Moderate/High risk projects (in terms of Environmental and social safeguards)	Was the project classified as moderate/high risk CEO Endorsement/Approval Stage? No If yes, what specific safeguard risks were identified in the SRIF/ESERN? N/A
New social and/or environmental risks	Have any new social and/or environmental risks been identified during the reporting period? No
Complaints and grievances related to social and/or environmental impacts (to be filled in by TM and EA)	Has the project received complaints related to social and/or environmental impacts (actual or potential) during the reporting period? No
Environmental and social safeguards management	This project was rated at "Low" safeguard risk category as it mainly focuses on normative issues, i.e., institutional capacity building toward improved GHG inventories and reporting on NDC, so the government meets the transparency requirements on the climate change commitments and reports the progress in a reliable manner. [section will be uploaded into the GEF Portal]

2.8. Knowledge management

Knowledge activities and products	Project has not started yet.
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Main learning during the period	N/A

2.9. Stories to be shared

Stories to be shared	N/A
	[section to be shared with communication division/ GEF communication]



3. PROJECT PERFORMANCE AND RISK

Based on inputs by the Project Manager, the UNEP Task Manager will make an overall assessment and provide ratings of:

- (i) Progress towards achieving the project Results(s)- see section 3.1
- (ii) Implementation progress see section 3.2

3.1 Rating of progress towards achieving the project outcomes (Development Objectives)

Project objective and Outcomes	Indicator	Baseline level	End-of-project target	Progress as of current period ¹	Summary by the EA of attainment of the indicator & target as of 30 June 2023	Progress rating ²
Objective: Strengthen Mauritania's capacities in climate transparency, according to the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF) under the Paris Agreement and thereby achieve its sustainable low- carbon development goals	Indicator A: # of institutions that have the capacity (institutional, technical, and human capacities) to collect and process climate change data into useful information for policymaking and reporting to the UNFCCC under an enhanced transparency framework	Baseline A: 0	End-of-project target A: 8 institutions listed below are able to collect and process climate information for decision making and reporting: MEDD, Ministry of Petroleum, Energy and Mining, Ministry of Rural Development (Agriculture and livestock), Ministry of Equipment and Transport, Ministry of Social Affairs, Childhood and the Family, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Economy and Industry	0	Project has not started yet.	Not rated
	Indicator B: Qualitative assessment of institutional capacity for transparency-related activities Based on the GEF 1-4 rating scale, outlined in Annex III of the CBIT's Programming Directions**	Baseline B: Rating: 2	End-of-project target B: Rating: 4 (+2)	2	Project has not started yet.	Not rated

¹ Numeric, percentage, or binary entry only

² Use GEF Secretariat required six-point scale system: Highly Satisfactory (HS), Satisfactory (S), Marginally Satisfactory (MS), Marginally Unsatisfactory (MU), Unsatisfactory (U), and Highly Unsatisfactory (HU).



Project objective and Outcomes	Indicator	Baseline level	End-of-project target	Progress as of current period ¹	Summary by the EA of attainment of the indicator & target as of 30 June 2023	Progress rating ²
	Indicator C: Number of direct beneficiaries disaggregated by gender as co-benefit of GEF investment (GEF Core Indicator 11)	Baseline C: 0	End-of-project target C: 42 women 78 men (120 in total)	0	Project has not started yet.	Not rated
Outcome 1.1: Mauritania improves its Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) system and institutional capacity to comply with the Enhanced Transparency Framework	Indicator 1.1: Qualitative rating of the national GHG inventory reporting in its ability to track GHG emission from the key sectors Based on the GEF 1-10 rating scale, outlined in Annex III of the CBIT's Programming Directions**	Baseline 1.1: Rating: 3	End-of-project target 1.1: Rating: 6 (+3)	3	Project has not started yet.	Not rated
	Indicator 1.2: Number of stakeholders (sectoral focal points), using training and tools provided to elaborate climate change policies and reports on NDC activities required by UNFCCC in line with PA requirements	Baseline 1.2: 0	End-of-project target 1.2: 26, of which 17 men and 9 women	0	Project has not started yet.	Not rated



3.2 Rating of progress implementation towards delivery of outputs (Implementation Progress)

Outputs/Deliverables ³	Expected completion date⁴	Implementation status as of 30 June 2022 (%)	Implementation status as of 30 June 2023 (%)	Progress rating justification⁵, description of challenges faced and explanations for any delay	Progress rating
				hange data into useful information for policy-making	and
reporting to the United Nations Framework C	onvention on	Climate Char	ige (UNFCCC)		1
Output 1.1: National institutions strengthened to coordinate, manage and report transparently on implemented climate change activities	31 August 2023	0%	0%	Project not started yet	U
Deliverable 1.1.1 : One assessment report by the senior expert on institutional and technical gaps and barriers on the MRV thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation inclusive of gender considerations in climate reporting.	31 January 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.2: One stakeholder consultation report from national expert supporting the senior expert on assessment of institutional and technical gaps and barriers, one each on the MRV thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation inclusive of gender considerations in climate reporting.	31 January 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.3: One consolidated final assessment report based on validation workshop results, on the MRV thematic areas of GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation inclusive of gender considerations in climate reporting.	28 February 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.4: Draft proposal on institutional arrangements and formal legal frameworks, for the thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation, including support received and needed for the 5 NDC themes.	31 May 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.5: Reports on stakeholder consultations to inform the draft proposal on institutional arrangements and formal legal frameworks, one each for the thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation, including support received and needed for the above 5 NDC themes.	30 April 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.6: Draft proposals on gender integration in the institutional arrangements and formal legal frameworks, one each for the thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation, including support received and needed for the above 5 NDC themes.	31 May 2023	0%	0%		U

³ Outputs and activities (or deliverables) as described in the project logframe (and workplan) or in any updated project revision.

 ⁴ The completion dates should be as per latest workplan (latest project revision).
 ⁵ As much as possible, describe in terms of immediate gains to target groups, e.g. access to project deliverables, participation in receiving services; gains in knowledge, etc.



Outputs/Deliverables ³	Expected completion date ⁴	Implementation status as of 30 June 2022 (%)	Implementation status as of 30 June 2023 (%)	Progress rating justification⁵, description of challenges faced and explanations for any delay	Progress rating
Deliverable 1.1.7: Final institutional arrangements and legal frameworks, including gender integration, validated during a stakeholder workshop, submitted to Government for adoption.	30 June 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.8: Draft proposal on establishment of Modalities, Procedures and Guidelines prepared and shared with stakeholders, for the thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation, including support received and needed	31 July 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.9: Stakeholder consultation reports to inform the draft proposal on establishment of Modalities, Procedures and Guidelines, for the thematic areas GHG inventory, mitigation and adaptation, including support received and needed	30 June 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.1.10: Final Modalities, Procedures and Guidelines, validated during a stakeholder workshop, submitted to Government for adoption	31 August 2023	0%	0%		U
Output 1.2: Technical support, training and tools provided to the country to submit transparent, consistent, comparable, complete and accurate greenhouse gas (GHG) inventories	31 March 2024	0%	0%	Project not started yet	U
Deliverable 1.2.1: Drafts of adapted tools and templates, and protocols for the 4 IPCC sectors Energy, IPPU, AFOLU and Waste	31 October 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.2.2: Collected activity data and information such as plant specifications and process technologies reflecting national circumstances for activity areas submitted to international consultant for adapting tools, templates and protocols for the 4 IPCC sectors	31October 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.2.3: Final adapted tools, templates and protocols for the 4 IPCC sectors after validation during a workshop with sectoral actors	30 November 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.2.4: Training workshop reports on the use of the final version of adapted tools and templates, and protocols for the 4 IPCC sectors.	31 December 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.2.5: Functional centralized data sharing platform	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.6: Training workshop report, including materials on how to use the centralized data sharing platform for GHG inventories	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.7: Assessment reports on data needs and methodologies for developing country specific emission factors, one each for the livestock and land categories, including land cover maps and land use change by area between the 6 IPCC land classes of the country.	31 December 2023	0%	0%		MU



Outputs/Deliverables ³	Expected completion date ⁴	Implementation status as of 30 June 2022 (%)	Implementation status as of 30 June 2023 (%)	Progress rating justification⁵, description of challenges faced and explanations for any delay	Progress rating
Deliverable 1.2.8: Data and information for developing country specific stock and emission factors on livestock (cattle and / camels) population for the country, and LULUCF, land cover maps and land use change by area between the 6 IPCC land classes of the country.	31 December 2023	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.9: Validation workshop report on data collected and methodologies for developing national stock and emission factors for livestock and land sectors, including land cover maps and land use change by area between the 6 IPCC land classes of the country.	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.10: Training workshop reports on developing national stock and emission factors for the livestock, LULUCF and use of GIS technology for tracking land use changes and determine livestock population	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.11: Training materials and training workshop reports on MRV GHG emissions, including an improvement plan (based on IPCC 2006 Guidelines) for the 4 IPCC sectors	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.2.12: Share lessons learned and good practices on the development of MRV emissions on the CBIT Coordination platform	31 March 2024	0%	0%		MU
Output 1.3: Technical support, training and tools provided to the country to track Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) on Mitigation, Adaptation & Vulnerability and support needed and received	31 August 2025	0%	0%	Project not started yet	MU
Deliverable 1.3.1: Draft templates and guidelines developed and shared with stakeholders for tracking NDC mitigation and adaptation actions including support received and needed	31 October 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.3.2: Stakeholder consultation reports on data and information required to develop templates and guidelines for tracking NDC mitigation and adaptation actions including support received and needed	30 November 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.3.3: Final templates and guidelines post validation workshop on data and information required for tracking NDC mitigation and adaptation actions including support received and needed	30 November 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.3.4: Training workshop reports on the use of templates and guidelines on data and information required for tracking NDC mitigation and adaptation actions including support received and needed	31 December 2023	0%	0%		U
Deliverable 1.3.5: Report post integration of NDC mitigation and adaptation templates and guidelines in the data sharing network.	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU



Outputs/Deliverables ³	Expected completion date⁴	Implementation status as of 30 June 2022 (%)	Implementation status as of 30 June 2023 (%)	Progress rating justification⁵, description of challenges faced and explanations for any delay	Progress rating
Deliverable 1.3.6: Training workshop reports on how to use the online data sharing network for NDC tracking and final version of the operation manual	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.7: Draft verification manual	31 January 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.8: Stakeholder consultation workshop reports for validating draft verification manual	28 February 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.9: Training and dissemination workshop report, and sharing of final version of verification manual	31 March 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.10: MRV system prototypes for mitigation in the energy sector, and both mitigation and adaptation in the Agriculture (Livestock) sectors.	30 September 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.11: Report on assistance provided by national expert to design, develop, implement and upscale the MRV prototypes for mitigation in the energy sector, and both mitigation and adaptation in the Agriculture (Livestock) sectors.	30 September 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.12: Training and validation workshop reports, one each for mitigation and adaptation, on design and development, and implementation and upscaling of the MRV system prototypes	31 October 2024	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.13: Training programmes and training materials to engage stakeholders and policymakers on tracking and reporting on NDC mitigation and adaptation actions for all sectors, including support received and needed	30 June 2025	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.14: 2 Training workshop reports on the appropriation of technical skills to use the centralized data sharing platform to upload data and other information for tracking NDC mitigation and adaptation actions for all sectors, including support received and needed	30 June 2025	0%	0%		MU
Deliverable 1.3.15: Share lessons learned and good practices on the system developed for tracking NDC actions on the CBIT Coordination platform	31 July 2025	0%	0%		MU



4. Risk Rating

4.1 Table A. Project management Risk

Please refer to the Risk Help Sheet for more details on rating.

Risk Factor	EA's Rating	TM's Rating
1. Management structure – Roles and responsibilities	-	S
2. Governance structure – Oversight	-	S
3. Implementation schedule	-	S
4. Budget	-	L
5. Financial Management	-	L
6. Reporting	-	L
7. Capacity to deliver	-	L

If any of the risk factors is rated a Moderate or higher, please include it in table B below.

4.2 Table B. Risk-Log

	Risk affecting: Risk Rating					Variation respect to last rating		
Risk	Outcome / outputs	CEO ED	2023 PIR	2024 PIR	2025 PIR	Δ	Justification	
Risks identified in CEO Endorsement	Document							
Insufficient high-level political will and commitment	All	М	S			¢	There are internal challenges. The process of hiring the Project Manager is still on-going. UNEP has been following up closely on a monthly basis with the Executing Agency. This delay poses a significant risk to the project.	
COVID-19 Pandemic slows down project implementation	All	М	L			Ļ	The Covid-19 pandemic is over. This is no longer a risk.	
Climate change impacts such as extreme weather events could affect internet connectivity and the safe storage of data	All	М	-				Too early to assess this risk since the project has not started yet.	
Data availability and accessibility constraints	All	М	-				Too early to assess this risk since the project has not started yet.	
Insufficient institutional coordination	All	М	-				Too early to assess this risk since the project has not started yet.	
Limited sustainability of project impact, due to reliance on external experts	All	М	-				This risk will only be assessable towards the end of the project.	



Inertia on institutional buy-in	All	М	-			Too early to assess this risk since the project has not started yet.			
Private sector actors not willing to cooperate with the project by providing information and engaging in project activities	All	М	-			Too early to assess this risk since the project has not started yet.			
New risks identified in 2023 PIR	New risks identified in 2023 PIR								
The MEDD has experienced challenges in the process of hiring a Project Manager, leading to over 10 months of delay compared to the original workplan	All	-	S			The project was supposed to start implementation of activities in September 2022, but the PM has not been hired so far. The project is already 10 months behind schedule and the situation is likely to worsen. Given the current situation, it will no longer be possible for MEDD to complete the project within the planned timeline (i.e. August 2025).			
Consolidated project risk			S			This section focuses on the variation. The overall rating is discussed in section 2.3.			

Table C. Outstanding Moderate, Significant, and High risks

List here only risks from Table A above that have a risk rating of M or higher in the current PIR

	Actions decided during	Actions effectively	Additional mitigation measures for the next periods				
Risk	the previous reporting instance (PIRt-1, MTR, etc.)	undertaken this reporting period	What	When	By whom		
The MEDD has experienced challenges in the process of hiring a Project Manager, leading to over 10 months of delay compared to the original workplan	N/A	N/A	Action 1 [2023]: MEDD to send to UNEP a formal communication on the desired way forward for executing the project (i.e. re- starting the hiring process of the Project Manager, or delegating the authority of project execution to a third- party entity) before end of September 2023, with an aim to effectively start implementation of the project activities no later than 1 st January 2024.	Before 30 September 2023	MEDD / Minister		
			Action 2 [2023]: Once the PM is hired, a revision of the budget and the workplan will need to be prepared to set new timelines and completion dates for the project outputs and deliverables. The workplan / budget revisions shall be submitted to UNEP for review by end of November 2023.	Before 30 November 2023	MEDD / PM		

High Risk (H): There is a probability of greater than 75% that **assumptions** may fail to hold or materialize, and/or the project may face high risks. **Significant Risk (S):** There is a probability of between 51% and 75% that **assumptions** may fail to hold and/or the project may face substantial risks. **Moderate Risk (M):** There is a probability of between 26% and 50% that **assumptions** may fail to hold or materialize, and/or the project may face only modest risks. **Low Risk (L):** There is a probability of up to 25% that **assumptions** may fail to hold or materialize, and/or the project may face only modest risks.



5. Project Minor Amendments

Minor amendments are changes to the project design or implementation that do not have significant impact on the project objectives or scope, or an increase of the GEF project financing up to 5% as described in Annex 9 of the Project and Program Cycle Policy Guidelines.

5.1 Table A: Listing of all Minor Amendment

Results framework	Minor project objective change
Components and cost	Safeguards
Institutional and implementation arrangements	Risk analysis
Financial management	Increase of GEF project financing up to 5%
Implementation schedule	Co-financing
Executing Entity	Location of project activity
Executing Entity Category	Other

Minor No amendments carried out yet, but given the delayed implementation start, the project will require an amendment of the workplan, budget and legal agreement during the next reporting period.

5.2 Table B: History of project revisions and/or extensions

Version	Туре	Signed / Approved by UNEP	Entry into Force (last signature Date)	Agreement Expiry Date	Main changes introduced in this revision
Original legal instrument		01 June 2022	06 July 2022	31 August 2026	



6. GEO Location Information:

The Location Name, Latitude and Longitude are required fields insofar as an Agency chooses to enter a project location under the set format. The Geo Name ID is required in instances where the location is not exact, such as in the case of a city, as opposed to the exact site of a physical infrastructure. The Location & Activity Description fields are optional. Project longitude and latitude must follow the Decimal Degrees WGS84 format and Agencies are encouraged to use at least four decimal points for greater accuracy. Users may add as many locations as appropriate. Web mapping applications such as <u>OpenStreetMap</u> or <u>GeoNames</u> use this format. Consider using a conversion tool as needed, such as: <u>https://coordinates-converter.com</u> Please see the Geocoding User Guide by clicking <u>here</u>

Location Name Required field	Latitude Required field	Longitude Required field	Geo Name ID Required field <u>if</u> the location is not	Location Description Optional text field	Activity Description Optional text field
Nouakchott, Mauritania	18.08581	-15.9785	an exact site 2377450		

Please provide any further geo-referenced information and map where the project interventions is taking place as appropriate. *