



**AGENCY NOTIFICATION ON
SUSPENSION FULL-SIZED PROJECT**

Add Date

PROJECT IDENTIFIER

Name of Project: Energy Efficiency in Public Buildings ("EEPB")

Country(ies): Ukraine

GEF Agency: UNDP

GEF Project ID: 5357

Agency Project ID: 4114

Focal Area: Climate Change

Trust Fund: GEFTF

PIF Approval Date: 7 November 2013

PPG Approval Date:

Council Approval Date (for FSP): 7 November 2013

CEO Approval Date (for MSP, EA): n/a

CEO Endorsement Date (for FSP): 16 May 2016

FINANCIAL STATUS

FSP/MSP/EA suspension Date: 30 March 2019

Grant Amount: (5,480,000) Agency Fee: (520,600)

Undisbursed Grant Amount: \$2,533,110

Undisbursed Agency Fee: (exact \$ amount)

Explanation for suspending project¹: Pursuant to an investigation launched by UNDP on the now closed project named "Development and Commercialization of Bioenergy Technologies in the Municipal Sector in Ukraine" (GEF ID 4377), out of an abundance of caution, UNDP has suspended the EEPB project until a full management review of the EEPB project is completed. The management review is expected to be concluded by September 2020 after which UNDP management (involving the UNDP - BPPS Global Environmental Finance Unit, Regional Bureau for ECIS and a new management team at the UNDP CO in Ukraine) will discuss with the GEF OFP/PFP to determine if (a) the project should continue (with a revised workplan), (b) the suspension should be extended until an ongoing OAI audit of UNDP and GEF resources is completed or (c) if the project should be cancelled as a result of such investigations. The undisbursed grant amount as of 31 March 2020 is US\$ \$2,533,110.

AGENCY CERTIFICATION

The **UNDP** would like to inform the GEF Secretariat that it will **suspension** the above-mentioned project after consultation with the beneficiary country, particularly with the relevant government agencies involved in project preparation/implementation, and other partners including co-financiers.

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