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Transforming Food Systems and Reducing Deforestation in the Protected Areas and Biological Corridors landscapes from the Southern Caribbean Coast and San Juan River autonomous region

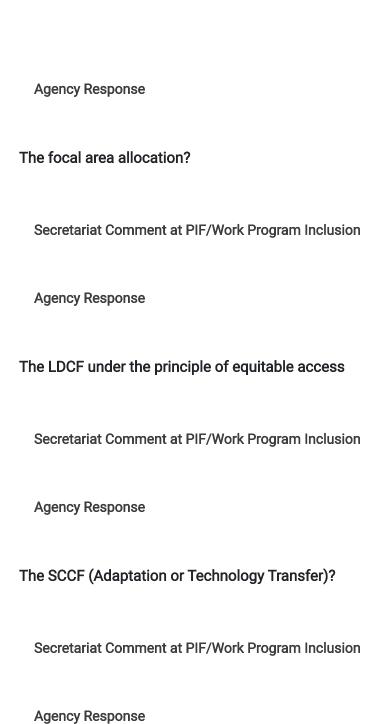
Bas	sic Information
G	GEF ID
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C	Countries
١	licaragua
F	Project Title
T	ransforming Food Systems and Reducing Deforestation in the Protected Areas and Biological Corridors landscapes from the Southe
C	Caribbean Coast and San Juan River autonomous region
0	GEF Agency(ies)
	FAO
A	Agency ID
F	AO: 640648
C	GEF Focal Area(s)
	Multi Focal Area

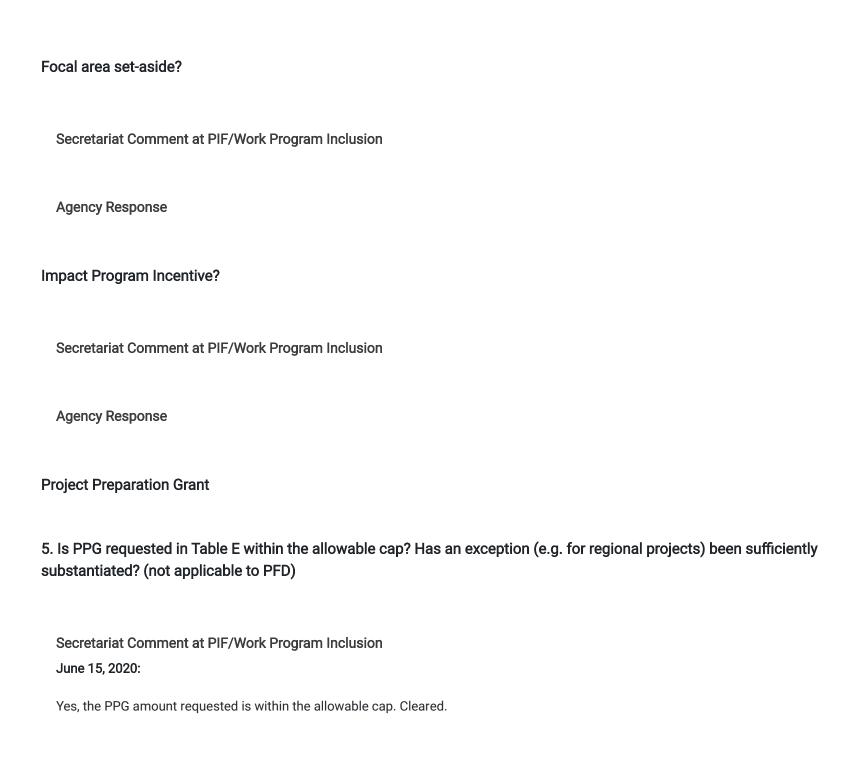
PIF				
art I - Project Informatic				
Focal area elements				
1. Is the project/program aligned with the relevant GEF focal area elements in Table A, as defined by the GEF 7 Programmin Directions?				
Secretariat Comment at PIF/Work Program Inclusion				
Agency Response				
Indicative project/program description summary				
2. Are the components in Table B and as described in the PIF sound, appropriate, and sufficiently clear to achieve the project/program objectives and the core indicators?				
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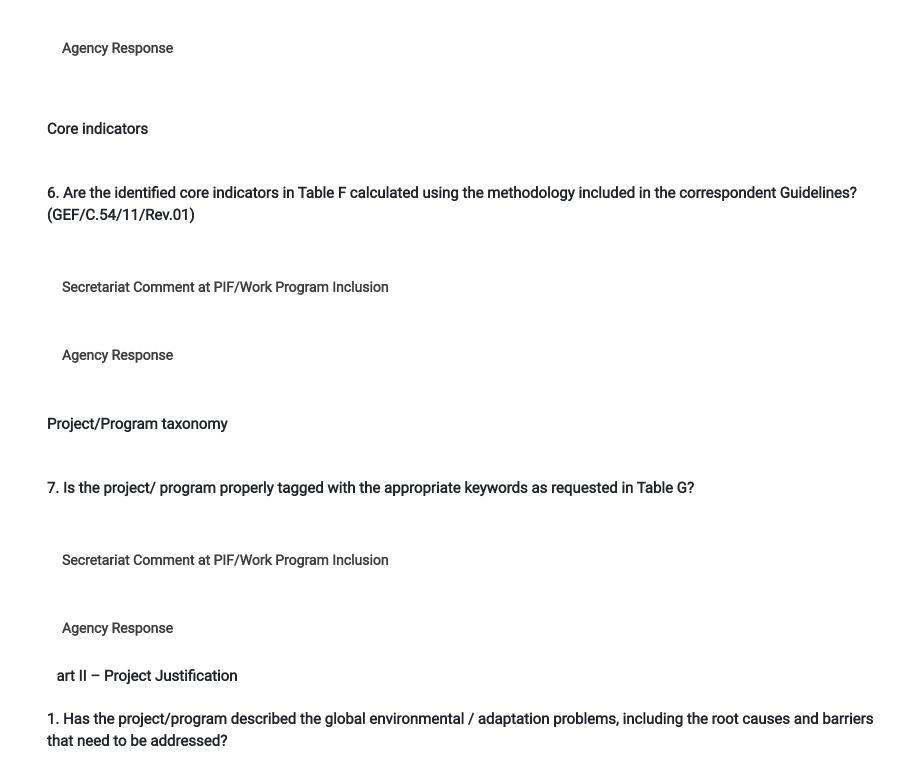
3. Are the indicative expected amounts, sources and types of co-financing adequately documented and consistent with the requirements of the Co-Financing Policy and Guidelines, with a description on how the breakdown of co-financing was identified and meets the definition of investment mobilized?
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GEF Resource Availability
4. Is the proposed GEF financing in Table D (including the Agency fee) in line with GEF policies and guidelines? Are they within the resources available from (mark all that apply):
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The STAR allocation?

Co-financing

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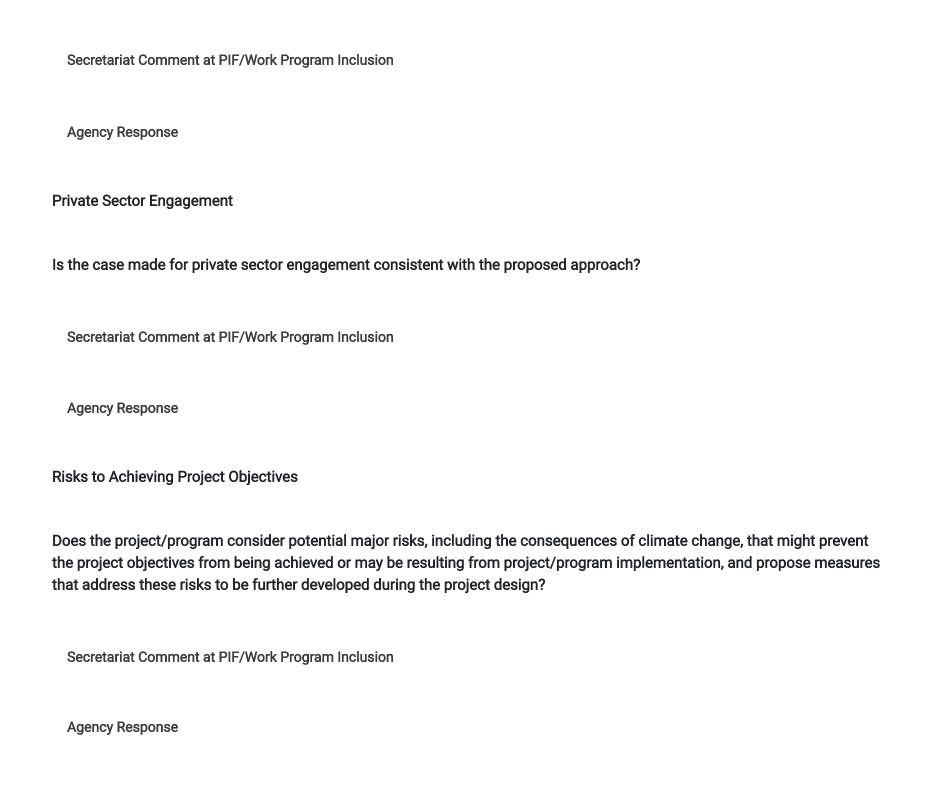




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2.	. Is the baseline scenario or any associated baseline projects appropriately described?
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3.	. Does the proposed alternative scenario describe the expected outcomes and components of the project/program?
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4.	. Is the project/program aligned with focal area and/or Impact Program strategies?
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5. Is the incremental / additional cost reasoning properly described as per the Guidelines provided in GEF/C.31/12?
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6. Are the project's/program's indicative targeted contributions to global environmental benefits (measured through core indicators) reasonable and achievable? Or for adaptation benefits?
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7. Is there potential for innovation, sustainability and scaling up in this project?
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Project/Program Map and Coordinates		
Is there a preliminary geo-reference to the project's/program's intended location?		
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Stakeholders		
Does the PIF/PFD include indicative information on Stakeholders engagement to date? If not, is the justification provided appropriate? Does the PIF/PFD include information about the proposed means of future engagement?		
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Agency Response		
Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment		
Is the articulation of gender context and indicative information on the importance and need to promote gender equality and the empowerment of women, adequate?		



Is the institutional arrangement for project/program coordination including management, monitoring and evaluation outlined is there a description of possible coordination with relevant GEF-financed projects/programs and other bilateral/multilateral initiatives in the project/program area?		
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Consistency with National Priorities		
Has the project/program cited alignment with any of the recipient country's national strategies and plans or reports and assessments under relevant conventions?		
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Knowledge Management		

Is the proposed "knowledge management (KM) approach" in line with GEF requirements to foster learning and sharing from

relevant projects/programs, initiatives and evaluations; and contribute to the project's/program's overall impact and

Coordination

sustainability? Secretariat Comment at PIF/Work Program Inclusion **Agency Response** art III - Country Endorsements Has the project/program been endorsed by the country's GEF Operational Focal Point and has the name and position been checked against the GEF data base? Secretariat Comment at PIF/Work Program Inclusion **Agency Response** Termsheet, reflow table and agency capacity in NGI Projects Does the project provide sufficient detail in Annex A (indicative termsheet) to take a decision on the following selection criteria: co-financing ratios, financial terms and conditions, and financial additionality? If not, please provide comments. Does

the project provide a detailed reflow table in Annex B to assess the project capacity of generating reflows? If not, please provide comments. After reading the questionnaire in Annex C, is the Partner Agency eligible to administer concessional finance? If not, please provide comments.

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Agency Response		
EFSEC DECISION		
RECOMMENDATION		
Is the PIF/PFD recommended for technical clearance? Is the PPG (if requested) being recommended for clearance?		
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June 15, 2020:		
The PPG request is recommended for clearance.		
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS		
Additional recommendations to be considered by Agency at the time of CEO endorsement/approval.		
Secretariat Comment at PIF/Work Program Inclusion		
riew Dates		

## PIF Review Agency Response

First Review	6/15/2020
Additional Review (as necessary)	

PIF Recommendation to CEO

Brief reasoning for recommendations to CEO for PIF Approval