



GEF-6 REQUEST FOR PROJECT PREPARATION GRANT (PPG)¹

PROJECT TYPE: Medium-sized Project
 TYPE OF TRUST FUND: GEF Trust Fund

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PART I: CHILD PROJECT INFORMATION

Child Project Title:	Contribution towards the elimination of mercury and improvement of the gold value chain in the artisanal and small-scale gold mining sector		
Country(ies):	Burkina Faso	GEF Child Project ID: ²	
GEF Agency(ies):	UNIDO (select)	GEF Agency Project ID:	160116
Indicative GEF Child Project Financing:	2,000,000	Indicative Agency Fee:	180,000
GEF Focal Area(s):	Chemicals and Wastes	Project Duration (Months)	60
Expected Endorsement Date:	31 December 2017	PPG Submission Date:	01/03/2017
Integrated Approach Pilot	IAP-Cities <input type="checkbox"/> IAP-Commodities <input type="checkbox"/> IAP-Food Security <input type="checkbox"/>		Corporate Program: SGP <input type="checkbox"/>
Name of Parent Program:	Global Opportunities for Long-term Development of ASGM Sector - GEF GOLD		
Expected Council Approval Date:	25 October 2016	Program ID:	9602
		Program Financing:	45,262,294

A. PROJECT PREPARATION GRANT (PPG)

GEF Agency	Trust Fund	Country/ Regional/Global	Focal Area	Programming of Funds	(in \$)		
					PPG (a)	Agency Fee ³ (b)	Total c = a + b
UNIDO	GEF TF	Burkina Faso	Chemicals & Wastes	Mercury	50,000	4,500	54,500
Total PPG Amount					50,000	4,500	54,500

PART II: APPROVAL/ENDORSEMENT BY GEF OPERATIONAL FOCAL POINT(S) AND GEF AGENCY(IES)

A. RECORD OF ENDORSEMENT⁴ OF GEF OPERATIONAL FOCAL POINT (S) ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT(S): (Please attach the Operational Focal Point endorsement letter(s) with this template.

NAME	POSITION	MINISTRY	DATE (MM/dd/yyyy)
Mr. Pamoussa OUEDRAOGO	Permanent Secretariat	NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT	12/23/2016

¹ This template is to be used for child projects under a Program. OFP endorsement letter that covers this PPG request amount should be attached.



² Project ID number will be assigned by GEFSEC and to be entered by Agency in subsequent document submissions.

³ PPG fee percentage follows the percentage of the Agency fee over the GEF Program Financing amount requested. PPG requested amount is determined by the size of the GEF Project Financing (PF) as follows: Up to \$100k for PF up to \$3 mil; \$150k for PF up to \$6 mil; \$200k for PF up to \$10 mil; and \$300k for PF above \$10m. On an exceptional basis, PPG amount may differ upon detailed discussion and justification with the GEFSEC.

⁴ For regional and/or global projects in which participating countries are identified, OFP endorsement letters from these countries are required even though there may not be a STAR allocation associated with the project.

B. GEF AGENCY(IES) CERTIFICATION

This request has been prepared in accordance with GEF policies⁵ and procedures and meets the GEF criteria for project preparation grant under GEF-6.

Agency Coordinator, Agency name	Signature	Date (MM/dd/yyyy)	Project Contact Person	Telephone	Email
Philippe R. Scholtès, Managing Director Programme Development and Technical Cooperation PTC, UNIDO GEF Focal Point		01/02/2017	Jerome Stucki 	+43 1 26026 3559	J.Stucki @unido.org

⁵ GEF policies encompass all managed trust funds, namely: GEFTF, LDCF, and SCCF

Ouagadougou, le 23 DEC. 2016

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Operational Focal Point

To

Mr. Philippe R. Scholtès
Managing Director, Programme
Development and Technical Cooperation
(PTC)
UNIDO, Vienna International Centre,
P.O. Box 300, A-1400 Vienna, Austria

Objet : Endorsement for Global Opportunities for Long-term Development of the ASGM Sector programme-GEF GOLD

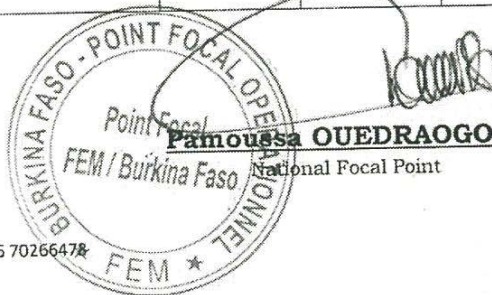
In my capacity as GEF Operational Focal Point for Burkina Faso, I confirm that the above project proposal (a) is in accordance with my government's national priorities and our commitment to the relevant global environmental conventions; and (b) was discussed with relevant stakeholders, including the global environmental convention focal points.

I am pleased to endorse the preparation of the above Programme proposal which will be led by UNEP. If approved, the proposal will be prepared and implemented in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment, Green Economy and Climate Change and the Ministry in charge of Mining.

The total financing being requested for the child project under this Programme supported by Burkina Faso is US\$2,234,500 inclusive of GEF financing for the child project, preparation grant (PPG) that will finance the preparation of the child project under the Programme, and Agency fees for project cycle management services associated with the project under the Programme. The funds requested for Burkina Faso is detailed in the table below including the GEF Agency that will implement the project.

Source of Funds	GEF Agency	Focal Area	Programming of Funds	Amount (in US\$)			
				GEF Project Financing	Expected PPG	Agency fee	Total
GEFTF	UNIDO	Chemicals	Mercury	2,000,000	50,000	184,500	2,234,500
Total Financing				2,000,000	50,000	184,500	2,345,500

Sincerely,



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