

GEF-6 GEF SECRETARIAT REVIEW FOR FULL-SIZED/MEDIUM-SIZED PROJECTS THE GEF/LDCF/SCCF TRUST FUND

GEF ID:	9393				
Country/Region:	Togo	Togo			
Project Title:	Hybridization of Diesel Engines of M	Iultifunctional Platforms with Sol	ar Systems		
GEF Agency:	BOAD	GEF Agency Project ID:			
Type of Trust Fund:	GEF Trust Fund	GEF Focal Area (s):	Climate Change		
GEF-6 Focal Area/ LDCF/SCCF	CF/SCCF Objective (s): CCM-1 Program 1;				
Anticipated Financing PPG:	\$79,388	Project Grant:	\$2,624,000		
Co-financing:	\$16,768,000	Total Project Cost:	\$19,471,388		
PIF Approval:	May 04, 2016	Council Approval/Expected:	June 09, 2016		
CEO Endorsement/Approval		Expected Project Start Date:			
Program Manager:	Ming Yang	Agency Contact Person:	Fatoumata Sangare		

PIF Review				
Review Criteria	Questions	Secretariat Comment	Agency Response	
Project Consistency	 Is the project aligned with the relevant GEF strategic objectives and results framework?¹ Is the project consistent with the recipient country's national strategies and plans or reports and assessments under relevant conventions? 	MY 2/24/2016 Yes. It is aligned with Program-1 of CCM Objective 1. MY 2/24/2016 Yes. The project is consistent with Togo's commitment on a low-carbon development path that was confirmed in the country's Intended Nationally Determined Contributions (INDCs) under the United Nation Framework Convention on Climate Change.		
Project Design	3. Does the PIF sufficiently indicate the	MY 2/24/2016		

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	drivers ² of global environmental degradation, issues of sustainability, market transformation, scaling, and innovation?	Not at this time. Please address the drivers or root causes of global environmental degradation that is relevant to this project. For example, high cost of installation for solar power might be the root cause for the lack of use of solar systems. Then, justify how this project will overcome the root problem and make sure this project will be sustainable and have a transformational impact on the market in renewable energy investment in Togo. (Some of relevant information is shown on page 11. The PIF needs to be re-arranged and modified to meet the requirement). Please re-write the paragraph on page 12 that is addressing sustainability. Please focus on how the GEF project will continue operation after the project implementation period is over. Please answer specifically how the operation and maintainable costs of the 1 MW solar PV equipment will be covered, and how the regulatory framework and financial mechanisms for solar PV investment will be continually effective in the country.	

¹ For BD projects: has the project explicitly articulated which Aichi Target(s) the project will help achieve and are SMART indicators identified, that will be used to track the project's contribution toward achieving the Aichi Target(s)?

² Need not apply to LDCF/SCCF projects.

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		MY 4/4/2016	
		Yes, comments were addressed and	
		issues were cleared.	
	4. Is the project designed with sound	MY 2/24/2016	
	incremental reasoning?	Not completed at this time.	
		While estimating GHG emission	
		reduction of the project, please consider using the GEF recommended	
		GHG emission accounting	
		methodologies. Please see	
		https://www.thegef.org/gef/ghg-	
		accounting	
		MY 4/4/2016	
		Yes, comments were addressed. But	
		detailed GHG calculations with GEF	
		recommended methodologies need to	
		be presented in CEO ER document.	
	5. Are the components in Table B sound and sufficiently clear and appropriate	MY 2/24/2016	
	to achieve project objectives and the	Not at this time.	
	GEBs?	In Component 2, please clearly	
		indicate the number of workshops to	
		be conducted, the number of	
		programs and materials to be	
		developed, and the number of agri-	
		food/artisanal products to be	
		generated from this project. Please	
		also allocate some co-financing resources to Component 1.	
		Component 2 in Table B is budgeted	
		a total of \$13.4 million for 1 MW	
		solar PV equipment and 50 kits of	
		solar water pumps. The average cost	

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		of the solar PV system seems very high: over \$13 per watt. Please provide detailed information on the costs of the solar PV system and justify them.	
		The GEF finance figures in Tables A (\$2,534,000) & B (\$2,660,700) do not match. Please fix them.	
		MY 4/4/2016 Not completed at this time. Please check all the numbers carefully in Table B. The sum of sub-co-financing amounts does not match the total amount (\$16,768,000). Please double check every number in every Table in the PIF to make sure there is no mistake.	
		MY 4/7/2016 Yes, comments were addressed and issues were cleared.	
	6. Are socio-economic aspects, including relevant gender elements, indigenous people, and CSOs considered?	MY 2/24/2016 Yes, it is shown on pages 12-13.	
Availability of	7. Is the proposed Grant (including the Agency fee) within the resources available from (mark all that apply):		
Resources	• The STAR allocation?	MY 2/24/2016 Yes. Togo has a STAR allocation of \$7.2 million. As of 2/24/2016, the country has not used any STAR	

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		allocation resources.	
	The focal area allocation?	MY 2/24/2016	
		Yes. Togo has a STAR allocation of	
		\$3 million in CCM. As of 2/24/2016, the country has not used any CCM	
		allocation resources.	
	The LDCF under the principle of	MY 2/24/2016	
	equitable access	Not applicable (N/A)	
	The SCCF (Adaptation or The scale of t	MY 2/24/2016	
	Technology Transfer)? • Focal area set-aside?	Not applicable (N/A) MY 2/24/2016	
	• Focal area set-aside?	Not applicable (N/A)	
	8. Is the PIF being recommended for clearance and PPG (if additional	MY 2/24/2016 Not at this time.	
	amount beyond the norm) justified?	Please address comments in Boxes 3, 4, and 5.	
		MY 4/4/2016 Not completed at this time.	
		Please address the comment in Box 5.	
Recommendations		MY 4/7/2016	
		Yes, all comments were addressed and issues were cleared.	
		At CEO ER stage, please present detailed calculation of GHG emission reductions by using GEF recommended methodologies.	
Review Date	Review	February 24, 2016	
	Additional Review (as necessary)	April 04, 2016	

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PIF Review				
Review Criteria Questions Secretariat Comment Agency Response				
	Additional Review (as necessary)	April 07, 2016		

	CEO endorsement Review				
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Project Design and Financing	 If there are any changes from that presented in the PIF, have justifications been provided? Is the project structure/ design appropriate to achieve the expected outcomes and outputs? Is the financing adequate and does the project demonstrate a cost-effective approach to meet the project objective? Does the project take into account potential major risks, including the consequences of climate change, and describes sufficient risk response 	5/1/2017 MY: There is little change from the PIF stage to the CEO ER stage. 5/1/2017 MY: Not completed at this time. Output 2.2.1 on page 3 in Tale B is missing. Please revise it. 7/10/2017 MY: Yes, comments were addressed and issues were cleared. 5/1/2017 MY: Yes. 5/1/2017 MY: Yes, on page 39-30.			

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	measures? (e.g., measures to enhance climate resilience)		
	5. Is co-financing confirmed and evidence provided?	5/1/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please submit the cofinancing letters. 7/10/2017 MY: Not at this time. The co-financing letter from the OBAD is fine. But	
		other letters do not support the co- financing amounts that are indicated in Table C on page 7 of the project document. Please have the letters revised or Table C revised, so that the amounts of co- financing in the letters and in Table C will be consistent.	
		8/14/2017 MY: Yes. Comments were addressed. However, in the future, please have cofinancing letters addressed to Dr. Naoko Ishii, the Chairperson and the CEO of the GEF, rather than individual program managers.	
	6. Are relevant tracking tools completed?	5/1/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please submit the TT. 7/10/2017 MY: Not at this time. The GHG reduction numbers in the TTC and in the Table on Page 8 of the project document are not consistent. Please double check the numbers and	

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		revise them.	
		8/14/2017 MY:	
		Yes. Comments were addressed.	
	7. Only for Non-Grant Instrument:	5/1/2017 MY:	
	Has a reflow calendar been presented?	Not applicable.	
	8. Is the project coordinated with	5/1/2017 MY:	
	other related initiatives and national/regional plans in the country or in the region?	Yes, on page 30.	
	9. Does the project include a	5/1/2017 MY:	
	budgeted M&E Plan that	Yes, on page 50.	
	monitors and measures results with indicators and targets?		
	10. Does the project have	5/1/2017 MY:	
	descriptions of a knowledge management plan?	Yes, on pages 42-43.	
	11. Has the Agency adequately		
	responded to comments at the		
	PIF ³ stage from: • GEFSEC	5/1/2017 MY:	
	GERSEC	Not completed at this time.	
Agency Responses		From page 18 of the document, it	
		seems that the agency did not use	
		GEF recommended methodology to	
		quantify GHG emission reduction from this project.	
		from this project.	
		Please clearly show the baseline	
		scenario and the GEF project scenario	

³ If it is a child project under a program, assess if the components of the child project align with the program criteria set for selection of child projects.

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		and demonstrate net GHG emission reduction benefits from this project.	
		7/10/2017 MY: Yes, issues were cleared.	
	• STAP	5/1/2017 MY: Not applicable.	
	GEF Council	5/1/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please address the comments of the Council.	
		7/10/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please address the comments of the German Council.	
		8/14/2017 MY: Not completed at this time. Please use the Table on page 61 at	
		Annex B to put the comments of German Council, fill the "Responses" and indicate "Changes in the full project".	
	Convention Secretariat	5/1/2017 MY: Not applicable.	
Recommendation	12. Is CEO endorsement recommended?	5/1/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please address the above comments.	
		Please also correct the errors before resubmission:	
		ERROR in CEO - FASF and Project Objective Cofin Amounts by Trust Funds Differ.	

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		ERROR in CEO - Fee in Finance Breakdown record(s) exceed(s) 9% (limit for this project) ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and Finance Overview GEF Project Grants / Fees differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and Project Framework GEF Project Grants differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and Project Framework GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - The sum of the cofinance as given per source differs from FASF's total cofinance ERROR in CEO - Total Fee exceeds 9 percent (limit for this type of project)	
		7/10/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please address comments in Boxes: 5, 6 and 11. Please also correct the errors before submission:	

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		Please be aware that 9% fee is calculated on the bases of subtotal, not including project management costs (\$131,200). The Agency needs to add one row of sub-total in Table A.	
		8/14/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please address the comments in Box 11.	

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		errors before submission: ERROR in CEO - FASF and Project Objective Cofin Amounts by Trust Funds Differ. ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - The sum of the cofinance as given per source differs from FASF's total cofinance In Table A, please delete the row of "agency fee". Before the row of "project management", please sum all the above costs to get sub-total. Then, the Project Management costs are calculated at 9% of the Sub-Total. 8/28/2017 MY: Not at this time. Please fix the following errors in the CEO ER document: ERROR in CEO - FASF and Project Objective Cofin Amounts by Trust Funds Differ. ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants differ	

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		ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - The sum of the cofinance as given per source differs from FASF's total cofinance	
		The above errors come from two places in Table A on pages 1 and 2. In Table B, there is a missing row. All these issues come from a wrong format of the document. Please use the GEF recommended CEO ER document template to present the data. The template can be downloaded from the following site: https://www.thegef.org/documents/ce o-endorsement-approval-template-august-2016 Also, in Table A, it shows "CCM-1 Program 3". In the GEF 6 CCM programming directions, there is no	
		such program. Please check the document and revise it accordingly. MY 8/31/2017	
		Not at this time. Please fix the following errors in the CEO ER document:	
		ERROR in CEO - FASF and Project Objective Cofin Amounts by Trust	

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		Funds Differ. ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - The sum of the cofinance as given per source differs from FASF's total cofinance	
		The above errors come from two places in Table A on pages 1 and 2. Please use the GEF required CEO ER document template to present the data. The template can be downloaded from the following site: https://www.thegef.org/documents/ce o-endorsement-approval-template-august-2016	
		MY 9/18/2017 Not at this time. Please fix the following errors in the CEO ER document: ERROR in CEO – FASF (Table A on page 1 (\$16,598,000)) and Project Objective Cofin Amounts (Table B	

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		(\$16,768,000)) by Trust Funds Differ. ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown (Table B on page 5 (\$2,624,000) and FASF GEF Project Grants (Table A on page 2 (\$1,492,000) differ ERROR in CEO - Finance Breakdown and FASF GEF Project Grants per Trust Fund differ ERROR in CEO - The sum of the cofinance as given per source differs from FASF's total cofinance The above errors come from two places in Table A, Table B, and Table C on pages 1 and 2. When the first two errors are cleared, the third and the forth errors will be automatically removed. Again, please use GEF required Template that can be downloaded from https://www.thegef.org/documents/ce o-endorsement-approval-template- august-2016	
		The template has been sent by Shakil to the BOAD. With the Template, in Table A, please only enter one row as follows:	

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		-1 Program 1: Promote timely development, demonstration and financing of low-carbon technologies and mitigation options. The GEF Project Finance and Cofinancing should include Project Management Costs in Table A.	
		MY 9/19/2017 Yes, call comments were cleared. The PM recommends the CEO to endorse this project.	
Review Date	Review	May 01, 2017	
	Additional Review (as necessary)	July 10, 2017	
	Additional Review (as necessary)	August 14, 2017	