**CONCEPT NOTE**

**REQUEST FOR SUPPORT ON CLIMATE TRANSPARENCY**

1. **Title**

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| *Please insert a title that summarises the specific topic of the support request.*  Hands-on training on enhancing institutional arrangements and effective implementation of the Enhanced Transparency Framework |

1. **Contact data**

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| **Institution** | MWE/CCD |

1. **Support requested**

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| **Area** | *Please choose the relevant area(s) of support that is being requested.*   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | Institutional arrangements for transparency | | | | GHG Inventory | NDC tracking | Mitigation actions | | Adaptation and impacts | Loss and damage | Support needed/received | | Report development (NC, BUR, BTR, NIR, etc.) | | Other (please specify) |   Click here to specify. |
| **Type** | *Please choose the type of support that is being requested.*   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | Bilateral cooperation | Multilateral cooperation | Webinar | | In-country workshop/training | Online workshop/training | Peer-review or simulation of ICA process | | Hands-on expert support | Consultancy services | Other (please specify) |   Click here to enter text. |
| **Objective** | *Please describe the objective of the support requested, e.g., improving institutional arrangements, developing specific technical capacities, etc., and how the requested support will address the country’s needs in enhanced climate transparency.*  Hands-on training workshop on enhancing institutional arrangements and effective implementation of the Enhanced Transparency Framework.  Uganda is also aware that the final BURs will be those that are submitted no later than 31 December 2024; and Parties shall submit their first BTRs and national inventory reports, if submitted as a stand-alone report, at the latest by 31 December 2024. |
| **Expected outcome** | *Please describe the expected outcome of the support requested.*   * Familiarize participants with the MRV arrangements under the Convention and the ETF under the Paris Agreement, with a view to ensure smooth transition to the implementation of the ETF; * Promoting the understanding of reporting provisions, in the BUR * Provide an overview of the key elements and characteristics of a robust institutional arrangements that support the implementation of the ETF; * Present some of the capacity-building support available for developing and enhancing functional ETF systems based on national context and circumstances. |

1. **Current context and reason for requesting the support**

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| *Please shortly describe the current context of transparency in your country in which this support will come in and explain the reasons for requiring support in this specific area. Please also state if you have received or receiving similar support in this area (e.g., CBIT, GEF Enabling Activities, ICAT, UNDP, RedINGEI, GSP).*  Despite the flexibility provisions enshrined in the Paris Agreement and detailed in the MPGs, developing country Parties expect the efforts for the transition to be considerable. The enhanced depth, scope, and frequency of reporting under the ETF would place a significant challenge to the resources and efforts of developing country Parties required to respond to the reporting requirements.  Uganda has opted to prepare the second BUR to provide improved updates on the elements of ETF and BTR reporting.  The objective of this in-country capacity training is to enhance the capacity of the team preparing the second BUR on MPGS institutional arrangements and effective implementation of the Enhanced Transparency Framework. |

1. **Proposed activities and estimated budget**

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| *Please provide a description of the proposed activities and the estimated budget for the requested support, including country’s co-financing.*   * Familiarize participants with the MRV arrangements under the Convention and the ETF under the Paris Agreement, with a view to ensure smooth transition to the implementation of the ETF; * Promoting the understanding of reporting provisions, in the BUR * Provide an overview of the key elements and characteristics of a robust institutional arrangements that support the implementation of the ETF; * Present some of the capacity-building support available for developing and enhancing functional ETF systems based on national context and circumstances.   **Table 1.: Estimated budget for the requested support**   | ***Item/activity*** | ***Amount*** | ***Cost (USD)*** | ***Subtotal (USD)*** | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **CBIT-GSP financing** |  |  |  | | Item 1. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 2. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 3. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 4. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 5. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | **(1) Total CBIT-GSP financing** |  |  | **0,000.** | | **Country Co-financing** |  |  |  | | Item 1. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 2. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 3. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | Item 4. | Amount. | 0,000. | 0,000. | | **(2) Total Country Co-financing** |  |  | **0,000.** | | **(3) TOTAL (1)+(2)** |  |  | **0,000.** |   *Note: Table 1 can be completed with support from CBIT-GSP Regional Network Coordinator* |