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| REQUEST FOR SUPPORT FOR CLIMATE TRANSPARENCY**[[1]](#footnote-1)** |

1. **NATIONAL CONTACT**

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1. **INFORMATION ON SUPPORT REQUESTED**

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| **Title of activity** | *Please include a title that summarises the specific topic of the support request.*  Training on Use of GHG Data Collection Template for Energy Sector, including relevant QA/QC Procedures for Data Collection. |
| **Objective and description** | *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?*  From Fiji’s BUR, specifically NIR compilation experience, it is ascertained that relevant Fijian line ministries and agencies do collect information according to mandate and needs, which does not necessarily support GHG inventory preparation. Data and information are usually sourced from organisational reports and documents, and is not stored/retained in the manner to easily collate and harmonise when GHG related activity data is requested. Difficulty of line ministries to use the Data collection templates/surveys developed under the BUR was also observed.  Hence, under Fiji’s Capacity Building Initiative for Transparency (CBIT) Project, data collection templates and protocols for data collection, including QA/QC procedures have been developed for relevant sectors including Energy. However, at this stage of the project, there is a lack of necessary expertise to deliver training on the use of the data collection templates and protocols. The requested through an expert will contribute to enhancing the capabilities of relevant officials from the Energy Sector on the correct use of GHG data collection templates as well as equip them with the adequate guidance relating to collection of energy sector data collection. |
| **Time frame** | *Please describe the expected time frame of the support requested, e.g., from May to September 2023, October 2023.*  24-25 July 2024 |
| **Recipient entity** | *Please describe the recipient entity of the support requested.*  Department of Energy and Department of Transport – (Ministry of Public Works, Transport and Meteorological Services)  Energy Fiji Limited  Land Transport Authority  Department of Civil Aviation (Ministry of Tourism and Civil Aviation)  Airport Fiji Limited  Civil Aviation Authority of Fiji  Maritime Safety Authority of Fiji  Fiji Maritime Academy  Ministry of iTaukei Affairs |
| **Area** | *Please choose the relevant area(s) of support that is being requested.*   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | Institutional arrangements for transparency | | | | Report development (Natcom, BUR, BTR, NIR, etc.) | | | | GHG Inventory | NDC tracking | Mitigation actions | | Adaptation and impacts | Loss and damages | Support needed/received | | Other (please specify) | Click here to specify. | | |
| **Channel** | *Please choose the channel of support that is being requested.*   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | Multilateral cooperation | Bilateral cooperation | Regional cooperation | | Webinar | Online workshop or training | In-country workshop or training | | Peer-review or simulation of ICA process | Hands-on expert support | Consultancy services | | Other (please specify) | Click here to enter text. | | |
| **Use, impact and estimated results** | *Please describe the expected use, impacts and estimated results of the support requested.*  Fiji energy sector line ministries and relevant agencies are trained and have capacity on accurate use of GHG data collection templates enhancing capacities for data collection efforts as part of future reporting.  Awareness is created on Fiji’s obligations under the Paris Agreement and the need for robust data and information reported in BTR/NDC |
| **Additional information (Current context and reason for requesting the support)** | *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).*  As mentioned above, there is a lack of necessary expertise to deliver training on the use of the data collection templates and protocols that is developed under the Fiji CBIT projects outputs. This request is complimenting the outcomes of the CBIT project and targeted towards addressing the gaps in implementation. |

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.*  **Activity 1 (Date)**  **Activity 2 (Date)**. XXX…  **Activity N (Date)**. XXX…  **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* |

1. This concept note has been developed in line with [Table III.3 of Annex III (Decision 5/CMA.3)](https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/CMA2021_L10a2E.pdf#page=39) in order to support countries for reporting information on support received for implementation on Article 13 of the Paris Agreement on transparency-related activities, including for transparency-related capacity-building. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)