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PROPOSED REVISED DECISION ON ENHANCING COUNTRY COORDINATION MECHANISMS, MDB COLLABORATION AND STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT (SUBMITTED BY THE TRUST FUND COMMITTEE OBSERVERS FROM THE CLEAN AIR INSTITUTE, GLOBAL NETWORK FOR ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH, BITS POLICY CENTER, AND WORLD RESOURCES INSTITUTE)

Strengthen country coordination by encouraging pilot countries to:

- a) ensure open and frequent exchange of information with stakeholders on CIF country programs;
- b) convene regular (every 1 or 2 years) stakeholder forums on CIF programs, or include such
 consultations within existing stakeholder forums where they exist, to review progress against
 the CIF results framework, learn from experience, identify areas where better coordination is
 required to maximize synergies, and keep the programmatic focus on track;
- engage stakeholders including relevant national and sub-national government agencies, civil
 society organizations, community and indigenous peoples organizations, and the private sector,
 as well as the MDBs, and other development partners in the forums; and
- d) use pilot country meetings to share lessons on country coordination.

Enhance MDB collaboration at the country level by:

- a) sensitizing MDB country teams to spirit of CIF collaboration and CIF guidelines and procedures;
- b) agreeing, at the outset, on their respective roles, division of tasks and overall approach; and
- c) agreeing and implementing principles of collaboration between MDBs.

Enhance CIF stakeholder engagement by requesting countries to:

- a) strengthen outreach to stakeholders on CIF country programs;
- identify stakeholders engaged in relevant sectors during scoping missions to facilitate their participation during joint missions and throughout the development and implementation of the investment plans;
- c) ensure the effective participation of stakeholders at CIF programmatic consultations, including through capacity building support where necessary;
- d) share information on stakeholder engagement, activities and involvement at the project and program level; and
- e) consider the issues and constructive suggestions made during the engagement, in a manner that they are addressed substantively in all phases of plan or program design and implementation

The joint meeting requests the CIF Administrative Unit and the MDBs to collaborate with the pilot countries to support the implementation of the agreed activities.

Comment [CP1]: The bullets under this part have been revised to: (i) be more country driven, (ii) inclusive and (iii) build on existing forums/consultation mechanisms where they exist.

The order has also been changed to be more logical by moving the bit on convening upfront

Comment [CP2]: Revised to focus on enahancing MDB collaboration within the country

Also included a recommendation from the main body of the paper into the decision under point (b).

Removed the point about "parameters for least concessionality" since it seems like a misfit here, and more appropriate in the decision on the private sector.

Comment [CP3]: This would be good but its not clear if the MDBs develop these principles themselves?

Comment [CP4]: Revised to focus on country actions necessary to enahance stakeholder engagement, by focusing on: (i) strengthening outreach, (ii) identifying stakeholders to engage, (iii) ensure their effective participation, and (iv) sharing information

Also reorganized the bullets to appear in a more logical order.