Early Warning System

GCF-FP122

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Quick Facts

Countries	Madagascar, Mozambique, South Africa, Tanzania
Financial Institutions	Green Climate Fund (GCF)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2019-11-29
Borrower	Blue Action Fund
Sectors	Climate and Environment
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 33.33 million
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Project Cost (USD)	$ 61.11 million

Project Description

The project has three components:

1. **Funding window for protection and sustainable management of coastal resources relevant for EbA (mangroves, coral reefs seagrass).** BAF will on-grant funds for the implementation of this component on the basis of the agreed project implementation plans and budgets of the approved sub-projects (see above).
2. **Funding window for rehabilitation of degraded coastal ecosystems relevant for EbA.** As for Component 1, BAF will on-grant funds for the implementation of this component on the basis of the agreed project implementation plans and budgets of the approved sub-projects, while actual implementation will be carried out by the eligible NGOs. Eligible measures comprise restoration of ecosystems, complementing measures under
   Component 1, such as:
   (I) Mangrove reforestation,
   (II) Seagrass rehabilitation,
   (III) Rehabilitation of beach vegetation, and
   (IV) Coral reef restoration where applicable, e. g. with more temperature-resilient species.
3. **Support for knowledge exchange and capacity building regarding appropriate and feasible EbA approaches.** All projects supported by the Blue Action fund are expected to also contribute to and support the knowledge exchange and capacity building regarding appropriate and feasible EbA approaches. In fact, knowledge exchange related to changes in habitats and ecosystems, as well as best practices and lessons learned, are key for enhancing EbA.

Investment Description

- Green Climate Fund (GCF)

GCF Financing

- InstrumentGrantUSD *33.3 M*

Co-Financing

- BMZ via KfWGrantUSD *27.8 M*

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Requests for project information may be submitted using the IDP Request for Information by email to: disclosure@gcfund.org.

You can also submit an information request using this online form: https://www.greenclimate.fund/about/disclosure/form. Additionally, if information requested is denied, an appeal can be filed to the Information Appeals Panel: iap@gcfund.org. You can learn more about the Information Appeals Panel at: https://www.greenclimate.fund/about/disclosure/appeals.

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF GREEN CLIMATE FUND

The Independent Redress Mechanism (IRM) addresses complaints by people who believe they are negatively affected or may

Bank Documents

- FP122 - KfW - Madagascar, Mozambique, South Africa and Tanzania [Original Source]
- Funding Proposal [Original Source]