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**Enabling Activities for preparation of India's
Second National Communication to UNFCCC**

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ENABLING ACTIVITIES FOR THE PREPARATION OF INDIA'S SECOND NATIONAL COMMUNICATION TO THE UNFCCC

The proposed project is in line with India's commitments to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). Its aim is to enable India undertake activities to prepare its Second National Communication to the UNFCCC according to the guidelines provided by the Conference of Parties (COP) for non-Annex 1 countries (17/CP.8). Based on the successful experience of the Initial National Communication project implementation, lessons learned therein and recommendation of the evaluation of INC, the SNC will continue to engage the vibrant NATCOM network for technical coordination, participation of stakeholders including the researchers, industry, NGOs and the private sector and create platforms for policy interface with the stakeholders in key climate change sectors. The activities proposed in the SNC are envisaged to make climate change data more relevant and enhance India's capacity to incorporate climate change in its development processes. In inventory analysis, the SNC will identify key sectors and lay increased stress on reliability and precision of emission data. Another key element of SNC will be the enhanced reliability of vulnerability assessment of key sectors like agriculture, water, health and energy and the inter-linkages that exist within them. The project would specifically address the gaps identified in the first National Communication, particularly on capacity building needs, sector-specific data acquisitions, developing/refining country specific emission/ sequestration factors, and developing integrated vulnerability and adaptation frameworks for identified climatically vulnerable hotspots.

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Country: INDIA

UNDAF Outcome(s)/Indicator(s): Global environmental concerns and commitments influences and addressed at the national level through the mainstream national development planning machinery

Expected Outcome(s)/Indicator (s): National Capacity built to contribute to global environmental agenda setting, and global environmental concerns mainstreamed in national development planning

Expected Output(s)/Annual Targets: Second National Communication to the UNFCCC

Executing Agency: Ministry of Environment & Forest

Implementing Partner: Ministry of Environment & Forest

Programme Period: 2007 - 2010
Programme Component: G3: Energy and Environment for Sustainable Development
Project Title: Enabling Activities for Preparation of India's Second National Communication to the UNFCCC
Project ID: PIMS 2964
Project Duration: 4 years
Management Arrangement: NEX

Total budget: US\$ 6.50 million
PDF-B funds: US\$ 349,000

Allocated resources:

- Government US\$ 3.00 million
- Regular – GEF US\$ 3.50 million

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