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FINANCING UNIDO PROGRAMMES, INCLUDING NEW INITIATIVES FOR FUNDS MOBILIZATION

Report by the Director-General

Updates information provided in recent documentation on the level of the Industrial Development Fund, individual contributions to technical cooperation activities, progress in the implementation of integrated programmes, and developments with respect to UNIDO and the Global Environment Facility.

Introduction

- 1. The present document addresses the following mandates:
 - Decision IDB.22/Dec.2 on financing the integrated technical cooperation programmes in developing countries, which requested the Director-General to report to the twenty-fourth session on the level of the Industrial Development Fund (IDF) and on individual contributions to technical cooperation activities. Supplements information provided in the Annual Report 2000 (IDB.24/2, chap. V.E and appendix B, and IDB.24/2/Add.1);
 - Decision IDB.23/Dec.7 on integrated programmes, in which the Board called for a report on progress in the implementation of integrated programmes and on the overall situation of funds mobilization. Updates relevant information provided in various parts of the *Annual Report 2000* (IDB.24/2);
 - Resolution GC.8/Res.2 on the Global Environment Facility (GEF). Highlights selected recent developments with respect to GEF in UNIDO's operational programme that are covered in greater detail in document IDB.23/12.

2. Reference should be made to *the Annual Report* 2001 for detailed information on funds mobilized and the overall situation in respect of the Industrial Development Fund (IDB.24/2, chap. V.E and appendix B) and to the addendum containing a list of technical cooperation activities approved or under implementation in 2001 (IDB.24/2/Add.1).

I. INTEGRATED PROGRAMMES

Since its initial elaboration and inception, as described in detail in the Annual Report 1998 (IDB.21/10, part one), the integrated programme approach has been monitored and adjusted in response to developments over time. As of 30 April 2001, 43 programmes had been developed with a total volume of some \$256 million (including support costs). Funds available for these programmes amounted to \$65.8 million. A detailed overview is shown in annex I to the present document. In addition, some \$4 million of earmarked donor funds are being programmed, and future payments under signed agreements amount to \$6 million. Total funds available to integrated programmes therefore amount to \$76 million. As has been the practice at recent sessions, updated information on the progress of the individual programmes will be distributed during the session.

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4. Annual funds mobilized for the integrated programmes increased from \$23.7 million in 1999 to \$32.4 million in 2000. The chart in annex II shows the composition of funds mobilized per year. It is anticipated that by the end of 2001 total funds available to the integrated programmes will approach \$100 million.

II. GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY

Documents issued to recent sessions of the Board reflected important developments and growing potential with respect to the Global Environment Facility (GEF) in UNIDO's operational programme (IDB.22/4, IDB.23/11). That information is updated in chapter I of document IDB.24/12 on environment-related activities. In addition to providing concrete examples of approved or pipeline projects for GEF finding, the documents illustrate the range and intensity of activities undertaken for the successful cultivation of an organizational strategy to address the mandates contained in General Conference resolution GC.8/Res.2 on GEF and technical cooperation activities. This comprehensive approach represents a special new initiative for funds mobilization in UNIDO. While details are provided in the earlier documents, the following list highlights selected examples from the most recent update (IDB.23/12):

November/December 2000

- UNIDO representation at GEF Council meeting;
- Decision to authorize executing agencies with expanded opportunities to access GEF funds for full-scale projects (in addition to preparatory phases as hitherto);

- GEF mission to Vienna to review terms of cooperation agreement;
- Approval of second phase of project on energy conservation and greenhouse gas emissions reduction in Chinese township-village enterprises (\$7.4 million net budget).

January-March 2001

- UNIDO becomes member of GEF Inter-Agency Task Force on POPs;
- UNIDO participation invited in drafting GEF Council document on POPs;
- GEF requests UNIDO to take lead in preparing GEF POPs by-products strategy;
- GEF to consider funding up to 12 UNIDO projects per year (subject to availability of UNIDO supplementary resources);
- Six UNIDO project concepts informally submitted:
- GEF mission to UNIDO to finalize draft financial procedures agreement;
- UNIDO participation in GEF-UNEP informationsharing and data exchange workshop;
- Second phase of development and promotion project for strategy for GEF-fundable activities;
- Submission of project proposal for development of national strategy and implementation plan for POPs in China.

III. ACTION REQUIRED OF THE BOARD

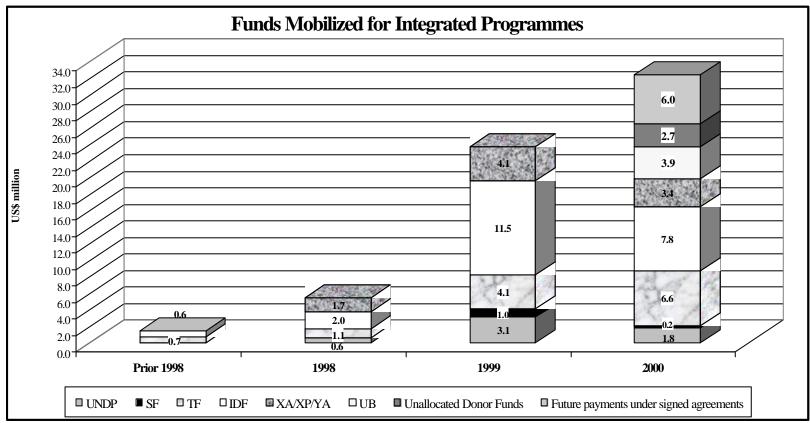
6. The Board may wish to take note of the information provided in the present document.

Annex I

Status of integrated programme—30 April 2001
(in US\$ including support costs)

Region	Programme for	Current planning figures (including 13% support costs)	Total funds available	Open for funding
AFRICA	Burkina Faso	4,419,667	2,578,411	1,841,256
	Côte d'Ivoire	5,359,364	960,179	4,399,185
	Eritrea	7,594,730	1,723,282	5,871,448
	Ethiopia	10,506,503	7,153,046	3,353,457
	Ghana	5,669,945	3,535,804	2,134,141
	Guinea	3,359,603	1,662,947	1,696,656
	Madagascar	4,520,000	0	4,520,000
	Mali	5,871,655	543.620	5.328.035
	Mozambique	9,936,655	3.974.603	5,962,052
	Nigeria	14,325,010	1.138.560	13,186,450
	Rwanda	5,571,917	1,914,467	3,657,450
	Senegal	8,834,340	2.338.343	6,495,997
	United Republic of Tanzania	7,760,681	3.932.811	3,827,870
	Uganda	7,291,325	4,790,182	2,501,143
Subtotal		101,021,395	36,246,255	64,775,140
ASIA AND PACIFIC	Iran. Islamic Republic of.	8,292,505	71,278	8,221,227
	Lao PDR	1,056,550	53,250	1,003,300
	Nepal	2,328,930	289.000	2,039,930
	Pakistan	6,816,386	207.950	6,608,436
SIA	Sri Lanka	14,565,361	4,000,694	10,564,667
⋖	Thailand	3,794,879	594,691	3,200,188
	Subtotal	36,854,611	5,216,863	31,637,748
	Algeria	11,442,000	2,424,733	9,017,267
	Egypt	18,034,116	3,200,435	14,833,681
ARAB	Jordan	3,312,878	1.093.550	2,219,328
	Lebanon	6,735,365	719,201	6,016,164
	Morocco	9,723,650	3,595,400	6,128,250
	Palestine	3,877,334	1,486,189	2,391,145
	Saudi Arabia	1,504,595	0	1,504,595
	Sudan	3,807,535	699,496	3,108,039
	Tunisia	7,558,510	2,899,867	4,658,643
	Yemen	1,820,543	258,671	1,561,872
Subtotal		67,816,526	16,377,542	51,438,984
EUROPE	Armenia	1,932,413	260,417	1,671,996
	Russian Federation (Bashkortostan)	994,475	230,828	763,647
	Russian Federation (federal level)	2,324,609	555,155	1,769,454
	Russian Federation (Komi)	1,134,075	378,623	755,452
	Russian Federation (Moscow)	1,402,462	207,632	1,194,830
	Russian Federation (St. Petersburg)	2,357,052	181,153	2,175,899
	Tajikistan	2,411,380	0	2,411,380
	Uzbekistan	2,958,340	348,500	2,609,840
LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	Subtotal	15,514,806	2,162,308	13,352,498
	Bolivia	4,503,276	470,409	4,032,867
	Brazil	6,300,680	26,000	6,274,680
	Colombia	1,754,890	487,478	1,267,412
	Cuba	6,114,430	1,088,032	5,026,398
	Guatemala	10,354,981	3,401,941	6,953,040
	Honduras	5,541,294	284,050	
	Subtotal	34,569,551	5,757,910	
	Grand Total	255,776,889	65,760,878	190,016,011

Annex II



	US\$ excluding project support costs				
Source of funds	Prior 1998	1998	1999	2000	TOTAL
UNDP		571,500	3,061,550	1,826,703	5,459,753
Self-financed Trust Fund			986,219	247,034	1,233,253
Third-party financed Trust Fund	730,006	1,099,257	4,124,931	6,580,323	12,534,517
Industrial Development Fund	640,300	2,026,357	11,451,415	7,807,672	21,925,744
Regular Budget (XA/XP/YA)		1,700,552	4,075,267	3,366,114	9,141,933
UB Unutilized balance				3,876,503	3,876,503
Increase in unallocated donor funds for integrated programmes				2,726,305	2,726,305
Future payments under signed agreements				6,011,316	6,011,316
Total	1,370,306	5,397,666	23,699,382	32,441,970	62,909,324