



GEF-NGO NETWORK CONSULTATION

Monday, 4 December, 2006, 09.00 - 19.00

The World Bank, H Auditorium, 600 19th Street, N.W. Washington, DC

09h00 – 09h30	<p>Registration and election of co-chair (NGO) Opening Remarks by Co-Chairs: GEF Secretariat and GEF NGO Network</p>
09h30 – 10h30	<p>Evaluation Office Issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Evaluation Office Progress Report ▪ Evaluation of Incremental Cost Assessment ▪ Evaluation of Experience with Executing Agencies ▪ Evaluation of GEF Project Cycle and Modalities
10h30 – 11h30	<p>Question and Answer Session with GEF CEO & Chairperson</p>
11h30 – 12h30	<p>Focal Area Strategies fro GEF-4 – Working Drafts and Proposed Process</p>
12h30 – 13h00	<p>Strategy for Financing Biosafety</p>
13h00 – 14h00	<p>LUNCH</p>
14h00 – 14h30	<p>Progress Report on Implementation of the RAF</p>
14h30 – 15h00	<p>Progress Report on the Development of a Results Based Management Framework</p>
15h00 – 15h30	<p>Rules, Procedures and Objective Criteria for Project Selection, Pipeline Management and Cancellation Policy</p>
15h30 – 16h00	<p>Assessment of Marine Biodiversity Indicators for the Global Environment Facility Resource Allocation Framework (GEF RAF) in the South Pacific.</p> <p>Bevis Fedder, Researcher FSPI</p>
16h00 – 16h30	<p>Roles and Comparative Advantages of GEF Agencies</p>
16h30 – 17h00	<p>Implications of Amending the Instrument to Reflect the Designation of the GEF as Financial Mechanism of the UNCCD</p>
17h00 – 17h30	<p>The Five Year Programme on Adaptation</p> <p>MD. Golam Rabbani, Senior Research Officer, Bangladesh Centre for Advanced Studies (BCAS)</p>



17h30 – 18h00	<p>Practicalities of Monitoring Sustainability and the Progress of the Conventions: Three Examples Using Remote Sensing</p> <p>Benjamin White, Science Policy Officer, University of Maryland Global Land Cover Facility Institute for Advanced Computing Studies</p>
18h00 – 19h00	<p>Open Discussion, Wrap up and Closing Remarks</p>