



CLIMATE INVESTMENT FUNDS

CIF Gender Action Plan FY15-16

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SUMMARY OVERVIEW

- ❑ Climate change impacts are not gender-neutral: thus attention to gender is needed in both mitigation and adaptation finance responses
- ❑ *CIF Gender Review* (2013) found significantly more efforts could be made to strengthen gender-responsive approaches in the CIF
- ❑ *CIF Gender Action Plan FY15-16* seeks to mainstream gender in CIF policy and programming in support of gender equality goals via:
(i) policy, (ii) program support, (iii) analytical work, (iv) monitoring & reporting, (v) knowledge & learning, (vi) additional MDB activities
- ❑ Plan to be implemented as joint effort of pilot countries, MDBs, and CIF AU; spearheaded by Sr. Gender Specialist together with CIF Gender Working Group of MDB representatives
- ❑ Plan will build on existing MDB gender policies & safeguard measures, while undertaking closer monitoring of activities, generation of new knowledge, and enhancement of shared learning on gender in the CIF



CIF GENDER ACTION PLAN: FY15-16

| | <i>Outputs</i> | <i>Lead</i> | <i>FY15</i> | <i>FY16</i> |
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| 1. POLICY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CIF Gender Guidelines note | CIF AU | * | |
| 2. PROGRAM SUPPORT | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CIF program & sector guidance sheets Online directory of gender experts Gender and climate change CoP listserv Technical support to CIF projects, with MDBs | CIF AU | * * * * | * * |
| 3. ANALYTICAL WORK | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women's Access to & Role in Renewable Energy Gender and REDD+: Tenure, Rights and Benefit-Sharing | CIF AU | * * | * |
| 4. MONITORING & REPORTING | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender Indicators paper Annual reporting on CIF gender program indicators; in operational & results reports | CIF AU | * * | * |
| 5. KNOWLEDGE & LEARNING | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender and Resilience in the PPCR Gender, Mini-grids and Employment Gender content in learning events (pilot countries meeting; Partnership Forum); global dissemination of results | CIF AU | | * * * |
| 6. ADDITIONAL MDB ACTIVITIES | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring gender co-benefits and revenue streams in PES/ REDD+ Gender and energy efficiency in district heating | AfDB | * | |
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