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## **NOTIFICATION OF SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING GEF COUNCIL MEETINGS**

**2012**

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society  
Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of June  
4, 2011



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**GEF TRUST FUND / SCCF**  
**WORK PROGRAM CALENDAR**  
**2012**

EVENTS	FEB. IWP	Nov. CWP
GEFSEC constitutes WP	6-Jan.	13-April
Draft CN to GEFOP	24-Jan.	30-April
GEFOP meeting	26-Jan.	3-May
Posting of WP	30-Jan.	7-May
Council Meeting	-----	4 to 7-June
Council Approval	27-Feb.	6-June

## Requests Received from Implementing/Executing Agencies

January 2 - 6, 2012

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<b>FAO</b>									
4800		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cameroon	Sustainable Forest Management Under the Authority of Cameroonian Councils	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	3-Jan-12
4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	3-Jan-12
4756		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Benin	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Life-cycle Management of Pesticides	Jie Pan	3-Jan-12
4641		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cameroon	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Sound Pesticide Management	Jie Pan	4-Jan-12
4746		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP, FAO	Regional (Cook Islands, Fiji, Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Samoa)	Implementation of Global and Regional Oceanic Fisheries Conventions and Related Instruments in the Pacific Small Island Developing States (SIDS)	Andrew Hume	4-Jan-12

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4777		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Ecuador	Mainstreaming of the Use and Conservation of Agrobiodiversity in Public Policies through Integrated Strategies and In situ Implementation in three Provinces in the Andean Highlands.	Mark Zimsky	4-Jan-12
4740		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad)	ASP2 Disposal Of Obsolete Pesticides Including POPs And Strengthening Pesticide Management In The Permanent Interstate Committee For Drought Control In The Sahel (CILSS) Member States	Ibrahima Sow	5-Jan-12
4756		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Benin	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Life-cycle Management of Pesticides	Jie Pan	5-Jan-12
4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	5-Jan-12
4720		FP	Land Degradation	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Angola	Land Rehabilitation and Rangelands Management in Small Holders Agropastoral Production Systems in Soutwestern Angola	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	5-Jan-12
4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	6-Jan-12



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4740		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad)	ASP2 Disposal Of Obsolete Pesticides Including POPs And Strengthening Pesticide Management In The Permanent Interstate Committee For Drought Control In The Sahel (CILSS) Member States	Ibrahima Sow	6-Jan-12
4641		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cameroon	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Sound Pesticide Management	Jie Pan	6-Jan-12

### Direct Access Proposals

4710		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	-	Antigua And Barbuda	Developing a Strategic Approach to Sustainable Land Management	Mohamed Bakarr	6-Jan-12
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### IADB

4603		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IADB	Colombia	Low-carbon and Efficient National Freight Logistics Initiative	Hiroaki Takiguchi	6-Jan-12
4603		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	IADB	Colombia	Low-carbon and Efficient National Freight Logistics Initiative	Hiroaki Takiguchi	6-Jan-12

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<b>UNDP</b>									
4771	4714	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Mexico	Enhancing National Capacities to manage Invasive Alien Species (IAS) by implementing the National Strategy on IAS	Andrew Velthaus	30-Dec-11
4751		FP	Land Degradation	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Botswana	Mainstreaming SLM in rangeland areas of Ngamiland district productive landscapes for improved livelihoods	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	30-Dec-11
3906	3967	FP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Malaysia	Enhancing Effectiveness and Financial Sustainability of Protected Areas	Nicole Glineur	30-Dec-11
4737	4905	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Armenia	Elimination of Obsolete Pesticide Stockpiles and addressing POPs Contaminated Sites within a Sound Chemicals Management Framework	Ibrahima Sow	30-Dec-11
4701	4790	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Niger	Scaling up Community-Based Adaptation (CBA) in Niger	Knut Sundstrom	3-Jan-12
4163	4334	FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Namibia	Concentrating Solar Power Technology Transfer for Electricity Generation in Namibia (NAM CSP TT)	Franck Jesus	4-Jan-12
4746	4607	FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP, FAO	Regional (Cook Islands, Fiji, Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Samoa)	Implementation of Global and Regional Oceanic Fisheries Conventions and Related Instruments in the Pacific Small Island Developing States (SIDS)	Andrew Hume	4-Jan-12

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4743	4651	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Developing an Effective Multiple Use Management Framework for Conserving Biodiversity in the Mountain Landscapes of the High Ranges, Western Ghats	Yoko Watanabe	4-Jan-12
4801	4546	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Vietnam	Promotion of Non-fired Brick (NFB) Production and Utilization	David Elrie Rodgers	5-Jan-12
4801	4546	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Vietnam	Promotion of Non-fired Brick (NFB) Production and Utilization	David Elrie Rodgers	5-Jan-12
4163	4334	FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Namibia	Concentrating Solar Power Technology Transfer for Electricity Generation in Namibia (NAM CSP TT)	Franck Jesus	5-Jan-12
4730	4327	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Increasing Representation of Effectively Managed Marine Ecosystems in the Protected Area System	Ivan Zavadsky	5-Jan-12
4748	4552	FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Regional (Central African Republic, Cameroon, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	Lake Chad SAP Implementation	Christian Severin	5-Jan-12

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<u>UNEP</u>									
4150		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Sri Lanka	Maintreaming Agrobiodiversity Conservation and Use in Sri Lankan Agro-ecosystems for Livelihoods and Adaptation to Climate Change	Yoko Watanabe	3-Jan-12
4533		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Global	Development of a Methodology With Tools and Decision Support Systems to Incorporate Floods and Droughts into IWRM in Transboundary Basins	Ivan Zavadsky	5-Jan-12

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<u>UNIDO</u>									
4788		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	India	Promoting Business Models for Increasing Penetration and Scaling up of Solar Energy	David Elrie Rodgers	5-Jan-12
4788		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	India	Promoting Business Models for Increasing Penetration and Scaling up of Solar Energy	David Elrie Rodgers	5-Jan-12
4784		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Introduction of Energy Management System Standard in Ukrainian Industry	David Elrie Rodgers	6-Jan-12
4784		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Ukraine	Introduction of Energy Management System Standard in Ukrainian Industry	David Elrie Rodgers	6-Jan-12
4755		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Lesotho	Manufacturing and Value Chain Development of Clean Cook Stoves in Lesotho & Southern Africa	Dimitrios Zevgolis	6-Jan-12
4755		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Lesotho	Manufacturing and Value Chain Development of Clean Cook Stoves in Lesotho & Southern Africa	Dimitrios Zevgolis	6-Jan-12
4758		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Ukraine	Market Development for Sustainable Production and Use of Liquid Biofuels	Dimitrios Zevgolis	6-Jan-12

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<u>World Bank</u>									
4605		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Belize	Management and Protection of Key Biodiversity Areas	Ian Gray	5-Jan-12
4217		FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	World Bank	Indonesia	Chiller Energy Efficiency Project	Franck Jesus	5-Jan-12

# Responses to Proponents

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4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4096		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, FAO	Sri Lanka	Promoting Sustainable Biomass Energy Production and Modern Bio-Energy Technologies	Dimitrios Zevgolis	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4756		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Benin	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Life-cycle Management of Pesticides	Jie Pan	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4641		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cameroon	ASP2 Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Sound Pesticide Management	Jie Pan	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4740		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad)	ASP2 Disposal Of Obsolete Pesticides Including POPs And Strengthening Pesticide Management In The Permanent Interstate Committee For Drought Control In The Sahel (CILSS) Member States	Ibrahima Sow	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4632		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	China	Conservation of Biodiversity and Sustainable Land Management in the Soda Saline-alkaline Wetlands in the Western Area of the Jilin Province	Ulrich Apel	6-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	ASP2 Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

## IFAD

4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
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4098		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Panama	Sustainable and Climate-friendly Development in Veraguas Province - Proyecto Participa	Linda Heath	5-Jan-12	FSP endorsed by CEO

## UNDP

4743	4651	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Developing an Effective Multiple Use Management Framework for Conserving Biodiversity in the Mountain Landscapes of the High Ranges, Western Ghats	Yoko Watanabe	3-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4667		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Guinea	Review and updating the National Strategy and Action Plan on the Biodiversity and development of national report to the CBD	Charlotte Gobin	3-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision (01/03/12 Review Sheet send it to UNDP)
4718	4675	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Brazil	Production of Sustainable, Renewable Biomass-based Charcoal for the Iron and steel Industry in Brazil	David Elrie Rodgers	3-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4601	4833	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP, UNIDO	Turkey	POPs Legacy Elimination and POPs Release Reduction Project	Anil Sookdeo	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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4760	4537	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Vietnam	Conservation of Critical Wetland PAs and Linked Landscapes	Ulrich Apel	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4760	4537	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Vietnam	Conservation of Critical Wetland PAs and Linked Landscapes	Ulrich Apel	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4749	4695	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Lebanon	Small Decentralized Renewable Energy Power Generation	Hiroaki Takiguchi	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4730	4327	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Increasing Representation of Effectively Managed Marine Ecosystems in the Protected Area System	Ivan Zavadsky	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4742	4669	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Armenia	Green Urban Lighting	David Elrie Rodgers	4-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4096	4226	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, FAO	Sri Lanka	Promoting Sustainable Biomass Energy Production and Modern Bio-Energy Technologies	Dimitrios Zevgolis	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision
4719	4877	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Kazakhstan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	5-Jan-12	EA recommended for CEO approval (Docs circulating for signature)
4163	4334	FP	Climate Change	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Namibia	Concentrating Solar Power Technology Transfer for Electricity Generation in Namibia (NAM CSP TT)	Franck Jesus	5-Jan-12	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4392	4567	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Egypt	Protect Human Health and the Environment from Unintentional Releases of POPs Originating from Incineration and Open Burning of Health Care- and Electronic-waste.	Anil Sookdeo	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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4719	4877EA	Biodiversity	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Kazakhstan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	5-Jan-12	EA approved by CEO
3906	3967FP	Biodiversity	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNDP	Malaysia	Enhancing Effectiveness and Financial Sustainability of Protected Areas	Nicole Glineur	6-Jan-12	Milestone Extension approved by CEO
4772	4720FP	Multi Focal Area	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Colombia	Conservation and Sustainable use of Biodiversity in Dry Ecosystems to Guarantee the Flow of Ecosystem Services and to Mitigate the Processes of Deforestation and Desertification.	Ian Gray	6-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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<u>UNEP</u>										
4634		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Ukraine	Conserving, Enhancing and Managing Carbon Stocks and Biodiversity while Promoting Sustainable Development in the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone through the Establishment of a Research and Environmental Protection Centre and Protected Area	Ulrich Apel	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4694		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Tajikistan	Support for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Yoko Watanabe	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
4695		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Support to Bosnia and Herzegovina for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Yoko Watanabe	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision

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4663		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Mongolia	With the overarching goal of integrating CBD Obligations into National Planning Processes through Enabling Activities, the main objective of this project is to enable Mongolia to revise its National Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans (NBSAPs) and to develop the Fifth National Report to the CBD	Yoko Watanabe	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
3045		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Ghana	BS Implementation of the National Biosafety Framework for Ghana	Jaime Cavelier	4-Jan-12	MSP recommended for CEO approval (Cover Memo and Review Sheet Completed)
4684		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Swaziland	Support to Swaziland for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavelier	4-Jan-12	EA recommended for CEO approval (Cover Memo and Review Sheet Completed)
4091		FP	Biodiversity	CEO Approval for Milestone Extension	UNEP	Ethiopia	Capacity Building for Access and Benefit Sharing and Conservation and Sustainable Use of Medicinal Plants	Jaime Cavelier	4-Jan-12	Milestone Extension pending GEF Sec approval (Email sent to Agency requesting information on status of MSP)

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4513		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Global (Benin, Bhutan, Central African Republic, Cape Verde, Djibouti, Dominica, Grenada, Gambia, Equatorial Guinea, Guyana, Cambodia, St. Kitts And Nevis, Lao PDR, Liberia, Madagascar, Mauritania, Maldives, Malawi, Nepal, Niue, Palau, Rwanda, Solomon Islands, Togo, Tonga, Uganda, St. Vincent and Grenadines, Vanuatu, Zambia, Congo DR)	Support to GEF Eligible Parties (LDCs & SIDs) for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD - Phase 1	Mark Zimsky	5-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (1/5/12 Review Sheet send it to UNEP)
4684		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Swaziland	Support to Swaziland for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavelier	5-Jan-12	EA approved by CEO (01/9/12 Approval Letter sent it to UNEP)
4533		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Global	Development of a Methodology With Tools and Decision Support Systems to Incorporate Floods and Droughts into IWRM in Transboundary Basins	Ivan Zavadsky	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO (01/9/12 PIF Approval Letter send it to UNEP)

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<u>UNIDO</u>										
4785		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Cameroon	Promoting Investments in the Fight against Climate Change and Ecosystems Protection through Integrated Renewable Energy and Biomass Solutions for Productive Uses and Industrial Applications	Franck Jesus	30-Dec-11	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4799		MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Regional (Ecuador, Peru)	Implementing Integrated Measures for Minimizing Mercury Releases from Artisanal gold Mining	Ibrahima Sow	3-Jan-12	MSP sent to Agency for revision
4601		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP, UNIDO	Turkey	POPs Legacy Elimination and POPs Release Reduction Project	Anil Sookdeo	4-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
<u>World Bank</u>										
4505		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Peru	Strengthening Sustainable Management of the Guano Islands, Islets and Capes National Reserve System (RNSIIPG)	Ian Gray	3-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision