



DRC Fast track programs
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Considering:

- The existing portfolio in FONAREDD funded with CAFI resources, the programs and program ideas developed during the first partnership and priority programs funded with government resources;
- The need to secure the funding allocation made available by CAFI donors for 2022, for which a demonstration of needs is necessary this year.

The Executive Board in agreement with the Government of DRC

1. approves the following list of projects for inclusion in a fast-track process:
 - a. PIREDD Mongala, Enabel
 - b. Promis, UNOPS
 - c. PIREDD Kwilu, JICA
 - d. PIREDD Equateur, FAO (with WWF)
 - e. PIREDD Plateau, WWF
 - f. PIREDD Sud Ubangi, Enabel
 - g. PIREDD Kolomami, Enabel
 - h. REDD+ Norms, GIZ
 - i. Sustainable Energy
 - j. LDP-145 Territories, (tbc: UNDP as managing agent)
 - k. Institutional support to MEDD and MinFin, entity to be defined
 - l. Technical assistance to milestones, entity to be defined
2. requests the CAFI secretariat to develop terms of reference with the FONAREDD Secretariat which highlight clear targets as well as the necessity to significantly engage with, support and delegate implementation to national implementing partners and the private sector.
3. requests the CAFI secretariat to contact together with the FONAREDD Secretariat the relevant implementing organizations and ask them to submit the required documents based on which funding allocation decisions can be made.
4. reiterates that the present decision does not represent a funding allocation decision. Funding will be approved based on agency submissions and according to the Terms of Reference of the Trust Fund.

5. underlines that projects under the CAFI-DRC partnership are executed by implementing organizations on behalf of the government, and that implementing organizations must develop their proposals in close coordination and synergy with the relevant national and local government counterparts.
6. reiterates that the fast-track process does not replace the ongoing call for expression of interests, which remains a key process to develop the pipeline of interventions under the DRC-CAFI partnership, but rather complements it;
7. requests the CAFI secretariat to propose an update to the list of projects for fast-track in August-September 2022, following the review of submissions from the call for expressions of interest.