

Investment Phase:

Peer Advisor Semi-Annual Report

Timor Leste

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Institute

Systematic Observations Financing Facility

Weather and climate data for resilience





General Information

Country	Timor Leste					
Peer Advisor	Finnish Meteorological Institute (FMI) [Finland]					
Implementing Entity	UNEP (United Nations Environment Programme)					
Agreement effectiveness date	3 February 2025					
Duration	60					
Anticipated end date	3 February 2030					
Reporting period	From: 1 January 2025	To: 30 June 2025				
Approved peer advisory fee	USD 366,402					
Disbursed peer advisory fee	USD 122,012					
Percentage of financial implementation	33%					
Peer advisors's focal point signature	E Puril					
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Summary

Since the agreement took effect in February, UNEP has been working on the various contracts with its technical partners (RIMES and BMKG) and DNMG. Online meetings and email communications have been established to plan the first-year agreements. It is expected that all agreements will be signed by the end of August. After that, the first technical meetings will take place, and the inception workshop will be organised in November. FMI will be participating in both technical meetings and the inception meeting. The first steps will involve the IT system required at DNMG for data acquisition and delivery. FMI will work in close cooperation with RIMES on systems acquisition and integration with existing systems, as planned in the first year's implementation plan.

Implementation progress

Services or activities listed in the peer advisor's ToR and assignment agreement must be included in the category "activities conducted/contribution" below. Sections that are not relevant or covered in the TOR can be left blank.

Output	Indicator (Please copy the indicators from RBM section of the funding request)	Activities conducted/contributions (Please list all activities that will be conducted by the peer advisor relevant to the output. Please add rows if more than one activity will be conducted)	lm	pleme	ntati	ion pl	lan¹	Status	Challenges and risks
			Y1	Y2	Y 3	Y4	Y5		
1. GBON institutional and hum	nan capacity developed								
1.1 National consultations , including with CSOs and other relevant stakeholders conducted	Number of stakeholder engagement workshops	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
	Percentage of female participants	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
	Number of National Climate Outlook Forums (NCOF) held	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
1.2 NMHS institutional capacity required to operate the GBON network developed	Data sharing policy developed	Enhancing competence- building process in DNMG				1		Not yet started	
	Add indicator as per approved funding request	Specify activities relevant to the output						Select an item	
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1.3 NMHS human capacity required to operate the GBON network developed	Number of technical staff paid by the project	Technical support in radio sounding tender		1				Not yet started	
	Number of technical trainings conducted	Technical support in IT hardware tender	1					Not yet started	
	Number of technical trainings conducted	Benchmark portfolio and project management and coordination			1			Not yet started	
	Percentage of female participants	Conducting gender workshops to strengthen gender equality in governance, strategy, programmes, and decision making, and facilitate grounds for developing gender policy					1	Not yet started	

¹ Indicate which year the activity is targeted to be conducted



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2. GBON infrastructure in place	e		ı		ı				
2.1 New land-based stations and related equipment, ICT systems, data management systems and standard operating practices in place	# of new stations installed as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
2.2 Improved land-based stations and related equipment, ICT systems, data management systems and standard operating practices in place	# of stations improved as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
2.3 New upper air stations and related equipment, ICT systems, data management systems and standard operating practices in place	# of new stations installed as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
2.4 Improved upper air stations and related equipment, ICT systems, data management systems and standard operating practices in place	# of stations improved as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	
3. Sustained compliance with 0	BON								
3.1 GBON land-based stations' commissioning period completed , country- specific standard cost for operations and maintenance established, and data sharing verified by WMO Technical Authority	# of stations commissioned as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	



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3.2 GBON upper air stations' commissioning period completed , country-specific standard cost for operations and maintenance established, and data sharing verified by WMO Technical Authority	# of stations commissioned as per the GBON National Contribution Plan	Specify activities relevant to the output						Not yet started	