



## **SUBMISSION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA**

### **COP 22 Decision 11 on Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties and Guidance to the Global Environment Facility**

Pursuant to the Decision 11/CP.22 adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-second session in November 2016 on the elements to be taken into account in developing guidance to the Global Environment Facility, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia hereby submits its views as follows:

1. The GEF Council should enhance or at least maintain the allocation of GEF-7 fund for climate change focal areas.
2. The GEF, in its next replenishment cycle, should maintain the STAR (System for Transparent Allocation of Resources) on the understanding that it is a system for resources allocation to eligible countries that is based on transparency and reflects the performance of the respective countries as well as their potential in achieving global environmental benefits.
3. The approach in resource allocation of the GEF 7 should allow countries to be the main determinant of such allocations, and should increase the flexibility for reallocation of funds between focal areas.
4. Developed country Parties and any other Parties in a position to do so should continue and enhance their voluntary financial contribution to the GEF, to ensure a robust GEF-7 in providing adequate and predictable funding taking into consideration the Paris Agreement.
5. To allow more direct access to the fund, Indonesia urges the GEF to begin a new round of accreditation of agencies, so that new national and regional agencies can join the current portfolio of GEF agencies.
6. To allow more incentive to local or community-based initiatives and for greater significant environmental, social and economic benefits at local community level, Indonesia urges for the continuation and strengthening the GEF Small Grants Programs.

7. The GEF should continue its efforts to deliver global environmental benefits by responding national priorities and international commitment under the three Conventions (UNFCCC, UNCBD, UNCCD).
8. Further, Indonesia would like to encourage the GEF Council to improve continuously the complimentary and coherence with other operating entities/financial institutions.

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