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**Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting  
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Item 10(b) of the provisional agenda

**Adaptation Fund**

**Review of the Adaptation Fund**

**Views on the review of the Adaption Fund**

**Submissions from Parties and interested international organizations  
and stakeholders**

1. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP), at its sixth session, invited Parties and interested international organizations and stakeholders to submit to the secretariat, by 19 September 2011, their views on the review of the Adaptation Fund based on the terms of reference annexed to decision 6/CMP.6.
2. The CMP requested the secretariat to compile these submissions into a miscellaneous document to be made available by its seventh session.<sup>1</sup>
3. The secretariat received one such submission on 19 March 2011. In accordance with the procedure for miscellaneous documents, this submission from the United Nations Human Settlements Programme<sup>2</sup> is attached and reproduced\* in the language in which it was received and without formal editing.

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 6/CMP.6, paragraph 5.

<sup>2</sup> Also made available at <<http://unfccc.int/3714.php>>.

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## Submission from the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

Submission of views or information by Parties to the UNFCCC (Ref: ODES/COP 16/10): response prepared by UN-Habitat.

### **Review of the Adaptation Fund (CMP)**

Submission of views from Parties and international organizations and stakeholders on the review of the Adaptation Fund based on the terms of reference annexed in document FCCC/KP/CMP/2010/L.5 paragraph 4) 19<sup>th</sup> September 2011

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UN-Habitat welcomes the review of the Adaptation Trust fund and the substantial progress made so far. We recommend that in future the review process should also consider reviewing and presenting an analysis of the sector and urban/rural scope of projects funded so far, as well as concept notes currently being considered. This shall facilitate the consideration of any further action needed especially in urban areas as over 70% of the population live in cities and towns affected by climate change issues.

UN-HABITAT intends to submit an application to be considered for a role as international implementing agency of the Adaptation Fund.

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