

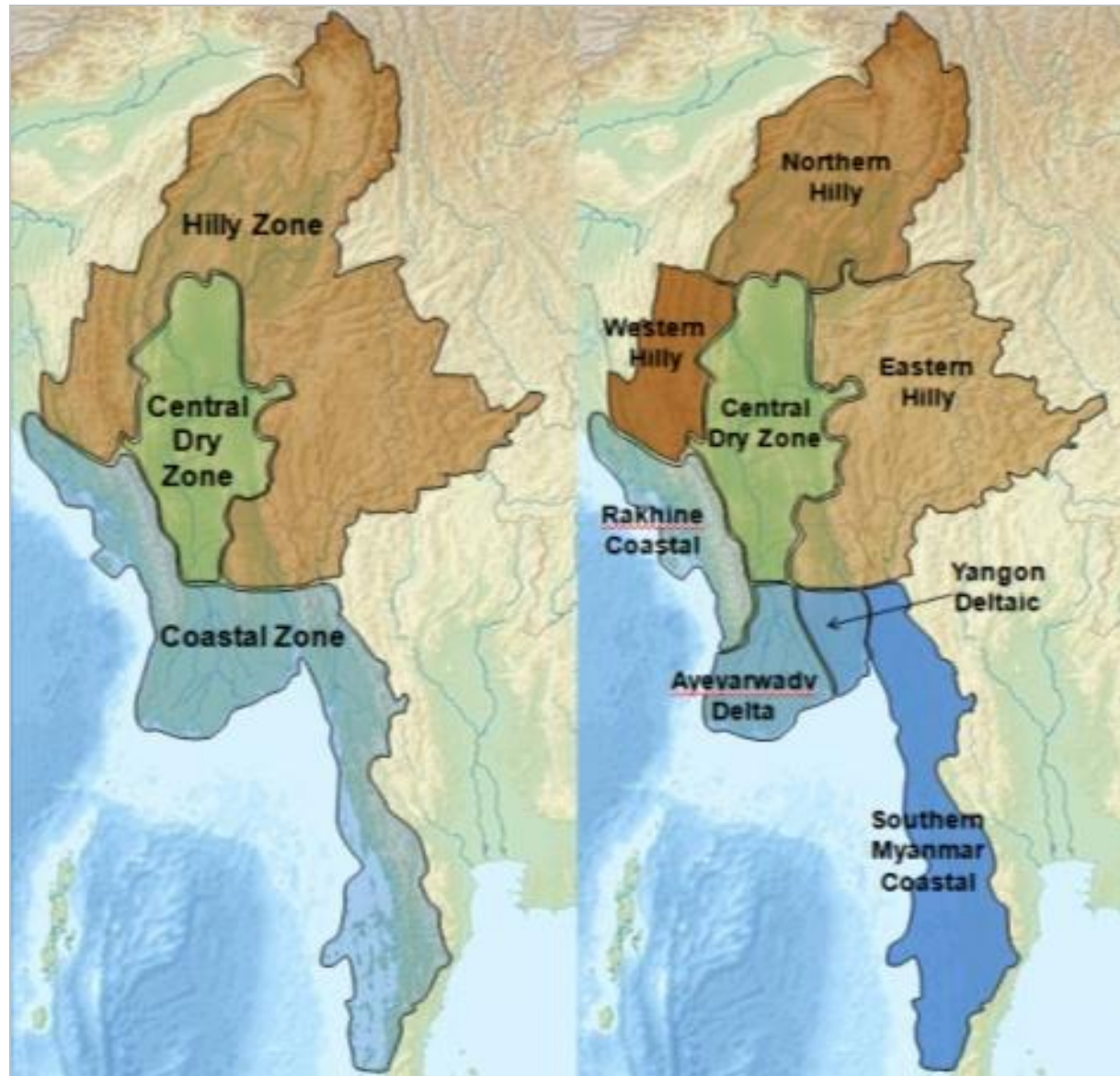
**Myanmar's experience in applying for
funding from the Adaptation Fund
and designing its projects "Addressing
Climate Change Risks on Water
Resources and Food Security in the Dry
Zone of Myanmar"**

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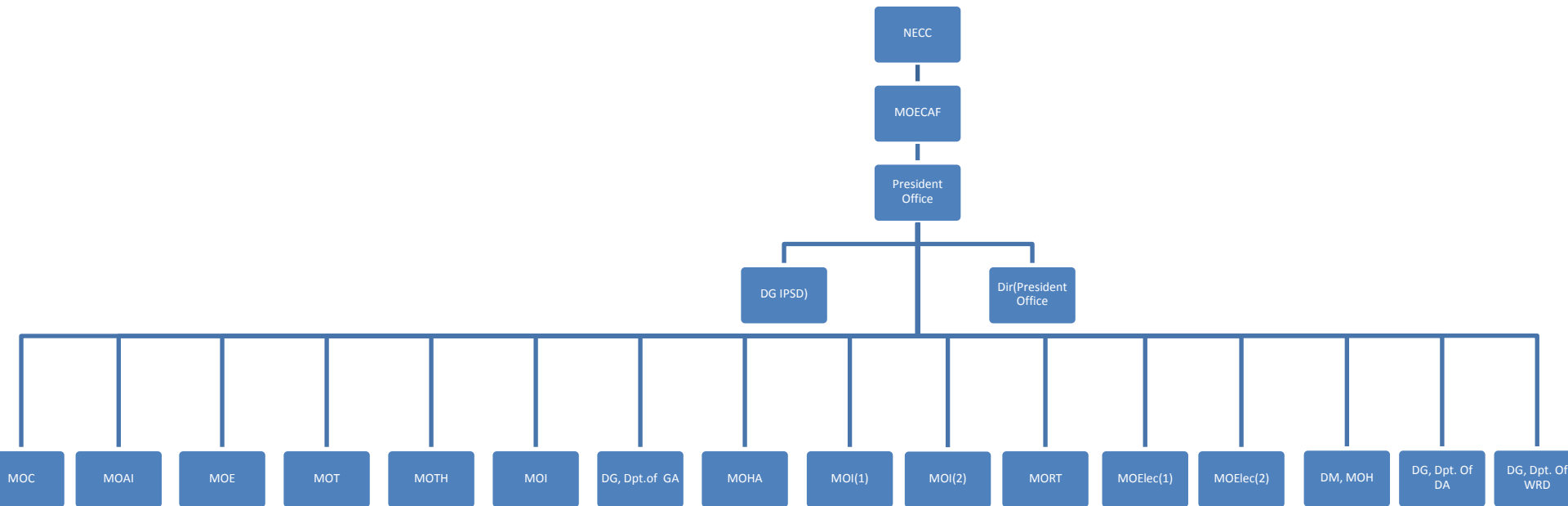
Apsara Angkor Resort, Siem Reap,
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Ecological Zones in Myanmar

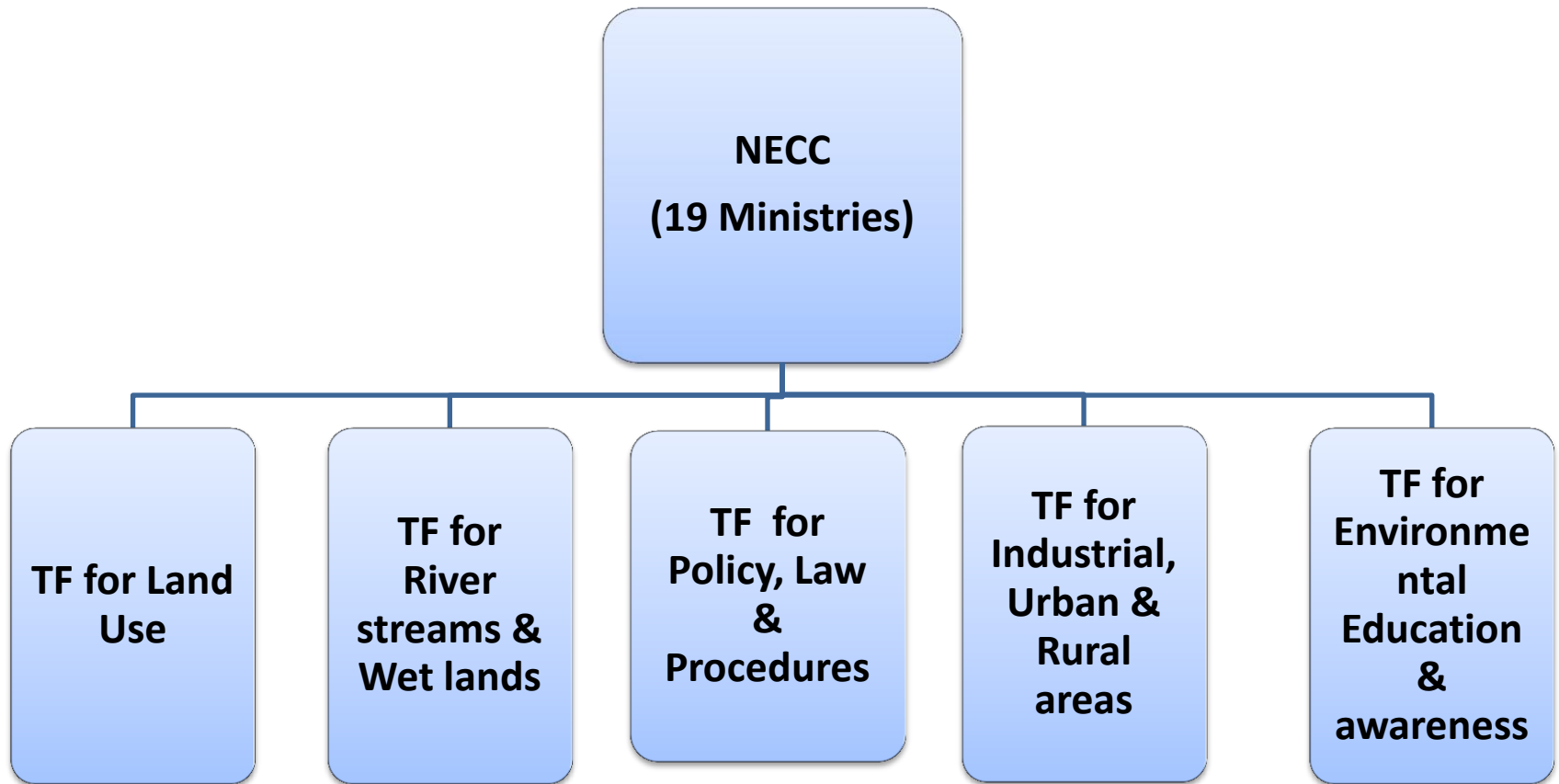


Environmental Governance

National Environmental Conservation Committee



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- Dealing to combat desertification as a party of UNCCD, the Dry Zone Greening Department (DZGD) which was established in 1997 is intensively undertaking the greening activities in terms of;
 - conservation of the remaining natural forest,
 - establishment of plantation,
 - conservation of the water resources and
 - fuel wood substitution activities for acceleration of the environmental stability along with 30-year comprehensive master plan in arid zone of central Myanmar.

Myanmar is a member of a constituency comprised of the following 8 countries : Cambodia, Korea DPR, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Thailand, and Vietnam



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Approved 6 National Projects

<u>GEF ID</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Focal Area</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Project Type</u>	<u>GEF Grant</u>	<u>Cofinancing</u>	<u>Status</u>
5321	Myanmar	Improvement of Industrial Energy Efficiency	Climate Change	UNIDO	FP	2,730,000	13,800,000	Council Approved
5123	Myanmar	Sustainable Cropland and Forest Management in Priority Agro-ecosystems of Myanmar	Multi Focal Area	FAO	FP	6,183,030	13,500,000	Council Approved
5182	Myanmar	Enabling Activities to Facilitate early Action on the Implementation of the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Myanmar	POPs	UNIDO	EA	500,000	500,000	CEO Approved
5159	Myanmar	Strengthening Sustainability of Protected Area Management	Biodiversity	UNDP	FP	6,027,400	17,896,300	Council Approved
3407	Myanmar	Development of the National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP)	Biodiversity	UNEP	EA	200,000	50,000	CEO Approved
3702	Myanmar	Preparation of National Adaptation Programme of Action (NAPA)	Climate Change	UNEP	EA	200,000	30,000	CEO Approved
Subtotal						15,840,430	45,776,300	

Approved one out of 6 Regional and Global Projects

<u>GEF ID</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Focal Area</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Project Type</u>	<u>GEF Grant</u>	<u>Cofinancing</u>	<u>Status</u>
385	Regional	Asia Least-Cost Greenhouse Gas Abatement Strategy (ALGAS)	Climate Change	UNDP	EA	9,500,000	3,500,000	IA Approved

- As the commitment of the Convention, the **National Adaptation Plan of Action (NAPA)** has been developed in cooperation with UNEP.
 - 8 Priority areas and activities;
 - in eight main sectors for effective climate change adaptation were identified in NAPA.
 - Under this action plan (NAPA), the project proposals in collaboration with UN-agencies and international organizations are being prepared to submit to the GEF.

Projects funded by GEF

- **Initial National Communication (INC)** (submitted to UNFCCC on 26 Dec 2012)
- **Second National Communication (SNC)** (preparing to sign on PIF)

Proposals on climate change adaptation jointly prepared by MOECAAF and UNDP, FAO and UNIDO through consultation with stakeholders have been approved by the GEF-Secretariat

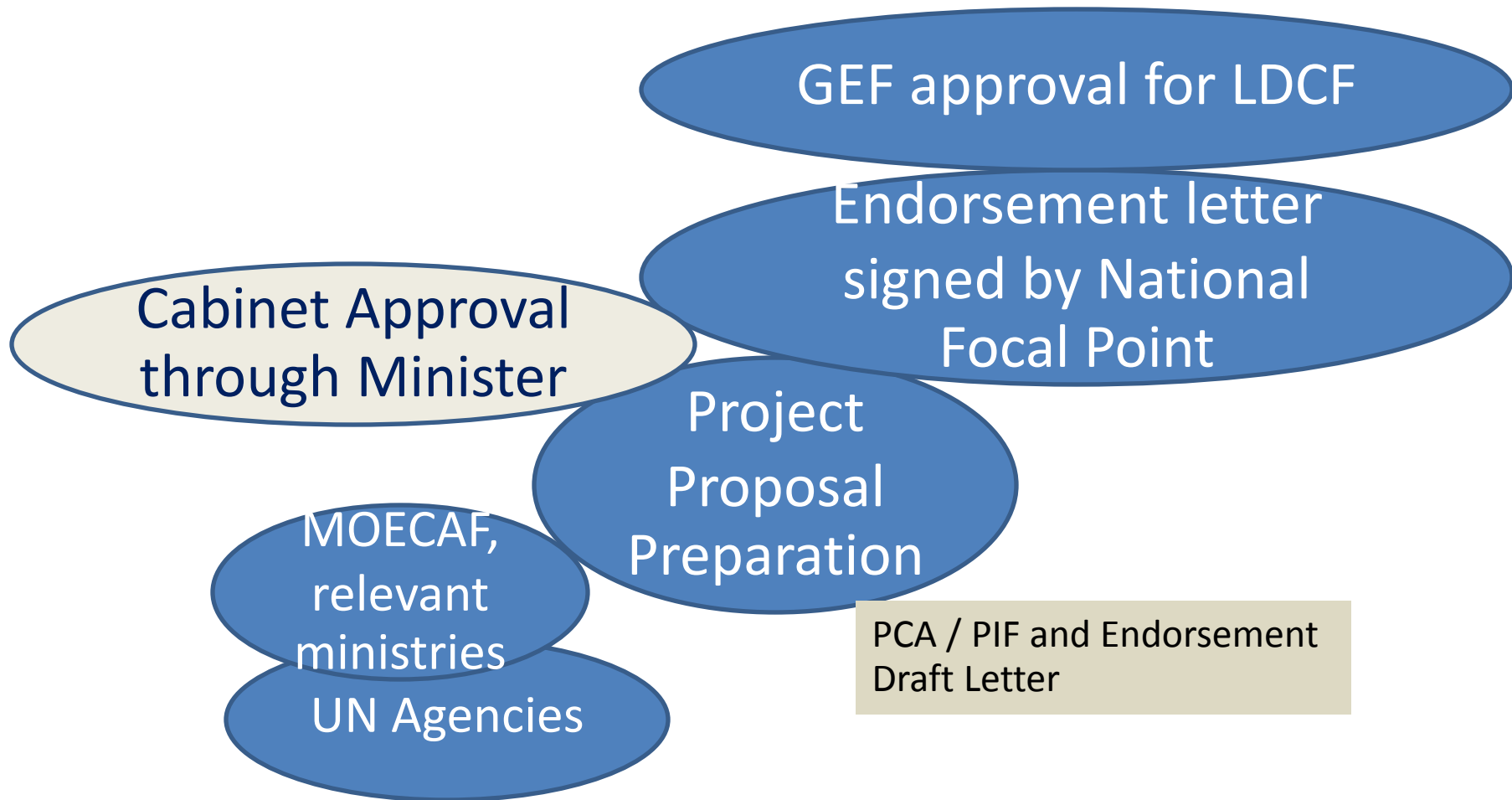
- **Addressing Climate Change Risks on Water Resources and Food Security in the Dry Zone of Myanmar**
- Sustainable Cropland and Forest Management in Priority Agro-ecosystems of Myanmar
- Implementation of Energy Efficiency in Industrial and Energy Sector

Project Proposal for being applied for GEF

- “Adapting Community Forestry Landscapes to a Changing Climate Change in Particular an Increase in the Frequency and Intensity of Extreme Weather Events” (endorsement letter had been signed by National Focal Point on 16 Aug 2013 and being sent to Director of GEF Coordinator Office, UNEP, Nairobi, Kenya).

Project Title:	Adapting Community Forestry landscapes and associated community livelihoods to a changing climate, in particular an increase in the frequency and intensity of extreme weather events.		
Country(ies):	Myanmar	GEF Project ID:	
GEF Agency(ies):	UNEP	GEF Agency Project ID:	
Other Executing Partner(s):	Ministry of Environmental Conservation and Forestry (MoECF)/Forest Department (FD), Ministry of Transport(MoT)/ Department of Meteorology and Hydrology (DMH)	Submission Date:	April 2013
GEF Focal Area (s):	Climate Change	Project Duration(Months)	48
		Agency Fee (US\$):	475,000

Process to apply for GEF's LDCF



Thank You So Much

