



## ADAPTATION FUND

5 July 2016

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Adaptation Fund Board

### **Proposal for Antigua and Barbuda (ABED)**

Antigua and Barbuda: An integrated approach to physical adaptation and community resilience in Antigua and Barbuda's northwest McKinnon's watershed (Project Concept; Antigua and Barbuda Department of Environment (ABED); ATG/NIE/Multi/2016/1; US\$ 9,970,000)

Having considered the intersessional technical review of the project concept carried out by the secretariat and the Project and Programme Review Committee (PPRC), and the recommendation of the PPRC, the Adaptation Fund Board decides to:

- (a) Endorse the project concept, as supplemented by the clarification response provided by the Antigua and Barbuda Department of Environment to the request made by the technical review
- (b) Request the secretariat to transmit to the Antigua and Barbuda Department of Environment the observations in the review sheet annexed to the notification of the Board's decision, as well as the following issues:
  - (i) The fully-developed project document should demonstrate how the feedback from community consultations has been reflected in the project design;
  - (ii) The fully-developed project document should specify, to the extent possible, the specific and concrete interventions that the project will support (including scale, scope, number of beneficiaries, etc.); and
  - (iii) Recognizing both the innovative nature of and inherent uncertainty of the allocation of AF funds, the fully-developed project document should provide the entire set of guidelines, procedures, and terms for the revolving micro-loan program.
- (c) Approve the Project Formulation Grant of US\$ 30,000;
- (d) Request the Antigua and Barbuda Department of Environment to transmit the observations under item (b) to the Government of Antigua and Barbuda; and
- (e) Encourage the Government of Antigua and Barbuda to submit through the Department of Environment a fully-developed project proposal that would address the observations under item (b) above.

**Decision B.27-28/13**