

8 July 2019

Adaptation Fund Board

Proposal for Turkmenistan (UNDP)

<u>Turkmenistan: Scaling Climate Resilience for Farmers in Turkmenistan</u> (Fully-developed project; United Nations Development Programme (UNDP); TKM/MIE/Agric/2018/1; US\$ 7,000,040)

Having considered the recommendation of the Project and Programme Review Committee, the Adaptation Fund Board (the Board) <u>decides</u> to:

- Not approve the fully-developed project, as supplemented by the clarification responses provided by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) to the request made by the technical review;
- b) Suggest that UNDP reformulate the proposal taking into account the observations in the review sheet annexed to the notification of the Board's decision, as well as the following issues:
 - (i) The proposal should clarify how some of the ESP risks findings are substantiated;
 - (ii) The proposal should ensure that the environmental and social risks identification and management process for the identified adaptation measures as well as for the USPs is clearly outlined in the environmental and social management plan of the project, in compliance with the Environmental and Social Policy of the Fund.
- c) Request UNDP to transmit the observations under subparagraph b) to the Government of Turkmenistan.

Decision B.33-34/21