



ADAPTATION FUND

8 July 2019

Adaptation Fund Board

Proposal for Djibouti, Kenya, Sudan, Uganda (OSS)

Djibouti, Kenya, Sudan, Uganda: Strengthening Drought Resilience of Small Holder Farmers and Pastoralists in the IGAD Region (Fully-developed project; Sahara and Sahel Observatory (OSS); AFR/RIE/DRR/2017/1; US\$ 13,079,540)

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

- a) Not approve the fully-developed proposal, as supplemented by the clarification responses provided by the Sahara and Sahel Observatory (OSS); to the request made by the technical review;
- b) Suggest that OSS 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 project document should clarify the applicable national technical standards and how these will be complied with.
 - (ii) The project document should provide further clarifications on the consultation process with respect to indigenous peoples and, provide further information on marginalized and vulnerable groups, ecosystems and biodiversity assets.
 - (iii) The project document should consolidate and complete the information on an Environment and Social Management Plan (ESMP) that includes the safeguard measures that have already been identified, as well as the process for ESP and GP compliance for the unidentified sub projects (USPs).
- c) Request OSS to transmit the observations under subparagraph b) to the Governments of Djibouti, Kenya, Sudan and Uganda.

Decision B.33-34/22