



ADAPTATION FUND

23 September 2020

Adaptation Fund Board

Proposal for Uganda

Uganda: Enhancing Resilience of Communities and Fragile Ecosystems to Climate Change in Katonga Catchment (concept note; Ministry of Water and Environment (MOWE); UGA/NIE/Water/2019/1; US\$ 2,249,000).

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

- a) Endorse the concept note, as supplemented by the clarification responses provided by the Ministry of Water and Environment (MOWE) to the request made by the technical review;
- b) Request the secretariat to notify MOWE of 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 proposal should present a strong climate change adaptation rationale;
 - (ii) The fully-developed project proposal elaborate on the cost-effectiveness justification of the chosen interventions;
 - (iii) The fully-developed proposal should elaborate further the linkages and synergies with all the relevant projects, including areas of overlap and complementarity;
 - (iv) The fully-developed proposal should elaborate on its long-term sustainability and scalability of the proposed adaptation measures.
- c) Approve the project formulation grant of US \$ 27,000;
- d) Approve the project formulation assistance grant of US \$ 20,000;
- e) Request MOWE to transmit the observations under subparagraph b) to the Government of Uganda; and

- f) Encourage the Government of Uganda to submit, through MOWE, a fully developed project proposal.

Decision B.35.a-35.b/59