



ADAPTATION FUND

23 September 2020

Adaptation Fund Board

Proposal for Angola, Namibia

Angola, Namibia: Resilience Building as Climate Change Adaptation in Drought-struck South-western African Communities (Concept note; Sahara and Sahel Observatory (OSS); AFR/RIE/Rural/2019/PPC/1; US\$ 11,880,000).

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 Sahara and Sahel Observatory (OSS) to the request made by the technical review;
- b) Request the secretariat to notify OSS of the observations in the review sheet annexed to the notification of the Board's decision, as well as the following issue:
 - (i) The fully-developed project proposal should strengthen issues pertaining to innovation, gender, cost-effectiveness, and compliance with the ESP.
- c) Approve the project formulation grant of US\$ 80,000;
- d) Request OSS to transmit the observations under subparagraph b) to the Governments of Angola and Namibia; and
- e) Encourage the Governments of Angola and Namibia to submit, through OSS, a fully-developed project proposal that would also address the observations under subparagraph b), above.

Decision B.35.a-35.b/67