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ПРОГРАММА ОРГАНИЗАЦИИ ОБЪЕДИНЕННЫХ НАЦИЙ ПО ОКРУЖАЮЩЕЙ СРЕДЕ

Activity Delivery Report

1.1. Project title:	ICA – DEPI-ROLAC for Implementation of the REDD+ activities in Argentina
1.2. Project number:	UNEP/ICA/2015/DEPI/CAATEB-UN-REDD/059
1.3. Responsible division in UNEP:	DEPI-ROLAC
1.4. Project starting date:	April 16 th 2015
1.5. Project completion date:	31 th December 2017
1.6. Reporting period:	January 2015 – 30 th June 2015

2.1 Output/activity delivery status

Outputs	Status	
Report on multiple benefits of REDD+ in Argentina	This activity is expected to begin during 2016. At the moment, there is a draft agreement with WCMC to support activities in Argentina.	None
Report on economic analysis of REDD+ in Argentina, including costs and potential benefits, and feasibility of funding options.	During the period of reporting, an expression of interest was published. Seven organizations sent documentation for evaluation including (i) type of organization (non-profit), (ii) experience in similar work, (iii) technical proposal, (iv) budget and (v) additional support provided. A candidate was selected (INTA) which showed experience in similar type of work, a solid technical team and budget within range. Work will begin in the second semester of 2015.	None
Report on spatial analysis of REDD+ in Argentina, including deforestation scenarios and links to national development policies	An expression of interest was published. Six organizations sent documentation for evaluation, including (i) type of organization (non-profit), (ii) experience in similar work, (iii) technical proposal, (iv) budget and (v) additional support provided. The Guido Di Tella University was selected for the assignment. Work will begin in the second semester of 2015.	None
Report on proposal for an information system on how safeguards are being applied in REDD+ in Argentina and a first safeguards information summary to be submitted to the UNFCCC.	A UNEP focal point was selected to integrate the national project team. In collaboration with the Project Implementation Unit, a workplan has been developed.	None

General Comments:

The launching of activities in Argentina has experienced delays outside of the control of UNEP. The Inception Workshop has been planned for Mid-July and we expect to have a AWP approved by the end of July.

During this reporting period, UNEP has undertaken preparatory activities so as to ensure activities continue to be within the timeframe agreed in the ICA.

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