

## Safeguards Compliance Memorandum

### Project Information

Project Name	Adaptive Management and Learning Project ( <i>Component on Global Impacts Platform</i> )
GEF Focal Area	Integrated Approach Program Set Aside
Safeguards Categorization	C

### Project Description

The Global Impacts Platform is a component of the Adaptive Management & Learning Project, under the GEF-6 Commodities IAP Program, and is described as a sub-project in this document. The sub-project will consolidate evidence, fill gaps in the evidence base and help foster decision-making by synthesizing and communicating available evidence about sustainable production and sourcing initiatives. In doing so, it will support a robust adaptive management approach not only for the GEF IAP on Taking Deforestation out of Commodity Supply Chains but also for the wider universe of company- and donor-supported actions to accelerate a transition to low-deforestation and sustainable commodity production. The centerpiece of the project will be the development and operation of a Global Impacts Platform for Sustainable and Low-Deforestation Commodity Production and Sourcing Initiatives, which will house reports, articles, and analysis and make this information easily accessible for decision makers.

Project location and salient physical characteristics relevant to the safeguard analysis

Not applicable.

Safeguards Policies	Triggered	Explanation
Natural Habitat	No	N/A
Indigenous People	No	N/A
Involuntary Resettlement	No	N/A
Pest Management	No	N/A

**Summary of Key Safeguards Issues**

Describe any safeguard issues and impacts associated with the proposed project. Identify and describe any potential large scale, significant and/or irreversible impacts:
Describe measures taken by the Project Team to address safeguard policy issues. Provide an assessment of borrower capacity to plan and implement the measures described
Identify the key stakeholders and describe the mechanisms for consultation and disclosure on safeguard policies, with an emphasis on potentially affected people.

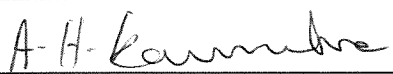

**Monitoring and Compliance**

Have satisfactory calendar, budget and clear institutional responsibilities been prepared for the implementation of measures related to safeguard policies? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Have costs related to safeguard policy measures been included in the project cost? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Does the Monitoring and Evaluation system of the project include the monitoring of safeguard impacts and measures related to safeguard policies? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Have satisfactory implementation arrangements been agreed with the borrower and the same been adequately reflected in the project legal documents? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Have relevant safeguard policies documents been sent to WWF-US? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Have relevant documents been disclosed in-country in a public place in a form and language that are understandable and accessible to project-affected groups and local NGOs? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Disclosure Requirements**

Not Applicable.

**Approvals**

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