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UNITAR

National Profile Preparation, Priority Setting and Information Exchange for Sound Chemicals Management

Support Available for 15 Developing Countries and Countries with Economies in Transition in 2004-2005

Application Deadline: 29 February 2004

PROJECT APPLICATION FORM

with funding provided by the European Commission



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APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR INTERESTED COUNTRIES

Background

In 2004–2005, UNITAR, with financial support provided by the European Commission, will be in a position to support 15 developing countries and countries with economies in transition to prepare a National Profile, organize a National Priority Setting Workshop and strengthen information exchange through preparation of a Chemical Safety Webpage. Projects are expected to commence in April 2004 and will be conducted over a period of about 18 months.

Expected Project Outputs and Support Available from UNITAR

Partner countries will contribute to the project by:

- preparing a National Profile through a process involving key government sectors and relevant public interest groups;
- organizing a National Priority Setting Workshop with multi-sectoral and multi-stakeholder participation; and
- developing a National Chemical Safety Webpage which includes (or provides links to) chemical safety information from relevant national sectors and stakeholders

UNITAR will be able to provide the following support to project countries:

- Guidance documentation for preparing a National Profile and organizing a National Priority Setting Workshop
- A grant of up to USD 25,000. -- to contribute to locally executed activities
- Technical support and participation of a resource person in relevant national activities

Application Procedure and Selection Process

If a country would like to participate in this Project, it should prepare a statement of interest and complete the attached Application Form and annexes with the endorsement and co-sponsorship of at least two other key ministries involved in chemicals management. Annex 1 of the application should list the various parties - within and outside of government - which will be involved in preparing the National Profile and in the National Priority Setting Workshop. Annex 2 should provide a budget estimate associated with specific activities. The maximum amount of grant resources which can be provided per country is USD 25,000.--.

The application package should reach UNITAR by 29 February 2004 at the latest. Only one application per country should be submitted to UNITAR. Countries will be selected in March 2004 and informed thereafter. Once a country has been selected for participation, a Memorandum of Agreement will be signed between the country and UNITAR in order to provide the framework conditions for support.

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APPLICATION FORM

Country:

The following National Coordinator for the National Project has been nominated:

Department:

Ministry:

Address:

Name of contact point:

TEL

FAX

e-mail

Ministries co-sponsoring the application:

Ministry	Name and Address of Contact point

Enclosures: *Statement of Interest*

Annex 1: National Agencies and Organizations Participating in the Project

Annex 2: Proposed Project Budget

Name and Title:

Signature

Date:

APPLICATION FORM - ANNEX 1

Country:

National Agencies and Organizations Participating in the Project

I. Government Sector

Government Sector	Name of Agency
Environment	
Agriculture	
Health	
Labour	
Industry	
Customs	
Other	

II. NGO Sector

Sector	Name
Environmental Interest Groups	
Consumer Interest Groups	
Pesticide Industry Associations	
Industrial Chemicals Industry Associations	
Other	

III. Academic and Research Sector

Sector	Name
University	
Other	

IV. International and Bi-lateral Organizations (optional)

Sector	Name

APPLICATION FORM - ANNEX 2

Country:

Proposed Project Budget (in USD)

Description	National Profile Development	Holding a National Priority Setting Workshop	Development of a National Chemical Safety Homepage and Linking Project Outputs to INFOCAP
Programme Staff			
Consultants			
Travel			
Printing			
Supplies and Materials			
Seminars/Meetings			
Other (please specify)			
TOTAL	12,000	10,000	3,000