

# Mozambique Readiness Preparation Proposal – FCPF FMT Completeness Check

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## Context

Mozambique presented its Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) for assessment by the FCPF Participants Committee at its 11<sup>th</sup> meeting, held in March 2012, in Asuncion, Paraguay. At this meeting, the PC adopted Resolution number PC/11/2012/2, where they decided to allocate grant funding for Mozambique to enable the country to advance its REDD+ readiness process, provided that the country would submit a revised R-PP addressing all *key issues* identified in the Resolution.

Mozambique submitted a revised R-PP to the FCPF FMT on February 8, 2013. The FMT judges that all key issues have been addressed in this revised document and instructs the World Bank to move ahead with its due diligence process in view of awarding Mozambique a preparation grant to implement the R-PP.

Issue	Response in the revised R-PP
Include information on how Mozambique is planning to build a monitoring and reporting system for co-benefits of REDD+ and allocate adequate funding;	The revised R-PP elaborated on the methodology to develop a monitoring system of co-benefits of REDD+ in Chapter 4b and added the ToRs for an “Advisor for the Sub-Unit of Strategy and Legislation, Co-benefit Monitoring and Reporting”, who will be in charge of designing the Co-Benefit monitoring system. The revised R-PP also clarified the budget for the implementation of this component.
Provide information on the current land tenure status of local communities, on land use rights, and on existing domestic processes to grant land use rights to different users; and inform how Mozambique plans to address land tenure as part of the readiness process;	The revised R-PP provide extensive information under the section “Land Tenure and Land Use Right System and Status” in Chapter 2a on land tenure in Mozambique, including the on process for communities to formalize their land rights through DUATs. The R-PP also briefly presents some figures on the implementation of DUATs. In the same chapter, a comprehensive SWOT analysis assesses key national policies related to land and forests.
Continue discussions with Tanzania and other neighboring countries, as appropriate, on collaboration with regards to cross-border trade on illicit forest products and identify possible options to advance law enforcement, improved governance at the national and regional levels to mitigate leakage of REDD+ interventions	The revised R-PP presented a section on “Cross-Border Timber Trade” in Chapter 2a, It details the Memorandum of understanding signed between Mozambique and Tanzania to promote cooperation on transboundary law enforcement, exchange of information and data on monitoring of trans-boundary trade of forestry products; capacity building efforts between the two countries on topics such as climate change adaptation and mitigation, plantation forestry, and others.

Provide further clarity as to what pilot projects are planned to be implemented as part of the readiness process, and how they will be funded.

The R-PP identifies 9 pilot projects as part of the REDD+ Readiness process in Mozambique, including pilots in the areas of conservation agriculture promotion and fire prevention, in addition to seven activities in different sites in the country (Gaza, Manica, Maputo, Nampula, Niassa, Sofala, Zambezia).