

Eighth Meeting of the Climate Risk and Early Warning Systems Initiative (CREWS) Steering Committee

Provisional Agenda | 10 May 2019

Venue: WMO, Geneva, Switzerland, with videoconferencing facility.

Friday 10 May 2019, from 1.00 pm to 4.30 pm

1.00 – 1.20 Item 1 – Opening

- Welcome by the Chair and objectives of the Meeting
- Review of Decisions taken at the 7th Meeting
- Adoption of the Agenda

1.20- 1.45 Item 2 - Status of CREWS

- Activity report by the CREWS Secretariat
- Report by the Trustee on status of the CREWS Financial Intermediary Fund (FIF)
- Presentation of proposed simplified and harmonized CREWS Secretariat staff appointment modalities

1.45 – 2.15 Item 3 – Portfolio status

Overview and analysis of the status of the portfolio of CREWS projects

2.15 – 3.30 Item 4 – Country project decisions

- Presentation of the CREWS Project Proposals for Afghanistan, Chad and Togo
- Modifications to the existing list of CREWS pipeline countries
- Proposed countries with whom projects proposals are to be initiated in FY 2020

3.30 – 3.50 Item 5 – Coherence and Advocacy

- Positioning CREWS with regard to global initiatives of relevance
- Identification of upcoming opportunities for promoting CREWS

3.50-4.30 Item 6 - Wrap-up

- Objectives and dates for the 9th Meetings
- Steering Committee Chair for 2020
- Approval by the Steering Committee of the Decisions taken at the meeting
- Any other business

The objective of the CREWS initiative is to significantly increase the capacity to generate and communicate effective impact-based, multi-hazard, gender-informed, early warnings and risk information to protect lives, livelihoods, and assets in Least Developed Countries (LDCs) and small island developing States (SIDS).

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