Dear Ms. Spoljaric Egger,

Subject: Confirmation that UNDP Country Programme Document is derived from the UN Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework.

Following careful review, I am pleased to confirm that the Country Programme Document (CPD) for the period 2023-2026 of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), has been derived from the priorities and the results framework of the UN Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework for Tajikistan, in accordance with the UNSDG Management and Accountability Framework.

This CPD will contribute to the UNCT’s collective effort to achieving the following United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework Outcomes:

- **Outcome 2.** Sustainable, Inclusive and Green Economic Growth
- **Outcome 3.** Integrated Management of Climate and Environmental Risk
- **Outcome 4.** People-Centred Governance and Rule of Law

Over the entire period of the CPD, UNDP will directly contribute to the following draft **Joint Outputs** to be finalized during Joint Work Plans preparation in September 2022:

**Outcome 2 Joint Outputs:**

- **Output 1.** Effective institutions and policy making mechanisms accelerate people centered and risk-informed economic transformation; (Policies to advance SDGs, green economy, INFF, PPP/innovative partnerships, Research).
- **Output 2.** Innovative solutions scaled up for green and inclusive value chains and food systems to promote decent employment and sustainable standards and practices; (multisectoral value chains, private sector development, MSMEs, digital solutions and tools).
- **Output 3.** People especially women, youth and other vulnerable groups have access to knowledge, skills and assets for decent employment; (Labour migration, asylum seekers, PWD, Youth, WEE, TVET, employment services, labour standards and labour inspection system).

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cc: Mr. Lenni Montiel, UNDP Resident Representative, Tajikistan
Outcome 3 Joint Outputs:
- **Output 1.** Policies, strategies and planning approaches are strengthened and gender-responsive solutions identified for more effective climate change adaptation and integrated natural resources management.
- **Output 2.** National institutions have stronger capacities to implement and monitor environment and climate change policies, manage infrastructure, and reduce the risk of local and transboundary conflicts related to NRM.
- **Output 3.** Communities, CBOs, and CSOs are engaged in planning, design and delivery of ecosystem-based interventions and models supporting community resilience and climate change adaptation.
- **Output 4.** Implementation mechanisms and monitoring systems are strengthened for effective emergency and disaster preparedness and response at regional, national and sub-national levels.

Outcome 4 Joint Outputs:
- **Output 1.** Institutional capacities are strengthened to develop, implement and monitor governance, rule of law and justice policies and legislation, including independent monitoring and oversight.
- **Output 2.** National and local capacities are strengthened to develop, implement and monitor security, social cohesion and peacebuilding policies and legislation.
- **Output 3.** Communities, media and vulnerable groups enjoy new capacities and opportunities to monitor and participate in decision-making and address harmful social norms.
- **Output 4.** Policy frameworks and services are strengthened to prevent and respond to human rights violations, violence against women and children and gender-based violence.

Furthermore, the CPD will indirectly contribute to **Outcome 1 “Inclusive human development,”** more specifically, to

- **Output 3.** Health system capacitated to provide universal access to quality, affordable, risk-informed and integrated health (including HIV/TB) and ECD services.

We appreciate the engagement of the UNDP in the Cooperation Framework design process.

We now look forward to successful coordinated implementation of this CPD and the Cooperation Framework to help achieve the SDGs in line with the national development priorities.

Sincerely,

Sezin Sinanoglu
UN Resident Coordinator in Tajikistan

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