



PMR DASHBOARD - PMR PROCESS STATUS AND ISSUES

as of September 30, 2017

Implementing Country / Technical Partner	Final MRP Endorsement Date	Comments/Remarks
Argentina	PA19 *	Argentina joined as a PMR Implementing Country Participant at PA15 (October 2016) after presenting an Organizing Framework. A PMR preparation grant was allocated by the PA at the same meeting. The preparation phase is ongoing: a draft MRP is expected to be presented at PA18 and a final MRP at PA19 (or electronically during an intersessional period).
Brazil	Electronic	Brazil's implementation grant, executed by the World Bank, became effective May 6, 2015. Completion of the country's MRP activities are on schedule. Mapping sector policies already in place in relevant economic and emissions sectors (Activity 1) is on track to be completed by December 2017. The design of policy scenarios for carbon tax and ETS (Activity 2) is on track to deliver policy package options by May 2018. The procurement process has started for the subsequent set of activities that will assess the impact of the policy package. Two seminars and two workshops with a wide range of stakeholders have been organized to foster stakeholder engagement. A third workshop is planned for May 2018.
Chile	PA5	Chile completed all of its MRP activities in September 2017, making it the first Implementing Country Participant to fully implement an MRP. In March 2017, Chile was allocated additional funding from the PMR to implement activities that will build on its original MRP activities. These include, namely, the design of a more comprehensive and mandatory MRV system, the design of a roadmap for making future decisions related to carbon pricing policy, and the design and implementation of an ETS simulator. An implementation modality for these activities was agreed to in Summer 2017 and these activities commenced in September 2017.
China	PA5	The PMR project gained additional importance during 2015 as it was announced that China's ETS would become operational in 2017 covering key industry sectors such as iron and steel, power generation, chemicals, building materials, paper-making, and nonferrous metals. In terms of the progress of the activities, China presented its first ISR at PA14 in April 2016 and will do the same at PA16 in March 2017. At the same time, China will present a proposal for additional funding allocation in the amount of \$2 million for the PA's endorsement. The proposal focuses on sectoral benchmarking support and Carbon Market Finance Management System.
Colombia	PA9	Agencia Presidencial de Cooperación Internacional de Colombia (APC-Colombia) will implement Colombia's MRP activities on behalf of the government. However, implementation of the MRP faces fresh delays due to changes within the Ministry of Transport. The World Bank is working with Colombian counterparts to revise the scope of work (within MRP framework) in order to better align activities with relevant developments in Colombia's climate policy (including introduction of a carbon tax and an ETS provision in a climate change bill). A local consultant has been hired to support PMR implementation following signature of the grant agreement.

Costa Rica	PA5	Costa Rica's MRP implementation is ongoing and on schedule. A project implementation unit is in place providing technical assistance to the Ministry of Environment (MINAE) and other relevant entities, per the updated MRP work program. Costa Rica submitted its 2nd ISR at PA16. Costa Rica intends to present a request for Additional Financing at PA18.
India	PA16*	India was allocated implementation phase funding of US\$8 million for its MRP at PA16 in March 2017. MRP activities include: i) covering linking and streamlining of existing registries and establishing necessary infrastructure such as a national meta-registry to make India ready for connecting any new registries developed in the future; and ii) designing and piloting of a new market-based mechanism in a sector that is not covered at present and that supports achieving India NDC targets. Implementation will be split: US\$3 million will be executed by the World Bank and US\$5 million will be recipient-executed. Bank-executed activities have commenced while an grant agreement between the WB and India for the recipient-executed activities is under negotiation.
Indonesia	PA7	The Transfer Agreement between UNDP and the World Bank was signed in October 2016 and implementation funding to support Indonesia's MRP was formally transferred to UNDP on January 6, 2017. The first component of work will profile emissions from power and select industries. A TOR for this work was finalized in May 2017 and awarded through a competitive process in September 2017. A second component of work involves enhancement of MRV. The first draft of a report on the governance aspects of an MRV system has been completed; a final version is expected by Q4 2017. A third component of work will focus on development of a framework to evaluate appropriate market-based instruments for Indonesia. A competitive bid framework for an initial assessment report closed in September 2017.
Jordan	PA14	The Jordan MRP began implementation in April 2016. The design (technical and functional specifications) of the integrated MRV system has been finalized and the RFP for the implementation of the system is under development and expected to be completed by end-2017. As part of the private sector component, stakeholder consultation for identification of capacity building needs has been completed. Based on feedback received, a private sector working group has been established. The TOR for designing a match-making platform is under preparation and the design process is expected to begin in early 2018. In addition, two tasks that support exploring the role and identification of suitable market instruments have been identified; activities pertaining to the urban sector in Amman are underway; and activities focused on the buildings sector are expected to commence shortly.
Mexico	PA5	Mexico finalized a grant arrangement for the implementation of its MRP funding with the World Bank in August 2017. The PMR focal point (the Ministry of Environment, SEMARNAT) and the World Bank have agreed on a Bank-executed arrangement. Because this arrangement comes some time after the allocation of PMR funding, the MRP work program and corresponding procurement plan have been updated. Both now better reflect current climate policy priorities. The first MRP activities (ETS capacity building & simulation initiative) have been commissioned and are underway.

Morocco	PA9	<p>The project has made significant progress since December 2016. As of September 2017, about 45% of the grant amount has been contracted and 12% has been disbursed. Procurement has made strides on the main consulting services which constitute the backbone of the project, and work has begun on three of the five primary contracts, with the fourth awaiting signature. The ongoing analytical studies cover (i) assessment of the appropriate MBIs for Morocco in the targeted sectors of power generation, cement and phosphates; ii) design of the MRV systems; and (iii) establishment of GHG emission baselines in the targeted sectors. The work plan and the scope for these activities has been reviewed to avoid redundancies with current and planned work on the NDC implementation and carbon pricing supported by the PMR Upstream Policy Work (UPW), the initiatives supported by other partners; as well as to take into account the current context of the national and international climate policy. Other necessary contracts for capacity building and communications are also being procured. The PMR Secretariat and the World Bank team continues a dialogue with the Government of Morocco (Ministry of Environment) to flag the cumulated delays in project implementation and to ensure that the project management will be improved. The mid-term review, tentatively scheduled for mid-December 2017, is an important milestone when any necessary project adjustments would need to be agreed to ensure timely achievement of the project outcomes.</p>
Peru	PA14	<p>The Transfer Agreement between UNDP and the World Bank was signed in October 2016 and implementation funding to support Peru's MRP will be formally transferred to UNDP in due course (awaiting for original copies of countersigned Transfer Agreement). The PRODOC (UNDP's project appraisal document) was signed in January 2017. PMR Peru project will use existing project management unit at MINAM, established for the management of other UNDP-GoP projects on Low Carbon Development. PMR Peru project is expected in Q3/Q4 2017 to move forward with contracting consultants for the first MRP activities.</p>
South Africa	PA11	<p>The SA PMR grant became effective March 14, 2017. Since then, progress made towards South Africa's PMR project activities has focused on the administration and institutional arrangements to support implementation including procurement and financial management. A general procurement notice for the MRP work has been completed as has the procurement plan for the first tranche of activities. TORs for the first tranche of activities are also final.</p>
Sri Lanka	PA18*	<p>The preparation grant for Sri Lanka was approved at PA14 in April 2016. The Government of Sri Lanka will present a draft MRP at PA17 In October 2017. It plans to present a final MRP for funding allocation at PA18 or through an electronic approval if appropriate.</p>
Thailand	PA8	<p>Thailand was allocated additional funding at PA16 in March 2017 to support policy analysis work. A contract for the work is expected to be awarded in October 2017. For ongoing MRP activities, a memorandum of cooperation signing ceremony among TGO, piloting DF&Bs, municipalities, and consulting firms was organized on July 6, 2017. Thailand submitted its second ISR to the PMR for presentation at PA17 in October 2017. As of September 30, 2017, about 70% of its implementation phase funding has been committed. Thailand's PMR activities are going as planned. After the submission of the first ISR in October 2016, Component 2 (Development of Local Greenhouse Gas Abatement Plans and a study on pricing mechanism for Low Carbon City (LCC) program) was slightly modified to increase target municipalities from 24 to 25.</p>

Tunisia	PA19*	The Transfer Agreement has been signed between the WB and the UNDP, a Delivery Partner for Tunisia for the preparation Phase of the MRP. The funds have been transferred to the UNDP and the MRP preparation is ongoing. The PMR Secretariat participated in the review of the TOR for main consultancy services and, in September 2017, participated in one of the series of stakeholders consultations that constitute an integral part of MRP preparation. The submission of the draft MRP by Tunisia is expected in March 2018, Tunisia is expected to request a possibility of an electronic MRP approval by the PA. The preparation of the administrative arrangements for the implementation phase (upon PMR approval by the PA) is planned to start in November 2017 to avoid any possible delays with the launch of the implementation phase.
Turkey	PA6	MRV related activities (i.e., the first half of the PMR project) are completed. Two activities on market-based instruments - namely "Roadmap for ETS establishment" and "Assessment of other Market-based Mechanisms for Turkey" - are completed. Economic modeling activities, namely "Modelling Fiscal, Economic and Sectoral Impacts of Carbon Pricing in Turkey" and "Development of MAC Curves for Turkey", started in March 2017 and should be completed early 2018. The Ministry has started the procurement process for the final "Synthesis Report," which will bring together the PMR Project's main findings for consideration of the Inter-ministerial Climate Change Board in 2018. A proposal for additional PMR funding (\$2 million) was prepared for consideration and approval in October 2017.
Ukraine	Electronic	The project kicked off in August 2016 with the creation of the Project Implementation Unit. All four activity streams have started. These include: 1. "National Legislation Package Elaboration for MRV System Implementation" 2. "Development of MRV Guides, Training, Help Desk and activity-specific monitoring methodologies" 3. "Development of guidelines on Accreditation & Verification, pilots and trainings," and 4. "MRV Pilots implementation and development of benchmarks." A PMR/ICAP ETS Training was organized by the PMR and ICAP Secretariats in April 2017 and was attended by about 40 local stakeholders over three days.
Vietnam	PA10	The State Bank of Vietnam counter-signed the World Bank grant agreement for implementation of Vietnam's MRP in August 2017. The World Bank carried out the first PMR implementation support mission in September 2017 to accelerate the selection of a consultant. The PMR also provides upstream policy analysis support to Government of Vietnam; the World Bank is reviewing the first draft impact assessment of GHG mitigation following power sector reform. Vietnam plans to request additional funding support for policy analysis work following PA17.
Kazakhstan	N/A	The three project activities implemented under the 1st tranche of US\$ 500,000 are completed. Project activities under the 2nd tranche of US\$ 500,000 include "Shareholder consultation process on the developed benchmarks" (completed), "Development of Electronic GHG Data Reporting" (ongoing– completion expected by December 2017), and "Enhancement of Kazakhstan's Carbon Unit Registry" for which procurement has started. A proposal for additional PMR funding (US\$0.5 million) was prepared for consideration and approval in October 2017.

*Expected date