



## MONITORING OF MALI SOUTH-SOUTH COOPERATION GRANT

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**Implementing Entity:** Centre de Suivi Ecologique

**Country:** MALI

**Adaptation Fund Grant I.D:**

**Grant Type:** South-South Cooperation Grant

**Grant Description:** This South-South cooperation grant was requested by CSE to support the Designated Authority of Mali in identifying a potential NIE candidate and to provide technical assistance to this latter for the preparation and submission of its application.

Support Activity Provided/Received	Expected Outputs	Progress (include completion Date "month & year")	Comments/Explanation (also explain any deviation from initial plan)
1. Screening exercise, including an information workshop on the AF and the main features of an operational NIE	Screening report	Completed December 2016	In collaboration with the DA of Mali, a consultative process was organized in Bamako in order to inform potential NIE institutions about the AF accreditation process and purpose. Two institutions were short-listed as a result of these consultations (AEDD and ANICT) and one of them (AEDD) was selected as NIE candidate.
2. Assessment of institutional capacity and readiness, including a seminar on the AF's accreditation process and the role of an NIE in	- Assessment report showing the potential NIE applicant's strengths and weaknesses towards	Completed December 2016	A task-force was setup within AEDD and trained on the accreditation process and the role of an NIE. A road map has been prepared for the collection and/or preparation of supporting documents.

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directly accessing AF resources	accreditation by the AF - Presentation and set of slides		
3. Collecting supporting documents - Collecting and analyzing relevant supporting documents for each performance criteria required in the application form	List of supporting documents/information collected to date	In progress	The task-force is collecting the supporting documents under the oversight of CSE. These documents are being analyzed by CSE as they come and recommendation made to AEDD on how to feel gaps and shortcomings.

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