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Project Title: Environmentally Sound Management of Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in industrial and hazardous waste sectors

Project Number: Award ID: 00118429

Output IDs: 00115254 and 00121745 (operationaly closed)

Implementing Partner: UNDP

Start Date: 01/06/2019 End Date: 01/06/2025 PAC Meeting date: 22/03/2019

Revision Justification

Award 00118429 comprises two outputs: Environmentally Sound Management of Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in the industrial and hazardous waste sectors (ID 00107834) and Responsible Management of Potentially Infectious Waste in relation to the COVID-19 public health crisis (ID 00121745, which has been operationally closed since 20/05/2021).

The original duration of Output Project 00115254 was set for five years (60 months), commencing on 1 June 2019, with an planned end date of June 2024. However, a no-cost extension has been approved for an additional 12 months, extending the project duration until 1 June 2025. This decision was made based on the conclusions drawn from the Annual Review Meeting for the project and the ninth meeting of the Project Board, held on 7 and 8 December 2023, respectively. The scope of the project and its six thematic components and multiplicity of stakeholder groups is fairly comprehensive, so the additional time would allow to adapt to the following:

• Experienced delays in endorsement of key policy documents, such as the Stockholm Convention Implementation Decision.

• Full testing period and advocacy for endorsement of necessary legislation to ensure better uptake of the software platform for equipment containing Ozone Depleting Substances.

• Integration of pesticide plastic waste piloting system into waste management systems by entity stakeholders.

• Procurement of POPs sampling or analysis equipment for two beneficiary public laboratories.

The no-cost extension takes into account currency exchange fluctuations and aligns the budget with the final received amount of the installments.

Linkage with SDGs: 3,12,17 Linkage with EU accession agenda: EU Chapter 27 - Environment Linkage with UNDP Strategic Plan: Signature solution 2: Strengthen effective, inclusive and accountable governance Development setting: Accelerating structural transformations for sustainable development, especially through innovative solutions that have multiplier effects across the Sustainable Development Goals Total resource allocate

UNSDCF 2021-2025 Outcome 1. By 2025, people benefit from resilient, inclusive and sustainable growth ensured by the convergence of economic development, and management of environment and cultural resources Output (with gender marker): 115254; GEN2

Total resources required:	USD 6,215,849.49	
Total resources allocated:	Sweden	USD 6,118,288.51
	Government:	USD 97,560.98

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