UN-HABITAT INDUCTION SEMINAR

Focus Area 1: Advocacy, Partnership and Monitoring

FA1 Coordination: Monitoring Research Division
Effective Advocacy, Monitoring and Partnerships for sustainable urbanization

- **Advocacy**
  Raise awareness and policy guidance: global human settlements conditions
  Flagship & Regional reports, WUF, Urban Campaign, Habitat Day, Ministerial & Parliamentarians conferences

- **Monitoring**
  To review the progress of the MDG and the HA using authoritative and, disaggregated data
  Evidence-based knowledge and information

- **Partnership**
  Partnerships are catalysts for institutional innovation and providing better responses
  The partnership engagement through 5 Key areas:
Key Strategy of FA 1

• Advocacy
  Improved awareness of urban issues from local to global Level
    o Effective dissemination of evidence-based knowledge on urban issues
    o Expanded use of evidence-based knowledge for sustainable urbanization

• Monitoring
  Enhance mechanisms to collect, analyze and disseminate information on urban conditions and trends
    o Capacity increase for urban monitoring systems implementation
    o Demand increase for evidence-based knowledge in policymaking and practice

• Partnership
  Strengthened participation of Habitat Agenda Partners (HAP)
    o HAP commit to agreed norms and principles for sustainable urbanization
    o Improved awareness increase HAP participation
    o HAP capacity in monitoring government policy strengthened
Outcomes

• Advocacy
  o Dissemination of knowledge on urban issues
  o Through publication of flagship reports and supplements
  o Establishment of a youth helpdesk

• Monitoring
  o Increased use of urban monitoring systems
  o Increased demand for evidence-based knowledge in policy making & practice
  o Data and information resources used to support decision-making

• Partnership
  o Increased participation of HAP
  o Strengthened HAP capacity in monitoring government policies and implementation
  o HAP commit to agreed norms and principles for sustainable urbanization
Expected Accomplishments 1

Improved awareness of sustainable urbanization issues at National & Global levels

Flagship reports including youth and gender reports

Youth and gender issues integrated in all focus areas and programs (climate change, water and sanitation)
Expected Accomplishments 2

Habitat agenda partners actively participate in the formulation of sustainable urbanization policy

World urban forum attracted over 15,000 participants from all HA partners

Regional urban forums planned with other FAs

World Urban Campaign

The Youth Fund is a key facility for participation of youth at operational and normative levels in sustainable urbanization
The UN-Habitat Urban Youth Fund

- Aims to empower urban youth and undertake research on best practices in youth-led development

- Provides small grants from 5,000 to 25,000 USD to youth-led projects in Africa, Asia and Latin America

- Supported 113 projects in 40 countries with almost 2 mill USD in 2009 and 2010
Expected Accomplishments 3

Monitoring of sustainable urbanization conditions and trends improved

Global urban observatories established locally, nationally and regionally

HA partners report on the progress made on MDGs and Habitat Agenda

In cooperation with other focuses areas (EA 2, 3 and 4) youth and gender
Best practices data base
## Focus Area 1: Effective advocacy, monitoring and partnerships

### Results framework

#### Goal
Sustainable urbanization principles drive policy and practice

#### Strategic Result
Improved sustainable urbanization policies from local to global levels adopted

#### Indicators
- Number of policies that refers to sustainable urbanization adopted by inter-governmental bodies, disaggregated by global and regional levels
- Degree to which UN-Habitat is viewed as a premier reference centre for urban trends and issues

#### Expected Accomplishments

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- Number of media articles and programmes on sustainable urbanization issues
- Number of downloads from UN-Habitat website on sustainable urbanization materials
- Number of countries that celebrate World Habitat Day
- Number of partnerships (by category) contributing to sustainable urbanization
- Number of operational urban observatories (national/local)

#### Sub-Expected Accomplishments

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