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# The Nagoya Protocol Implementation Fund

## NPIF

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## BACKGROUND

- For the ratification and implementation of the Nagoya Protocol (NP)
- Approved at GEF's 40<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting May 24-26<sup>th</sup> 2011
- \$14.8 M from Japan, Norway, Switzerland, UK & France
- Additional to System of Transparent Allocation of Resources (STAR).



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## STRATEGY

### Country-based

- I. Pursue opportunities leading to actual ABS agreements between users and providers of genetic resources
- II. Promote technology transfer and private sector engagement
  - I. Allow countries to gain information to review capacities and needs on ABS with focus on existing policies, laws and regulations

### Global

- I. Support the ratification and implementation of the NP



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## GRANTS

### COUNTRY BASED

- **PANAMA:** Promoting the application of the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and Benefit Sharing in Panama. MSP \$1.0M (PMIS 4780)
- **COLOMBIA:** The Development and Production of Natural Dyes in the Choco Region of Colombia for the Food, Cosmetics and Personal Care Industries Under the Provisions of the Nagoya Protocol. \$1.0M (PMIS 5160)
- **FIJI:** Discovering Nature-Based Products and Building Capacities for the Application of the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and Benefit Sharing. \$1.0M (PMIS 5170)

### GLOBAL support for ratification

Global Support for the Entry into Force of the Nagoya Protocol on ABS \$1.0M (PMIS 5172). Will allow up to 30 countries to access \$30,000 to ratify the protocol.



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## Accessing the NPIF

### **COUNTRY-BASED PROJECTS:**

- Medium Size Projects (MSP)
- CEO Approval on a rolling bases.
- GEF Agency
- Partner Organizations (Executing Agencies)
- Letter of Endorsement from GEF Operational Focal Point
- Letters of Co-financing

### **GLOBAL support for ratification**

- Contact UNEP



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## FURTHER INFORMATION

- The GEF

[www.thegef.org](http://www.thegef.org)

- Progress Reports on the Nagoya Protocol Implementation Fund

[http://www.thegef.org/gef/council\\_document/progress-report-nagoya-protocol-implementation-fund](http://www.thegef.org/gef/council_document/progress-report-nagoya-protocol-implementation-fund)

[http://www.thegef.org/gef/council\\_document/progress-report-nagoya-protocol-implementation-fund-0](http://www.thegef.org/gef/council_document/progress-report-nagoya-protocol-implementation-fund-0)

- Brochure

<http://www.thegef.org/gef/pubs/access-and-benefit-sharing-abs>



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# Thank you for your attention

## Questions?



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