Enhancing the Readiness for NDC implementation in Africa

Gambia’s perspective and experience on the NDC readiness implementation
1. The NDC Process (January – September 2015):
   - Led by Ministry of Environment with consultation with other Ministries
   - National consultations through Workshops (10; policy, technical and national); more than 900 people across the country were involved

2. Scientific and technical analysis: Climate Analytics

3. Funding support: CDKN

4. Time frame: 2025; 2030

5. Scope: Sectoral

6. Emission reduction: 44% by 2025; 45% by 2030

7. Form: Mitigation (Conditional and unconditional)

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6. Readiness for implementation

- **Institutional Arrangement:**
  - Ministry of Environment:
  - National CC Council, Inter-ministerial CC Committee, National Climate Committee and CC Secretariat,

- **Constraints:**
  - No costing of the actions
  - Low national Budget
  - Capacity issues for programmes/project designing
  - Revision of the NDC challenging before the next revision cycle (2020)
  - Available funding channels
**Plans:**

- Low Emission Climate Resilient Development Strategy (LECRDS) completed: Intend to transform the actions to projects and serve the NDC;
- Accessing funds from the NAMA facility for RE with the National Electricity Company;
- RE from the OMVG hydro-electricity Dams around 2025;
- NGOs involved on RE initiatives, but scope very limited
- The NAPS readiness: Will help to align National Development Plan (NDP), the National CC Policy and LECRDS, Strategic Programme for Climate Resilience (SPCR).
Country perspective and experience on the NDC readiness implementation

8. Existing Opportunities
   - Regional and sub-regional initiatives (ACPC, ECOWAS, West African Alliance for Carbon Markets, NDC Partnership)
   - OMVG initiatives
   - GCF mitigation funding
   - Other bi-lateral & multilateral funding Agencies
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