

# **QUESTIONNAIRE**

## **Implementation of the SAMOA Pathway for the Sustainable Development of SIDS**

Please note that **strict word limits** have been established for each question. In this regard, you are requested to report only on new or updated information. Previous surveys can be accessed at <https://sidsnetwork.org/> under reports.

**1. Legal/Policy/Institutional Arrangements for SIDS and/or the implementation of the SAMOA Pathway<sup>1</sup> Does your entity/organization/government have a SIDS Strategy? If not, are there any plans to establish one, including with the appropriate resources for implementation. (500 words)**

SIDS are included in Denmark's Strategy for Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Action 'The World 2030'. SIDS are also included in Denmark's long-term Global Climate Action Strategy 'A Green and Sustainable World'.

### **2. Financial Arrangements**

Please give an indication of the budget allocated to the SAMOA Pathway programme areas in your government/organization/entity, if applicable, for the period Jan. - Dec. 2021 or the fiscal cycle that best fits this period. If the priority areas cannot squarely fit this chart, please report as closely as you can.

<b>Priorities</b>	<b>Investment (USD)</b>	<b>Budget Allocation</b>	<b>FY/ Cycle/ Period</b>
Sustainable, inclusive and equitable economic growth		USD 145,000 / DKK 1,000,000 <i>(Danish contribution to the SIDS Global Business Network)</i>	2020 - 2021
Climate Change		USD 5,600,000/ DKK 35,000,000 <i>(Danish</i>	2020-2022

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<sup>1</sup> This question seeks to examine the extent to which each respondent mainstreamed SIDS and the Samoa Pathway into co-operation frameworks, programmes and activities, national development plans etc, to ensure effective follow-up and implementation at regional and national levels in SIDS.

		<i>contribution to the NDC partnerships that provides assistance to SIDS)</i>	
		USD 1,600,000/ DKK 10,000,000 ( <i>Climate Investment Platform applicable also to SIDS</i> )	
Sustainable Energy		USD 8,000,000 / DKK 50,000,000 ( <i>IRENA SIDS Lighthouses Initiative 2.0</i> ).	2019-2022
Disaster Risk Reduction	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oceans and Seas	N/A	N/A	N/A
Food Security and Nutrition	N/A	N/A	N/A
Water and Sanitation	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sustainable Transportation	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sustainable Consumption and Production	N/A	N/A	N/A
Chemical and Waste management	N/A	N/A	N/A
Health and NCDs	N/A	N/A	N/A
Gender Equality	N/A	N/A	N/A
Social Development	N/A	N/A	N/A
Biodiversity	N/A	N/A	N/A
Means of Implementation	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Total</b>		USD 15,200,000/ DKK 95,000,000	2019-2022

\*1 DKK = 6.25 USD.

- 3. Enhanced Support for a resilient Post COVID 19 Recovery in SIDS Overcoming the economic fallout of the pandemic and regaining growth momentum in SIDS will require a robust, practical, tailored and impactful solutions not only to keep SIDS afloat but also for the successful implementation of the SAMOA Pathway, the Paris Agreement and the 2030 Agenda. Please elaborate on any proposed resilience building interventions/programmes for implementation in SIDS that are to be**

## **pursued over the remaining period of the SAMOA Pathway. (500 words)**

Denmark supports the IRENA SIDS Lighthouses Initiative 2.0, in which participating SIDS are assisted in the green energy transition that will mitigate greenhouse gas emissions, strengthen resilience in SIDS' adaptation to climate change, and improve energy security, thus contributing to the achievement of the SDGs.

Denmark provides support for the NDC-Partnership, including the NDC-P COVID-19 support programme that is applicable to SIDS. The NDC- Partnership is supporting SIDS and developing countries with accelerating ambition and implementation of their Nationally Determined Contribution and with mobilizing resources for implementation.

Denmark also provides support the SIDS Global Business Network, which aims to support SIDS in leveraging partnerships, in particular with the private sector that can contribute towards achieving SDG 14 and its targets and overall sustainable development priorities of SIDS and those of the SAMOA Pathway.

### **4. Financing for Sustainable Development in SIDS**

**The road to recovery post-COVID-19 will be challenging for SIDS. They will need new strategies and financial instruments to mobilize adequate resources for recovery and reconstruction. Please elaborate on any proposed/planned programmes that will be delivered to reduce risks and build resilience in SIDS, and/or that alleviate the liquidity and debt vulnerability challenges facing SIDS (500 words)**

Denmark supports the mobilisation of financial resources for SIDS and other developing countries, through the Climate Investment Platform (CIP). The CIP is co-developed by the SEforALL, IRENA, UNDP and the Green Climate Fund. The CIP's objective is to act as an inclusive partnership and a global public good that will provide integrated and streamlined support to developing countries and the private sector to accelerate climate investments for low-carbon, climate resilient development, with the ultimate goal to contribute to the realization of ambitious NDCs.