Guidelines for Multi-Stakeholder Partnerships (MSP) for the 2030 Agenda Asia and the Pacific

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- The achievement of the 2030 Agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals *will require all hands on deck.*
- It will require different sectors and actors *working* together in an *integrated manner.*
- **Cross sectoral and innovative multi-stakeholder partnerships (MSPs)** will play a crucial role.
Sustainable Development Goal 17

- SDG 17 Recognizes MSPs as important vehicles for mobilizing and sharing knowledge, expertise, technologies and financial resources to support the achievement of the sustainable development goals in all countries, particularly developing countries.

- SDG 17 cuts across all goals – through the means of implementation.
Both organizations plan to promote a science-policy interface in the region through joint analytical work and development of evidence-based instruments that support policymakers and other stakeholders to achieve the 2030 Agenda.

The first knowledge product is a set of guidelines to strengthen multi-stakeholder partnerships:

- Addressing opportunities and challenges
- Enhancing implementation capacity
Guidelines: what we want to know

• Role of partnerships in SDG implementation and in overcoming systemic challenges (related to data, finance, technology, capacity building, etc.) – identifying areas of opportunity

• Key dimensions for achieving and sustaining successful MSPs – elements for success

• Steps for planning and implementing a MSP – understanding the process

• Factors that promote or hinder the development and implementation of MSPs – challenges and underlying issues
1. What are the challenges for implementing SDGs and what roles can MSPs play?

2. Key factors for successful MSPs – Is there anything missing? How could the guidelines support Member States in generating these key success factors?

3. Based on your experience, on what areas could partnerships be a useful tool for implementing national plans for SDGs?
Next Steps

• Developing the guidelines (drafting stage).
• Validation workshop in November during SDG Week.
• Alignment with DESAs guidebook.
• Integrate into Help Desk
• Launch at APFSD in March 2018.
Thank you

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