Barbel Riti

From: Olga Rabade

Sent: Thursday, April 16, 2020 12:09 PM

To: Barbel Riti; Florrie Alalo

Cc: Keswar Leelah

Subject: RE: SECSIP Phase 1 Final Evaluation

Dear Barbel,

As discussed, I have accessed the ERC and went to management response but was not able/didn't see buttons to make changes.

My understanding is as follows:

- Below recommendations were to be implemented within the period of implementation of this project (SECSIP Phase 1 was implemented from July 2013 to June 2017) as already reflected in the ERC system.
- Throughout the referred period of implementation UNDP SECSIP continuously facilitated opportunities to SIG and key stakeholders to improve the integrity of electoral processes through all the identified key actions inclusive of round table discussions with Government Officials and workshops and use of good offices of UNDP senior management to identify possible avenues.
- Accordingly, status of these key actions should be completed
- Further, a successive UNDP Project (SECSIP PHASE 2) was rolled out in July 2017 with an expected 3-year duration period. This recommendation has been taken on board by SECSIP 2 which, building on the achievements of SECSIP 1, continues to facilitate multilateral and bilateral discussions on key issues to enhance the integrity of electoral systems and to use the good offices of UNDP senior management to this effect. Accordingly, any further updates from management to identified key actions should be with respect to SECSIP 2.

Hope this is of assistance,

Kind regards

Olga

From: Barbel Riti <barbel.riti@undp.org> Sent: Thursday, April 16, 2020 10:55 AM

To: Florrie Alalo <philorrie@gmail.com>; Olga Rabade <olga.rabade@undp.org>

Subject: SECSIP Phase 1 Final Evaluation

Dear Florrie and Olga,

As per the Evaluation Resource Centre(ERC) site there are 2 overdue Key actions that are overdue. See snapshot below. Grateful if you can go update the actions accordingly. You can log in to make changes using the given link below; https://erc.undp.org/evaluation/evaluations/detail/9280

3. Unit:	Fiji
Evaluation Title:	Strengthening the Electoral Cycle in the Solomon Islands Project Final Evaluation Report
Evaluation Type:	Project
Evaluation Plan period:	2013-2017
Completion Date:	12/2017

1. Recommendation:

Provide opportunities for the Government of Solomon Islands (GSI) to reaffirm its commitment to improving the integrity of the electoral process and its administration, and for the measures needed to ensure that integrity (legal reforms, electoral justice and the provision of adequate resources for the EMBs and processes).

Management Response: [Added: 2017/12/11]

Agree with recommendation. Since its commencement, the project's technical assistance has contributed to enhance the measures concerning the integrity of the electoral process for example through the support to the BVR and operations. The project continues to focus on integrity aspects including support to the legislative reform through the engagement of a Legislative Drafter for the Electoral and Political Parties Bill and advocating for the allocation of resources for the effective implementation of the mandate of the EMB and the administration of elections. However, it is noted that , project activities may only have indirect impact on decision making process with respect to the legal reform. The project is committed to continue advocating, advising and encouraging GSI on the referred aspects.

Key Actions:

Key Action	Responsible	DueDate	Status	Comments	Documents
Round table discussions with Government official on specific related topics including in-country workshops. [Added: 2017/12/11] [Last Updated: 2020/01/14]	Implementing Partner (UNDP)	2020/03	Overdue- Initiated		
Use of the good offices of UNDP Senior Management for the identification of key issues and possible avenues [Added: 2017/12/11] [Last Updated: 2020/01/14]	Implementing Partner (UNDP)	2020/02	Overdue- Initiated		

Regards Barbel