Review of the role of SCF Trust Fund Committee in addressing strategic issues including additionality and lesson sharing

The Trust Fund Committee member from the United Kingdom introduced two papers that had been prepared by the UK for this agenda item (document SCF/TFC.2/6, Role of SCF Trust Fund Committee in addressing Strategic Issues, and document , SCF/TFC.2/7/Rev.1, Sharing Lessons).

The Committee expresses its appreciation to the UK member for putting the issues raised in the paper before the meeting, and agrees that the Committee through its work has already begun to address many of the issues. The Committee notes that it should not be too ambitious in seeking to develop new programs under the SCF beyond the three currently developed or under development. The Committee recognizes the critical importance of lesson learning, and welcomes the discussions of the joint CTF-SCF meeting on knowledge management and the further work on developing a knowledge management work program. The meeting stressed that the work program should consider with more specificity means for sharing lessons with the UNFCCC, and the Administrative Unit is invited to consult with the UNFCCC in this regard. 22. The Committee also notes that it will be important to keep under review how the CIF can best align its work and processes to the decisions reached by the UNFCCC. The meeting also reconfirmed its earlier agreement to develop an integrated results measurement framework for the SCF.

The Committee agrees that the question of additionality of funding is critical, and notes that the Administrative Unit has been requested by the CTF Trust Fund Committee to prepare a note on progress towards measurement and tracking of new and additional resources for the purpose of supporting developing country efforts to address climate change as a supplement to development assistance.