



Tue 27 - Thu 29 Oct 2020

UN-HABITAT 2020 2ND EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

MAIMUNAH MOHD SHARIF
Under-Secretary-General and
Executive Director



UN-HABITAT
FOR A BETTER URBAN FUTURE

THANK YOU: 36 MEMBERS OF UN-HABITAT EXECUTIVE BOARD



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THE NEW
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THANK YOU: PRESIDENT OF ASSEMBLY & REP. OF HOST COUNTRY



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H.E. Madame **Martha Peralta Delgado**
President of the UN-Habitat Assembly



Honourable Mr. **Charles Hinga**
Representative of the Host Country, Kenya

1ST EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING ON 29 JUNE 2020

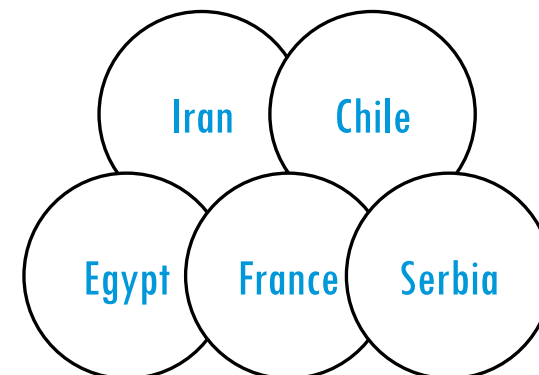


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Originally Scheduled on
31st March 2020

Postponed due to COVID-19
29th June 2020



Bureau of EB 2020-2021

2020: A NEW NORM IN THE CONTEXT OF COVID-19

2020

15
Mar

Working from Home

29
Jun

1st EB 2020

27
Oct

2nd EB 2020



First year of the implementation of
Strategic Plan 2020-2023

TOWARDS IMPLEMENTATION SINCE THE ASSEMBLY



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2019

May

1st UN-Habitat Assembly

Oct

EB 2019

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15
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Working from Home



Approved foundation budget
for 2020

18.9 M
(135 Staff)

WORLD URBAN FORUM 10 IN ABU DHABI - DECLARED ACTIONS



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2019

May

1st UN-Habitat Assembly

Oct

EB 2019

Feb
2020

WUF10

15
Mar

Working from Home

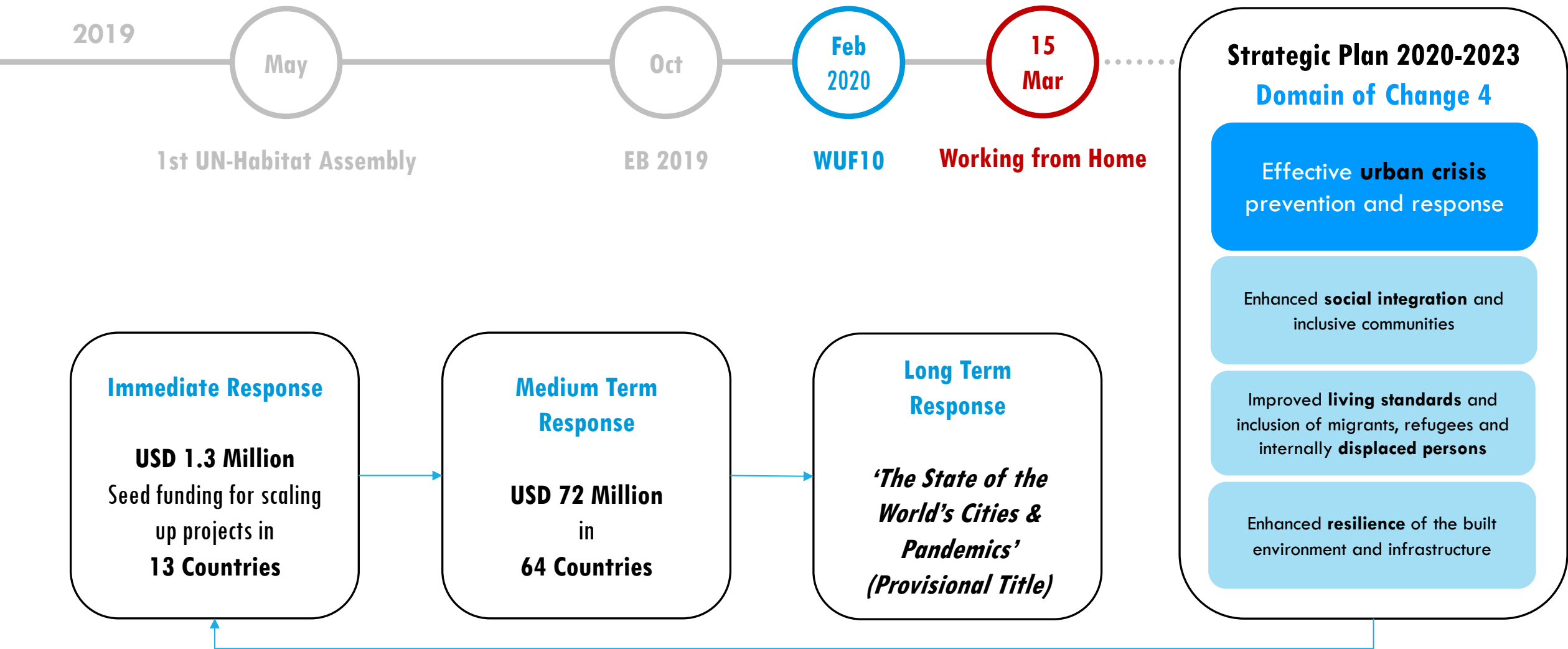


2 Heads of States
Nearly 80 Ministers and Deputy Ministers
Over 70 Mayors and Governors



Over 13,000 participants

RESPONSES TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC



OPERATIONS REMAIN ROBUST DESPITE DELAY IN IMPLEMENTATION



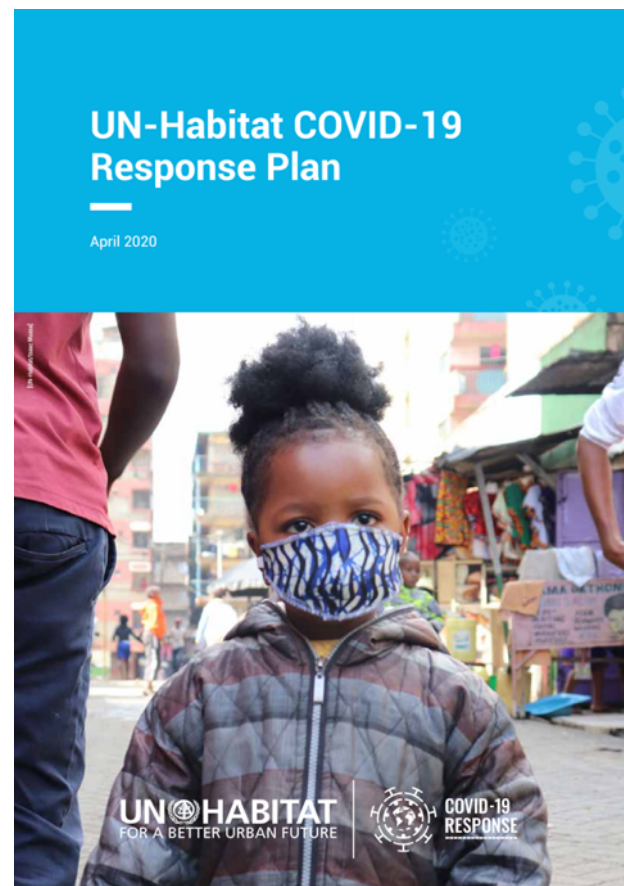
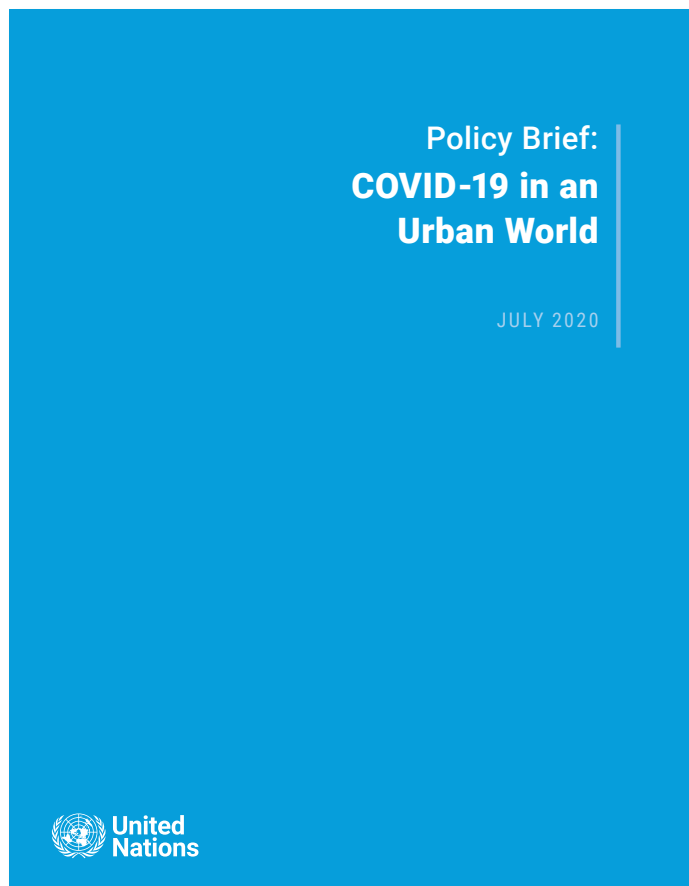
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Operations remain robust

As of Sep 2020
174 active projects
USD 543 million

87 projects in pipeline
USD 129.8 million





Normative Guidance

As of June 2020
102 active projects
USD 159 million

New acquisition between
Jan-Sep 2020
USD 25.5 million

Healthy Pipeline of Projects
USD 105 million

DIVERSIFYING FUNDING AND RESOURCES



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Request
Regular Budget Support



Appeal to
Member States



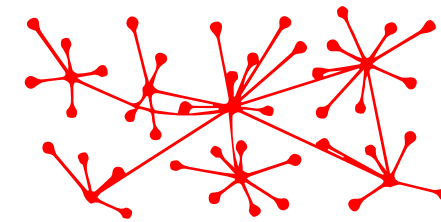
Local & Regional Governments
Fund Mechanisms



Facilitate to Establish an
Endowment for Sustainable Urbanization



Solicit support from **Private Sector**
& **Charitable Foundation**



Appeal to
Regional Influencers

SOLICITING SUPPORT FROM PRIVATE SECTOR & FOUNDATION



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CORE CONTRIBUTION IS CRUCIAL

**Total Active Project Value
Over USD 703 Million**



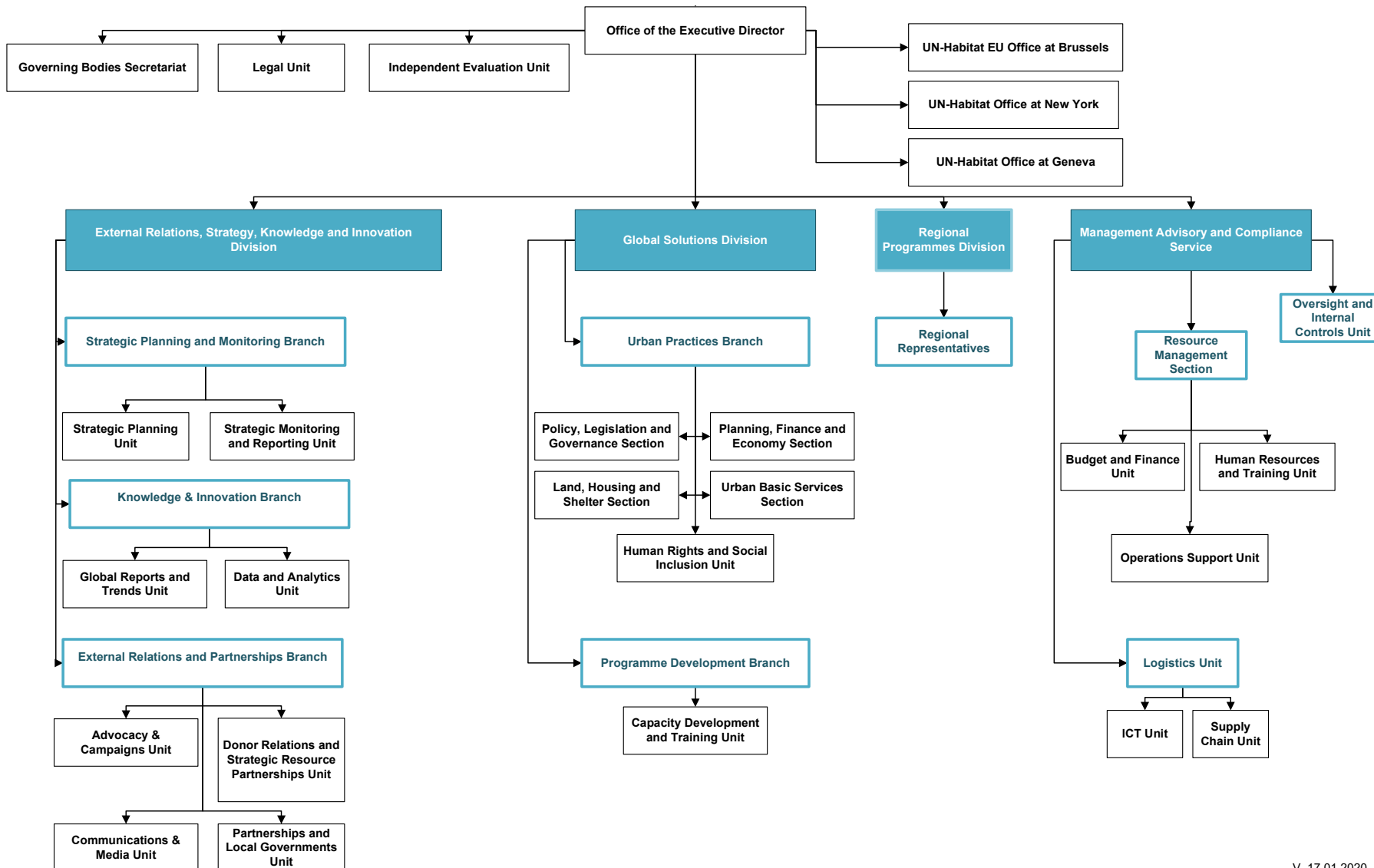
**Estimated Acquisition in 2020
USD 119 Million**

**Increased Confidence in UN-Habitat
To Implement Catalytic Projects
In a Transparent manner**

NEW ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE & PROJECT REVIEW COMMITTEE



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Revised Project Review Committee

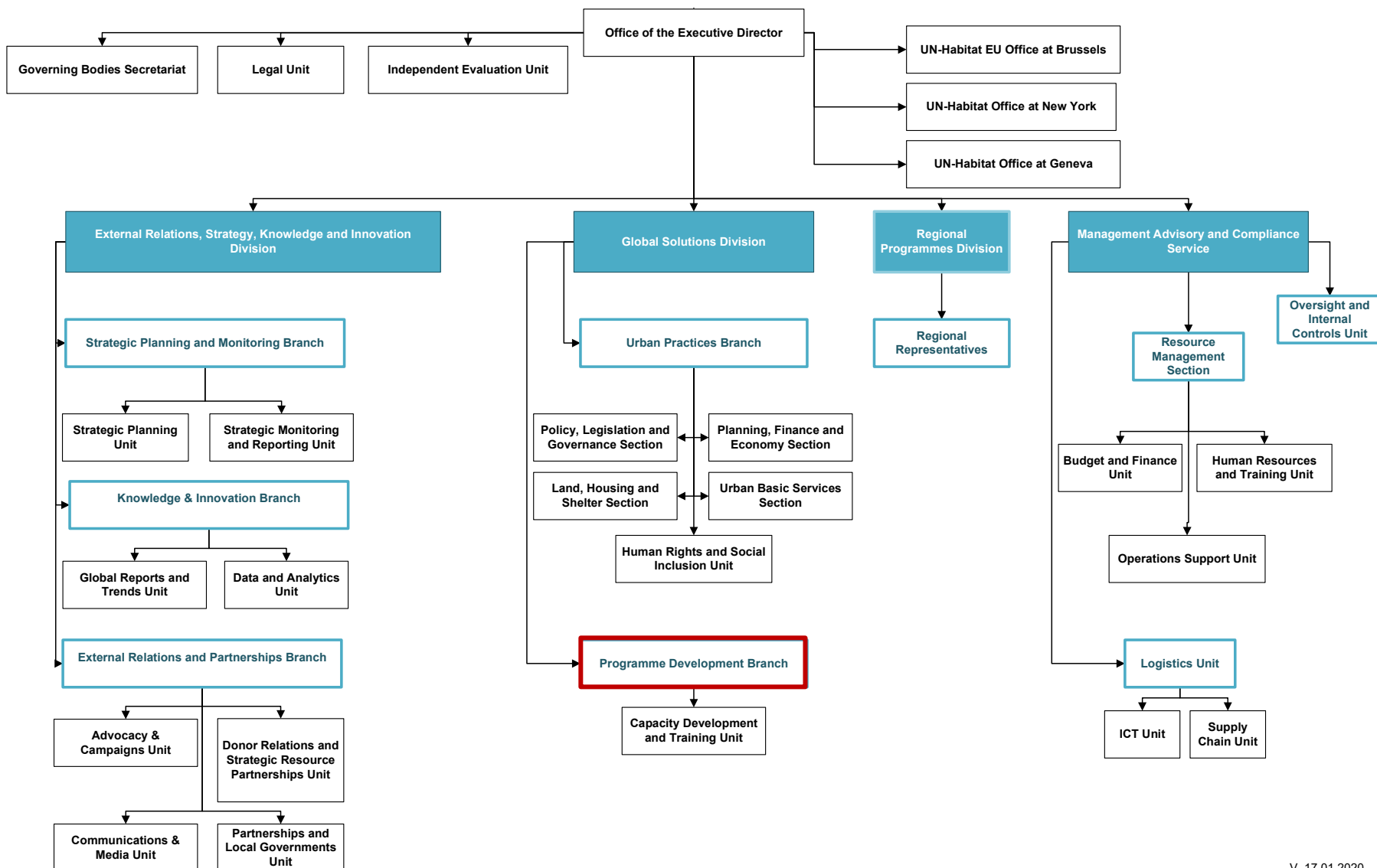
- Headed by DED
- Aligned with Strategic Plan
- Result-based
- Ensure Alignment between Normative & Operational Work
- Reviewed 74 proposals to be implemented in 37 countries
- An online version with be forthcoming

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TOWARDS AN 'ALL-OF-HOUSE' APPROACH



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Programme Development Branch

- 'All-of-house' Approach
- Projects in Various Stages of Implementation
- Adopted same approach for submission to the Development Account & India Fund supporting South South Cooperation

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STRENGTHENING FIELD ARCHITECTURE - ONGOING



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I. Introduction and background

- Establishment of the Regional Architecture Working Group
- Benefits of a parallel two-track realignment implementation strategy
- Secretariat process for establishing offices away from headquarters

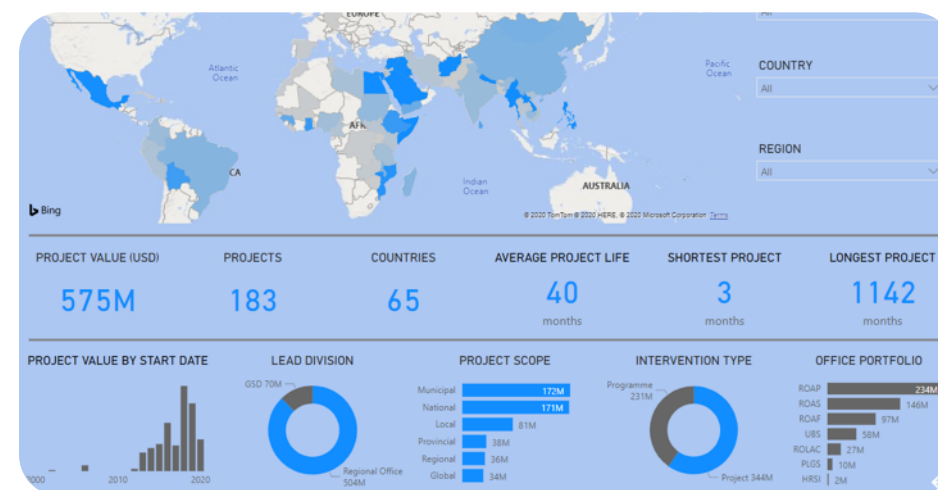
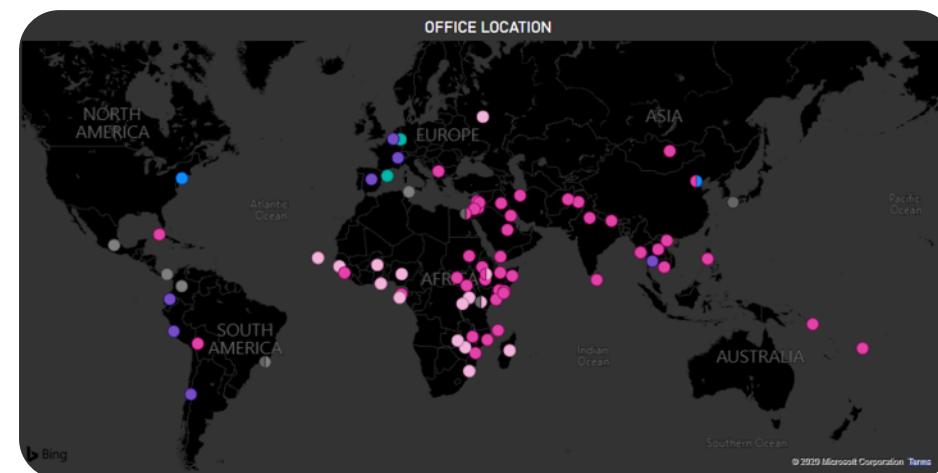
II. Enhanced impact through a strategic, varied, cost-effective regional architecture

- Current regional architecture
- Benefit of a varied typology of presence
- Maximizing programmatic range of coverage and impact effectively and efficiently: the case for multi-country offices
- Prioritization and location assessment to increase country-level engagement
- Financial considerations and the establishment of new offices

III. Enhanced regional and system-wide coordination and engagement

- Programmatic alignment with the wider UN Development System
- Bridging the humanitarian-development nexus

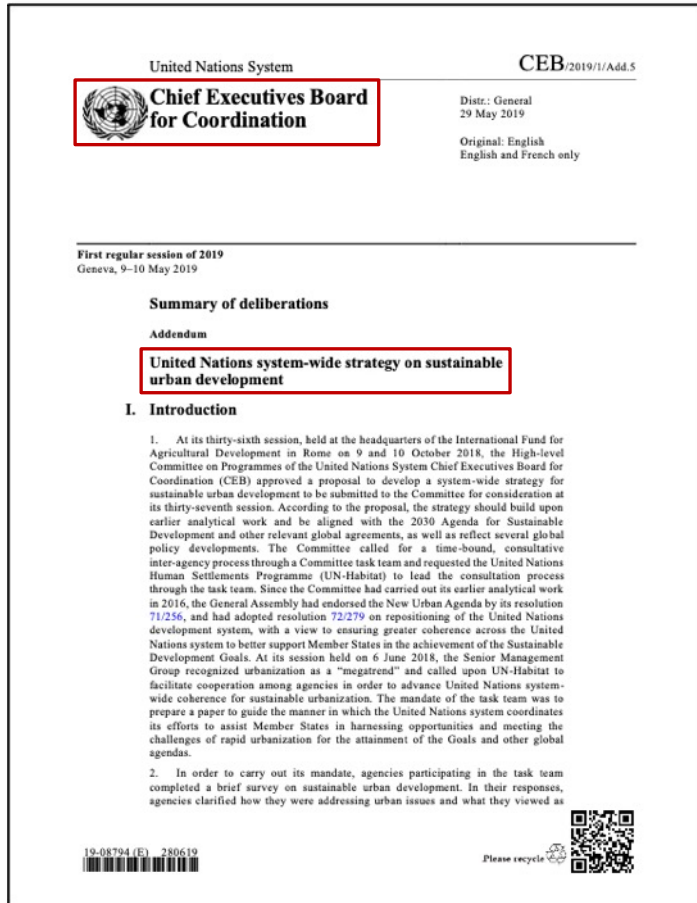
IV. Next steps



PLAYING AN ACTIVE PART IN THE UN-WIDE REFORMS



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CEB endorsed **System-wide Urban Strategy**



Led **CCA Guidance Companion Paper**

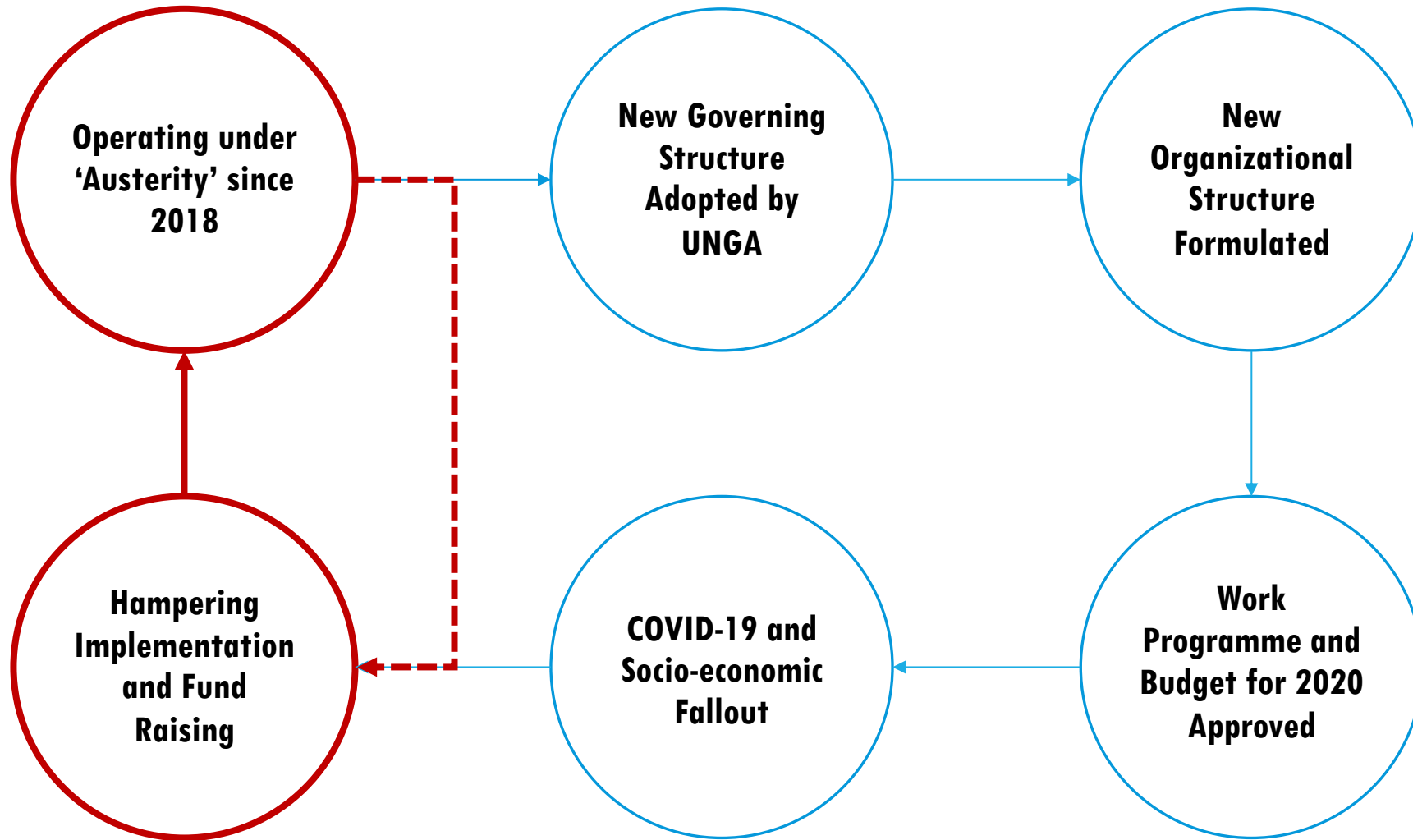


Inputs to **RC System Reform**

'AUSTERITY' – A VICIOUS CIRCLE TO BE BROKEN



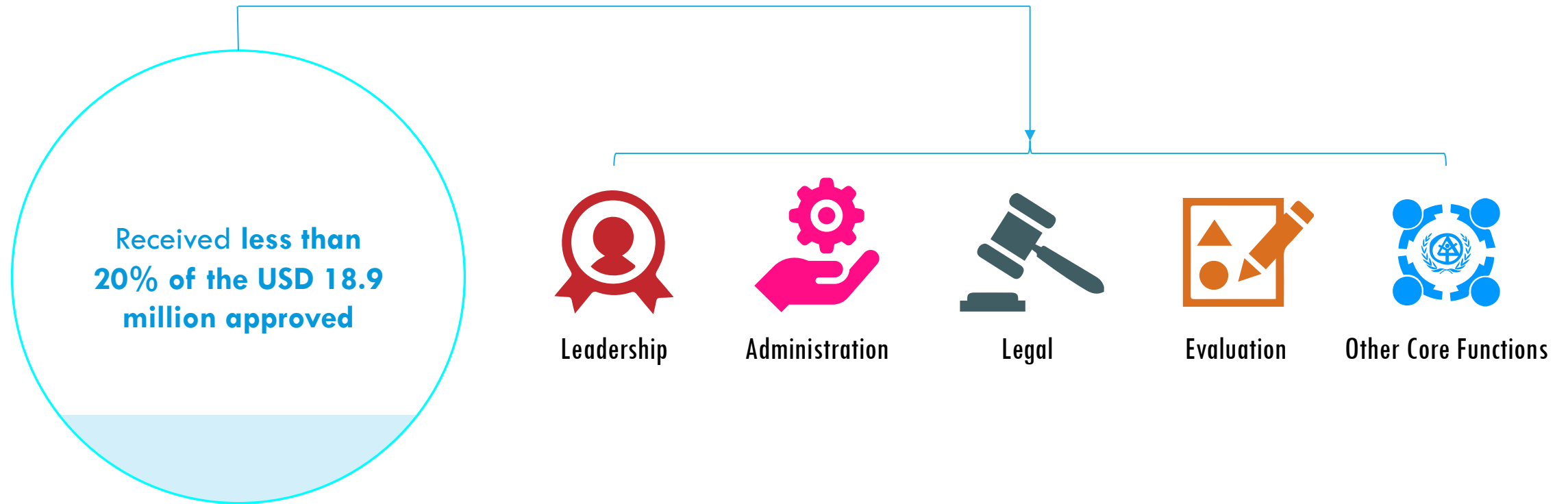
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CORE FUNDS ARE NEEDED FOR CORE FUNCTIONS



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DECREASE OF CORE FUNDS - CONSEQUENCES



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Project-oriented



**Limited Ability
to Implement SP**

85%

(2019)

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65%

(2020)

**Normative Work
Declines**

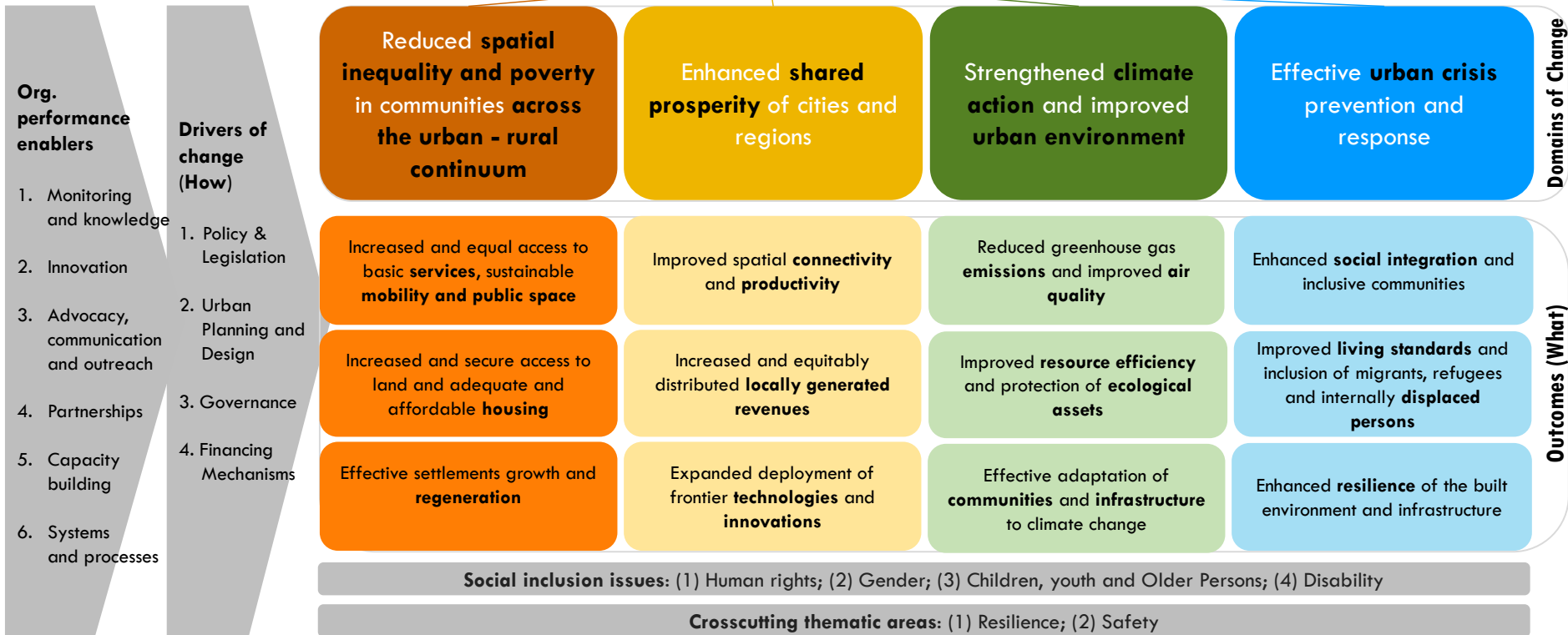
ONGOING PROACTIVE FUND RAISING TO SUPPORT OUR MANDATES

UN HABITAT STRATEGIC PLAN 2020-2023

Vision
A better quality of life for all
in an urbanizing world

Mission
UN-Habitat promotes transformative change in cities and human settlements through knowledge, policy advice, technical assistance and collaborative action to leave no one and no place behind

Objective
Sustainable urbanization is advanced as a driver of development and peace, to improve living conditions for all



Establish Endowment to Generate Consistent and Annual Source of Funding To Support Mandates



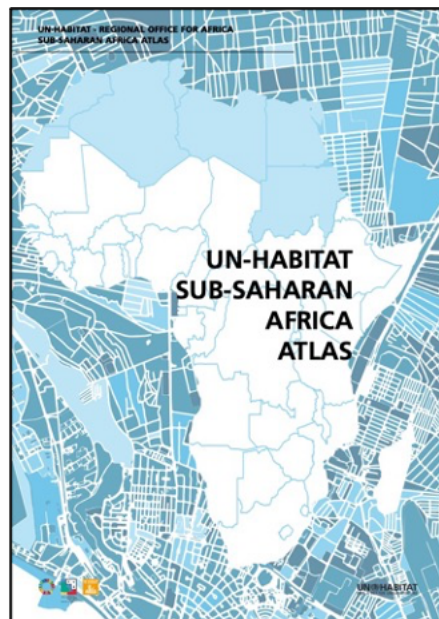
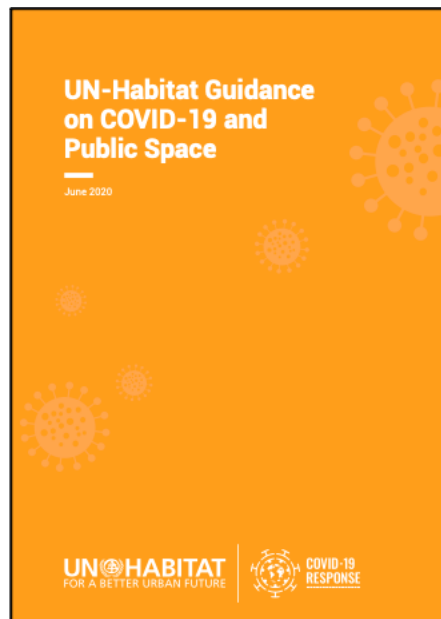
ED&DED conducted 145 Bilaterals with Ambassadors/Ministers/ Gov Officials/Strategic Partners Since Jan 2020

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FOR ENABLING OUR NORMATIVE AND OPERATIONAL WORKS



2020: AN ACTIVE YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION DESPITE CHALLENGES



Kibera slum, Nairobi, Kenya



Site inspection to prevent C19 in Sabra, Beirut, Lebanon



Women making protective material in Nepal



Handover of PPEs in Marawi, Philippines



UN-Habitat water provision in Gamashie, Accra, Ghana



Handwashing station in Sittwe, Myanmar





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COVID-19

**TAKE ACTION WITH
US IN CITIES AND
COMMUNITIES**

UN HABITAT FOR A BETTER URBAN FUTURE COVID-19 RESPONSE

THANK YOU!

