

**SCREENING OF CSP 2007-2013 Philippines (NIP only)**

Disclaimer: The information contained in this table has been prepared to provide some guidance in analysing the draft CSP. It is based on an interpretation of the information provided within the draft CSP. The result should therefore be checked against the text of the draft CSP.

**General Information on the country**

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| <i>Percentage of people living in poverty</i> | 30%  | The percentage of the population that is living below the National Poverty Line. |
| <i>Percentage of women living in poverty</i>  | n.a. |  |
| <i>Key Issues</i>                             | n.a. |  |

**Overview over the National Indicative Programme**

|                                  | <b>2007-2010 (in Euro/in %)</b>                  |        | <b>2011-2013 (in Euro/in %)</b> |  |
|----------------------------------|--|--------|---------------------------------|--|
| <i>The financial allocation:</i> | €60 million                                      |        | n.a.                            |  |
| <i>Focal Sector 1</i>            | Access to quality basic social services - health | 67-76% | n.a.                            |  |
| <i>Focal Sector 2</i>            | No   |        | No                              |  |
| <i>Focal Sector 3</i>            | No   |        | No                              |  |
| <i>Non-focal Sector 1</i>        | Trade related assistance                         | 11-13% | n.a.                            |  |
| <i>Non-focal Sector 2</i>        | Small Project Facility                           | 11-13% | n.a.                            |  |
| <i>Non-focal Sector 3</i>        | Multi-donor Trust Fund                           | 0-9%   | n.a.                            |  |

|   | <b>Indicator</b> | <b>Explanation</b>   | <b>Text</b>   |
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| <i>1. How many focal sectors are there?</i>   | 1                | 1. Access to quality basic social services, health.  |   |
| <i>2. How many non-focal sectors are there?</i>   | 3                | 1. Trade related assistance<br>2. Small Project Facility<br>3. Multi-donor Trust Fund                    |   |
| <i>3. Which issues are treated as cross-cutting?</i>  | 7                | Indigenous people, involvement of NSAs and LAs, Gender, Migration, Environment, Governance, human rights | In regards to focal sector 1, health, a fairly detailed overview the cross-cutting issues is given and measures are pointed out to address these (NIP p. 5). In all the other sectors cross cutting issues are treated with a standard sentence (NIP p. 8, 10, 12). |
| <b>Overall Questions</b>  |                  |  |   |
| <b>Consultations</b>  |                  |  |   |
| <i>4. Was national parliament consulted (date, time, agenda, participants)?</i>   | n.a.             |  |   |
| <i>5. Will the national parliament adopt the CSP?</i>   | n.a.             |  |   |
| <i>6. Were CSOs consulted (date, time, agenda, participants)?</i>   | n.a.             | Only have access to the NIP.   |   |
| <i>7. Was the draft CSPs available before/during/ after the meeting?</i>  | n.a.             |  |   |
| <i>8. To what extent did consultations effect the final CSP draft? Can the Commission provide reports from these consultative meetings?</i> | n.a.             |  |   |

| Comparison DCI and CSPs  |      |  |           |
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| 9. Are there other sources to finance CSPs than DCI?   | Yes  | Thematic and regional programmes will provide complementary funds.                         | NIP p. 2  |
| 10. Are DAC codes listed or are explanations given about how the action is to be financed in conformity with DCI ? | No   |  |           |
| 11. Are there activities mentioned that are unlikely to be in compliance with the DAC criteria?                    | No   | However, activities under non-focal sector 3, trade related assistance, are to be defined. | NIP p. 12 |
| 12. How big are the funds for those programmes that are not in compliance with DAC criteria?                       | n.a. |  |           |
| 13. Is the EC giving general budget support? (Explain why or why not.)   | No   | No explanation is given in the NIP.  |           |

| <b>MDG</b>   |      |   |  |
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| <i>14. Is there an MDG profile showing the starting point in the specific country (and how far is the country in relation to the achievement of each of the 8 MDGs?)</i> | No   | Only have access to the NIP.  |  |
| <i>15. Timeline for MDGs?</i>  | No   |   |  |
| <i>16. How will Commission Programmes achieve these targets?</i>   | Yes  | Focal Sector 1, Support to the delivery of basic social services - health, do focus on health related MDGs. |  |
| <i>17. How will member states programmes achieve these targets?</i>  | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.  |  |
| <i>18. How will the national government programmes achieve these targets?</i>  | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.  |  |
| <b>Health and education</b>  |      |   |  |
| <i>19. Is the 20% benchmark on basic health and basic and secondary education met?</i>   | Yes  | 67-76% of the budget for 2007-2010 go into the health sector.   |  |
| <i>20. Has spending on basic health and basic and secondary education increased?</i>   | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.  |  |

| <b>Gender</b>  |     |  |  |
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| 21. <i>Is there any specific programmes to strengthen women's empowerment?</i>                       | No  | Gender is only treated as a cross cutting issues.  |  |
| 22. <i>Do programmes outlined in the CSP show gender sensitivity? What is the evidence for this?</i> | Yes | The activities in the health sector do take gender as a cross-cutting issue into account and points out measures to address maternal health and primary health care for women. |  |

| <b>Donor coordination</b>  |      |  |  |
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| 23. <i>Is there a national development plan? How does the EU relate to that?</i>                                     | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.   |  |
| 24. <i>Is donor coordination based on CSPs, PRSPs or other means?</i>  | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.   |  |
| 25. <i>Is there any indication of which is the lead donor in the country (and their relation to the Commission)?</i> | n.a. | Only have access to the NIP.   |  |
| 26. <i>Does CSPs create a linkage between Commission and Member States strategy?</i>                                 | Yes  | <p>Activities in focal sector 1, health, will be coordinated by the Department of Health Stakeholder Mechanism (NIP p. 6).</p> <p>For non-focal sector 1, Mindanao Peace Process, there is a Mindanao Working Group (NIP p.9).</p> <p>For non-focal sector 2, Dialogue on Governance, the manager will take part in a coordination group called Small Grants Donors Group (NIP p. 11).</p> <p>For non-focal sector 3, Trade Related Assistance, no coordination is in place (NIP p. 13).</p> |  |

| <i>Specific questions</i>   |     |   |          |
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| <b>Human Development</b>  |     |   |          |
| <b>Health</b>   |     |   |          |
| 27. <i>Are there programmes to boost basic healthcare in the country? (Explain which?)</i>  | Yes | Focal sector 1, Support to the delivery of basic social services - health, will fund programmes on health.                              | NIP p. 3 |
| 28. <i>Do these programmes pay specific attention to marginalised groups (women, children, ethnic-religious and other discriminated group and people with disabilities)</i> | Yes | Under cross-cutting issues several marginalized groups are mentioned with a description of specific activities to support each of them. | NIP p. 5 |
| 29. <i>Do these programmes focus on the health-related MDGs?</i>  | Yes | The programme addresses the MDG requirements  | NIP p. 4 |
| 30. <i>Are there programmes on the major and neglected diseases?</i>  | No  | No specific programme on the major and neglected is mentioned in the NIP.   |          |
| 31. <i>Are there programmes on sexual and reproductive health?</i>  | No  | No specific programme on sexual and reproductive health is mentioned in the NIP.  |          |

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| <b>Primary education</b>  |    |   |          |
| 32. <i>Are there programmes to build human resources in the health and education fields?</i>  | No | Education will be treated as a cross cutting issue in focal sector 1, health.   | NIP p. 4 |
| 33. <i>Are there measures to improve basic and secondary education?</i>   | No |   |          |
| 34. <i>Are there measures to reduce inequalities in terms of access to education?</i>   | No |   |          |
| <b>Social cohesion and employment</b>   |    |   |          |
| 35. <i>Are there programmes to work towards Decent Work?</i>  | No |   |          |
| 36. <i>Are there programmes to combat child labour?</i>   | No |   |          |
| 37. <i>Are there measures to help the most vulnerable groups (such as those with disabilities, indigenous people and children)?</i> | No | Under cross-cutting issues several marginalized groups are mentioned with a description of specific activities to support each of them. | NIP p. 5 |

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| <b>Governance</b>   |     |   |           |
| 38. Are efforts being made to ensure that programmes on governance target priority sectors such as healthcare and teachers as part of civil society? (Explain!) | No  |   |           |
| 39. Are efforts being made to promote good governance and combat corruption? (Explain!)   | Yes | Corruption is treated as a cross cutting issue in non-focal sector 3, trade related assistance. | NIP p. 12 |
| <b>Food security</b>  |     |   |           |
| 40. Are there programmes developed to ensure food security?   | No  |   |           |
| <b>SME</b>  |     |   |           |
| 41. Are there measures to facilitate the setting up of SMEs and boost wealth creation?  | Yes | SME development and support is an objective of non-focal sector 3, trade related assistance.    | NIP p. 12 |

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| <b>Water and environment</b>  |    |  |  |
| 42. Are there measures to promote sustainable development (environmental protection and natural resources)?   | No |  |  |
| 43. Are there measures to support sustainable integrated water resources management, access to safe drinking water and sanitation and sustainable use of water resources? | No |  |  |
| 44. Are there efforts to prioritise sustainable energy sources?   | No |  |  |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>   |    |  |  |
| 45. Are infrastructure measures foreseen and will they benefit the poorest in the country?  | No |  |  |
| 46. Are there programmes to target priority areas such as health and education in terms of building infrastructure in these areas (schools and hospitals)?                | No |  |  |

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| <b>Local authorities</b>  |  |  |          |
| 47. Do efforts exist to develop programmes including local authorities?       | No   |  |          |
| 48. Do efforts exist to develop programmes for NSAs?                          | Yes  | Non-focal sector 2, Dialogue on Governance, is a Small Project Facility to support networking, capacity building, studies, media products and pilot initiatives of NSAs. | NIP p. 9 |
| 49. Do efforts exist to get NSAs/NGOs and local authorities to work together? | No   |  |          |
| <b>Rural development</b>  |  |  |          |
| 50. Are measures foreseen to support sustainable rural development?           | Yes  | As part of non-focal sector 2, Support to the Mindanao Peace Process, measures on sustainable rural development are foreseen for this region.                            | NIP p. 7 |
| <b>Overall comment</b>  | A detailed analysis of the EC activities and their justification is difficult based on the NIP alone. Since there is no analytical part or MDG profile in the NIP one has to assume that EC programmes address the most pressing issues. Problematic in regards to accountability is, that the activities in non-focal sector 3, Trade Related Assistance, are not yet decided upon. |  |          |