**Nicaragua**

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| **Programme Title:** | Democratic economic governance in the Water and Sanitation sector in the RAAN and RAAS |
| **Programme number & MDTF ref:** | MDGF-1832-A-NIC EcoGov (67192) |
| **Window:** | Economic Governance |
| **Approved Budget by NSC (US$):** | 7.7 million |
| **Participating Organizations:** | UNCDF, UNODC, UNICEF, UNDP, PAHO/WHO, ILO, UNESCO |
| **First Tranche transferred on:** | 9-Mar-2009 |
| **Second Tranche transferred on:** | 12-May-2010 |

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| **ACTIVITIES Reported:** |
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| **Main Substantive Activities:** |
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| 26 new water/sanitation projects designed. Land for sewerage disposal in Bluefields purchased. Dialogue on a regional water and sanitation strategy underway. CAPS (LocalWater and Sanitation Community Committees) organized and trained. Municipal strategic plans elaborated with special focus on WASH. Staff of regional and municipal governments trained. Two regional “discussion round tables” established. Water and Sanitation Investment Fund approved in both regions. |
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| **Problems and lessons learned:** |
| Managerial (frequent personnel changes). |
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| **The programme reports relevant linkage to the UNDAF:** Yes |
| **The programme has communication strategy in place: Yes** |

CHARTS& FIGURES

As of 31 December 2010

