

Management Response: Implementation Plan for Evaluation Recommendations

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Implementation Plan

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1	In 15 countries, city and national waste management strategies have been developed. In total, 9 strategies have been officially approved, 11 strategies were not (yet) adopted and for 6 strategies, it was unclear. Small pilot projects have been executed for eight strategies, but overall, the strategies were not (fully) implemented yet. Also, respondents requested	UNEP/IETC to follow-up with all countries (and partner organizations) that developed waste management strategies and confirm which strategies have been officially adopted, which are being implemented, and what are further needs for support.	Critical	Project	IETC project manager(s)	Within the next 6 months	Accepted		IETC will hire a consultant to conduct a strategy implementation assessment and contact all relevant previous partners and the relevant stakeholder representatives inquire regarding strategy implementation, results/events/actions following the strategy.

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	<p>further support from IETC or its implementing partners, e.g. related to technical support or assistance in securing additional funding. As it is clear that many countries are not yet able to apply sound waste management and no follow-up strategies were prepared for these waste management strategies within project 534.1 (see also recommendation #2), it is recommended that IETC and its project partners follow-up directly with the main partners in the countries to see if any immediate support can be provided or to assist the countries in finding appropriate support if requested.</p>								(Dependent on availability of funds)