**COMMENTS ON THE UNDP DRAFT COUNTRY PROGRAMME DOCUMENT FOR KUWAIT (2020-2024)**

*First regular session 2020*

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| **Comments by Germany** | **Country Office response** |
| * CPD Section IV: Monitoring and Evaluation, based on the costed evaluation plan, consider elaborating on:
	+ What type of evaluations will be commissioned? Who will the CO partner with?
 | **Type of Evaluation** | **Evaluation Partners** |
| Programme Outcomes (UNSDCF) | UNCT |
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| Outcome | Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Science (KFAS), the Private Sector partners |
| Portfolio | Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Science (KFAS) |
| Projects | UN-Women; Nazaha (Anticorruption Authority); Supreme Council for Planning and Development. |
| * How will you use the information generated from the evaluations? How will you improve accountability and learning?
 | * Information gathered from evaluations will be used for better programme and strategy formulation, refocus of ongoing projects, and identification of programmatic bottlenecks and required solutions. This will enhance future programme and project formulation and design.
* Accountability and learning will be improved through the following action:
	+ A systematic follow-up in place on the progress made towards the implementation of management responses to evaluation recommendations
	+ The programmatic integration of the updated IEO Evaluation Guidelines; which include allocation of resources, identification of roles and responsibilities among stakeholders;
	+ Draw lessons learned and enhance knowledge of Country Office and partners;
	+ Evaluations to be implemented according to the IEO guidelines.
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| * What share of the programme budget will be spent on M&E?
 | * 0.3% of programme resources
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