

NFP and MSP country focus

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Country	This embassy would like to use the NFP to support the following priority areas (NFP), sectors and/or themes (MSP)	This embassy would like to support the following other areas that serve the bilateral development cooperation policy of the embassy	This embassy would like to use the NFP or MSP to support the following strategic partners or organisations	Other comments
Afghanistan	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Water	Improvements in medical health, Proper development in agriculture sector, The existing water resources to be used properly for producing hydro-power and to used in irrigation , Proper development in producing solar energy and promoting industries to reduce joblessness , Safety and rule of law, education and administration .	Ministry of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Commerce and Industries, Ministry of Water and Power	Afghanistan is in need to be cooperated to have good and strong governance, to have proper economic development to be able to use its natural resources, to have qualified staff to work in the framework of the government.
Albania	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water			
Algeria (MSP)	(Renewable) energy; (maritime) infrastructure; water; environment; agriculture / dairy and food processing ; small and medium enterprise development; local governance; safety & security.		Ministries of: energy, water resources and environment, transports, Agriculture and rural development and Fisheries, Interior, industry, health; Chambers of commerce; universities and research institutes; NGO's.	Algeria is putting efforts in investing in the human resources that will be central to its quest for a diversified economy, food security and a lower dependence on natural resources representing 98% of its revenues.

Armenia	Safety and rule of law	Business administration and management, Communication, Law, Transport and communication, Agriculture.		
Bangladesh	Food security, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Ready-Made Garments Sector		
Benin				
Bhutan	Xx	Xx	xx	
Bolivia	Food Security, Water, Energy, and Transport & Logistics.	Agro/food, Water, Energy and Transport & Logistics.	Private Sector, NGO's, Civil Society and government	
Burkina Faso				
Burundi	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights	Private sector development, Public finance reform	Chambre fédérale du Commerce et d'industries (CFCI), Agriprofocus, Réseau des Institutions des Microfinances (RIM).	The PSD is a cross cutting theme in which we will be focus for all pillars.
Cambodia	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Agriculture, Economic and trade		
Colombia	Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Sustainable Agriculture, Bio-based Economy , Waste Management, Infrastructure & logistics, Safety & Security.		The Embassy in Colombia has a broad range of partner organisations and thus we prefer to focus on the key bilateral sectors rather than the organisations themselves.

Cuba	Food Security, Water Management, Medicine and Biotechnology, Business Administration, Media and Journalism, Renewable Energy.	Sustainable Agriculture, Development of the Private Sector, Environment	Organizations and institutions of the A&F sector.	
Djibouti	//	(Agro)logistics, Economic/business development		
DR Congo	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, improvement of business climate and development of the private sector and accessibility to Energy.	Improvement of business climate and development of the private sector, Women participation in the public affairs in the country, Security reform, international justice and fight against impunity , Land and ethnic conflict resolution, Accessibility to Energy.	Local NGOs but not already supported by Dutch Funds, Colleges and universities (private and public), private companies (development of private sector), Hospitals (private and public) and decentralization and state presence enforcement employees, Press (radio, TV and INTERNET)	
Egypt	Food Security, Water	Economic development, Transport and logistics, Agriculture		
Egypt (MSP)	Human rights, press, democratization, economic growth	This embassy would like to support the following other areas that serve the bilateral development cooperation policy of the embassy: water management & technology, agriculture and transport & logistics.		
Eritrea				The Embassy in Sudan is also covering Eritrea.

Ethiopia	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights	Water, Economic/business development, Political economy of the developmental state		Water is not a priority area in our MASP, but is an important area of cooperation in PPP. That is the reason it is mentioned under other support areas.
Georgia	Food security, Safety and Rule of Law, Water	Agriculture, Architecture and Town Planning, Business administration and management, Transport and Communication, Law.		
Ghana	Food security, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights + Water	Maritime & Logistics, Health Science, Gender, (Human Right & Protection)	University of Ghana, Legon (UG), University of Professional Studies (UPSA), University of Cape Coast (UCC), ASHESI University, Technical Universities, Colleges, Government, Ministries, Governmental Organisations, NGO's and Private Sector	
Guatemala				
India	//	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water. General skill development areas relevant for India	JDT Islam Orphanage and Educational Institutions, Kozhikkode	In the absence of a bilateral development cooperation type relationship between India and the Netherlands, priority needs to be accorded to other areas for building capacity and raise the level of skills across the board rather than confining to just four areas. Giving priority to marginalized sections and communities will make an impact and will be useful for a focused and targeted approach. One organization is selected as a strategic partner which will help us see the result of a focused approach in a couple of years.
Indonesia	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Water management	Economic in particular investment climate, health care development and logistics; Culture such as archival studies, architecture, archeology, cultural heritage and creative industries.		

Iraq (MSP)	Food security, Water	Agriculture (Animal Husbandry and Horticulture);	Available for all related organizations in public and private sectors.	Iraq has huge potential for agriculture, especially dairy and horticulture. Salination of the rivers is a problem that needs to be addressed as well as setting up decentralized support structures
Jordan	Food security, Water	Agriculture, Human Rights		
Jordan (MSP)	Agriculture, Food Safety, Human rights, Water, Medical		Available for all related organizations in public and private sectors.	
Kenya	Water, Food Security, Security and Rule of Law (including Human Rights).	Urban Planning & Development, Energy and Renewable Energy, Ports and Logistics, Health & ICT	Private Sector, NGO's, Civil Society and government	we hope that the funding available will match the expectations especially in this transition period from Aid to Trade as we expand our scope for Dutch Investments
Lebanon (MSP)	Agriculture, sustainable, renewable energy and water management, environment, nature conservation and eco tourism, women's empowerment, media and journalism		Ministries: agriculture, environment, economy; Governmental organisations: Investment Development Authority, Council Reconstruction Development; NGO's in sectors	The Design sector has great potential in Lebanon. Possibilities for scholarships in this field would be highly appreciated, will give an additional impetus to the sector and will increase the relations between NL and Lebanon in this field. Hope it is possible to enclose scholarships in this field this year or, if too short notice, for next year.
Libya (MSP)	Rule of Law, Media, Water Management, Agriculture, Private Sector Investment		The Embassy's NGO network, University's of Tripoli and Benghazi, Ministry of Water, Ministry of Agriculture	we would like the MSP to be complementary to the other activities that are funded from the Matra-South Budget. these include working with civil society in the area of rule of law and media, but also economic cooperation in the field of agriculture and water management.

Macedonia	Rule of law and fundamental freedoms; water management and infrastructure; sexual and reproductive health and rights; private sector development	Active citizenship/citizen participation	/	/
Mali	Security and rule of law, Sexual and reproductive health and rights, Water			
Morocco (MSP)	Water (including port development), Renewable Energy, Transport and Logistics, Tourism, Youth Empowerment, Prevention of Radicalization and Migration.	Agriculture (Agro Food, Dairy and Horticulture) and Market access.	Available for all related organizations in public and private sectors.	
Mozambique	Agriculture, Food Security, health, Water,.	Agriculture, Food Security, health, Water,.	Governmental Organizations (Ministries and Public institutions); The NGO's acting on the priority areas and Public Universities (UEM, UNIZAMBEZI).	
Myanmar (Burma)	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Agriculture, Economic and trade		
Nepal	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Agriculture, Forestry, Energy/Environment		
Nicaragua				

Nigeria	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Economic development (agriculture (agro food and horticulture), energy, creative industries; Human rights and good governance (democratization and elections).		
Oman (MSP)				MSP is not currently open to applicants from Oman.
Pakistan	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Energy, Logistics/Port Development, Agriculture, Vocational Training, Media Development in the priority areas, Human Rights.		
Palestinian Territories	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Private sector development	Palestinian Ministry of Agriculture; Palestinian Ministry of National Economy; Palestinian Ministry of Justice; Palestinian High Judicial Council; Palestinian Public Prosecutors office as well as small or big scale companies working in the private sector, or organizations that needs expertise in the fields of our focus.	The focus of the Dutch development program in the PT is on three key sectors here the Netherlands has proven added value: security & rule of Law, food security, and water. The Netherlands furthermore supports a substantial human right program and is a core donor of the UN Agency for refugees, Finally, the Netherlands is involved in Palestinian private sector development and supports culture and sports activities. Gender perspectives constitute of integral component of the program across all three sectors. Although we do not have direct projects that are funded by the NRO in the sexual and reproductive health sector, but we still want to support studies in this domain.
Peru	Food security, Water	Logistics		The Embassy only has a limited bilateral development cooperation policy for Peru.

Philippines	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Human rights / Migration/anti-human trafficking, Maritime / Transport and logistics/ Water management and technology / Agriculture and Food/Environment / Climate Studies/Energy / Fight against human trafficking, labour exploitation/ Fight against child pornography and sex tourism	Government /semi-government, Private sector / Small and Medium Scale business or industry, Non-governmental organizations, Educational and/or research institutions (education centre, training centre, university)	The Embassy in Manila policies and priorities are focused on sustainable trade and investment; enhancing the framework for development; strengthening the international legal order and in protecting human rights; value to peace, security and stability.
Rwanda	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Water	Reproductive health when on the regional level		
Senegal	Water	Environment		
Somalia	Law (maritime, custodial, police etc.) Governance(Financial, economic etc.) Fisheries	Development Studies		For Somalia – applicants must use passports not ID's
South Africa	Water	Renewable energy; transport and logistics		
South Sudan	Food Security, Safety and Rule of Law, Water	Gender, Entrepreneurship Development, Private Sector Development, Humanitarian Relief, Human Rights.	At this moment no direct support to central level authorities.	
Sri Lanka	Food security, Water, Health	Health, Agriculture, Energy, Transport and logistics, Trade, Criminal law	Government /semi-government, Private sector / Small and Medium Scale business or industry, Non-governmental organizations, Educational or research institutions and the Health sector	All government and Semi government sector employees require a Government Statement.

Sudan	Food security, Water	Agriculture (Food Security); Water (drought resilience, engineering); Energy (renewable)	Under consideration, we are seeking synergy with the LED funds, Human Rights funds	Sudan is not an development cooperation partner country but still the embassy will support as much as possible the priority areas.
Surinam	Food security, Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Sports, Diplomacy, Sustainable energy and City planning		
Syria (MSP)				MSP is not currently open to applicants applying from Syria. Applicants with the Syrian nationality may however apply if they are residing and working in one of the other selected MSP countries.
Tanzania	Food security	Energy Sector, Infrastructure, agriculture/Horticulture, Food Security, Financial Services		
Thailand	Agriculture, water management, (including waste water treatment and flood prevention), sustainable technology (such as in the area of waste management / energy to waste), and 'rule of law'.			

Tunisia (MSP)	Sustainable Local Economic Development; Water management & Environment (including waste treatment), Rural innovation, Sustainable tourism management, Local governance , Women entrepreneurship; Land Management and Informal Settlement Regularisation; Food Security	social and solidarity economy (SSE) ;Private sector development ;Public finance reform	TN Ministries, particularly ministries of Agricore , Local affairs , Tourism and Environment ; Small and medium enterprises (SMEs) ; organizations (including trade and labour unions); Universities/Education Institutes, semi-government/ public enterprises , cooperatives	For 2016 ,the Netherlands Embassy in Tunis has developed and initiated a new approach with the aim to focus on the North Western region of Tunisia (four governorates : El Kef ,Siliana , Beja and Jendouba) (the region is one of the most deprived in the country but with real untapped potential). The short and midterm objectives are : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To make the difference • To be even more effective • To maximize synergies between all the multiple NL programmed and support instruments To do so the Embassy will try as much as possible to redirect all the projects, activities and support programmes (central and delegated) to the focus region. In this regard and in order to serve the bilateral cooperation policy of the Embassy, we would like to give the priority to applicants from the above mentioned governorates.
Uganda	Food security, security & rule of law	Climate Change, Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights, HIV/Aids, Gender , Economic cooperation (Trade, investments and PSD)	Local governments, human rights organizations, civil society, small and medium enterprises (SMEs)	The overarching agenda for Uganda is from aid to trade. NFP is for the embassy an instrument to strengthen/expand partnerships between both countries.
Vietnam	Food security, Water	Water, Agriculture, Economic Governance		Vietnam is not an development cooperation partner country but still the embassy will support as much as possible the priority areas, since it helps strengthen the existing network thus supports the work of the Embassy in identifying opportunities and supporting Dutch businesses active in these areas.

Yemen	Safety and rule of law, Sexuality and reproductive health and rights, Water	Role of women and youth (leaders)		
Zambia	Food security, Water.	After closure of the Netherlands Embassy in Lusaka, Zambia is not receiving bilateral development aid anymore but the Consulate PLUS is now focused on promotion of business instruments: - ORIO - PSI - DGGF funds and trade & investment		The Netherlands maintains a Consulate PLUS with focus on trade & investment promotion between the NL and Zambia. Priority is development and preservation of favorable business environment that facilitates trade & investment activities. Critical partners for realization of this priority are economic related ministries/departments like Finance, Commerce Trade & Industry, transport, Tourism, Agriculture.. Statutory bodies under these min. and companies are also relevant. Stakeholders. In addition, the ministry of Education is critical.
Zimbabwe	Food security; Safety and rule of law; Water	Economic Governance, Environment, Media	Universities/Education Institutes, Government/semi-government (incl. parastatals), Supervisory/regulatory bodies, Civil Society / non-governmental organizations, Research institutes and Media	List of focus areas according to priority: 1. Food security, 2. Water , 3. Safety and rule of law, 4. Economic Governance, 5. Environment and 6. Media