

PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Code:		Project Title: Protect human settlements: Capacity strengthening for Coastal Zone Management	
Executing Agency: Ministry of Environment, Energy and Water		Implementing Agency:	
Geographic Coverage: National	Start Date: Immediate	Target Groups:	
Goal: Strengthen human, technical, regulatory and institutional capacity for coastal zone management			
Objectives		Activities	
<p><i>1. Develop the human resource and institutional capacity at atoll and island levels to manage coastal zones</i></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Develop a coastal zone management training kit specifically on the environmental conditions of Maldives. 2 Coastal management training conducted in the outer atolls targeting the key players at island level. 3 Establish environmental surveying units and develop basic coastal surveying capacity at Atoll or Regional level. 4 Train coastal engineers to be based in 5 Regional Development Management Offices (RDMO's) 5 Undertake feasibility study to conduct a coastal zone management course in the Maldives College of Higher Education. 6 Develop curriculum for a coastal zone management course in the Maldives College of Higher Education 7 Initiate a Coastal Zone Management Training Course in the Maldives College of Higher Education. 	
<p><i>2. Enhance the technical capacity to design coastal modifications suitable for small coral islands.</i></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Undertaking studies to assess the main impacts from access infrastructure development activities and how current design and implementation could be enhanced. 2 Review existing practices in land reclamation and conduct detailed studies on how they increase the vulnerability of islands to short term severe weather events and climate change. 3 Develop standards and guidelines for access infrastructure development and land reclamation projects to complement EIA requirements. 4 Develop environmental guidelines for land use planning at island level. 	
Financial Resources:			

