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MEMORANDUM

TO

ALL BUREAU DIRECTORS

FROM

The UNDERSECRETARY

Policy and Planning and International Affairs

SUBJECT

PEREZ-GUERRERO TRUST FUND FOR SOUTH-

SOUTH COOPERATION (SSC) PROJECT PROPOSALS

FOR 2023 (OSEC-2023-000800)

DATE

23 February 2023

This refers to the letter dated 10 February 2023 sent by Assistant Secretary Kira Christianne D. Azucena, Office of the United Nations and International Organizations, Department of Foreign Affairs, transmitting the Note Verbale No. N-001/2023 dated January 2023 from the Executive Secretariat of the Group 77.

The Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund for South-South Cooperation (SSC) is currently accepting proposals for the year 2023, with sectoral priorities including Trade, Technology, Food and Agriculture, Energy, Raw Materials, Finance, Industrialization, and Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries.

The deadline for submitting proposals is April 30, 2023. The maximum amount of funding available for each proposal is USD 35,000.00. UNIO strongly encourages organizations to take advantage of this opportunity by submitting project proposals.

In view of this, kindly recommend project proposal (if applicable) and send to ouppia@denr.gov.ph on or before 31 March 2023.

For your information and appropriate action.

ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES

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Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs <ouppia@denr.gov.ph>

OSEC-2023-000800: Fwd: UNIO-1-0717-2023 Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund for South-South Cooperation - Call for submission of Project Proposals for 2023

Office of the DENR Secretary <osec@denr.gov.ph>

Tue, Feb 14, 2023 at 1:18 PM

To: "Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs" < ouppia@denr.gov.ph>

Sir/Madam:

This is to respectfully refer, for information and appropriate action, the herein submission of project proposals for 2023 under the Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund (PGTF) for South-South Cooperation. Deadline of submission is on April 30, 2023.

We will appreciate informing this office, citing the document number OSEC-2023-000800, of the action taken on the matter.

Thank you.

Office of the Secretary
Department of Environment and Natural Resources



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From: Division 1 UNIO <unio.div1@dfa.gov.ph>

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Proposals for 2023

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please see attached documents on the above subject. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Thank you.

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

10 February 2023

Sir/Madam:

Attached is Note Verbale No. N-001/2023 dated 20 January 2023 from the Executive Secretariat of the Group of 77 concerning the submission of project proposals for 2023 under the Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund (PGTF) for South-South Cooperation (SSC). The Philippines is a contributor to and recipient of funding from the PGTF as part of the country's support and commitment to South-South Cooperation (SSC).

The sectoral priorities outlined in the Guidelines and Procedures for applications for funding from PGTF include Trade, Technology, Food and Agriculture, Energy, Raw Materials, Finance, Industrialization and Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries. The PGTF can therefore be leveraged as a platform to support the achievement of the Philippines' nationally-determined priorities.

The deadline for the submission of proposals is on 30 April 2023. The maximum amount of funding support for each proposal is pegged at USD 35,000.00. The guidelines for the submission of proposals are found in http://www.g77.org/pgtf, which includes the following:

- 1. The objective is to support cooperation projects involving three or more developing countries. Developmental projects involving a single country are not eligible;
- 2. A proposal may be submitted by only one country provided that written endorsements from the participating countries are included in the supporting documentation;
- 3. Any institution of a developing country, governmental or non-governmental, national or local, may submit proposals to PGTF, provided that the proposals are submitted through the national focal point for South-South cooperation or the competent national authority, as appropriate; and
- 4. Inputs from sources other than PGTF should at least be equal to funds requested from PGTF, and proposals should indicate the exact amount of other sources' funds, source and nature.

UNIO highly encourages your agency to maximize this opportunity by submitting project proposal no later than **30 April 2023**.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

For the Secretary of Foreign Affairs:

KIRA CHRISTIANNE D. AZUCENA

Assistant Secretary

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Subject: Date: Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund for South-South Cooperation (PGTF) - 2023 project cycle

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Note inviting submission of project proposals-2023.pdf



To:

The Group of 77



Executive Secretariat New York

Permanent Missions of the Member States of the Group of 77

and China

Date: 23 January 2023

Attached please find a Note Verbale on the above-mentioned subject. The Guidelines for utilization of PGTF, the Checklist and Model Format for submission of project proposals are available on the G-77 website at http://www.g77.org/pgtf.

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THE GROUP OF 77

Executive Secretariat New York

N-001/2023

The Executive Secretariat of the Group of 77 presents its compliments to the Permanent Missions of the Member States of the Group of 77 and China to the United Nations and with reference to the Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund for South-South Cooperation (PGTF) of the Group of 77, has the honour to recall that the deadline for submission of project proposals for the 2023 project cycle will be 30 April 2023 as endorsed by the Forty-sixth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of 77 held at UN Headquarters in New York on 23 September 2022, and that the estimated maximum amount of funding support available for any given project will be USD 35,000.00.

In this context, submitting entities may refer to the Guidelines for utilization of PGTF when preparing the project proposals which include, inter alia, the following:

- PGTF objective is to support cooperation projects involving three or more developing countries. Developmental projects involving a single country are not eligible;

- Proposal may be submitted by one country provided that written endorsements from the other participating countries are included in the supporting documentation of the proposal;

- Any institution of a developing country, governmental or non-governmental, national or local, may submit proposals to PGTF, provided that the proposals are submitted through the national focal point for South-South cooperation or a competent national authority, as appropriate;

- Inputs from sources other than PGTF should at least be equal to funds requested from PGTF and proposals should indicate the exact amount of other sources' funds, source and nature.

The Guidelines for utilization of PGTF, the Model Format for submission of project proposals, and the Summary Checklist are available on the website of the Group of 77 at http://www.g77.org/pgtf.

The Executive Secretariat of the Group of 77 avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Permanent Missions of the Member States of the Group of 77 and China to the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

New York, 20 January 2023.

Permanent Missions of the Member States of the Group of 77 and China to the United Nations New York

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