COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT UNDP COUNTRY PROGRAMME DOCUMENT FOR MALDIVES

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| **Comments by USA** | **UNDP Response** |
| We welcome UNDP’s emphasis on private sector engagement and partnerships within the program, as robust private sector engagement could help leverage necessary resources to address development challenges, for example, through private sector renewable/green energy investments. | We take note of the comment with appreciation.  UNDP in the Maldives has built solid partnership with the private sector that stemmed from the United for Climate Action initiative.  The UNDP country programme will generate a comprehensive private sector engagement strategy that fosters multi-stakeholder engagement, with a focus on renewable energy and climate resilient investments. |