

addition to the support through UNDP. Most IPG members, however, have indicated that they will not be able to financially contribute to UNDP's function as the SSA.

The EU funding in support of UNDP's SSA function aims to facilitate the continuation of efforts to implement the JETP by identifying bottlenecks and providing technical support and support for policy reforms. Against this backdrop, this action is proposed to ensure continued support from 2025 onwards to ensure the operationalisation of the Secretariat and active implementation of the JETP RMP. However, financial needs remain to be addressed for the continuation of the work of the Support Agency to the Secretariat well beyond March 2025.

Identification of main stakeholders and corresponding institutional and/or organisational issues (mandates, potential roles, and capacities) to be covered by the action:

The Secretariat is headed by the Minister of MoNRE; the Vice Minister of MoNRE is the Standing Deputy Head of the Secretariat; the Vice Minister of MoIT, Vice Minister of MPI, and Vice Minister of MoF are Deputy Heads of the Secretariat. The Secretariat and its four working groups are the main governmental bodies to implement the Viet Nam JETP.

UNDP is the officially appointed Support Agency to the Secretariat, and the implementing partner of this Action. UNDP, in its function as the Support Agency to the Secretariat, will enhance coordination, logistical arrangements and cooperation between different stakeholders and in this way address the bottlenecks currently hampering the implementation of the JETP.

IPG's main role is to monitor and review the process of the JETP RMP and JETP PD implementation, and to support the Secretariat when required. While not yet the case, IPG's role in the future will be to function as a part of the Secretariat.

MoNRE is the lead Ministry of the Secretariat and the general working group of the Secretariat which focuses on monitoring, commissioning the biennial review, and reporting. Notably, **the Department of Climate Change** has been the leading department under MoNRE, for example in the process of writing the RMP and liaising with all stakeholders.

MPI will direct the Institutional, Policy and Investment working group to perform assigned tasks. MPI will also lead and coordinate together with MOF and relevant ministries in identifying the need for aid and private investment for a just energy transition; and mobilize and allocate domestic investment capital, official development assistance (ODA), concessional loans and non-refundable aid not covered by official development assistance for the implementation of the RMP.

MOIT will form and direct the Technology and Energy Group in its responsibilities and assigned tasks. MOIT will lead in proposing mechanisms, policies and regulations for implementation of the energy transition; formulate offshore wind power development plans and proposals, and lead in proposing priority projects to implement the just energy transition with resources from IPG, GFANZ and other financial institutions; and Coordinate with IPG and relevant ministries and agencies to propose the establishment of the International Centre of Renewable Energy located in Viet Nam.

MOF is the Ministry responsible of establishing and leading the Finance Group. MOIT is key in organising negotiations to mobilise financial support from the IPG, GFANZ, and other stakeholders, including bilateral and multilateral financial institutions, the private sector, and other parties related to implementing the JETP Declaration; and in leading and coordinating with other ministries in developing financial mechanisms and policies to encourage private sector to actively engage in the energy transition.

Other key Ministries have also been assigned responsibilities under the JETP RMP and will be communicated and coordinated with on ad hoc basis. For example, the Ministry of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs (MOLISA) will engage on the development of Just Transition framework; the Ministry of Transport (MOT) will engage for relevant projects and policy dialogues, and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) will attract international resources through high-level foreign affairs activities etc.

The **GFANZ** (Glasgow Financial Alliance for Net Zero) consists of large private sector financial institutions