

# Standard Template for a Candidate Demonstration Project

Note: the questions with asterisk should be filled.

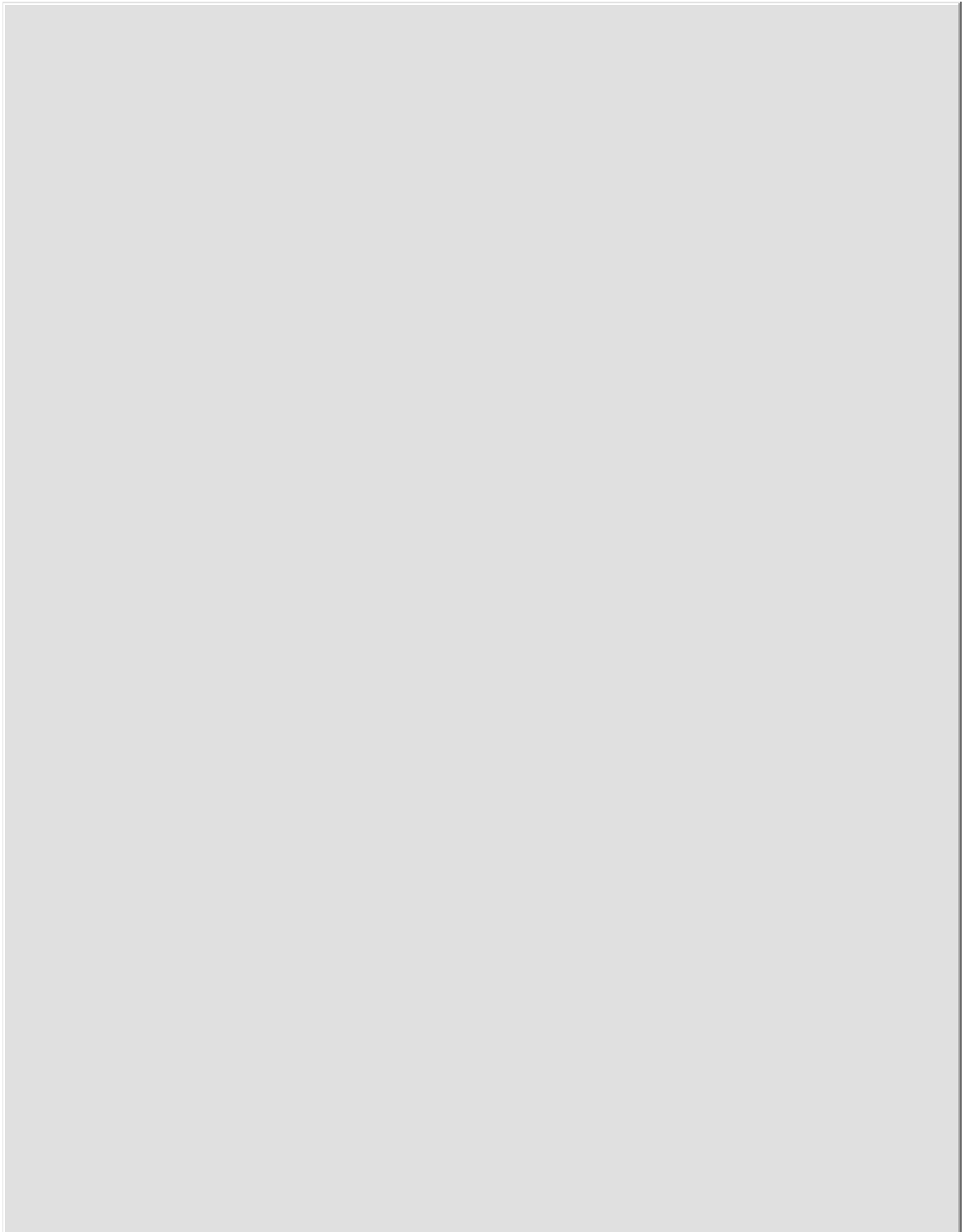
**1.\* Title of the project:**  
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**2.\* Submitted by:**  
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**3.\* Target disease or health condition:**  
*(Focus on type II and III diseases and special R&D needs of developing countries in type I diseases where there is an identified health technology gap.)*  
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**4.\* The suggested health technology that project seeks to develop:**  
*(e.g. medicine; diagnostic test; medical device; vaccine etc.)*  
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**5.\* Project summary:**



*(Maximum 500 words)*

**6.\* Public health need that the proposed project aims to address:**

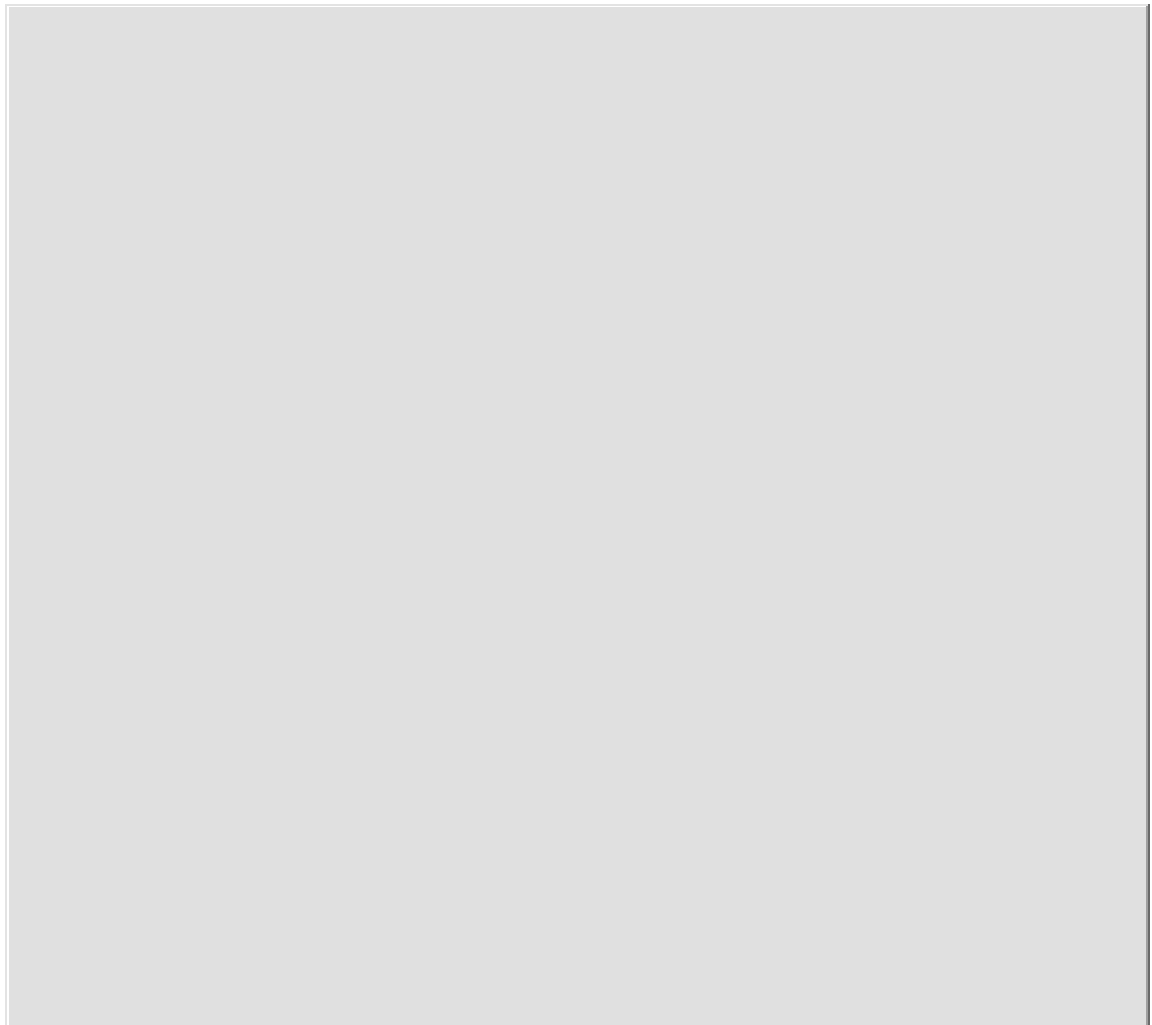
*(Explain the public health need in terms of burden of disease; prevalence; incidence; fatality rate; geographical spread; current interventions and their limitations; and what proposed new technology would change in terms of disease prevention, control, diagnosis, treatment etc. If detailed information is not possible at present then please provide some basic level information)*



*(Maximum 400 words)*

**7.\* Explain which new and innovative approaches and mechanisms to supporting financing and coordination of R&D this project would demonstrate?**

*(This is a very important part to be filled. The idea of these demonstration projects is “to address identified gaps that disproportionately affect developing countries, particularly the poor, and for which immediate action can be taken” (WHA66.22). 66<sup>th</sup> WHA considered these demonstration projects as part of the efforts to “take forward action in relation to monitoring, coordination and financing for health research and development”. The assembly decided to identify such projects that: “(a) address identified research and development gaps related to discovery, development and/or delivery, including promising product pipelines, for diseases that disproportionately affect developing countries, particularly the poor, and for which immediate action can be taken; (b) utilize collaborative approaches, including open-knowledge approaches, for research and development coordination; (c) promote the de-linkage of the cost of research and development from product price; and (d) propose and foster financing mechanisms including innovative, sustainable and pooled funding; (2) The demonstration projects should provide evidence for long-term sustainable solutions.”)*



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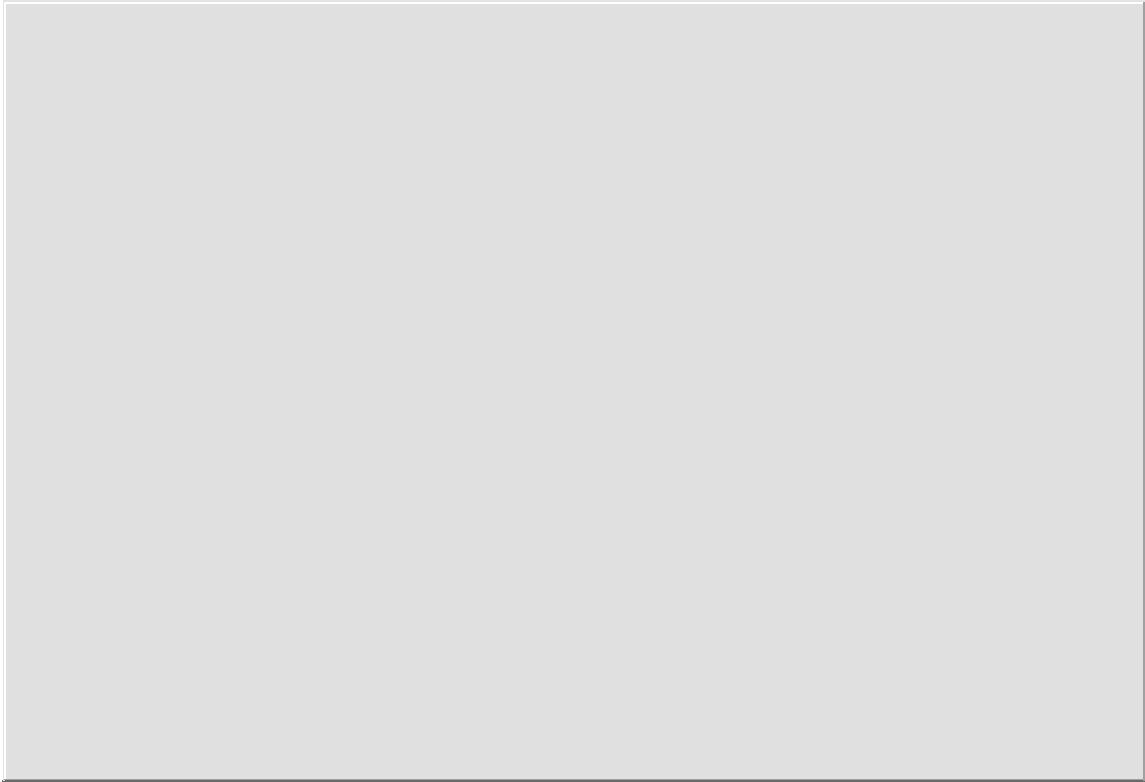
**8.\* Evidence of market failure/research landscape:**

*(Explain why there has been no investment in this technology or why investment has not resulted in access to the health care product.)*

*(Maximum 200 words)*

**9. The scientific and technical feasibility:**

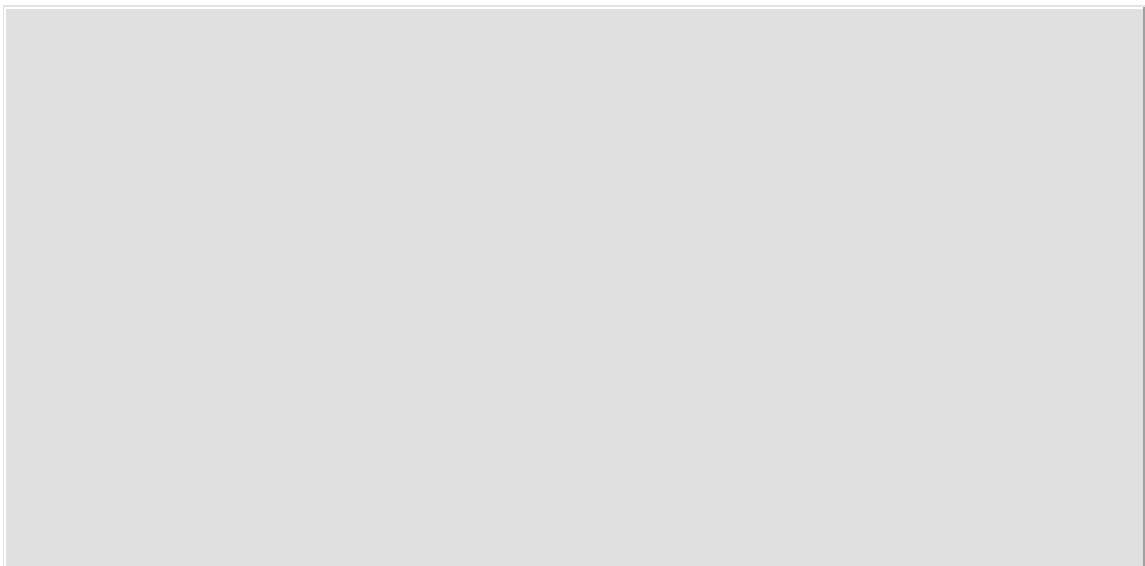
*(Describe the scientific and technical basis for the proposed technology in terms of the state of the art e.g. candidate molecules; biomarkers; pipeline; previous efforts, if any, to develop same or similar technology etc. Include some risk analysis)*



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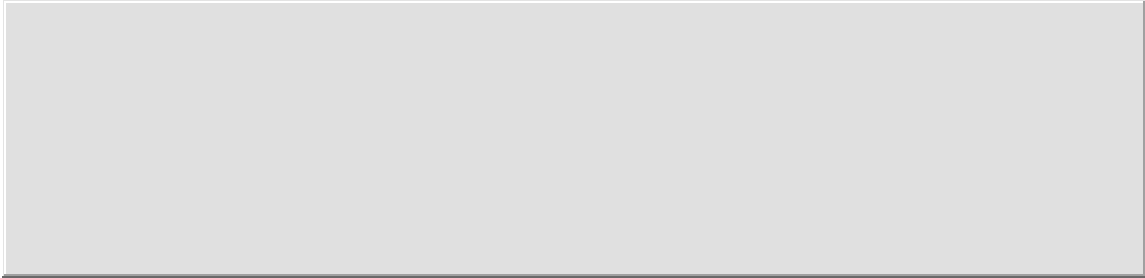
**10. Reasons for proposing:**

*(Provide details if any priority setting and/or selection criteria that has underpinned the consideration to take up this area of technology for development.)*



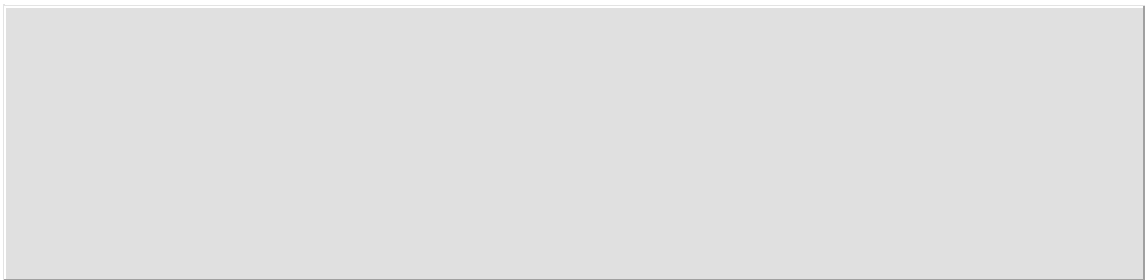
*(Approximately 200 words)*

- 11. Who could potentially develop the technology/carry out the research?**  
*(Provide known details: individual researcher? Group of researchers?  
Research/coordination organization including PDPs? Group of research organizations  
working together? Combination of these; What would be the process of selection of  
developers?)*



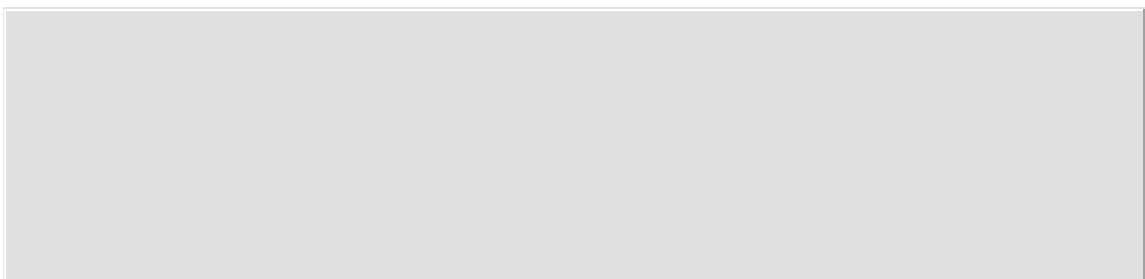
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- 12. Who could potentially manufacture the final product?**  
*Multinational company? Local production? Joint venture? How the decision will be  
made about the producer?*



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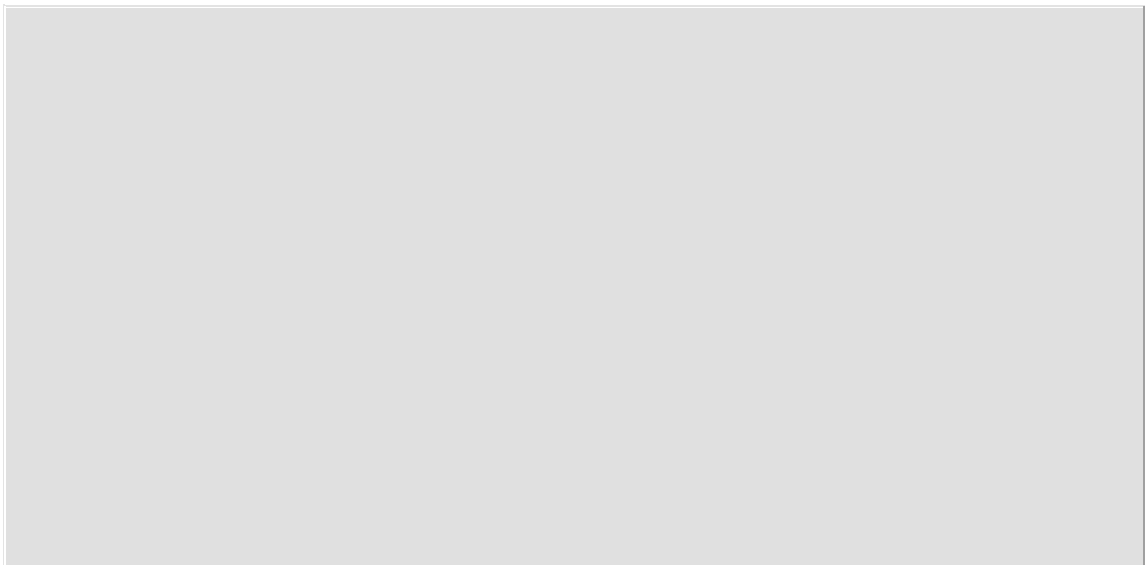
- 13. What could be the role of WHO, if any, in this demonstration project to bring  
this venture to fruition?**





*(Maximum 200 words)*

- 14. Please outline a timeframe and projected milestones for the project covering the first 5 years. This should also highlight the immediate actions that need to be taken?**



*(Maximum 200 words)*



- 15. What is the intellectual property (IP) landscape relative to this project? Is there any IP, e.g. patents that need to be licensed in to be able to develop and market the product in developing countries? How would IP and related intellectual assets, including knowhow, proposed to be managed in this project?**

*(Maximum 400 words)*

**16.\* What would be the strategy to ensure access to the product once it is developed?**

*(Access is an important dimension of these demonstration projects, it is important for the projects to begin with the end in mind, explain how this project would deliver the technologies to the needy patients i.e. price and affordability; modes of supply; storage; prescription; dispensing; and compliance; WHO will develop guiding principles for ensuring access to any products coming out of the demonstration projects)*



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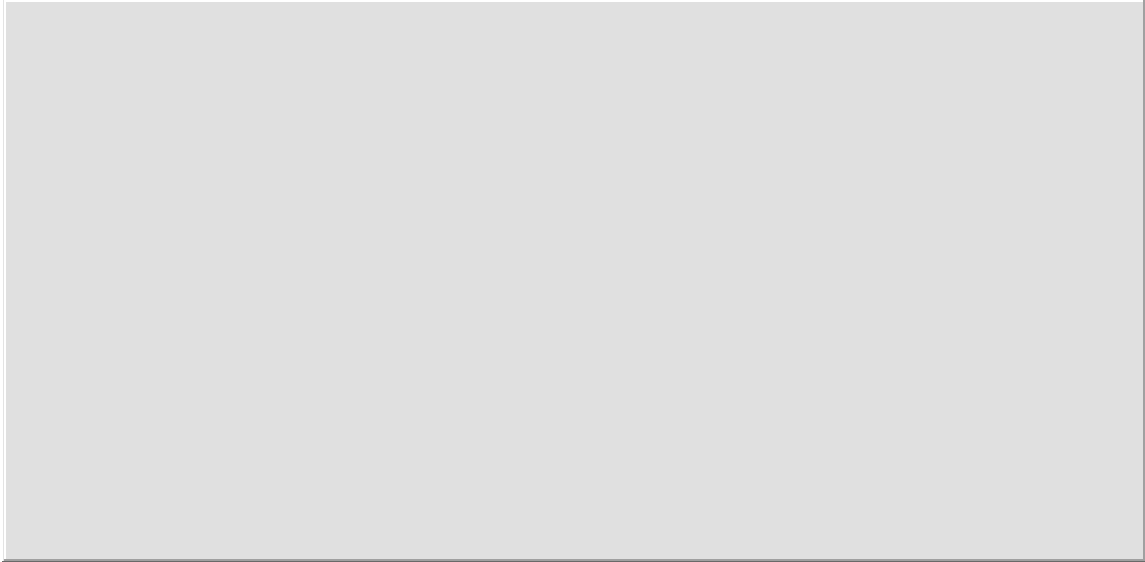
- 17. How could the project be financed paying particular attention to the need to demonstrate new and innovative forms of financing? Also provide an estimated cost of the project.**

*(Maximum 200 words)*

- 18. How could the project be governed and coordinated paying particular attention to the need to demonstrate better way of coordination?**

*(Maximum 200 words)*

- 19. Have any donor agencies/governments already indicated interest in supporting the project?**



*(Maximum 200 words)*