**Review of the document on indicators for the draft goals and targets of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework**

**Table 1. Indicators for monitoring elements of the draft goals**

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| **Components of the draft Goals**  **(copy/paste text from** [**CBD/SBSTTA-24/post-2020-monitoring.en.pdf**](https://www.cbd.int/sbstta/sbstta-24/post2020-monitoring-en.pdf)**)** | **Goal Monitoring Elements**  **(copy/paste text from** [**CBD/SBSTTA-24/post-2020-monitoring.en.pdf**](https://www.cbd.int/sbstta/sbstta-24/post2020-monitoring-en.pdf)**)** | **Indicator name** | **Responsible Institution for the indicator** | **Available today (X) or under active development (Y)** | **Date of availability for indicator in development (Year)** | **Year of last update (e.g. 2019)** | **Time series and frequency of updates (e.g. 1985-2019, annually)** | **Methodology available for national use (Y/N)** | **Global indicator can be disaggregated for national use (Y/N)** | **National data aggregated to form global indicator (Y/N)** | **Used in GBO-4 (Y/N)** | **SDG indicator (Y/N)** | **Indicator used to measure other MEAs or processes (e.g. Ramsar Convention, IPBES, CMS)** | **Comments** |
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**Table 2. Indicators for monitoring elements of the draft targets**

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| **Components of the draft Targets**  **(copy/paste text from** [**CBD/SBSTTA-24/post-2020-monitoring.en.pdf**](https://www.cbd.int/sbstta/sbstta-24/post2020-monitoring-en.pdf)**)** | **Target Monitoring Elements**  **(copy/paste text from** [**CBD/SBSTTA-24/post-2020-monitoring.en.pdf**](https://www.cbd.int/sbstta/sbstta-24/post2020-monitoring-en.pdf)**)** | **Indicator name** | **Responsible Institution for the indicator** | **Available today (X) or under active development (Y)** | **Date of availability for indicator in development (Year)** | **Year of last update (e.g. 2019)** | **Time series and frequency of updates (e.g. 1985-2019, annually)** | **Methodology available for national use (Y/N)** | **Global indicator can be disaggregated for national use (Y/N)** | **National data aggregated to form global indicator (Y/N)** | **Used in GBO-4 (Y/N)** | **SDG indicator (Y/N)** | **Indicator used to measure other MEAs or processes (e.g. Ramsar Convention, IPBES, CMS)** | **Comments** |
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| N/A | The document provides a valuable list of indicators for consideration by Trinidad and Tobago (T&T). Once negotiations have been concluded and the list of indicators is finalised and agreed to by all Parties, T&T will be required to conduct extensive national consultations to identify the relevant and appropriate indicators that the country can realistically report on. The EMA wishes to highlight the importance of considering the Vision 2030 National Development Strategy and the National Environmental Policy (NEP) in the selection of indicators. The EMA views this exercise as an excellent opportunity to adopt a core set of indicators that can be used for reporting on the biodiversity related matters through the EMA’s Annual State of the Environment (ASOE) report as required under the Environmental Management Act, Chapter 35:05. The EMA will be required to work closely with the Environmental Policy and Planning Division to discuss ways in which the national data can be reported in the ASOE so that it mirrors the requirements for reporting on progress towards achieving national targets. |
| N/A | Given that T&T is a Small Island Developing State (SIDS) and challenged with accessing the resources required to facilitate data collection and monitoring, the monthly and annual reporting identified for certain indicators will not be practical. |