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Market Intervention to Accelerate Uptake of New Vector Control Tools

The Executive Board recalls EB21, during which it considered a proposal for the project "Market Intervention to Accelerate Uptake of New Vector Control Tools", submitted by Innovative Vector Control Consortium (IVCC) and refers to Board Resolution EB21/2014/R12 in which it invited IVCC to submit a revised proposal addressing the issues raised by the PRC during its review.

Having considered the revised proposal, with an estimated total budget of USD 64m;

Taking into account the outcome of the PRC review of 30 April 2015; and

Noting the importance of vector control in the prevention of malaria and particularly the urgent need to implement strategies to combat insecticide resistance;

The Executive Board of UNITAID hereby provides its go-ahead for the revised proposal and requests the UNITAID Secretariat to carry out due diligence and work with IVCC to develop a full draft grant agreement package (including all necessary annexes) for the proposed project.

The Secretariat shall revert to the Executive Board in order to seek its authorization to enter into the grant agreement and commit funds for the implementation of this project, once the grant making process is completed.

The cost implications of this decision are included in the operating expenses budget.

Philippe Douste-Blazy Chair of the UNITAID Executive Board