**References to Human Rights and HRBA in 2010 UNDAF Guidelines**

**Part I: Guidelines for UNCT**

**UNCT Mission, p4.**

“The UNCT is required to support national priorities and to advocate that those national priorities include governments’ international/ global commitments to the MD/MDGs and internationally agreed development goals, and their obligations under international human rights, international norms and standards, and other instruments.”

**Section 4. Five programming principles, p6.**

“All UNCTs need to use HRBA to support country analysis, advocate for priorities in the national development framework, and prepare an UNDAF that demonstrates a strategic use of UNCT resources, expertise and comparative advantages.”

**In relation to Capacity Development, p7.**

“The UNCT aims to develop sustainable in-country capacities at individual, institutional and societal levels. In line with HRBA, these capacities will help rights-holders to claim their rights and duty-bearers to meet their obligations.”

**Country Analysis, p10.**

*6.2.1 Review existing analysis*

“The UNCT and partners review existing analytical processes and products to see how well they meet minimum quality standards... The aim is not to criticize what exists, but to work with national stakeholders to highlight gaps where UNCT support can bring added depth and quality of analysis, taking into account, in particular, the situation of excluded and vulnerable groups, as well as human rights treaties and instruments.”

“A clear comparative advantage that the UNCT can bring to a country’s analytic work is to help identify priority development problems. The UNCT communicates these as interrelated and ensures a balanced understanding of their economic, social, environmental and institutional causes, as well as the capacity gaps that may prevent action.”

**Part II: Technical Guidance**

**II. Technical Guidance on Programming Principles, p5.**

“UNCTs need to use HRBA to support country analysis, advocate for priorities in the national development framework, and prepare an UNDAF that demonstrates a strategic use of UNCT resources and expertise. The use of HRBA is guided by the Stamford Statement of Common UN Understanding of Rights-Based Approaches to Development Cooperation.”

**Application of the programming principles, p7.**

*This section describes the HRBA methodology. It concludes with…*

“Once capacity development assets and needs have been identified, the central question is: **where and how** can capacity development efforts produce the greatest results? The answer to this question leads to a strategic UNDAF. By bringing these questions into the development debate, the UNCT can add depth and quality to country analysis.”

**The description of full CCA process integrates the HRBA, p19-25.**

**Technical Guidance on Strategic Planning, RBM concepts, p30.**

**Human rights standards** guide the development of the UNDAF results matrix. Outcomes must be rights-based and **gender sensitive**. Using HRBA, outcomes will show changes in the performance of rights-holders to exercise and claim their rights, and of duty-bearers to respect, protect and fulfil these rights.