### Summary Sheet

**Agenda Nr. 2.10-5.0A**  **Subject**  **Global Fund Update**

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**Rationale:**
The Global Fund is the single most important source of external financing in countries (approximately two-thirds of total TB financing). In some high-burden countries, up to 90% of available funding comes from the Global Fund. Availability of Global Fund monies in countries has contributed to increased capacity to diagnose more patients (including MDR patients) and ensure quality care. The extent of available funds in the next replenishment cycle (2011-2013) is of crucial importance for sustaining achieved results, and ensuring further efforts to fight tuberculosis morbidity and mortality. Success rate of the Global Fund TB proposals has been 51%, 51%, and 60% in Rounds 7, 8, and 9, respectively, largely due to TBTEAM-facilitated support to proposal preparation and expert review of applications prior to submission through peer review processes. Review of Round 10 proposals by the Technical Review Panel is scheduled for 18-29 October 2010.

**Summary:**
The Global Fund works with a funding mechanism based on periodic replenishments. The pledging conference where donors announce their contributions for the period 2011-2013 took place in New York, 4-5 October 2010.

Round 10 closed on 20 August 2010. Preliminary amount of requested two-year funds before screening of proposals is US$ 0.85 billion for tuberculosis (US$ 2.8 billion for HIV including MARPs, and US$ 0.82 for malaria). Total pre-screening two-year demand in Round 10 (US$ 4.36 billion) is lower than in Round 9 (US$ 4.88 billion) and in Round 8 (US$ 5.79 billion).

**Decisions Requested (from Stop TB Coordinating Board):**
N/A

**Implications (political / financial / staffing, etc.):**
Financial

**Next Steps**

**Action Required:** N/A

**Focal Point:** Pierre-Yves Norval

**Timeframe:** N/A