

- Support policy actions in disaster risk management (DRM)
- Provide a source of contingent financing for timely disaster response, early recovery, and reconstruction activities.

## Tuvalu

- Approval of a Climate Change Resilience Act
- Climate Change and Disaster Survival Fund

## Tonga

- A multi-hazard risk assessment
- Emergency Fund in the current national budget

## Palau

- Integration of a climate change curriculum in schools

# Cambodia: Mainstreaming Climate Resilience into Development Planning

(2013-2021, \$11 million)

**Policy support for climate change adaptation** across 8 ministries to integrate climate within national planning, budgetary, and implementation processes

*National Adaptation Program of Action (NAPA)*

*Strategic National Action Plan (SNAP) for DRR*

## Strategic Program for Climate Resilience

(\$588 M, 7 investment projects)

Feasibility studies for **NAPA projects**

Civil society support mechanism

Capacity of NGOs and CSOs to **mainstream adaptation and DRR into their operations**

- **Tools and guidelines** for climate risk management
- Enabling key ministries to screen **development projects for climate risks** and devise **suitable adaptation policies and measures**
- Effective monitoring of adaptation investments

# Key Takeaways

- Policy dialogue and Policy based loans (PBLs) can potentially effect real change at the strategic and planning levels.
- Technical assistance (TA) can play a key role in providing a coordination platform.
- PBLs has the potential to promote fundamental reforms, when analytical work, policy dialogue, and TA are provided. Blending development of tools with capacity building generates positive and sustainable results.