



# **Ministry of Environment, Water and Climate**

## **Climate Change Management Department**

### **SUPPORTING ENHANCED CLIMATE ACTION FOR LOW CARBON AND CLIMATE RESILIENT DEVELOPMENT PATHWAY PROJECT (SECA)**

SECA is a climate change, disaster risk reduction and energy project being implemented by the Ministry of Environment, Water and Climate. The project supports activities at three different levels as follows:

- i. The international level through support to the country's engagement in global climate, disaster and energy fora at which the international community makes commitments to move towards a low carbon and climate resilient future.
- ii. The domestication of international provisions into national policy and planning frameworks that support low carbon development and climate resilience. Amongst the initiatives being supported are the crafting of the Renewable Energy Policy, Forest Policy, Flood Management Framework, nationalisation of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction indicators and development of a low carbon development strategy.
- iii. Enhancing climate change resilience initiatives in local communities and promoting the use of renewable energy in Bulilima, Lupane, Gokwe South, Buhera and Chiredzi districts. On a wider scale, the project is supporting the development of a new project initiative to combat climate change impacts on smallholder agriculture in the Save, Runde and Mzingwane river basins.

The SECA project is running from 2016 to 2020 with core funding from the United Nations Development Programme and United Nations Volunteers. Other government partners in the implementation of the project are the Department of Civil Protection and Department of Energy Conservation and Renewable Energy.