



REDD+ Safeguards approach in Mongolia

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Outline

1. Safeguards in the UN-REDD Mongolia National Programme
2. What are the potential steps for Mongolia's approach to the REDD+ safeguards?
3. What are the expected outputs/results?
4. Discussion



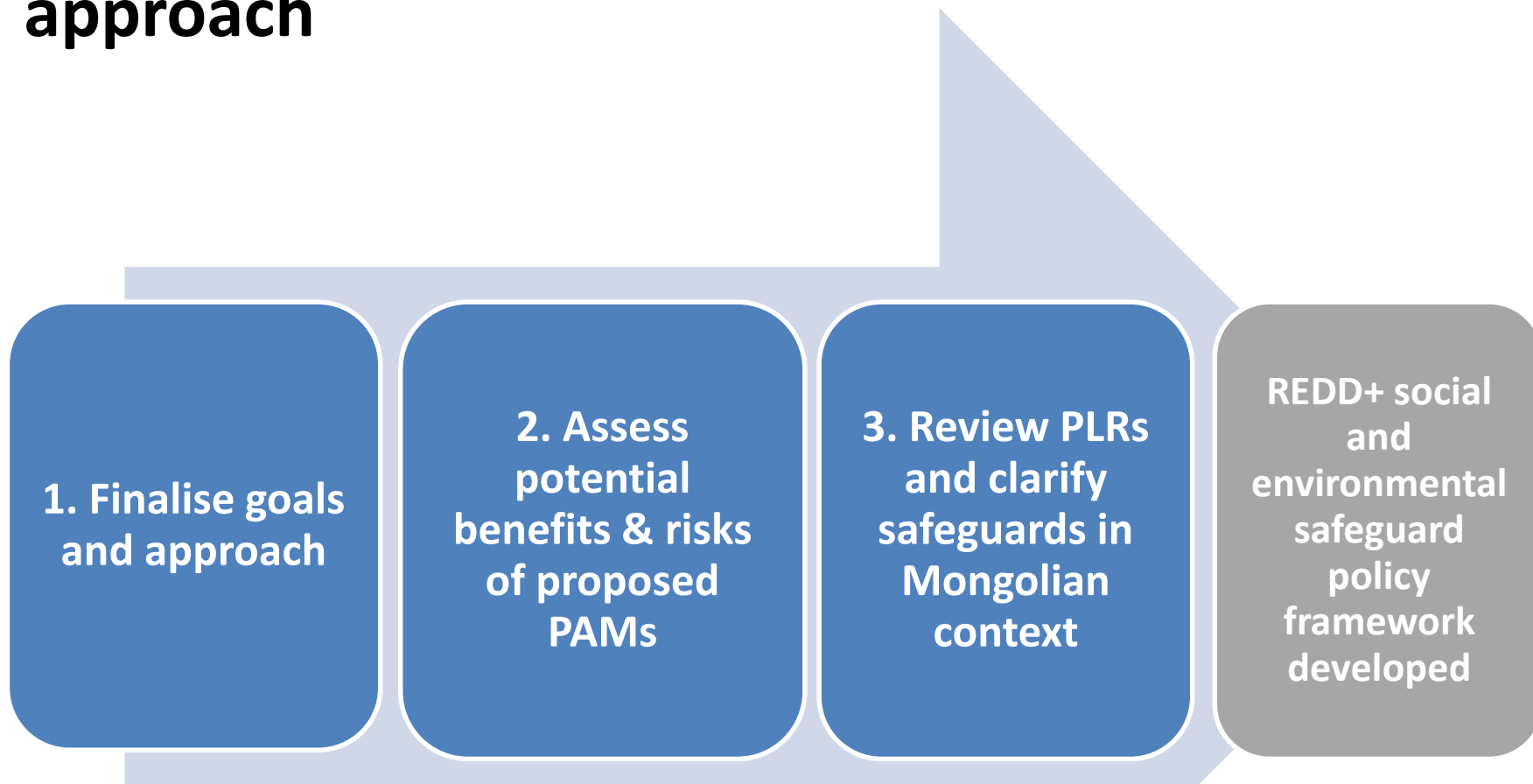
Safeguards in the UN-REDD Mongolia National Programme

- Safeguards are a cross-cutting issue across the National Programme
- Two key outputs:
 - REDD+ social and environmental safeguard policy framework developed
 - Safeguards Information system (SIS) established
- So how can we achieve these two outputs?

Mongolia's approach to safeguards

- Should allow Mongolia to meet international safeguards requirements, in harmony with national goals.
- Will use a step-wise approach.
- Should build on existing policies, laws, regulations, institutions, information systems, as far as possible.
- Will involves consultation and participation of stakeholders.
- Will be strongly linked to the design of REDD+ PAMs and strategy development.

Proposed steps for Mongolia's safeguards approach



Steps, cont.

4. Define information needs and structure for SIS

5. Review existing information systems and sources

6. Identify SIS design options, building on existing systems

Establish Safeguards Information system (SIS)

Expected outputs/results

- **REDD+ safeguards in the Mongolian context clarified and validated**, based on potential benefits & risks and PLR framework.
- **Safeguards information system designed and validated**, building on existing systems and allowing Mongolia to meet international requirements.



Discussion

- Are the goals and steps for Mongolia's safeguards approach clear?
- What are some ways that we can link the safeguards approach to strategy development?
- What are the best ways to involve key stakeholders in the safeguards approach?



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