











Anti-corruption for REDD+ in Asia and the Pacific: Training for Civil Society Participants

Bangkok - 21 October

Context and objectives

This half day training is specifically dedicated to developing the capacity of civil society on risks and risk mitigation measures against corruption in REDD+.

The goals of this half day session are to:

- Introduce and discuss the approach in the TI Manual on "Improving Integrity in the development and Implementation of Forest Carbon Projects and National REDD+ Strategies"
- Increase networking opportunities and connectivity between REDD+ NGOs and anti-corruption NGOs
- Raise awareness about, and explore opportunities for partnerships on REDD+ anti-corruption measures to be supported by UNDP on behalf of the UN-REDD Programme
- Create space for regional networks and information exchange
- Identify capacity needs for civil society (what tools/support is needed now/ in the medium term?)

This meeting follows an "Anti Corruption and REDD+ Strategy Meeting" organized with anti-corruption practitioners in Nepal on 20-21 October, whose highlights are summarized in the printout attached, as well as the "Awareness raising event on Anti corruption and REDD+ organized with REDD+ national focal points, civil society partners and development partners in Bangkok on 20-21 October 2011.

Agenda

Time	Topic	Presenter/moderator	Guiding questions
14:00 – 15:00 : Introduction	Transparency International's Training Manual for National REDD+ programmes	Introduction : UNDP /UN-REDD Presentation: Claire Martin, TI	

15:00-16:30 : Practice	Presentations on good REDD+/forest CSO practices	2X 20 min presentations by 1) designated civil society organization working on REDD+, on how actions inform the anti corruption agenda	- How can your existing and planned activities on REDD+ inform and support preventing corruption risks ?
		2) Designated TI chapter on how they plan on carrying out their activities	- How have you or do you plan on applying module 4 of the Training Manual? - How have you approached partners, including governments, on the topic of corruption?
		30 min Q&A moderated by TI	
16:00-16:15 : Coffee Break			
16:15 – 17:30 : Getting to grips	Using TI and UNDP material, break out groups will focus on three countries to answer questions, and report back to plenary 30 min.	Plenary Q&A moderated by TI	- What are potential risks, corrupt practices, actors in this country? -How have you applied the ranking? - How can you use each other's experience?
17:30- 18:00	Wrap up: what needs and support for civil society organizations on anti-corruption and REDD+?	UNDP/UN-REDD	