









Awareness Raising Event

Anti-corruption for REDD+ in Asia and the Pacific

Bangkok, Amari Watergate, Banglampoo Room, 6th floor

20-21 October 2011

Context and objectives

The primary goal of the Awareness Raising event on Anti-Corruption for REDD+ is to build a shared understanding of the corruption risks in REDD+ in the Asia Pacific region and the key role of anticorruption actions for effective and equitable systems in countries preparing for and implementing REDD+.

This goal will be achieved by:

- 1. Discussing anti-corruption entry points in different phases of REDD+ readiness programming,
- 2. Showcasing linkages of anti-corruption with activities already undertaken REDD+ readiness activities supported by the UN-REDD Programme, including on PGAs, social (and environmental) Principles and Criteria, FPIC and benefit distribution systems
- 3. Discussing stakeholders roles, including through the UN-REDD Programme, in supporting the mitigation of corruption risks in REDD+

Participants are encouraged to consult "Staying on Track: Tackling Corruption Risks in Climate Change", available online at

http://www.unredd.net/index.php?option=com docman&task=doc download&gid=3790&Itemid=53, and in print and CD form.

This meeting follows the "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.

Agenda

Time	Topic	Facilitation /presentations	Material				
THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER							
08:15 - 08:45	Registration						
08:45 - 09:00	Opening, welcome and objectives	 Martin Krause, Energy & Environment Team Leader, UNDP/APRC Ambassador of Norway to Thailand, 					
		Cambodia, and Myanmar, Ms. Katya Nordgaard					
		Anga Timilsina, UNDP, Global					
		Programme on Anti-Corruption for Development Effectiveness (PACDE)					
9:00 - 9:40	Introductions	Moderated by Tim Boyle	Participants list, objectives, agenda				
9:40 - 11:00	UNDP/UN-REDD overall governance work	Moderation: Anga Timilsina, UNDP					
		 Estelle Fach, UNDP, UN-REDD: overview of UN-REDD governance programme (30min) 					
		 Gaya Sristankhan, UNDP, UN-REDD Programme on Free, Prior and Informed Consent (5min) 					
		 Abdul Situmorang, Indonesia, will provide remarks on anti corruption in the participatory governance assessment (PGA) for REDD+ in Indonesia (5min) 					
		• Q & A (40 min)					
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee break						
11:30 - 12:00	An overview of corruption risks in REDD+	 Tsegaye Lemma will highlight the corruption risks identified in UNDP's « Staying on track: Tackling Corruption Risks in Climate Change » and other publications (20 min) 	Staying on Track: Tackling Corruption Risks in Climate Change, UNDP 2010				
		Clarifying questions (10 min)					
12:00 - 12:30	Introduction of the afternoon work	Tim Boyle will present the results of the online survey and instructions for the afternoon group work					
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch break						
14:00 - 15:30	Sub-regional break out groups : finding responses to identified challenges	 5 break- out groups will focus on the top key risks identified in the survey and discuss possible risk mitigation actions 	Pre-established group lists Results of the online				

15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break		survey by groups of stakeholders Results of the online survey by regions
16:00 - 17:30	Report back from the break out groups	This plenary discussion will be facilitated by Thomas Enters, UNEP, UNREDD Programme	
Cocktail Reception	Grappino Restaurant, 5th Floor		

FRIDAY 21 OCTO	OBER			
8:30 - 9:15	Integrating anti-corruption into REDD+ programming: UNDP's proposed actions, strategies and tools	•	Estelle Fach, UNDP, UN-REDD Programme, will combine the outcomes of 1) the Anti-Corruption for REDD+ strategy planning meeting held in Nepal on October 10-11 2) and the outcomes of the discussions of Day 1	Poster and leaflets about the Nepal strategy meeting
9:15 - 10 :15	Country-specific discussions: national responses for corruption challenges	•	Break- out groups per country will refine the discussions of day 1 for their countries and identify possible country-specific actions	
10:15 - 10:30	Coffee break			
10:30 - 11:30	Practical implications	•	Akihito Kono, UNDP, UN-REDD Programme will present practical approaches to management of corruption risks in REDD+ (15 min)	
		•	Samuel de Jaegere, UNDP, Asia- Pacific Regional centre and Charmaine Rodrigues, UNDP, Pacific centre will highlight linkages to existing in- country anti-corruption actions and strategies (30 min)	
			Q&A : 15 min	
11:30 - 11:45	Wrap up	•	Tim Boyle will provide a summary of the outcomes of the meeting	
11:45 - 12:00	Closing session	•	Anga Timilsina, UNDP, Global Programme on Anti-Corruption for Development Effectiveness will provide concluding remarks on opportunities and challenges for Anti-corruption for REDD+	
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch			