**Consultant: Facilitation of arrangements for FPIC in Lam Dong** (2 positions)

**Output:** All Outputs under Outcome 2

**Responsible UN Agency:** UNDP

**National/International:** National

**Duration:**  8 days per consultant: Jan. 2010

**Specific responsibilities of the consultant are as follows**:

* Review principles of FPIC and proposal for securing FPIC for the UN-REDD Programme in Viet Nam
* Travel to Lam Dong and brief key provincial authorities, including, but not limited to Lam Ha and Di Linh District PCs, Lam Dong sub-CEMMA, DARD, and DPI, to explain the principles of the FPIC process and to receive suggestions on operational issues
* Each consultant will then travel to one of the pilot Districts (Lam Ha or Di Linh), to meet with local authorities in the District, including, but not limited to commune representatives and representatives of mass organizations, to explain the principles of the FPIC process and to receive suggestions on operational issues
* The two consultants will jointly prepare a report summarizing results of Lam Dong meetings, focusing, in particular on:
* Numbers of villages in Lam Ha and Di Linh Districts, including numbers that have no interaction with forest resources
* Numbers and identities of ethnic minorities in the two Districts
* Numbers and identities of non-mutually intelligible languages
* Levels of literacy, by ethnic minority and/or by commune
* Process for identification and recruitment of FPIC facilitators
* Proposed time-table for securing FPIC in Lam Dong

**Qualifications, Experience and Competencies**

* Post graduate degree in Social Sciences, or similar.
* At least 15 years of working experience on local peoples rights in Vietnam.
* Strong inter-personal skills, especially oral communication skills.
* Proficiency in both spoken and written English.
* Good computer literacy.

**Reporting**

The Consultants will report to the National Programme Director of the UN-REDD Programme/Viet Nam.