

# Regional UN-REDD Asia Pacific Exchange among Civil Society and Indigenous Peoples' Representatives and Leaders

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**Day 1**

**Session 2: Lessons in Engagement with UN-REDD Programme –  
Government Reflection from Cambodia**

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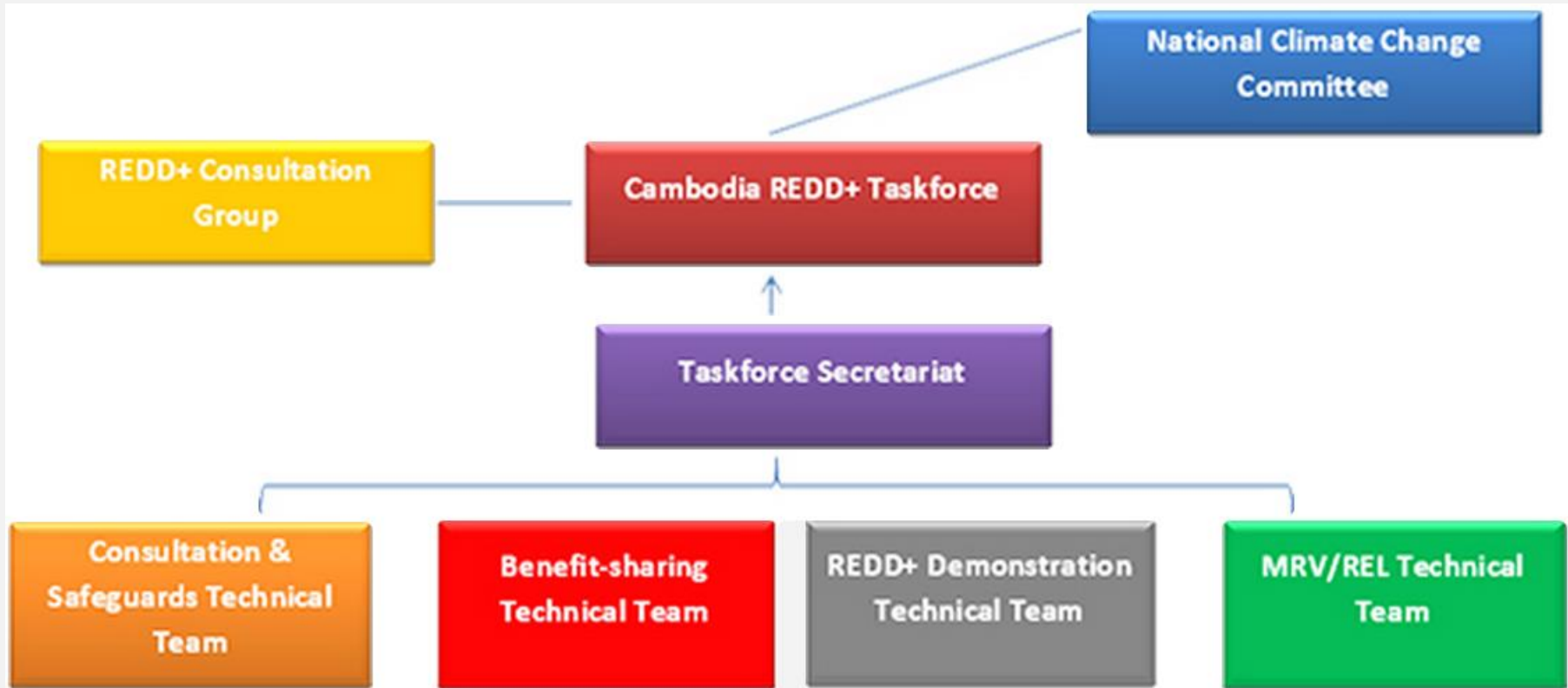


## Background to Stakeholder Engagement in UN-REDD Programme

- Receive funding for a full UN-REDD Country Program in 2011. Cambodia UN-REDD National Program was signed by government, and UN Residence Coordinator on 10 June 2011
- Setting institutional framework and Completed the Second draft of National REDD+ Strategy
- Collect input, experts, experiences, Share responsibility, Consultation forum, Information flow, Building capacity, Promote public awareness, Transparency in policy development
- Provide guidance for effective implementation of UN-REDD Nation Programme
- Provide overall guidance on Monitoring and Evaluation UN-REDD Programme
- Create a clear structure through encouragement participation of IP, CSOs, Donors and others government institutions.



# REDD+ Taskforce



## Key achievements from Stakeholder Engagement

- Capacity building: REDD+ concept, CC concept, REDD+ and Gender, MRV, REDD+ Benefit sharing, REDD+ Safeguard
- Consultation process on draft of National REDD+ strategy
- Participating in M&E process
- Small grant for stakeholders on CBR+: plan to provide 50,000\$ to each successful proposal applicants from north east provinces, and provided orientation to target CSO, IP and communities. Today received 30 applications and it was under review and evaluation of committee.



## Key achievements from Stakeholder Engagement (Cont.)

- Produce a lot of communication materials: TV spot and talk show, Radio talk show, VDO drama, newsletters, website, Facebook, and posters
- Participation from stakeholders contribute to the effective implementation of National Forest Programme
- Form REDD+ Gender Group. The members of GG have been built capacity in April and May 2015, this group provided training on concept of REDD+ and Gender to 4 REDD+ Technical Team and REDD+ Consultation Group towards providing inputs and consultation to the sake of further to development process of National REDD+ Strategy.

## Key challenges from Stakeholder Engagement

- Knowledge and understanding about REDD+
- Different institutions and different background: REDD+ is new concept, and some individual understand REDD+ differently. And other individual have difference basic skill and field.
- Participation: at the beginning there were full participation since institution and individual keen to learn and to know how. But after a short period their presence decrease rapidly use to lack of commitment and willingness including their task schedule with their own institution work and responsibility.
- Lack of women being a member of 4 REDD+ Technical Teams and REDD+. Initially there was a quota have been set that only two represent of IP selected for Project Executive Board and Consultation Group.





## Emerging Opportunities from Stakeholder Engagement

- Participation in decision making: open space for stakeholders involve in development process as well as decision making related to draft policy and communication materials.
- Information flow: set up a clear mechanism to provide and update information from national level to sub-national as well as all type stakeholders.
- Incentive provision: the trainers on REDD+ should be provide training fee or other type of financial and non-financial motivation
- International training: members of all technical team including CG and GG should be provided opportunity to learn and expose new knowledge and experience related REDD+ and CC.





# Thank You for You Pay attention

