

### **CAMBODIA REDD+ PROGRAMME**

# REDD+ National Strategy Current Status

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# What is REDD+ National Strategy

- •"REDD+ National Strategy" is generally considered to be one of the key products from "Step 1 ("Readiness")" of each country.
- •It could cover the strategy of each REDD+ country;
  - how it will get ready for a full-scale national REDD+ and what it needs to make it happen; and/or
  - how it intends to achieve its emission reduction target and what it needs to make it happen.

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## **Current Status**

- The REDD+ Taskforce suggested draft chapters at TF-4 in March 2014.
- National Director of FCPF Cambodia Programme intends to kick-off recruiting process for facilitator(s)
- Initial draft (expected outputs for each chapter) for feedback from the Taskforce members as well as for subsequent broader consultation process should be ready by August, 2014 in order to meet the deadlines for the presentation at UNFCCC-COP21 in late 2015.



Proposed chapters		
	Chapters	Inputs
1	Objective of the strategy (target)	Facilitator
2	Background	Facilitator
3	Institutional arrangements	Facilitator
4	Policies and measures to address drivers of deforestation and forest degradation	Demonstration TT
5	Safeguards and grievance mechanisms	Safeguards TT
6	Benefit sharing	Benefit sharing TT
7	National REDD+ fund or another approach to receive and disburse international funding	Benefit sharing TT
8	National forest monitoring system	MRV/REL TT
9	National REL/RL	MRV/REL TT
10	National system to report on GHGs	MRV/REL TT
11	Possible role for subnational implementation in a national REDD+ strategy	Demonstration TT
12	Financing options for the implementation of the REDD+ strategy	Facilitator
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#### Provisional timeline Activity Time period • Development of ToR and announcement and May 2014 recruitment of consultant Development of a timeline with milestones consulted July 2014 with Taskforce, Technical Teams, Consultation Group for the development of a draft national REDD+ strategy Skeleton of national REDD+ strategy – expected August 2014 outputs for proposed chapters Initial first draft of national REDD+ strategy December 2014 **Develop proposal for consultations** February 2015 Conduct extensive consultations on the initial draft of March-June 2015 national REDD+ strategy **Revise draft national REDD+ strategy** August 2015 **CAMBODIA REDD+ NATIONAL**

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# **Future Perspectives**

- TF may wish to consider "xx% GHG emission reduction against the year xxxx" in Cambodian REDD+ National Strategy in order to draw attention from the international community for financing and for political support (after initial REL is simulated).
- TF may wish to encourage its members and its Secretariat to explore approaches to identify feasible finance option(s) (eg.- UNFCCC Decisions on REDD+ Finance, Bi-lateral arrangements, FCPF Carbon Fund, UN-REDD Phase II, etc.).

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# One Question

- The head of states of the Parties to UNFCCC are invited to the Climate Summit called by U.N. Secretary General on September 23, 2014 in New York.
  - Will PM Hun Sen planning to attend this meeting?
  - If he will, what does TF suggest him to say?



Thank you for your attention

