

Civil Society Working Group on Monitoring the REDD+ Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) in Thailand

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Re: Submission of Recommendations from the Civil Society Working Group on Monitoring the REDD+ Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) in Thailand

Dear Participants Committee of the World Bank's FCPF:

The Civil Society Working Group on Monitoring the REDD+ Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) in Thailand was formed during the consultation workshop “Promotion of Equity in Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Forest Degradation+ (REDD+): Perspectives of Civil Society in Thailand” on 6 March 2013 in Bangkok Thailand, organized by RECOFTC – The Center for People and Forests with support from LEAF.

After examining the official R-PP prepared by Thailand's Department of National Parks, Wildlife, and Plant Conservation (DNP), the Working Group mutually agreed that the R-PP drafting process lacked a genuinely participatory process. Many sectors were not included in consultation, and communication with local people has been limited.

We recognize that the R-PP has already been submitted to the Participants Committee (PC) of the World Bank Forest Carbon Partnership Facility (FCPF) and that participation in the drafting of the R-PP through official mechanisms may no longer be feasible. However, participants mutually agree that the R-PP content needs to be amended so that is acceptable to all parties through the FPIC process. To address this concern, the Civil Society Working Group on R-PP Monitoring was formed and tasked with the study and development of these proposed recommendations to be submitted to the PC of FCPF, the DNP, and other relevant stakeholders.

Therefore, the Working Group hereby submits these recommended revisions, annexed with full Workshop Proceedings, for your kind consideration and cordially requests for the results of the PC proceedings to be communicated directly to the Working Group so that we may continue to collaborate and engage in this process.

Sincerely,

The Civil Society Working Group on Monitoring the REDD+ Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) in Thailand

Attachment:

- Recommendations from Civil Society Organizations for the Revision of the REDD+ Readiness Preparation Proposal (R-PP) for Thailand (4 pages).
- Annex: Proceedings of the Workshop on “Promotion of Equity in Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Forest Degradation + (REDD+): Perspectives of Civil Society in Thailand.”

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