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# FCPF REDD+ in Vietnam

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# Key Milestones

Dates	Major activities
July 2008	Selected into the FCPF
January 2013	Readiness Grant Agreement of \$3.8million signed
May 2014	ER-PIN selected into the pipeline by the Carbon Fund Participants
January 2015	Letter of Intent signed between the Bank & Gov.
May 2015	PC allocated Additional Funding (AF) of \$5 million
September 2016	Vietnam submitted R-Package seeking endorsement
September 2016	New Grant Agreement counter-signature by Gov. expected in October 2016
October 2016	Submission of ER-PD for consideration in PC15 in December 2016

# Key Results of REDD+ Readiness Preparation

- National REDD+ Action Program (NRAP) – the national REDD+ strategy – was approved in 2012
  - REDD+ management organization system established (Vietnam REDD+ Office and National REDD+ Steering Committee);
- 10 Provincial REDD+ Action Plans (PRAP) approved
  - Includes provincial analysis of the drivers, land tenure and a REDD+ work plan following the NRAP strategy;
- National REL submitted to UNFCCC in January 2016;
- National Forest Monitoring System established;
- Approval of REDD+ Fund;

# Key Results of REDD+ Readiness Preparation (2)

- FPIC guidelines developed;
- Feedback Grievance Redress Mechanism for REDD+ piloted in provinces;
- Decision on piloting REDD+ benefit sharing mechanism issued in Dec. 2015;
- Capacity building, consultation (in different languages), civil society engagement;
- Development of Emission Reduction Program for North Central Region.

# Vietnam R-Package

- Overall, Vietnam has achieved significant progress on REDD+ Readiness but adopted a conservative approach on the grading of the components.
- Most components and subcomponents are showing good progress, but require further work (to be the focused areas of the Additional Funding).
- The Bank fully supports Vietnam's request to the PC to endorse the R-Package.

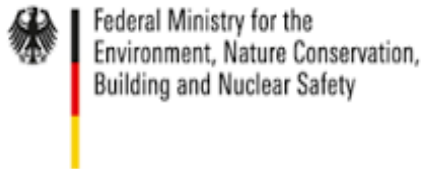
# REDD+ Readiness Preparation continued with Grant Agreement by Additional Funding

- Original grant (\$3.6 million) fully disbursed and committed
- Support to policies: revision of NRAP, contribution to development of Laws on Forestry
- SESA: phased approach
  - Phase 1 developed SESA in ER-P Area (with ESMF, EMPF, Resettlement Process Framework, Ethnic Minority Dev. Plan...).
  - Phase 2 (Additional Funding) develops national SESA;
- Revision of RL using more recent data (2005-2015)

# REDD+ Readiness Preparation continued with Grant Agreement by Additional Funding (cont.)

- Further capacity building, multi-stakeholder consultations, participation and communication at national and local levels
- Improve cross-sector planning
- Support to the reform process of State Forest Companies and Forest Management Boards
- Facilitate the establishment of civil society organizations and ethnic minority run platforms/networks in provinces in the ER Program Area.

# Key Donors supporting REDD+ Readiness Preparation



Well coordinated donor supports, stakeholder consultations, civil society engagement and strong Gov. commitment



# World Bank's Programmatic Approach in Supporting Forestry Sector in Vietnam

- The Bank offers a range of instruments (Technical Assistance, Investments, Development Policy Lending and performance-based payments)
- FCPF REDD+ Readiness Preparation and Emission Reduction Program in North Central Region;
- Small-holders engagement in forest plantation (Vietnam Forest Sector Support Project), reducing pressure on natural forests;
- Community based Sustainable Forest Management

# World Bank's Comprehensive Approach in Supporting Forestry Sector in Vietnam (cont.)

- Forest Modernization and Coastal Resilience – restoration of Mangrove and sandy soil forests, improving carbon sequestration)
- Development Policy Lending for Climate Change, including supports to improve policies in Forest Sector
- Support to reform State Forest Companies for better managing natural resources



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Thank you

