Ministry of Environment and Forest

National REDD+ Secretariat

Minute for SESA/ESMF Task Force

Date: December 04-05, 2014

Venue: Dream Land Hotel & Resort, Beshoftu, Ethiopia

The SESA/ESMF C & P task force meeting was carried out to discuss on development of national Consultation and Participation plan. The meeting was opened by Dr. Girma Balcha, chair person of the SESA/ESMF task force by welcoming the taskforce members to the workshop and he presented the meeting and discussion agenda.

Agenda: 1. Endorsing the minutes of previous meeting

- 2. Learning from the experience of Oromia C & P Plan
- 3. Discussion on how to go about developing the National C & P Plan
 - Setting the frame work
 - Sharing tasks on assignment among task force members

Agenda 1. Endorsing the minutes of previous meeting

The chair person went through the major points of previous meetings and the minute of the meeting distributed to all members and presented by Ato Eyob Tenkir Environment Safeguard Specialist. The chair person then asked the members for any comment on the minute to otherwise endorse it and proceed to the scheduled plan. Accordingly the task force members unanimously endorsed the minute.

Agenda 2. Learning from the experience of Oromia C & P Plan

After the endorsement of the previous meeting agenda the Chairman Dr. Girma called up on Mr. Lulu Likasa (FARM AFRICA) to present the Consultation and Participation plan developed for Oromia. After the presentation of the C & P plan of Oromia, discussion has been held on the process and experiences obtained from Oromia in the development of the plan. Mr. Lulu has shared all the experiences of the team that developed the consultation plan which has been much appreciated and taken as a base for the National Consultation and Participation Plan development.

Agenda 3. Discussion on how to go about developing the National C & P Plan to set the framework and sharing tasks on assignment among task force members

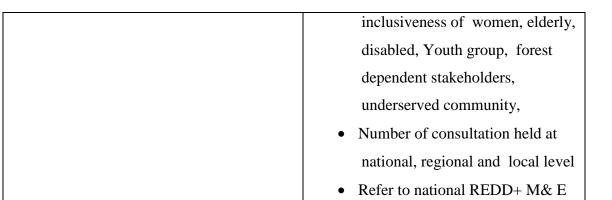
The task force then went into exercising tentative framework for the national C & P plan. Accordingly the taskforce team prepared the following framework which has 10 major chapters.

Proposed framework f	or National C & P plan
Executive summary	
1. Introduction	OverviewBackground
2. Objectives of C& P plan	General ObjectiveSpecific objective
3. Principles of C & P	
4. Stakeholder analysis and mapping	 Refer: R-PP document, Uganda C & P plan, CRGE document, Oromia C & P plan Sectoral Government institutions , Parliament, CBO's ,NGO/CSO,

	private sector,				
	Academia and research				
	institutions, the media,				
	Underserved communities,				
	Associations				
5. Issues for consultations	Status of forest				
	Policies to halt deforestation				
	Cause of deforestation				
	Proposed strategy				
	Inclusive participation in the				
	REDD+ strategy				
	Institutional policy framework				
	Role of private sector				
	Environmental and social				
	impact and mitigation				
	measures of REDD+				
	Interest of local communities				
	land right and tenure system				
	 Fair and equitable benefit 				
	sharing				

6. Consultation and Participation	Federal structure
Management Structure	Regional structure
	Zonal Structure
	Woreda structure
	• Kebele
	• Community
	User group
7. Consultation and participation outreach	7.1. C & P outreach methods
methods &tools	Focus group discussion
	• Interview
	7.2. C & P C tools (Refer National
	communication strategy)
	• Federal, Regional and local level
	C & P outreach mechanism
	Federal C & P outreach
	mechanism
	o modern media
	Regional C & P outreach
	mechanism
	o modern media
	• Local C & P outreach

	mechanism
	• Traditional electronics, print,
	social materials for
	communication
8. Grievance redress mechanism (Refer:	Type of grievance
PSNP grievance redress mechanism,	 Benefit sharing
traditional mechanism, Oromia	 access to the forest
Grievance redress mechanism)	resource
	land tenure
	o carbon right
	 Institutional level conflict
	for land
	• Redress mechanism
	o ombudsman structure
	 traditional mechanism(
	bylaws)
	o formal courts
9. C & P work plan, budget and	Refer Oromia C & P plan
implementation schedule and conduct	
consultation	
10. Monitoring and evaluation	Monitor consulted group or



After the development of the general framework of the C & p plan the task force team members shared the different thematic area taking into consideration the educational background and experiences of the members (Annex 1). The task force members have vowed to complete developing the chapters given to them on assignment.

framework

The meeting was adjourned at 1.30 PM of the 1st of December, 2015

Annex I

No	Components of the C & P plan	Responsible/s
	Executive summary	
1	Introduction	
	1.1. Overview	Dr Almaz lead All TF
	1.2. Background	members
2	Principles of C & P	
	•	
3	Objectives of C& P plan	
	General Objective	
	Specific objective	
4	Issues for consultations	Dr Girma Balcha, Dr Yemiru
	Status of forest	Tesfaye and Temesgen
	Policies to halt deforestation	Yohannes
	Cause of deforestation	
	Proposed strategy	
	Inclusive participation in the REDD+ strategy	

	Institutional policy framework	
	Role of private sector	
	 Environmental and social impact and mitigation 	
	measures of REDD+	
	Interest of local communities	
	 land right and tenure system 	
	Fair and equitable benefit sharing	
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5	Stakeholder analysis and mapping	Dr Almaz Tadesse and Taye
	• Refer: R-PP document, Uganda C & P plan, CRGE	Dugassa
	document, Oromia C & P plan	
	Sectoral Government institutions , Parliament, CBO's	
	,NGO/ CSO, private sector, Academia and research	
	institutions, the media, Underserved communities,	
	Associations	
1	Associations	

6	Consultation and Participation Management Structure	Dr Girma Balcha and Lulu
	• Federal structure	Likassa
	Regional structure	
	• Zonal Structure	
	Woreda structure	
	• Kebele	
	• Community	
	• User group	
7	Consultation and participation outreach methods &tool	Frew , Lulu, Tezera, Getachew, Taye &
7.1	C & P outreach methods	Dr Yemiru Tesfaye
	 Focus group discussion 	
	• Interview	

7.2	C & P C tools (Refer National communication strategy)	
	•Federal, Regional and local level C & P outreach	
	mechanism	
	• Federal C & P outreach mechanism	
	o modern media	
	•Regional C & P outreach mechanism	
	o modern media	
	•Local C & P outreach mechanism	
	 Traditional 	
	■electronics, print, social	
	materials for communication	
8	Grievance redress mechanism (Refer: PSNP grievance	Dessalgn, Solomon,
	redress mechanism, traditional mechanism, Oromia	
	Grievance redress mechanism)	
	• consider	
	Type of grievance	
	 Benefit sharing 	
	 access to the forest resource 	
	o land tenure	
	o carbon right	
	 Institutional level conflict for land 	
	Redress mechanism	

	 ombudsman structure 	
	 traditional mechanism(bylaws) 	
	formal courts	
9	C & P work plan, budget and implementation schedule	
	Conduct consultation	All TF members
	Refer Oromia C & P plan	
10	Monitoring and evaluation	Walelegn, Tezera,
	 Monitor consulted group or inclusiveness of 	
	women, elderly, disabled, Youth group,	
	forest dependent stakeholders, underserved	
	community,	
	 Number of consultation held at national, regional 	
	and local level	
	• Refer to national REDD+ M& E framework	
11	Compiling the C & P report	Eyob & Temesgen lead (All
		TF member)
12	C & P plan report Presentation on Workshop for different	
	stakeholder	

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