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Presentation Outline

- This presentation will describe the objective, key activities, progress and next steps of the Cambodia Climate Change Alliance (CCCA).
- Purpose
- To provide an overview of the CCCA.

Introduction

- The CCCA is a multi-donor initiative with a comprehensive and innovative Trust Fund approach to address climate change adaptation & mitigation;
 - Originates from 2007 EU initiative of the Global CC Alliance supporting LDCs and SIs in CC Adaptation and Mitigation;
- UNDP administers CCCA TF for an interim period, with a gradual shift to full Government ownership/management;
 - **Duration:** 3 yrs, 2010 -2012;
 - **Budget:** US\$ 8.9 million. Support from EU, Sida, DANIDA & UNDP;
 - **Implemented by:** Ministry of Environment's CC Department, on behalf of the National CC Committee;
 - The CCCA serves the NCCC to lead on CC policy and awareness;

CCCA Objective and CCCA Components

Overall Objective: Climate Change activities in Cambodia are nationally owned, led and aligned with Cambodia's development priorities, and are effectively coordinated and implemented.

Components / Key Results:

- Result 1: NCCC capacity to coordinate national policy making, capacity development, and outreach/advocacy efforts, and to monitor the implementation of national climate change strategy is strengthened.
- Result 2: Improved access to updated CC information, knowledge and learning opportunities at all levels;
- Result 3: TF management (including project grants) and tasks with structure of future TF;

Key activities

- With main aim of CCCA support for RGC CC capacity development and institutional strengthening:
 - Formulate Cambodia CCSP as framework for national CC policy development and sectors' CC mainstreaming ;
 - Develop mechanisms and materials to improve CC knowledge, awareness and information-sharing at all levels;
 - Provide TF grant support for CC capacity development projects at national and local government level,
 - Strengthen Cambodia's CC negotiation capacity and ability to comply with UNFCCC obligations ;
 - Enhance the resilience and livelihoods of coastal communities, and protection /rehabilitation of coastal ecosystems;

Progress

RESULT 1:

- The establishment of the Climate Change Technical Team (CCTT) with 16 members from 13 NCCC Ministries, agencies;
- A pre-COP 16 meeting with government ministries and CSOs was held by CCD in November 2010;
- Supported National participation at international CC negotiation meetings and the up-coming COP17;
- COP16 dissemination workshop was held in March 2011;
- Concept note and roadmap of Cambodia Climate Change Strategic Plan (CCCSP) were produced.

Progress

RESULT 2:

- KAP (Knowledge Attitude, Practice) preparation and report launch;
- Climate Change Public Information Strategy preparation
- Several climate change talk-shows on CTN TV were aired;
- Conducted substantial comment on Cambodian Human Development Report (CHDR) and organised technical meeting and launching;
- Second National CC Forum organized and hosted;
- Increased technical support to CC stakeholders;

Progress

RESULT 3:

- The grant process under the CCCA Trust Fund's 1st call for proposals launched late in February;
- 10 of 60 applicants were invited to submit full project proposals;
- The ten project proposals were given conditional approval by the PSB with one-month additional period to address the remaining issues with a provisional increase of allocation to new grants up to US\$ 2.2 million
- Final selection of projects in early August will be followed by capacity assessment and contracting process;
- Endorsement of the CCCA Trust Fund Operational Manual.

Next steps

- Develop the Cambodia CCSP with ministries' CC-response assessments and hold consultations;
- TF next call for proposals aimed for end of 2011;
- Conduct CC capacity assessments of CCD and NCCC;
- Increase engagement in cross-cutting themes and work areas of gender equality, DRR and awareness;
- Develop CC Educ. & Awaren. Strat. & Action Plan;
- CCCSP development to strengthen mainstreaming of CC adaptation and mitigation into the broader fabric of RGC's sustainable development agenda;
- COP 17 (Nov-Dec) in South Africa

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