

SMALL GROUPS EXERCISE TEMPLATE OF EXAMPLES FOR UNDERSTANDING IEE DETERMINATIONS

ACTIVITY 1 : FOREST MANAGEMENT AND BIODIVERSITY

Activity 1.1: Build community capacity for forest management

Task 1: Forest Management planning and implementation	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 2: Support Community Forestry organizational development	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)

Activity 1.2: Strengthen capacity of NDF and CSOs to support sustainable forest management

Task 1: Identify and train a cadre of Community Forestry (CF) practitioners	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 2: Design and deliver an intensive CF Curriculum to practitioners	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 3: Support field-base learning opportunities at project sites for trained practitioners	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 4: Train NDF staff in the use of GPS, best practices for data collection, and information management, and to support the NDF to develop a more efficient geospatial database	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 5: Build capacity of the Land Commission (LC), and support improved communication between the LC and target communities	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)

Activity 1.3: Support development of legal framework for CF

Task 1: Support communities and the NDF to analyze existing legislation and make recommendations for changes that will simplify CF implementation without compromising sustainability	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 2: Develop and present of policy briefs to articulate the need for desired changes	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 3: Support NDF to hold a series of workshops to solicit comments and recommended actions for regulatory reform	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 4: Support NDF to revise the CF Core Regulations	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)

Activity 1.4: Increase knowledge of forest ecosystems and design appropriate interventions

Task 1: Conduct biodiversity baseline surveys in project sites and establish biomonitoring protocols	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 2: As part of regular site-level operations, conduct and report on biomonitoring	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 3: Collect PES baseline data in selected sites	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 4: In target communities increase awareness of climate change and the role of forests sequestering carbon	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)
Task 5: Work with local organizations to develop and deliver outreach and awareness campaigns	CE	22 CFR 216. 2(c)(2)(i)

ACTIVITY 2 : COMMUNITY-BASED LIVELIHOODS

Activity 2.1: Assist communities, selected resource use groups within communities, and other appropriate public and private stakeholders to develop enterprises based on the sustainable use of natural resources and payments for ecosystem services

Task 1: Conduct ethno-botanical surveys in all sites to identify and inventory commercially viable Non-Timber Forest Products (NTFPs) and determine the quantities available for sustainable harvesting	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 2: Conduct value chain mapping to understand the dynamics of emerging markets for selected NTFPs	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 3: Support the development of collector cooperatives that will provide local people with an entry point into NTFP value chains	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 4: Provide training in best practices related to harvesting and processing NTFPs to collectors and, where feasible, will support the development of nurseries for the propagation and expansion of NTFPs as part of defined mitigation strategies	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 5: Modify the "Farming as a Business" curriculum to include NTFPs and wood-based products, and publish it as a CF Enterprise Manual	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 6: Link entrepreneurs with financing to capitalize their businesses	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 7: With the NDF, link SMEs to training in best harvesting practices to limit residual stand damage, and facilitate access to harvesting equipment that reduces waste and provides high recovery rates	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 8: Provide oversight to CF Management Bodies to support the monitoring of businesses for compliance with CF management plans	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
Task 9: Conduct tree crop viability assessment, and identify farmers with interest in crop	NDw/C	22 CFR

	diversification and the development of tree crops on their own lands and select potential agroforestry sites on CF lands and their boundaries		216.3(a)(2)(iii)
	Task 10: Organize selected entrepreneurs into growers associations	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)
	Task 11: Work with entrepreneurial farmers to support the development of potential commercial agricultural products, facilitate the formation of producer groups, and strengthen links between producer groups and markets	NDw/C	22 CFR 216.3(a)(2)(iii)

Activity 2.2: Reduce threats to biodiversity linked to livelihood activities

	Task 1: Develop and deliver Farmer Field School (FFS) training to introduce the use of manure, compost, and ash applications; the rotation of leguminous crops; higher yielding production techniques for agricultural crops and cocoa; the (re)introduction of tree crops like cocoa, high yielding varieties of oil palm, and rubber; and opportunities to mechanize the processing of some of them (oil palm presses, cassava grinders, and rice huskers)	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 2: Revise the FFS curriculum	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 3: Publicize best practices through the use of radio, brochures, pamphlets, and Farmer Field Days	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 4: Conduct bushmeat baseline assessment in project sites	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 5: Develop education and awareness materials for integrated into local- and national-level campaigns.	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 6: Assess the feasibility of establishing pilot fisheries programs at selected sites to provide a bushmeat alternative and sustainable protein source.	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 7: Assess the use of charcoal in selected sites to determine community demand	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 8: As part of the forest management planning and implementation process, establish a permit system for the CFMB to monitor charcoal production and verify findings of the assessment.	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 9: If demand for charcoal outstrips the sustainable yield of charcoal in the forest, work with communities to develop alternatives to charcoal production (e.g., improved cook stoves or the development of woodlots for fuelwood and charcoal production)	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)
	Task 10: Assist the REDD+ Working Group to better understand the role of charcoal in the broader climate change and value chain framework	CE	22 CFR 216.2(c)(2)(v)