
Environmental & Social Safeguards

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**Lao PDR Emissions Reduction Programme through improved governance
and sustainable forest landscape management**

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

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Basic project or programme information	
Project or programme title	Lao PDR Emissions Reduction Programme through improved governance and sustainable forest landscape management ¹
Existence of subproject(s) to be identified after GCF Board approval	No
Sector (public or private)	Public
Accredited entity	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH
Environmental and social safeguards (ESS) category	Category B
Location – specific location(s) of project or target country or location(s) of programme	Lao People’s Democratic Republic (Lao PDR)
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Wednesday, October 2, 2019
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Lao
Explanation on language	Lao is the official language of Lao PDR.
Link to disclosure	English: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental%20and%20Social%20Impact%20Assessment%20(ESIA)_Eng%203.pdf Lao: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental%20and%20Social%20Impact%20Assessment%20(ESIA)_Lao%203.pdf
Other link(s)	https://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/17463.html
Remarks	An ESIA consistent with the requirements for a category B project is contained in the ‘Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and recommendations for the Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP)’.
Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	Wednesday, October 2, 2019
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Lao
Explanation on language	Lao is the official language of Lao PDR.
Link to disclosure	English: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental-and-Social-Management-Plan-ESMP_Eng.pdf

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	Lao: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental-and-Social-Management-Plan-ESMP-Lao.pdf
Other link(s)	https://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/17463.html
Remarks	An ESMP consistent with the requirements for a category B project is contained in the 'Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP)'.
Environmental and Social Management (ESMS) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF), Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), IPP Framework (if applicable)	
Description of report/disclosure on accredited entity's website	IPP, RPF, and RAP/ Wednesday, October 2, 2019
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Lao
Explanation on language	Lao is the official language of Lao PDR.
Link to disclosure	English: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental%20and%20Social%20Impact%20Assessment%20(ESIA)_Eng%203.pdf Lao: https://www.giz.de/en/downloads/Environmental%20and%20Social%20Impact%20Assessment%20(ESIA)_Lao%203.pdf
Other link(s)	https://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/17463.html
Remarks	IPP, RPF and RAP are included in the ESIA.
Disclosure in locations convenient to affected peoples (stakeholders)	
Date	Friday, October 4, 2019
Place	The ESIA, ESMP, Gender Assessment (GA) and Gender Action Plan (GAP) were made available at Offices of the Lao Women's Union in all project provinces (as hard copies): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Houaphan: Lao Women's Union Sam Neua Village, Phathi Road, Sam Neua District Houaphan Province Tel: +856 64 312080

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Date of Board meeting in which the FP is intended to be considered	
Date of accredited entity's Board meeting	TBD after GCF Board approval
Date of GCF's Board meeting	Tuesday, November 12, 2019

Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above.
