

Forest Carbon Partnership Facility

7b. Indigenous Peoples' Request for Global Consultation on FCPF

Ninth Meeting of the FCPF Participants Committee (PC9)
Oslo, Norway, June 20-22, 2011

Indigenous Peoples Request for Global Consultation on FCPF

On April 11, 2011, Joan Carling and Juan Carlos Jintiach sent a letter to Ms. Inger Andersen—Vice President of the World Bank's Sustainable Development Department—requesting the World Bank to conduct a global consultation meeting between indigenous peoples and the World Bank on FCPF

The Objectives are for IPs to:

- Have a better understanding of the FCPF
- discuss the implementation of the Cancun Agreement on REDD+ and reach a common understanding on how FCPF will implement this in relation to the Draft Guidelines on Stakeholder Engagement in REDD+ Readiness
- Discuss the views and concerns of IPs and the implications of the FCPF Multiple
 Delivery Partner arrangement, in particular environmental and social safeguards
- Discuss views and concerns of IPs and the implications of the Carbon Fund for IPs.

IPs from selected FCPF REDD+ countries will be invited to participate in this event, which will take place in an FCPF REDD+ country

Response from Bank Management

On May 10, 2011, management responded to the letter and:

- Emphasized the importance of and the World Bank's commitment to ensuring full and effective participation of IPs and local communities in World Bank-financed operations including REDD+ readiness activities under the FCPF Readiness Fund
- Stated that World Bank serves as trustee, secretariat, and delivery partner for the FCPF
- Stated that the Participants Committee (PC) and not the World Bank is the decision-making body of the FCPF
- Invited Ms. Carling and Mr. Jintiach to attend the June 20-22, 2011 PC meeting in Oslo, Norway and present their request directly to the PC



Response from Bank Management Cont.

- During the recent UNPFII held in New York in May 2011, Ms.
 Anderson and Senior World Bank staff also met with Ms.
 Carling and Mr. Jintiach for further discussion and follow up on their request for the global consultation
- Agreement was made for Ms. Carling and Mr. Jintiach to attend the PC meeting in Oslo to present their views on the global consultation and seek the support of the PC in realizing their request



FMT Proposal to PC 9

- FMT proposes for the PC to consider approving and funding the Global Consultation
- Subject to PC approval, the FMT proposes to allocate \$ 376,630 to this event
- Resources will be used for the organization, design, delivery and documentation of the Global Meeting



THANK YOU!

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