

Report Back from FCPF/FIP/UNREDD IP and CSO Observers Meeting

PC15, Lombok Indonesia

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- First ever meeting of observers from all three multilateral REDD initiatives
- Focused on improving stakeholder engagement
- Organized by the Amazon Environmental Investigation Institute, with support from the Environmental Defense Fund and the Bank Information Center
- With financial support from NORAD

- Identified three priority areas (among others) in need of strengthening:
- Stakeholder engagement at local, national, regional and international levels
- Monitoring and evaluation of the implementation of phase one and two activities
- Inclusion of land tenure and livelihoods concerns

Stakeholder Engagement Recommendations

- Strengthen CSO Observer self selection processes, including through enhanced support from UNREDD and FCPF
- Enhance observer links and support to national processes
- Strategic investments in capacity building through FCPF CBP, UNREDD CBR and FIP DGM

Monitoring and Evaluation Recommendations

- Create new funding streams for participatory IP/CSO monitoring of REDD+ to identify and disseminate best practices
- Assess progress in meeting agreed to guidelines and benchmarks
- Feed this monitoring into national evaluation and reporting at annual, mid-term, R-Package, moments, etc.

Land tenure & Livelihoods Recommendations

- Carry out studies on land tenure, forest conservation practices including customary and traditional practices by IPLC
- Prioritize land and livelihoods initiatives for grant funding through CBP, CBR, DGM
- Monitor and assess progress and identify best practice through case studies and monitoring efforts that are integrated into global reporting