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## Minutes of stakeholder consultations on Norwegian TA support 2018-2020; 26-27 April, 2018

A meeting was held with the National REDD+ Focal Point on 26 April, 2017. Discussions during this meeting were informed by a meeting previously held with the forests advisor of the Royal Norwegian Embassy, Hanoi (who covers Myanmar) on 19 April, 2017.

The meeting concluded that the objective of TA support to Myanmar should be "to accelerate progress towards RBPs in Myanmar", and that to meet this objective, the following outputs are required.

UN-REDD TA outputs	Indicators	Baseline
<p><b>Output 1.</b> REDD+ PAMs developed and implemented with robust institutional anchoring at national and sub-national levels, and engagement of a broad range of stakeholders.</p> <p>(Linked to UN-REDD strategic framework Output 3.2)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sub-national institutional structures in place nationwide</li> <li>• REDD+ financial mechanism in place</li> </ul>	<p>Comprehensive cross-sectoral and multi-stakeholder institutional structures exist at the national level (for Phase 1), but not at sub-national levels</p>
<p><b>Output 2.</b> Capacity to measure degradation and monitor REDD+ PAMs designed to address degradation, supported by capacity to report on safeguards</p> <p>(Linked to UN-REDD strategic framework Output 3.1)</p>	<p>Operational upgrades to the NFMS established to allow detection and measurement of emissions from forest degradation and removals from forest restoration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identification of PAMs requiring private sector engagement and key private sector entities committed to supporting implementation</li> <li>• Myanmar's initial Summary of Information produced</li> <li>• Operational upgrades to the SIS established, based on early REDD+ implementation</li> </ul>	<p>Draft National REDD+ Strategy includes PAMs addressing degradation but capacity of existing NFMS inadequate to measure their effectiveness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Private sector engagement needs assessed but no progress in effectively engaging with the private sector</li> <li>• SIS under development</li> </ul>

The following day (27 April, 2017), discussions were held with the PEB member representing IPs, and alternate PEB member representing CSOs, following the first meeting of the National REDD+ Taskforce, who confirmed that they were in agreement with the proposed objective and deliverables.

A draft TA workplan was shared with the National REDD+ Focal Point on 27 April, 2017 for feedback and validation.

Minutes agreed and endorsed

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