

Poverty and Environment Partnership (PEP) 11th meeting

**Environmental Improvements for Poverty Reduction and Sustainable Growth:
The Challenges of Implementation**

**Eigtveds Pakhus
Copenhagen 18th-20th June 2007**

Monday 18th June 2007

Registration and Opening of PEP Meeting.

Chair: Henning Nøhr (Danida)

08:30-09:00: Registration and coffee

09:00-09:15: Opening by the Ambassador for the Environment, Mr. Geert Aagaard Andersen (Danish MoFA)

Main session I: Climate Change, poverty reduction and economic growth

Facilitation: Frode Neergaard (Danida)

09.15-10.15: Key-note Presentations and Plenary discussion

1. Review of Climate Adaptation in Development Assistance. Remy Paris, (OECD/DAC)
2. EU Action Plan on climate change and development – what has been done on country level? Mr. Simon Le-Grand (EU)

10.15-10.45: Coffee

3. Climate Change Adaptation in Asia with a review of the Pacific and Vietnam. David McCauley (ADB)
4. Reducing poverty and conserving ecosystems whilst mitigating climate change. Multiple-benefit Agriculture, Forestry and Other Land Use (AFOLU) projects Charles Ehrhart (CARE)

11.30-12.15 Discussion

12:15-13:15: Lunch

13.15-14:30: Break-out groups on climate change and next steps
(facilitated by OECD/DAC, EU, ADB)

14.30-14.40 Report back from break-out groups

14:40-15:00: Coffee

Main session II: Investing in and Financing of Environment for Poverty Reduction and Sustainable Growth

15.15-17.30: **Sub-session 2a: Donor coordination and donor financing– lessons learned and new instruments**

Chair/Facilitation: Olof Drakenberg (SIDA)

Keynote Presentations

1. Integration of environment into PRSPs. Sunanda Kishore (World Bank)
2. Country environmental analysis and profiles. Kulsum Ahmed (World Bank), David McCauley (ADB) & Simon Le-Grand (EU)
3. OECD/DAC Dublin workshop on Development Effectiveness in Practice, and update on Budget Support, Aid Instruments and the Environment Tara Shine (Irish Aid)

18.00-21.30: Cultural event and conference dinner

Tuesday 19th June 2007

8.45 Summary of day 1: Erwin Kuenzi (Austrian Development Agency)

Sub-session 2b: Creating new markets and Payment for Ecosystem Services (PES): linking poverty and environmental objectives.

Chair: Jan Bojö (WB)

Facilitator: Joshua Bishop (IUCN)

Key-note Presentations:

09.00-10.15: Introduction:

1. Justifying PES: The Value of Ecosystems Lucy Emerton (IUCN)

2. PES and Poverty Sven Wunder (CIFOR)

Discussion

10.15-10.35 Coffee

10.35-12.30 PES and the poor in praxis – some examples

3. Synergies between conservation and development in Ecuador Marina Kosmus (GTZ)

4. Can the poor participate in PES? Empirical evidence from Latin America Stefano Pagiolo (World Bank)

5. Social/poverty impacts of PES Esteve Corbera (Tyndall Centre for Climate Change Research)

6. Planning Pro-poor PES in Tanzania Julio Tresierra (WWF/CARE/IIED)

Panel discussion: Piet Klop (DGIS) Case study presenters plus:
Lucy Emerton, IUCN
Sven Wunder, CIFOR
Pablo Gutman (WWF)

12.30-13.30 Lunch

Sub-session 2b cont.

Chair: Piet Klop (DGIS)

Facilitator. Jan Peter Schemmel (GTZ)

- 13:30-13:50 Pro-Poor Investments in Biodiversity Conservation Pablo Gutman (WWF)
- 13.50-15.30: Break-out groups:
- a. The aid agenda for pro-poor PES Pablo Gutman (WWF)
 - b. Building capacity for pro-poor PES Alice Ruhweza (Forest Trends)
 - c. PEP, PES and the private sector Robert Tippman (EcoSecurities)
- Back-to-back break-out session:
- 15.30-16.00: Coffee
- 16:00-16:30: Report back from break-out groups
- 16.30-17.35 Facilitated plenary by Piet Klop (DGIS) and Jan Peter Schemmel (GTZ) – PES pro's and con's, Relevance of the issues for PEP members, future work etc.

Wednesday 20th June 2007

08.45: **Main session III Capacity and Institutional Development on Environment for Poverty Reduction– what are the incentives?**

Chair: Anne Marie Sloth Carlsen (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

09.00-09.30: Key-note Presentation

Poverty, Health and Environment – presentation of the draft joint PEP publication. Kulsum Ahmed (World Bank)

Malnutrition and Environmental Health. Presentation of recently-initiated World Bank study. Facilitated by Miko Paunio and Anjali Acharya (WB)

Facilitator: Tom Bigg, (IIED)

09.30-11.15: Building Systems: Capacity and Institutional Development that works for linking Environment and Poverty Reduction

1. A framework for understanding capacity and institutional development. Steve Bass (IIED)
2. Strengthening national capacity. Gareth Martin (DFID) and Clare Twelvetrees (UK Environment Agency International section)
3. Deploying and developing non-government capacity. John Fanshawe (Birdlife) and Edmundo Claro (RIDES)

Discussion

11.15-11.30: Coffee

11.30-12.30: Break-out groups:

- a. What are the innovations that donors are doing on capacity? Future work on CDE (Facilitated by Danida/ OECD/DAC/IIED)
- b. Poverty, Health and Environment. Feedback on circulated draft and discussion of next steps to finalize joint PEP publication (Facilitated by World Bank)

12.30-13.30: Lunch

13.30-13.45: Report from break-out groups

Main session IV: Other business and summing up

Chair: Henning Nøhr

Facilitator: Anne Marie Sloth Carlsen (DMoFA)

- 13:45-15:00:
- i. Progress on Poverty Environment Initiative (UNEP/UNDP)
 - ii. Poverty Environment Programme of ADB
 - iii. ENVIRONET – May meeting, pro-poor growth and work plan update (OECD)
 - iv. Next PEP meeting
- 15.00-15.15: Summing up and closure of meeting

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Side events:

- 15.30-18.00:
- 1. Side meeting on Africa Conference on Poverty, Environment and Growth (ACPEG)
 - 2. Orientation on Natural resources and Pro-poor Growth Paper (Dutch ENVIRONET Task Team)