

## **PILOT PROJECT IN LAO PRD**

### **1. Organization:**

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### **1. Proposed Topic:**

#### **Lessons Learned Study for Pilot Forest Certification Project in Lao PDR**

(Regarding the final topic for the pilot project, first I consult to Mr. Roland Eve, the country director, as soon as I have the result I will confirm to the organizers late on)

### **2. Purpose:**

The purpose of the study will be to draw lessons and recommendations of the Pilot Forest Certification Project in order to provide recommendations on:

- Key steps involved in establishing a group management unit, recruiting members and building the capacity of the group and members to ensure that they can become certified;
- How the project strategy, interventions and activities could be improved and replicated in future;
- Lessons learned from the project.

### **3. Methodology:**

The study will identify key lessons and recommendations from the project by consulting at national and provincial level with project stakeholders from government, NGOs and communities as appropriate as well as other project stakeholders.

Questions which the study should address include the following:

- What are the key steps involved in establishing a group management unit, recruiting members and building the capacity of the group and members to ensure that they can become certified
- How could the project strategy, interventions and activities be improved and replicated in future
- What learning resulted from the project