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Attached please find the FACE report for the accomplishment of the project, National Stakeholders De-briefing Workshop on COP 18.

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Best regards,

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Awareness Creation Workshop on Climate Change Adaptation and Climate Resilient Green Economy Strategy of Ethiopia for Members of the House of Federation of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia Members.

Date: 05-06 April 2013

Place: Bishoftu / Debrezeit

Organizer: Federal Environmental Protection Authority of Ethiopia

Objectives of the workshop

The main objectives of the workshop was to create awareness on climate change adaptation and building climate resilient green economy, to women members of the House of the Federations of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia. It is aimed as enhancing the decision making capacity of the members in terms of building Climate Resilient Green Economy.

Major Issues raised on the workshop

An opening speech was made by His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Reshid, Deputy Speakers of the House of the Federation. He said that in the past political regime women suffered a lot in social, economic and political aspect. But now they were given due attention. Therefore, he advised on his speech saying that they have to use the opportunity and contribute their effort to nations development.

Following the speech by Mr. Mohammed, of the House of the Federation, Dr. Teweldebirhan G/Egziabher (Dr), Director General of the Environmental Protection Authority of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, made a welcoming speech. On his speech, he said that some scholars do not accept the global fight against climate change and they say there is no climate change at all.

But, he continued, I can assure you that there is climate change and its impact on human and its environment. In the near past Argentina was suffered a lot by a flood which was happened in two hours continuous raining. In addition, China also scuffed by drought which was happened in the near past.

Therefore, do not hesitate, there is climate change and with its seviour effects. Finally he said that women are the major victims of physical effects of climate change. So be active leaders of global fight against climate change.

Ato Berhanu Solomon, Finance Support Program Directorate Director, present two papers. First cause and effects of climate change and the second one was Climate Resilient Green Economy strategy of Ethiopia. He presented using power point and following his presentation detail question and answer and discussion was conducted.

Ato Mohamed Ali, Technology Transfer Directorate Director of EPA, presented two papers. The presentations were entitled Ethiopian Climate Change Adaptation Program and Efforts Made to

adapt to Climate Change. Similarly, after the presentation detail discussion and question and answer session was conducted.

W/ro Simenesh Fekadu from House of Federation presents a paper which is concerned about Status and success of House of Federation since its establishment. The paper was focused on women's representation in the House and the role that women can play in enhancing women's active role in decision making and in building climate resilient green economy.

W/ro Mulu Tiruneh from Federal Environmental Protection Authority also presented a paper which is entitled gender and environment. The paper was basically dealing with how women affect and be affected by climate change.

Then an interactive general discussion was made among the participants on the papers presented.

Summary of the discussion points:-

- Women and children are major victims of the effects of climate change. It also affects infrastructure and economic development as well.
- Sectors should mainstream gender and environment in every activities of the planning process.
- Participation of women in political and decision making was very low but now it is promising though some gaps are not filled till now.
- To reduce and adapt the effects of climate change, nations has to follow business unusual approach that is climate resilient economic development strategy. Therefore, this awareness creation workshop is held to raise decision makers in particular and the public in general, in the implementation of CRGE strategy which is developed by Ethiopian government.
- Members of the House of Federation have aware of the effects of climate change and its consequences. That is why 2 per cents of Regional Governments' annual budget was allocated for supporting environment sector.
- Climate change adaption and mitigation measures taken by Federal Environmental Protection Authority are promising but it needs widening its scope and urgency as compared to the load of risk associated with climate change. We have to use the opportunity created for developed nation's willingness to assist CRGE and UN agencies support.
- Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation work is not a responsibility of single institution rather it needs multidisciplinary approach and multi-sector effort. Then as it was said in the presentation Ethiopia would be reach at the level of middle income country by 2025.

Participants of the Workshop

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Thank you

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