Attachment 1

PROJECT DOCUMENT

United Nations Development Programme Thailand Project Document Sustainable Solutions to the Displaced People Situation along the Thai-Myanmar Border

UNPAF Outcome(s):

Access to quality social services and protection; Decentralization and provincial/local

governance

Expected CP Outcome(s):

Improved livelihood for vulnerable groups in underserved areas: Improved

responsiveness and quality of social services at the subnational level;

Expected CPAP Output(s): Quality and disaggregated socio-economic data in place for evidence-based policy-

making and public dialogue; Systems in local administrative organisations to enhance participatory planning to

incorporate social development and community plans especially for vulnerable groups;

Implementing Agency:

UNDP

Responsible Parties:

FAO-Food and Agriculture Organisation; Chulalongkorn University

Narrative

In response to the current situation of displaced people in Thailand, this project aims at providing evidence-based policy options on viable solutions towards the displaced persons situation along the Thai-Myanmar border to decision-makers and key stakeholders as well as facilitating the design of a strategy to implement them.

The project comprises two major activities: (1) the socio-economic assessment, policy analysis and recommendations related to viable solutions carried out by UNDP, (2) pilot activities to enhance agricultural skills of people living in the camps as well as vocational trainings implemented by FAO and UNDP as an integral part of overall project activities. These activities will aim to enhance livelihood skills and capacity of displaced people.

The final project outcome is an evidence-based policy options, beneficial for all stakeholders and complementary to their strategic planning efforts: the Royal Thai Government, particularly the Ministry of Interior and other major line ministries whose functions and services are relevant in this context, i.e. Ministry of Education, Ministry of Labour, and Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives, as well as the donor community, NGOs, international organizations.

A selected group of displaced people living in the camps in Tak province, and local authorities in charge of providing public vocational training and agricultural extension services, will be the target of the pilot components of the programme.

This project is co-funded by the European Commission under the "Aid to Uprooted People in Thailand" Call for Proposal.

Several studies have been carried out in recent years to better understand possibilities to enhance opportunities for the displaced people. The proposed initiative will strengthen these efforts, placing them in a holistic approach, in line with the Partnership Framework (UNPAF 2007-2011) between the United Nations and the Royal Thai Government.

Programme Period: 2009 - 2011 CPAP Programme Component ...

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the Thai-Myanmar Border

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2009 AWP budget: Euro 537,998
2010 AWP budget Euro 445,770
Total resources required Euro 983,768
Total allocated resources: Euro 787,014
UNDP/FAO Contribution Euro 196,753

in kind

Agreed by UNDP:

UN Resident Coordinator

UNDP Resident Representative