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Introduction: Save the Earth Cambodia, champion in networking, focuses on climate change, disaster risk management, Gender, Sustainable Livelihoods, Community Resilience, climate friendly agriculture, community & institutional capacity building etc.

Global/Regional Network(s)	Project Name Field of the project	Role & Engagement Period
East, South and Southeast Asia Regional Coordinating Organization	Equity & Sustainability Field Hearing Project	Asia Regional Coordinator, 81 countries along with 322 partners around the world; since June 2013
Views from the Frontline (VFL), a project of Global Network of Civil Society Organizations for Disaster Reduction (GNDR)	The project monitors the Hyogo Framework of Action (HFA) progress implementation at local government and civil society perspectives	Southeast Asia Regional Coordinating Organization since 2008 to 2013

No	Network Memberships: On-going Process of Learning, Sharing and Grow-together
1	Gold Standard Advisory Panel Member on Climate Smart Agriculture
2	Steering Committee member in Open Working Group in UN SDG for 26 th and 27 th November
3	Regional Coordinator (East, Southeast and South Asia) for Initiative for Equality
4	Regional Coordinator (Asia) of Global Network of Disaster Reduction that monitor the progress implementation at local government and civil Society Perspectives – conducted 2009, 2011, 2013; and now preparing for 2015 World Disaster Conference to be held at Sendai, Japan
5	Elected Board Member of Cambodian Climate Change Network (CCCN)
6	National DRR Forum
7	GEF SGP Climate Network (Cambodia)
8	GEF CSO Network
9	Mekong Climate Network
10	Cambodian Climate Change Alliance
11	Cambodia Cooperation Committee (CCC)
12	Asian Disaster Reduction and Response Network (ADRRN)
13	Global Network of Civil Society Organizations for Disaster Network (GNDR)
15	Gender and Disaster Network (GDN)
16	Gold Standard NGO supporter Network (Carbon Finance)

GEF SGP CAMBODIA SUCCESSFUL CASE STUDIES FROM CAMBODIA

Particulars (Quantitative)	2007	2009	2014
Micro Insurance Capital [** with 0% bad debt)	0	130%	253%
Beneficiaries	60 WHH	78 HH	86 HH
Pig Raising	1-2	5-20	10-30
Duck Raising	0	20-50	30-155
Cow Raising	0	5-8	5-12
Home Gardening (land size)	10m x 20m	20x100	Hectares
Food Security (rice stock)	0	8 MT	10 MT
At least one reliable alternative Source of Income-HH	10%	73%	88%
At least 2/3 Alternative Source of Income-HH	0	55%	79%
Youth Employment	0	1 group	3 groups
Elderly people Employment	0	5 persons	21 persons
Temporary Migration Reduction	0	12 Per	29 Persons
Access to Safe Drinking Water	Not defined	46%	65%

GEF SGP SUCCESSFUL CASE FROM CAMBODIA

Particulars (Qualitative)	2007	2009	2014
Women contribute in HH and community decision making	Not defined	38%	82%
Reduction of Domestic Violence	Not defined	38%	67%
Reduction of School Children Dropping Out rates	Not defined	23%	47%
Alcohol caused violence reduced	Not defined	44%	58%
Increased Family Consultation	Not defined	71%	86%
Enhanced Rights based Approaches	Not defined	34%	67%
Improved Democratic Rights	Not defined	Visible	More visible
Increased living standard (3-meals/d)	39%	55%	87%
Increased alternative Source of Income-HH	Not defined	55%	79%
Reduced HIV/AIDS risk (assumed)	Not defined	Some ext.	Significantly
Reduced Social Crime (robbery/stealing)	Not defined	some	Significantly
Enhanced Social Cohesion	Not defined	Some extent	Significantly

Gaps, Opportunities & Challenges

Gaps & Challenges	Opportunities	Recommendations
Limited coordination and access to GEF projects' information	CSOs' gained experiences and capacity can add value in project designing, implementation, M&E etc.	GEF Policy should define the meaningful engagement of CSOs at all levels of GEF projects
Visibility and resilience	CSOs can be trusted and supportive partners to enhance the processes	GEF Policy should support the CSOs meaningful engagement at all levels
Inadequate coordination among line networks at national and regional levels or even global levels	Bridging with line networks and platforms for adding value to the processes of GEF activities	GEF Policy should define where, how and to what extent the collaboration can be done at national and regional level mainly with

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Many thanks for your kind attention

