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TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

25 September 2009

Project Code: 08-AG-38-GE-WSP-B

Title Workshop on Development of Competitive Supply Chains in Agribusiness

Duration 23-27 November 2009 (five days)

Venue Hanoi, Vietnam

Date/Time	Topic/Activity
Mon., 23 Nov	Day 1: Registration and Opening of Program, and Presentation and Discussion of Lead Papers
08:30–09:00	Registration
09:00–09:30	Opening session
09:30–09:45	Coffee break
09:45–10:30	Brief overview of the program
10:30–11:45	Lead Presentation I: Developing Competitive Supply chains in the Asia-Pacific Region: Issues, Challenges, and Opportunities <i>By Mr. Reuel K. Virtucio, Executive Director, Punla sa Tao Foundation, Unit 605 Residencia de Regina, Xavierville Avenue, Loyola Heights 1105, Quezon City, Philippines</i>
11:45–13:00	Lead Presentation II: Successful and Sustainable Agribusiness Supply Chains: Lessons Learned from the experience of Malaysia <i>By Mr. Kit CHAN, Managing Director, K-Farm Sdn Bhd, 40, Jalan PBS 14/9, Taman Perindustrian Bukit Serdang, Seri Kembangan 43300, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia</i>
13:00–14:00	Lunch break

14:00–15:15	Lead Presentation III Presentation and discussion of Regional Research Report <i>By Mr. Reuel K. Virtucio</i>
15:15–15:30	Coffee break
15:30–17:30	Lead Presentation IV Presentation and discussion of Regional Research Report (continues) <i>By Mr. Reuel K. Virtucio</i>
19:00–21:00	Welcome dinner hosted by the APO
Tues., 24 Nov	Day 2: Presentation and Discussion of Research Reports
08:30–09:45	Developing Supply Chain(s): Experience of Vietnam <i>By Local Expert- to be confirmed</i>
09:45–11:00	Vietnamese Supply Chain for Export Market: Status, Trends, Challenges, and Opportunities <i>By Local Expert- to be confirmed</i>
11:00–11:30	Coffee break
11:30–12:45	Bangladesh
12:45–13:45	Lunch break
13:45–15:00	Indonesia
15:00-15:30	Coffee break
15:30–16:45	Iran, I.R.
16:45-18:00	Philippines
Wed., 25 Nov	Day 3: Presentation and Discussion of Research Reports, and Group Work (to review recommendations, and formulate roadmaps/action plans)
08:30–09:45	Sri Lanka
09:45–11:00	Thailand
11:00–11:30	Coffee break
11:30–12:45	Vietnam
12:45–13:45	Lunch break
13:45–15:00	India
15:00-15:30	Coffee break

15:30-17:30	Group work (details to be informed later)
Thurs., 26 Nov	Day 4: Field/Company Visit, and Group Work (to review recommendations, and formulate roadmaps/action plans)
08:30–13:00	Field/Company Visit
13:00–15:00	Lunch break and getting fresh
15:00–18:00	Group work (continues)
Fri., 12 June	Day 5: Group Work (to review recommendations, and formulate roadmaps/action plans), And Summing-up, Program Evaluation and Closing Sessions
08:30–10:30	Group work (continues)
10:30–11:00	Coffee break
11:00–11:30	Summing up
11:30–12:00	Program evaluation
12:00–12:45	Closing session
12:45–14:00	Lunch break
15:30– onward	Free time