



## Workshop on 'Green Growth for Bhutan'

# Monday, May 26, 2014: 8.30 am to 4 pm Taj Tashi Hotel, Thimpu, Bhutan

### **Agenda**

8:30 – 9:00 am: Coffee/Tea & Registration

#### INAUGURAL SESSION

9:00 - 9:10am: Welcome (*Mr. Dorji Dhradhul*, Director, Department of Agricultural

Marketing and Cooperatives, Ministry of Agriculture and Forests, Royal

Government of Bhutan)

9:10 - 9:20 am: Opening remarks from Royal Government of Bhutan (*H.E. Lyonpo* 

*Yeshey Dorji*, Honorable Minister for Agriculture and Forests, Royal

Government of Bhutan)

9:20 – 9.30 am: Opening remarks from The World Bank (Ms. Genevieve Boyreau,

Bhutan Resident Representative, World Bank)

#### SESSION I

9:30 – 10:30 am: Green Growth: What does it mean?

Chair: Mr. Tenzin Dhendup (Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and

Forests, Royal Government of Bhutan)

Brief Presentation: *Mr. Michael Toman* (Lead Economist, World Bank)

Followed by a Moderated Discussion

10:30 - 10:45am Coffee/Tea

#### SESSION II

10:45 – 12:30 pm: What does Green Growth mean for Bhutan?

Chair: Mr. Tenzin Dhendup (Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and

Forests, Royal Government of Bhutan)

Presentation of 'Green Growth for Bhutan' Policy Note: Ms. Urvashi

Narain (Senior Environmental Economist, World Bank)

Followed by Q & A Session

12:30– 1:30 pm: Lunch

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm: Breakout Sessions

Breakout group focus areas – (i) Hydropower and Forests, (ii) Urban & Transport, and (iii) Agriculture & Industry

(Participants break out into three groups and discuss what green growth means for these sectors – 45 minutes. Followed by reporting

back - 15 minutes.)

**SESSION III** 

2:30 – 3:30 pm: Way Forward: Implementing Green Growth in Bhutan

Moderated discussion led by Ms. Genevieve Boyreau (Bhutan Resident

Representative, World Bank)

**SESSION IV** 

3:30 – 04:00 pm: Next steps and closing remarks: *Mr. Tenzin Dhendup* (Secretary,

Ministry of Agriculture and Forests, Royal Government of Bhutan)

and Ms. Genevieve Boyreau (Bhutan Resident Representative,

World Bank)