

## 2014 RTIM Provincial Consultation

### “Provincial Perspectives on the Multisectoral (Convergent) Food and Nutrition Security Action Plans and Implications for the Off-Track MDGs”

Saravane Province, 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> September 2014

### Tentative Agenda

#### Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> September 2014

- 06:30 - 07:45            **Participants leave for Pakse via Lao Airlines**  
*(05:00AM - Check in at the Wattay Airport, Domestic terminal)*
- 08:00                    **Participants continued travelling from Pakse Airport to Saravane province by the arranged shuttle buses**

*On the way to Saravane, there will be field visits to local communities and development projects as follows:*

- 08:10 - 09:30            **Travel from the Pakse Airport to the project site**
- 09:30 - 10:30            **Visit the ADB-IFAD supported project on Sustainable Natural Resource Management and Productivity Enhancement** in Lao Ngam district, Saravane province
- 10:50 - 11:50            **Visit the School Feeding project** supported by WFP at Ban Vang Pouey Primary School, Lao Ngam district, Saravane province
- 12:05 - 12:50            **Visit the Laos-Japan Aquaculture Improvement and Extension Project**, Lao Ngam district, Saravane province
- 13:00 - 14:00            **Lunch** at Loch Waterfall Restaurant
- 15:00 - 16:00            **Courtesy Call to Saravane Governor by participants, at the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor meeting room of the Governor’s Office**  
*(There will be a presentation by the Saravane Provincial Department of Planning and Investment Overview of the Development of Saravane Province)*
- 16:30 – 17:30            **Sport Event– Building solidarity among participants**  
*At Petang Field of Saravane Provincial Department of Planning and Investment*
- 18:30                    **Dinner**  
*At Phonxay Hotel Restaurant*

**Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> September 2014**

08:00 - 08:30            **Registration**

**Chair and Co-Chairs of the meeting:**

- H.E. Mr. Khamboune Duangpangna, the Governor of Saravane province
- H.E. Mr. Somdy Douangdy, Minister of Planning and Investment
- Ms. Kaarina Immonen, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative

08:30 - 08:40    **Welcome Remarks**

*By: H.E. Mr. Khamboune Duangpangna, the Governor of Saravane province*

08:40 - 08:50    **Opening Address**

*By: H.E. Mr. Somdy Douangdy, Minister of Planning and Investment*

08:50 – 09:00    **Remarks**

*By: Ms. Kaarina Immonen, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative*

09:00 - 09:15    **Photo Sessions**

09:15 - 09:30    **Coffee Break**

09:30 - 10:00    **Update on the implementation of the Multisectoral (Convergent) Food and Nutrition Security Actions Plan at both national and provincial levels: Current Progress, Challenges, Measures and the Ways Forward**

*By The National FNS Secretariat*

10:00 - 12:00    **Plenary Discussion**

*(Although achieving these targets by 2015 is very challenging for the Government, Development Partners are encouraged to share thoughts whether this is on the right track and their possible commitment and support to the successful implementation of this convergent approach)*

12:00 - 13:30    **Lunch at Vilayvone Restaurant**

13:30 – 14:00    **Update on the implementation of Saravane’s off-track MDGs (2, 4, 5 and 9)**

*By Saravane Provincial Department of Planning and Investment*

14:00 - 15:00    **Plenary Discussion**

*(While Saravane will present the review of their MDG implementation, the discussion will be more or less directed toward key recommendations to address the issues, especially to provide an exchange among all participants)*

15:00 - 15:15    **Coffee Break**

- 15:15 - 16:15 **Plenary Discussion (Cont'd)**
- 16:15 - 16:30 **Wrap-up**  
By: Ms. Kaarina Immonen, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative
- 16:30 - 16:40 **Closing Remarks**  
By: H.E. Mr. Somdy Douangdy, Minister of Planning and Investment
- 18:00 - 21:00 **Baci Ceremony and Dinner Reception hosted by the Governor of Saravane province**  
*At Saravane Provincial Department of Planning and Investment's Meeting Hall*

**Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September 2014**

- 09:00 **Participants leave Saravane for Pakse by the arranged shuttle buses**
- 09:30 - 10:00 **Visit the One District One Product (ODOP) Market**, at Naxay Village, Saravane province
- 12:00 **Participants arrive Pakse Airport**
- 12:50 - 14:05 **Travel back to Vientiane (Lao Airlines)**