

## ITU REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON ICT APPLICATIONS FOR RURAL COMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT

Bali, Indonesia, 28 - 30 November 2007

### Draft Workshop Agenda (Rev. 6)

Wednesday, 28 November 2007	
08:00 - 09:00	Registration of Participants
09:00 – 09:45	<p>Opening Session</p> <p>Welcome Remarks H.E. Mr. Dewa Made Beratha, Governor of Bali Province</p> <p>Welcome Remarks Ms. Aurora Rubio, ITU Senior Adviser for Asia and the Pacific</p> <p>Keynote Address and Opening of the ITU Regional Workshop on ICT Applications for Rural Communication Development: H.E. Prof. Dr. Ir. Mohammad Nuh, DEA Minister of Communication and Information Technology, Indonesia</p>
09:45 – 10:15	<p><i>Group Photo Session</i> <i>Coffee/Tea Break</i></p>
10:15 – 12:15	<p><b>Session 1 : Rural Communication Development Programmes: Considerations for Economic Feasibility and Sustainability</b> Chairman : Mr. Ign. Wiseto Prasetyo Agung, Senior Manager R&amp;D of Service and Product, R&amp;D Center, PT Telkom, Indonesia</p>
10:15 – 10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Critical Factors for Economic Feasibility and Sustainability of Rural Communications Initiative <b>Speakers : Mr. Arif Wismadi</b>, Deputy Director for Development Programme, Gajah Mada University, Indonesia <b>Prof. Sunyoto Usman</b>, Board Member of Research Center, Gajah Mada University, Indonesia</li> </ul>
10:45 – 11:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Converging Socio-economic and Technology for Rural ICT Development and Sustainability <b>Speaker : Mr. Mohd. Harun Abdul Jabbar</b>, Director, Business and Technology Development Division, MSD Technology Sdn. Bhd., Malaysia</li> </ul>

11:15 – 11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Analysis of Cases Studies Received by ITU-D Rapporteur's Group on Question 10-2/2 <b>Speaker : Mr. Yasuhiko Kawasumi</b>, Rapporteur for ITU-D SG2 Q10-2/2, Special Advisor to ITU Association of Japan.</li> </ul>
11:45 – 12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Panel Session : Can Rural Communication Development Projects be sustainable? (Q&amp;A)  Panelists: Speakers of Session 1</li> </ul>
12:15 – 13:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>
<b>13:30 – 15:45</b>	<p><b>Session 2: Empowering Multipurpose Community Telecenters (MCTs)</b> Chairperson : Ms. Maria Teresa M. Camba, Director for Field Operations, Commission on Information and Communications Technology, Philippines</p>
13:30 – 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key Consideration in Establishing Community E-Centers <b>Speaker : Mr. Salman Ansari</b>, Principal Consultant, Salman Ansari Technology Consultants (Pvt) Ltd., Pakistan</li> </ul>
14:00 – 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empowering Rural Telecenter toward Sustainability <b>Speaker : Ms. Retno S. Renggana</b>, Secretary General, The Indonesian Infocom Society (MASTEL)</li> </ul>
14:30 – 15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community Access to Information and Communications Public-Private Partnership Approaches <b>Speaker : Ms. Natasha Beschorner</b>, Senior ICT Policy Specialist, World Bank</li> </ul>
15:00 – 15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Technologies for MCTs for Affordable Rural Access <b>Speaker : Mr. Mahabir Pun</b>, Team Leader, Nepal Wireless Technology Networking Project</li> </ul>
15:30 – 15:45	Q&A
15:45 – 16:00	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
<b>16:00 – 17:45</b>	<p><b>Session 3: Empowering Multipurpose Community Telecenters (MCTs) (cont.)</b> Chairman : Mr. Fernando Carvalho da Cruz, Permanent Secretary of Transport, Equipment and Communications of Timor Leste</p>
16:00 – 16:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multi-stake holder partnerships – Diversity of MCT Models <b>Speaker : Ms. Salma Abbasi</b>, Chairperson &amp; Founder, e Worldwide Group</li> </ul>
16:20 – 16:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCT Solutions for Specific Needs : MMEPO, RVRIC, IMCC <b>Speaker : Mr. Sigit Hadi Prayoga</b>, R&amp;D Center, PT Telkom, Indonesia</li> </ul>

16:40 – 17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Village Connection : Affordable Connectivity for Rural Villager <b>Speaker : Mr. Salman Zafar</b>, NSN, Member of MASTEL Rural ICT Working Group</li> </ul>
17:00 – 17:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCTs : From Pilot Project to Large-Scale Replication <b>Speaker : Mr. Mahabir Pun</b>, Team Leader, Nepal Wireless Technology Networking Project</li> </ul>
17:20 – 17:35	Q&A
<b>Thursday, 29 November 2007</b>	
<b>09:00 – 10:45</b>	<p><b>Session 4: ICT Applications for Rural and Remote Areas: What Works and How</b> Chairman : Mr. Yasuhiko Kawasumi, Rapporteur for ITU-D SG2 Q10-2/2, Special Advisor to ITU Association of Japan.</p>
09:00 – 09:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rural Communications – Technologies, Challenges and Solutions <b>Speaker : Mr. Dirk Wolter</b>, Chief Technology Officer, Alcatel-Lucent, Indonesia</li> </ul>
09:30 – 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empowering Rural Society (resident &amp; migrant) through Integrated Rural Knowledge-based System <b>Speaker : Mr. G.N. Sandhy Widyasthana</b>, R&amp;D Centre, PT Telkom</li> </ul>
10:00 – 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Extending Telecommunication Services and ICT Application to Underserved / Unserved Areas of Pakistan : The case of Universal Service Fund <b>Speaker : Ms. Zainab Hussain Siddiqui</b>, Senior Project Manager, Ministry of Information Technology, Pakistan</li> </ul>
10:30 – 10:45	Q&A
10:45 -11:00	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
<b>11:00 – 12:45</b>	<p><b>Session 5: ICT Applications for Rural and Remote Areas: What Works and How (cont.)</b> Chairman : Mr. Dede Rusnandar, Director, PT Indosat Multi Media (IM2), Indonesia</p>
11:00 – 11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>E-Government for Community Empowerment (title to be confirmed) <b>Speaker : Ms. Maria Teresa M. Camba</b>, Director for Field Operations, Commission on Information and Communications Technology, Philippines</li> </ul>
11:30 – 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developing Needs-based Local Contents and e-Services <b>Speaker : Mr. Teguh Prasetya</b>, Group Head, Value Added Services and Mail-Messaging, PT Indosat, Indonesia</li> </ul>

12:00 – 12:45	<p>Panel Session/Q&amp;A: What makes a Killer Rural ICT Application?</p> <p>Panelists : Speakers of Session 5</p>
12:45 – 14:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>
14:00 – 15:45	<p><b>Session 6: Financing Rural Communications Project</b>  Chairman : Mr. Rudi Rusdiah, Chairman Association of Community Internet Center, Indonesia (APW KOMITEL)</p>
14:00 – 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grameen Experience (Title to be confirmed)  <b>Speaker : Mr. Md. Rafiqul Islam</b>, Deputy Director, Bangladesh Telecommunication Regulatory Commission</li> </ul>
14:30 – 15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation by World Bank  <b>Speaker : Ms. Natasha Beschorner</b>, Senior ICT Policy Specialist, World Bank</li> </ul>
15:00 – 15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial Models in Setting Up Telecentres  <b>Speaker : Mr. Salman Ansari</b>, Principal Consultant, Salman Ansari Technology Consultants (Pvt) Ltd., Pakistan</li> </ul>
15:30- 15:45	Q&A
15:45- 16:15	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
16:15 – 17:30	<p><b>Parallel Speedy Information Exchanges</b></p> <p>Information Exchange 1 : Technologies</p> <p>Information Exchange 2 : ICT Applications</p> <p>Information Exchange 3: MCTs</p>
<b>Friday, 30 November 2007</b>	
09:00 – 10:45	<p><b>Session 7:Telecommunication Regulatory Initiatives for Rural and Remote Areas</b>  Chairman :</p>
09:00 – 09:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promoting Competition and Entrepreneurship Development – SME Sustainability  <b>Speaker : Ms. Salma Abbasi</b>, Chairperson &amp; Founders, e Worldwide Group</li> </ul>
09:30 – 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Universal Service Obligation : Toward the Indonesia Information Society  <b>Speaker : Mr. Benyamin Sura</b>, Head of Rural Telecommunication and IT office, DG Postel, Indonesia</li> </ul>

10:00 – 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transformation of Rural Areas through ICTs – Case Study <b>Speaker : Ms. Salma Abbasi</b>, Chairperson &amp; Founders, e Worldwide Group</li> </ul>
10:30 – 10:45	Q&A
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
<b>11:00 – 12:45</b>	<b>Session 8: Capacity Building</b> Chairperson : Mr. Sumitro Rustam, Vice Chairman, The Indonesian Infocom Society (MASTEL)
11:00 – 11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Updates on the ITU-UUM Asia Pacific Center of Excellence for Rural ICT Development <b>Speaker : Assoc. Prof. Dr. Suhaidi B. Hassan</b>, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, Universiti Utara, Malaysia</li> </ul>
11:30 – 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Capacity Building in Local Contents and ICT Applications Development <b>Speaker : Assoc. Prof. Dr. Norshuhada Shiratuddin</b>, Deputy Dean (Research &amp; Postgrad),Universiti Utara Malaysia</li> </ul>
12:00 – 12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCT as Platform for Training, Services and Capacity Building <b>Speaker : Mr. Rudi Rusdiah</b>, Chairman Association of Community Internet Center, Indonesia (APW KOMITEL)</li> </ul>
12:30 – 12:45	Q&A
12:45 – 14:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>
<b>14:00 – 15:00</b>	<b>Round Table Discussion: Implementable Large-scale ICT Applications for Rural Communication Development : Challenge for Narrowing the Digital Divide</b>  Moderator : Ms. Koesmarihati, Committee Member, Indonesian Telecommunications Regulatory Body (BRTI)  Panelists : Session Chairs
15:00 – 15:15	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
15:15 – 16:00	<b>Closing Session</b>