



REVIEW AND UPDATE OF THE WORLD BANK ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL SAFEGUARD POLICIES

Indicative List of Countries for Consultations
(as of September 11, 2014, subject to changes)

The World Bank is reviewing and updating its environmental and social safeguard policies. As part of this review, the World Bank is consulting with shareholders and stakeholders to seek their input and feedback into the development of an updated set of policies that embody core values of the institution and are the cornerstone of the Bank's efforts to protect people and the environment and to ensure good development outcomes. Throughout the review process, the Bank will seek the views of shareholders and a wide range of stakeholders to help shape the next generation of safeguard policies. In Phase 2 of the review, the World Bank will seek feedback on the first draft of the Environment and Social Framework. A dedicated website (www.worldbank.org/safeguardsconsultations) contains all information about the review and the consultation process.

The list below is indicative of the countries that the World Bank plans to visit for consultations on the proposed Environmental and Social Framework between September and December 2014. This list is subject to change. For details on dates and if you wish to express interest in participating in a consultation meeting, please contact the safeguards review team at safeguardconsult@worldbank.org.

Region and countries	Tentative consultation month (specific dates will be added when confirmed)	Region and countries	Tentative consultation month (specific dates will be added when confirmed)
<i>Latin America & The Caribbean</i>		<i>Africa</i>	
Brazil	November 17-21	Ethiopia	November 6 & 7
Paraguay	November 25	Tanzania	November 3 & 4
Bolivia	November 6 & 7	Nigeria	TBD
Peru	November 10-12	Cameroon	November 10 & 11
		Senegal	November 17 & 18
<i>East Asia & Pacific</i>		<i>Europe & Central Asia</i>	
China	December (TBC)	Croatia	October 28

Indonesia	December (TBC)	Georgia	September 26
Pacific Islands/ Australia	November 3 & 4	Kazakhstan	November 6 & 7
Philippines	October 22 & 23	Turkey	October 30 & 31 (TBC)
Vietnam	October 27 & 28		
<i>South Asia</i>		<i>Middle East & North Africa</i>	
Bangladesh	November 24 & 25	Egypt (with participation from Yemen)	October 27 & 28
India	December 2 & 3	Lebanon (with participation from Iraq and Jordan)	October (TBC)
Nepal	November 27 & 28	Morocco	TBD
<i>Donor countries</i>			
Austria	December 5		
Belgium (with participation from Netherlands)	November 10		
Canada	November 24 & 25		
France	December 2 (TBC)		
Germany	November 12 & 13		
Japan	December 11 & 12		
Norway (with Nordic participation)	November 12 & 13		
Switzerland	December 3		
Switzerland (UN organizations)	September 17 & 18		
United Kingdom	November 20		

USA	November (TBC)		
USA (World Conference on Indigenous Peoples)	September 24		