

Working together to monitor secure access to land

Workshop on the development of the Land Reporting Initiative

Location: Italian Room, IFAD -1
Via Paolo di Dono, 44
00142 Rome, Italy

Date: Monday to Tuesday, 8th and 9th December 2008.

Objectives:

- To learn from the diverse experiences of member and partner organisations in relation to monitoring land issues.
- To build an inclusive consensus on how to take ILC collaboration on monitoring land issues forward.
- To define the key product(s) or outcome(s) that should be the goals of the initiative, and to outline the process, roles and responsibilities for achieving these.

Programme

Please note that the workshop proper will run from the morning of Monday the 8th, until lunchtime on the 9th. This is to allow civil society members of ILC's Coalition Council to hold a meeting in the afternoon of the 9th, prior to the Council meeting on the following days. On the afternoon of the 9th, the other workshop participants will have the opportunity to attend a follow-up meeting. This will hopefully be an opportunity for a smaller group to focus in detail on some of the technical and implementation issues that have arisen through the workshop.

Time	Focus
Day One	
9.00 - 9.15	Chair: Michael Taylor, ILC secretariat Welcome statement by Madiodio Niasse, Director, ILC secretariat
9.15 - 9.45	The LRI so far: Overview and objectives of the workshop , Tim Bending, ILC secretariat
9.45 - 10.30	Participants introduce themselves and their work related to the workshop themes.
10.30 - 10.45	Coffee
10.45 - 12.30	The state of the art in monitoring secure access to land – What is being done? How can we add value by working together as a coalition? Chair: Laureano Del Castello, Grupo ALLPA Presenters: Don Marquez, ANGO – <i>LandWatch Asia: Experiences and future directions.</i> Malcolm Childress, World Bank – <i>Monitoring land administration.</i> Gonzalo Colque, Fundación Tierra – <i>Monitoring reform from below: El Observatorio Tierra.</i> Jagat Basnat, CSRC – <i>Monitoring land issues through a popular movement</i> Discussion
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch
14.00 - 15.30	Promoting the role of civil society monitoring within the policy process – What potential exists and what role can ILC play? Chair: Denis Pommier, AGTER Presenters: Ruben De Koning, UNDP Oslo Governance Centre – <i>Facilitating national processes of governance assessment.</i> Mino Ramarosan, HARDI – <i>Monitoring policy implementation within the context of a LAND partnership.</i> Lisa del Grande, AFRA – <i>Government-civil society partnerships to evaluate government programmes: the LEAP experience.</i> Discussion
15.30 - 15.45	Coffee
15.45 - 17.30	Monitoring global trends in access to land – A possible collaborative initiative? Chair: Mino Ramarosan, HARDI Presenters: Fernando Eguren, CEPES – <i>Lessons from piloting indicators of tenure security and assessing land concentration in Peru.</i> Michael Taylor, ILC secretariat – <i>ILC network collaboration on commercial pressures on land: The potential linkages with a monitoring initiative.</i> Jeffrey Hatcher, RRI – <i>RRI's experiences cataloguing ownership of forests.</i> Discussion

Day Two	
9.00 – 9.15	Recap on discussions from Day 1, Tim Bending, ILC secretariat
9.15 – 11.00	<p>What is the way forward for ILC and the Land Reporting Initiative? What product(s) or concrete outcome(s) should we set ourselves as goals?</p> <p>Facilitator: Tony Quizon, ILC secretariat</p> <p>Discussants: Stephan Dohrn, CAPRI Lisa Del Grande, AFRA William Sunderlin, RRI Fernando Eguren, CEPES</p> <p>Open discussion</p>
11.00 - 11.15	Coffee
11.15 – 12.15	<p>Outlining the process, roles and responsibilities</p> <p>Facilitator: Tony Quizon, ILC secretariat</p> <p>Discussion</p>
12.15 – 12.30	<p>Wrapping up, Annalisa Mauro, ILC secretariat</p> <p>Closing words, Madiodio Niasse, Director, ILC secretariat</p>
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch

Follow-up meeting	
14.00 - 15.30	Discussion of implementation modalities and technical issues outstanding from the workshop. Provisional identification of core steering group and responsibilities.
15.30 - 15.45	Coffee
15.45 - 17.00	Continued from above.

Welcome dinner	
The evening of the 9 th . See separate information note for details.	