CARD FIRST GROUP COUNTRY

GMA PRESENTATION SIERRA LEONE

List of Abbreviations

| Abbreviation | Full Name | |
|--------------|---|--|
| NRDS | National Rice Development Strategy | |
| SIEM | Sub-sector Intervention Element Matrix | |
| SCP | Smallholder Commercialization Programme | |
| CAADP | Comprehensive African Agriculture Development Programme | |
| NSADP | National Sustainable Agricultural Development Plan 2010-2030 | |
| MAFFS | Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Food Security | |
| BRAC | Bridging Resources Across Countries | |
| DAFO | Develop Africa Foundation | |
| SLOFIC | Sierra Leone Organic Farming & Investment Cooperative | |

| RPSDP | Rural and Private Sector Development Project |
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| IFAD | International Fund for Agricultural Development |
| JICA | Japan International Cooperation Agency |
| RCPRP | Rural and community Poverty Reduction Project |
| RFCIP | Rural Financial & Community Improvement Project |
| ASREP | Agricultural Sector Rehabilitation Project |
| AfDB | African Development Bank |
| IDB | Islamic Development Bank |
| GOSL | Government of Sierra Leone |
| FIB | First International Bank |
| ТСР | Technical Cooperation Project |
| FAO | Food and Agriculture Organisation |

Rice Production

| Crop | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | Growth (%) |
|------------------|---------|---------|-----------|------------|
| Rice (MT) | 680,097 | 888,417 | 1,026,671 | 51 |
| Maize | | | | |
| Cassava | | | | |
| Wheat | | | | |
| Other food crops | | | | |

Priority Areas on SIEM

| Country Name | Policy/ institutional | Infrastructure | Human resource | Provision / support | Information / knowledge | Unclassified |
|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| | | | capacity | | | |
| Seed | | | | | | |
| Fertilizer | | | | | | |
| Irrigation / | | | | | | |
| water | | | | | | |
| management | | | | | | |
| On-farm | | | | | | |
| technology | | | | | | |
| dissemination | | | | | | |
| Mechanization | | | | | | |
| Quality | | | | | | |
| improvement | | | | | | |
| Access to | | | | | | |
| market | | | | | | |
| Access to credit | | | | | | |
| Overall policy tools | | | | | | |

List of Priority Intervention & its Alignment of In-Country CAADP Framework

| Project | SCP/CAADP |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Support to farmer | Component 1: Smallholder |
| organizations in the | Commercialization Programme: |
| form of capacity | production intensification, |
| building, provision of | diversification, value addition and |
| farm machinery, | marketing |
| suitable planting | |
| materials, agro- | |
| chemicals and | |
| infrastructure for | |
| quality development. | |

| Project | SCP/ CAADP |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2.Rehabilitation and | Component 2: Small scale |
| development of inland | irrigation development |
| valley swamps (IVS) and | |
| the bolilands | |
| 3. Development of | Component 3: Market |
| infrastructure for access to | Access Expansion through |
| market | Feeder Road |
| | Rehabilitation/Construction |

| Project | SCP/ CAADP | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| 4. Support to rural financial | Component 4: Smallholder | |
| services associations and | Access to Rural Financial | |
| community banks | Services | |
| 5. Human resource | Component 6: Human | |
| development | resource development | |

List of Champions

| Name | Job Title | Organization | |
|---------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| Ben A. Massaquoi | Director of Extension MAFFS | | |
| Prince Kamara | Coordinator, SCP | SCP/MAFFS | |
| Francis A.R. Sankoh | Director General | MAFFS | |
| I.M.O. Shamie | Dep. Director of Crops | MAFFS/Crops | |
| Amara I. Sheriff | Dep. Director General | MAFFS | |
| J.K. Pessima | Director of Crops | MAFFS | |
| J. D. Spenser | Crop Protection Officer | MAFFS | |
| Charles Meriweather | Representatives Ministry of Trade | | |
| Dr. Alfred Dixon | Director General Sierra Leone Agricultural Research Institute (SLARI) | | |
| Charles Kaitingi | Crop Protection Officer | u u | |
| Tamba Kaifineh | Mechanical Superintendent | u u | |
| Mathew Boku | Socio-economic Officer | u u | |
| Jesse Olu John | President of Farmers Federation | National Federation of Farmers | |
| Representative | Head of Mano river Union | Mono River Union | |

Action taken to Materialize: Day 5 Participants Lists

| Participating Organizations to the Day 5 meeting |
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| MAFFS |
| RARC |
| NARC |
| SLARI |
| BRAC-SL (Bridging Resources Across Countries |
| DAFO/SLOFIC |
| NERICA PROJECT |

Action taken to Materialize: Other efforts to Government Sector, CAADP & Development Partners

| Date | Actions taken (meeting etc.) | Responsible Persons |
|---------------|--|---|
| June 2010 | Elaboration of country investment plan | Country team (Experts)- NSADP/SCP |
| September2011 | Launching of feeder Roads policy | GOSL |
| Ongoing | Implementation of SCP (Flagship programme of Government- all other projects aligned) | MAFFS and Development Partners |
| | | |

Success?

| Priority Project | Adoption by the Government/CAADP/DPs |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Seed Project | FAO TCP/German Government |
| Irrigation/Water management | Small Scale Irrigation Scheme •RC-PRP (IFAD) •ASREP(ADB) •DFPP(IDB) |
| On-Farm Technology Dissemination | NERICA RICE Dissemination Project(ADB) Irish Aid, FSCA(Italian Trust Fund)-FAO Sustainable Rice Dev. Project (JICA) Several others (27 projects in all) |
| Mechanization | Tractor Hire Purchase Scheme (GOSL/FIB) |
| Access to Market | Feeder Roads programme •Sierra Leone Roads Authority •R-PSDP (World Bank) •RCPRP (IFAD) •NERICA RICE DISSEMINATION Project |
| Access to credit | Financial Services Associations (FSAs) and Community BanksRFCIP (IFAD) |

Issues

- 1) Sourcing funds for the identified priority projects
- 2) Mobilization of the Champions
- 3) Enhancing the capacities of the members of the Task Force (Human resource and moral)
- 4) Interest and support from the authorities

Thank You