

# Environmental Group

- Participants:

12 people

Lao: 4, DOE, EPF, Energy,

Thai: Banks, EGAT, ONEP, NLA

# Discussion

- **Each chair presents about EIA process of each country**
- **Difficulties and problems in EIA process: EIA, REP, EMP, Public involvement...**
- **Joint project between Lao-Thai (related to GMS)**
- **PPA: Thai will not interfere in EIA process but it will consider if there is the certificate on environment**
- **CA: - External Auditor comments on EMP**
  - **Share of Revenue of the project to contribute to EPF**

# Next Step

- Commercial Banks set up environmental criteria
- Need capacity Development for Laos for Environmental Management
- Integrate EMP into CA