

Supporting Sustainable Rural Energy Supply in Cambodia (SRES)

Project Profile SRES



Objectives

- ❑ SRES aims to improve the capacity of Rural Energy Planners to develop practical local energy projects and Commune action plans
- ❑ SRES aims to improve capacity and knowledge management at national level
- ❑ SRES co-funds projects that help to provide reliable, affordable, and environmentally sound energy for rural communities



Key Features

- ❑ Focus on Off-Grid areas
- ❑ 5 years project with 2 years pilot phase
- ❑ Multi-stakeholder intervention
- ❑ Supervised by Project Board
- ❑ Open to co-operation with all like minded stakeholders



Strategies

- ❑ Use existing strength and experiences of UNDP Cambodia
- ❑ No technology focus, but menu of options
- ❑ Develop a Rural Energy Planners Manual that guides Commune level facilitators
- ❑ Train facilitators
- ❑ Build upon the work of others and network and co-operation as much as possible
- ❑ Co-operate with private sector and civil society
- ❑ Promote businesses and income



Pilot Projects

- ❑ Participatory energy planning process will be tested in practice to develop Pilot Projects
- ❑ Pilot Projects will be appraised and co-funded if viable
- ❑ Pilot Projects will be monitored to feed back experiences into planners guide

