

Day 1: Introduction and preparation of the Essential Life Support Areas of Nepal

**Date: Tuesday 28 February
9:30 – 17:00 Kathmandu time**

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Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York) * previous day	PT (Vancouver) * previous day	Introduction to Mapping Nature for People and Planet and its vision for Nepal (ELSAs)
09:30 – 10:00	11:45 – 12:15	22:45* – 23:15	19:45 – 20:15*	Welcome and tea
10:00 – 10:15	12:15 – 12:30	23:15 – 23:30	20:15 – 20:30*	Introduction and welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome Vijaya Singh, <i>Policy Advisor, Resilience and Disaster Preparedness Assistant Resident Representative, UNDP CO</i> Opening remarks Mr. Yamnath Pokharel, <i>Under Secretary, MoFE</i>
10:15 – 10:20	12:30 – 12:35	23:30 – 23:35	20:30 – 20:35*	Objectives of the final consultation <i>UNDP</i>
10:20 – 10:40	12:35 – 12:55	23:35 – 23:55	20:35 – 20:55*	Progress since our first stakeholder consultation and vision for mapping Nepal's ELSAs <i>Menaka Panta, UNDP</i>
Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York) * previous day	PT (Vancouver) * previous day	Introduction to Systematic Conservation Planning (SCP): The science behind ELSA to support national priorities
10:40 – 11:10	12:55 – 13:25	23:55* – 00:25	20:55 – 21:25*	Introduction to SCP <i>James Watson</i>
11:10 – 11:30	13:25 – 13:45	00:25 – 00:45	21:25 – 21:45*	Using SCP to create the Essential Life Support Areas map of Nepal <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i>
11:30 – 11:50	13:45 – 14:05	00:45 – 01:05	21:45 – 22:05*	What are the national priorities in Nepal? <i>Menaka Panta, UNDP CO</i>
11:50 – 11:55	14:05 – 14:10	01:05 – 01:10	22:05 – 22:10*	Questions & answers, reflections
11:55 – 12:00	14:10 – 14:15	01:10 – 01:15	22:10 – 22:15*	Closing remarks Mr. Yamnath Pokharel, <i>Under Secretary, MoFE</i>
12:00 – 13:30	14:15 – 15:45	01:15 – 02:45	22:15 – 11:45*	Lunch
Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York) * previous day	PT (Vancouver) * previous day	Introduction to the ELSA Webtool
13:30 – 13:35	15:45 – 15:50	02:45 – 02:50	23:45 – 23:50*	Welcome back
13:35 – 13:55	15:50 – 16:10	02:50 – 03:10	23:50* – 00:10	Presentation and demonstration of the ELSA webtool <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstration of the webtool for Nepal Illustration of how the different area-based targets, data, and weightings influence the final map
Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York)	PT (Vancouver)	Review of proposed area-based targets for the ELSA analysis in Nepal

13:55 – 14:45	16:10 – 17:00	03:10 – 04:00	00:10 – 01:00	ELSA targets for protection, management, restoration <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explanation of percentage of national territory allocated for each action in the analysis • Feedback and discussion from national stakeholders
14:45 – 15:00	17:00 – 17:15	04:00 – 04:15	01:00 – 01:15	Break
Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York) * previous day	PT (Vancouver) * previous day	Weighting of the data layers
15:00 – 15:50	17:15 – 18:05	04:15 – 05:05	01:15 – 02:05	Expert review and stakeholder weighting of datasets <i>Scott Atkinson, UNDP, Di Zhang, UNDP and Menaka Neupane, UNDP CO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weighting of data sets • Q&A
15:50 – 16:40	18:05 – 18:55	05:05 – 05:55	02:05 – 02:55	Expert review and stakeholder weighting of datasets <i>Scott Atkinson, UNDP, Di Zhang, UNDP and Menaka Neupane, UNDP CO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weighting of data sets • Q&A
16:40 – 16:45	18:55 – 19:00	05:55 – 06:00	02:55 – 03:00	Closing and reflections Mr. Yamnath Pokharel, Under Secretary, <i>MoFE</i>

Day 2: Co-creation of the ELSA map for Nepal				
Date: Wednesday 1 March				
08:30 – 11:30 Kathmandu time				
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Nepal time	Shanghai time	ET (New York) * previous day	PT (Vancouver) * previous day	Co-creation of the ELSA map for Nepal
8:30 – 9:00	10:45 – 11:15	21:45 – 22:15*	18:45 – 19:15*	Welcome and tea
9:00 – 9:20	11:15 – 11:35	22:15 – 22:35*	19:15 – 19:35*	Review from yesterday session and objectives for the rest of the day <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i>
9:20 – 9:50	11:35 – 12:05	22:35 – 23:05*	19:35 – 20:05*	Co-creation of Nepal's ecological heatmaps <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review results of stakeholder weighting • Generate ecological maps based on stakeholder weighting • Review results
9:50 – 10:10	12:05 – 12:25	23:05 – 23:25*	20:00 – 20:25*	Co-creation of Nepal's first iteration ELSA maps <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generate ELSA action maps using stakeholder weights • Review results and identify trade-offs

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10:10 – 10:25	12:25 – 12:40	23:25 – 23:40*	20:25 – 20:40*	Break
10:25 – 10:55	12:40 – 13:10	23:40* – 00:10	20:40 – 21:10*	Second iteration of Nepal's Essential Life Support Areas map <i>Oscar Venter, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review map Discuss results Q&A
10:55 – 11:10	13:10 – 13:25	00:10 – 00:25	21:10 – 21:25*	Interactive feedback session <i>Menaka Panta, UNDP CO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ELSA webtool - What is it useful, what is it missing? Central applications for analysis and maps in Nepal Strategic partnerships
11:10 – 11:20	13:25 – 13:35	00:25 – 00:35	21:25 – 21:35*	Next Steps <i>Jamison Ervin, UNDP</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participation in the development of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework Other communications products and events
11:20 – 11:30	13:35 – 13:45	00:35 – 00:45	21:35 – 21:45*	Closing and reflections Mr. Yamnath Pokharel, Under Secretary, <i>MoFE</i>