

Table 1. Laos Trade Capacity Assistance for 2007 and 2008

Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY07 Total	FY08 Total
ASEAN-WEN	ASEAN-WEN is a collaborative mechanism by the governments of Southeast Asia for increased law enforcement co-operation in implementing national laws and the Convention on Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora. The project included trainings for national inter-agency task forces with inputs from other US government agencies. They help to improve local agencies interdictions and prosecutions of crimes relating to protected fauna.	Governance/Transparency and Inter-Agency Coordination		181,821
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		181,821
Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Program (ARBCP)	The goal of the Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Program (ARBCP) is to improve the sustainable management of natural resources and the conservation of biodiversity in Vietnam and the Greater Mekong Sub-region. Together with its Vietnamese partners, the program is developing sustainable finance mechanisms based on payments for environmental services mechanisms.	Environmental Trade and Standards		20,001
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		20,001
Intellectual Property Criminal Enforcement Network (IPCEN) Conference	This is a regional conference that took place in Bangkok, Thailand, in March 2009 of approximately 100 key law enforcement and industry officials from more than a dozen nations with the goal of strengthening international cooperation in fighting large-scale intellectual property crimes. The Justice Department organized the gathering with the assistance of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and the U.S. Department of State. It is the second such conference.	Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS)		5,001
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		5,001
Lao-US Bilateral Trade Agreement Compliance and WTO Accession	The objective of the program is to support the Government of Lao in implementing reforms necessary to gain accession to the World Trade Organization and implement the U.S.-Lao PDR Bilateral Trade Agreement. The program is managed under the ADVANCE IQC, a regional IQC for activities designed to fulfill the requirements of the ASEAN-US Enhanced Partnership Plan of Action and to achieve an ASEAN Economic Community by 2015.	WTO Accession		248,001
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		248,001
Responsible Asia Forestry and Trade (RAFT)	To address the shared problems of illegal logging and conversion of forests with high biodiversity value and promotion of legal timber trade, the program aims to improve timber trade policies and corporate procurement practices mainly in six countries, covering Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea and Vietnam.	Environmental Trade and Standards		330,001
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		330,001
Technical assistance to Vietnam and ASEAN to help develop a coherent competition policy	We assisted ASEAN with special attention to Vietnam and Cambodia to train their staff to apply competition and consumer protective laws effectively and reach out to shareholders.	Competition Policy and Foreign Investment		10,002
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		10,001
Worldwide Support for Trade Capacity Building	Worldwide Support for Trade Capacity Building (TCBoost) helps developing countries determine their trade-related assistance needs and design and implement TCB programs. TCBoost covers trade facilitation and customs reform, trade policymaking and negotiations, export diversification and competitiveness, and economic adjustments to trade liberalization. A website is forthcoming. Laos Description for 2008: An analysis of the Laos telecommunications services sector that will analyze the compatibility of Laos' existing legal and regulatory framework with potential trade obligations, provide Laos with information about the types of WTO commitments it may be expected to make, and provide recommendations on the reconciliation of the market, existing regulatory structure, and trade agreement commitments. Project funded jointly with USAID/RDMA's Lao BTA/WTO Project.	Other Services Development		27,741
		Activity Total TCB for Laos		27,741

Table 2. Multi Country Activities with Presence in Laos

Activity Title	Country	Activity Total for 2007	Percent of 2007 Total	Activity Total for 2008	Percent of 2008 Total
ASEAN-WEN		125,000		1,572,750	
	Cambodia			181,820	11.6%
	China (P.R.C.)			300,000	19.1%
	Indonesia	125,000	100.0%	181,830	11.6%
	Laos			181,820	11.6%
	Malaysia			181,820	11.6%
	Philippines			181,820	11.6%
	Thailand			181,820	11.6%
	Vietnam			181,820	11.6%
Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Program (ARBCP)		153,671		1,200,338	
	Asia ns	153,671	100.0%		
	Cambodia			330,000	27.5%
	Laos			20,000	1.7%
	Vietnam			850,338	70.8%
Intellectual Property Criminal Enforcement Network (IPCEN) Conference				75,517	
	Cambodia			5,000	6.6%
	Indonesia			5,000	6.6%
	Laos			5,000	6.6%
	Malaysia			5,000	6.6%
	Philippines			5,000	6.6%
	Thailand			45,517	60.3%
	Vietnam			5,000	6.6%
Lao-US Bilateral Trade Agreement Compliance and WTO Accession				248,000	
	Laos			248,000	100.0%
Responsible Asia Forestry and Trade (RAFT)		400,000		2,890,000	
	Asia ns	400,000	100.0%		
	Cambodia			110,000	3.8%
	China (P.R.C.)			600,000	20.8%
	Indonesia			860,000	29.8%
	Laos			330,000	11.4%
	Malaysia			330,000	11.4%
	Papua New Guinea			330,000	11.4%
	Vietnam			330,000	11.4%
Technical assistance to Vietnam and ASEAN to help develop a coherent competition policy		296,447		143,000	
	ASEAN Secretariat			12,000	8.4%

Table 2. Multi Country Activities with Presence in Laos

Activity Title	Country	Activity Total for 2007	Percent of 2007 Total	Activity Total for 2008	Percent of 2008 Total
	Cambodia			11,000	7.7%
	Indonesia			17,000	11.9%
	Laos			10,000	7.0%
	Philippines			16,000	11.2%
	Southern Asia ns	296,447	100.0%		
	Thailand			10,000	7.0%
	Vietnam			67,000	46.9%
Worldwide Support for Trade Capacity Building				1,500,000	
	Global ns			1,472,260	98.2%
	Laos			27,740	1.8%

Table 3. Totals for Activities with Presence in Laos by Funder

Activity Title	Agency	Worldwide Funding Total for 2007	Percent of 2007 Total	Worldwide Funding Total for 2008	Percent of 2008 Total
ASEAN-WEN		125,000		1,572,750	
	US Agency for International Development	125,000	100.0%	1,572,750	100.0%
Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Program (ARBCP)		153,671		1,200,338	
	US Agency for International Development	153,671	100.0%	1,200,338	100.0%
Intellectual Property Criminal Enforcement Network (IPCEN) Conference				75,517	
	Department of State			75,517	100.0%
Lao-US Bilateral Trade Agreement Compliance and WTO Accession				248,000	
	US Agency for International Development			248,000	100.0%
Responsible Asia Forestry and Trade (RAFT)		400,000		2,890,000	
	US Agency for International Development	400,000	100.0%	2,890,000	100.0%
Technical assistance to Vietnam and ASEAN to help develop a coherent competition policy		296,447		143,000	
	Federal Trade Commission			40,000	28.0%
	US Agency for International Development	296,447	100.0%	103,000	72.0%
Worldwide Support for Trade Capacity Building				1,500,000	
	US Agency for International Development			1,500,000	100.0%