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Sustainability Planning for Asian Cities making use of Research, Know-How and Lessons from Europe (SPARKLE)

Contract: ASI/B7-301/2598/22-2004/78887

Call for Proposals: EuropeAid/114518/C/G

Component: Technology Partnership

Area(s) of Activity: Environmental Planning (Urban and Land use planning)

Lead Applicant: University of Leeds - United Kingdom

Partners:

- Institute for Transport Planning and Traffic Engineering, Vienna University of Technology - Austria
- Faculty of Engineering, Ubon Ratchathani University, Thailand
- Faculty of Engineering, Chiang Mai University - Thailand
- Faculty of Engineering, Khon Kaen University - Thailand
- Transport Development and Strategy Institute - Vietnam
- National Transport Committee, Ministry of Communication, Transport, Post and Construction – Laos
- Ministry of Public Works & Transport, Department of Planning – Cambodia

Project Location: Bangkok, Chiang-Mai and Ubon-Rjatchatani (Thailand)
Hanoi, Da Nang, and Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam)
Vientiane (Lao PDR)
Phnom Penh (Cambodia)

Project Abstract:

The project objective is to promote and transfer knowledge to the countries of South East Asia on the process of developing sustainable urban land use and transport policies, and to provide technical training to local planners and decision-makers on how to use scientific and logical approaches to formulate a sustainable land use and transport policy.

Asia Pro Eco Programme

Asia Pro Eco is an initiative designed to strengthen environmental dialogue between Europe and Asia. The Programme co-finances mutually beneficial partnerships in the field of the environment between Europe and Asia to share strategies, advanced technologies and know-how in addressing environmental issues

Eligible Asian countries

Afghanistan
Bangladesh
Bhutan
Cambodia
China
East Timor
India
Indonesia
Lao PDR
Malaysia
Maldives
Nepal
Pakistan
Phillippines
Sri Lanka
Thailand
Vietnam

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Main Activities:

The main activities will involve:

- (1) a First Seminar in Bangkok to disseminate results of relevant EU research projects on principles and approaches towards sustainable land use and transport planning
- (2) a Second Seminar in Hanoi to provide feedback from participants in the training courses about the relevance of the approaches to Asia. There will be ongoing dissemination about the project throughout its lifetime

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