



Stakeholders Platform Meeting (Zoom)

'Improving Environmental Management in the Mining Sector of Suriname with Emphasis on Artisanal and Small- Scale Goldmining' (EMSAGS) - Project

24 februari 2022

10:00 – 12:00

Participanten

De SP meeting werd bijgewoond door vertegenwoordigers van:

- Ministeries,
- Inheemse en Tribale volken,
- Private sector,
- Kleinschalige mijnbouw organisaties,
- NGO'S, en
- Anton de Kom Universiteit.

De opening werd verricht door de Directeur Mijnbouw van het Ministerie van Natuurlijke hulpbronnen, mw. P. Simons. Er werden 4 presentaties verzorgd door respectievelijk de Directeur van het Nationaal Instituut voor Milieu en Ontwikkeling in Suriname (NIMOS), dhr. C. Nelom, de Projectcoördinator van het EMSAGS Project, mw. S. Bihari, de Component coördinator van het Suriname Competitiveness and Sector Diversification (SCSD) project, dhr. C. Griffith en de Projectcoördinator van het Mercury phase-out Project in the Guianas, mw. F. Hausil.

Zie annex 1 voor een screenshot en registratielijst van de participanten.



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Agenda

9:50 – 10:00	Log in
10:00 – 10:15	Welkom
10:15 – 10:25	Opening Door: Directeur Mijnbouw, Ministerie van Natuurlijke Hulpbronnen, Mw. P. Simons
10:25 – 10:35	Rol en verantwoordelijkheden van het EMSAGS Stakeholders Platform Door: Waarnemend Algemeen Directeur NIMOS, Cedric Nelom
10:35 – 11:00	Status Update EMSAGS Project – Door: Projectcoördinator, Sandra Bihari
11:00 – 11:20	Delfstoffen Instituut Suriname/ Suriname Competitiveness and Sector Diversification Project (SCSD) – World Bank Door: Component coördinator, Clyde Griffith
11:20 – 11:40	Mercury phase-out Project in the Guianas- (WWF/ ARM) Door: Projectcoördinator, Farzia Hausil
11:40	Afspraken en Next meeting
12:00	Sluiting



1. Welkom

De moderator, Carmen Elliott - Banai, heet de aanwezigen welkom om 10.00u, waarna enkele huishoudelijke mededelingen volgen.

2. Opening

De Directeur Mijnbouw van het Ministerie van Natuurlijke Hulpbronnen (NH), Mw. P. Simons, geeft in de officiële opening aan dat van oudsher in Suriname aan kleinschalige goudwinning wordt gedaan en dat het een belangrijke spil is voor de economie van Suriname. Vanwege de commitering van Suriname aan het Minamata verdrag moet er in samenspraak met de small scale gold miners naar alternatieve methoden gezocht worden om aan kwikvrije goudwinning te doen, waardoor het milieu op een duurzame manier verder ontwikkeld kan worden. Met dit platform zal van gedachten worden gewisseld hoe wij dit kunnen uitvoeren. Een speciale dank gaat vanuit het Ministerie van NH naar de project partners het NIMOS en de UNDP voor de bijdrage die wordt geleverd bij de uitvoering van het project.

3. Presentatie 1: Rol en verantwoordelijkheden van het EMSAGS Stakeholders Platform

In deze presentatie geeft de Directeur van het NIMOS, dhr. C. Nelom, een uiteenzetting over:

- de organisatiestructuur van het project,
- de organisaties welke zijn vertegenwoordigd in het Stakeholders platform, en
- de rol van het Stakeholders Platform.

Zie annex 2 voor de presentatie.

No.	Vragen	Antwoorden
1.	Stg. Houders Mijnbouw Rechten - dhr. Tedy Jbara: waarom wordt de stichting die ongeveer 70 small-medium mijnbouw recht houders vertegenwoordigt, niet genoemd in de presentatie als een stakeholder?	Directeur van het NIMOS - dhr. C. Nelom: de concessiehouders spelen een erg belangrijke rol in de sector en die zullen worden toegevoegd aan de presentatie.



4. Presentatie 2: Status Update EMSAGS Project

In deze presentatie geeft de projectcoördinator, mw. S. Bihari, aan:

- wat de doelen en outcomes zijn van het EMSAGS project,
- wat de status is van de activiteiten welke moeten worden uitgevoerd onder de verschillende outcomes in 2022.

Zie annex 3 voor de presentatie.

No.	Vragen	Antwoorden
1.	<p>Organisatie van small-scale miners on SSM Makambo (Brokopondo) - dhr. Jurgen Plein: welke equipment en kwik vrije technologie zal het project gebruiken? Hebben jullie al 1 gekozen?</p>	<p>Directeur van het NIMOS - dhr. C. Nelom: er is nog geen enkele technologie gekozen. Het project zal eerst nagaan wat de behoefte is van de small scale miners en samen met jullie zal de technologie worden bepaald. Wat vaststaat, is dat het om kwikvrije en milieuvriendelijke technologie moet gaan.</p>
2.	<p>Large scale mining; IAMGOLD/ Rosebel Gold Mines - mw. Marijke Agwense: kan de site selection in Brokopondo nader worden uitgelegd?</p>	<p>Projectcoördinator van het EMSAGS project - mw. S. Bihari: voor het opzetten van de demonstration sites zijn er criteria vastgesteld op basis waarvan het project bezig is binnen de twee districten sites te selecteren in samenwerking met andere</p>



		<p>organisaties, die ook de intentie hebben om demonstration sites op te zetten in de gebieden. Het kiezen van een uiteindelijk locatie zal ook in samenspraak met de lokale gemeenschap geschieden.</p>
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5. Presentatie 3: Delfstoffen Instituut Suriname/ Suriname Competitiveness and Sector Diversification Project (SCSD) – World Bank

In deze presentatie geeft de Component coördinator, dhr. C. Griffith, een uiteenzetting over het Delfstoffen Instituut, het SCSD project en de uitdagingen waarmee het project wordt geconfronteerd.

Zie annex 4 voor de presentatie.

No.	Vragen	Antwoorden
1.	<p>Stg. Houders Mijnbouw Rechten - dhr. Tedy Jbara: Is de olie- en gas sector ook onderdeel van het DIS en wat is de deadline voor de instelling van het DIS?</p>	<p>Component coördinator van het SCSD project - dhr. C. Griffith: momenteel valt de olie en gas sector niet binnen de scope van het DIS. Het ligt in de planning om het 3^e kwartaal 2022 de updated law m.b.t. het DIS te behandelen in De Nationale Assemblée.</p>



6. Presentatie 4: Mercury phase-out Project in the Guianas

In deze presentatie geeft de projectcoördinator, mw. F. Hausil, aan:

- Wat het doel is van het project,
- Wat de elementen zijn van het project,
- Welke partnerschappen er zijn binnen het project,
- Wat het proces is voor het selecteren van pilot sites.

Zie annex 5 voor de presentatie.

Na de presentatie waren er geen vragen voor de presentator.

7. Afspraken en next meeting

Voor de sluiting van de meeting, zijn enkele afspraken gemaakt en is ook de voorgestelde datum van de volgende meeting aangegeven door de moderator.

Afspraken:

- De presentaties worden naar de participanten toegestuurd, alsook de notulen van de meeting.
- De planning is om tenminste 1x per kwartaal de meeting van het Stakeholder Platform te organiseren.
- Indien de participanten voorstellen hebben voor de agenda van de volgende meeting, kunnen die gemaild worden naar het algemeen e-mailadres van het EMSAGS project info-EMSAGS@nimos.org.
- Indien een organisatie een presentatie wil verzorgen over zijn/ haar organisatie of project, kan dat doorgegeven worden aan het EMSAGS project via het algemeen e-mailadres.

Next meeting:

- De voorgestelde datum voor de volgende meeting is op donderdag 26 mei 2022.

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8. Sluiting

De moderator bedankt alle participanten en presentatoren voor hun aanwezigheid en geleverde bijdrage. De Directeur Mijnbouw, van het Ministerie van NH, bedankt namens het ministerie van NH, alle participanten voor hun deelname.

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Annex 1 Screenshot en registratie lijst van de aanwezigen

Zoom Meeting

Recording... Carmen Elliott (Engagement Specialist) - EMSAGS PROJECT is talking... View

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EMSAGS Stakeholder Platform meeting	
Registration List	
Date: 24 February, 2022	
Time: 10:00 am- 12:00 pm	
Venue: N/A - Online meeting	
Name (Original Name)	Organization
1 Angelika Namdar	Spatial Planning Association Suriname
2 Carmen Elliott	EMSAGS PMU
3 Cedric Nelom	National Institute for Environment & Development (NIMOS)
4 Cherwin Kasanredjo	Ministry of Natural Resources, represented by GMD
5 Christiaan Max Huisden	Anton de Kom University of Suriname
6 Clyde Griffith	PIU Coordinator of the SCSD project, Component 1
7 Diana Vyent	Ministry of Natural Resource - SCSD project
8 Donovan Bogor	National Institute for Environment & Development (NIMOS)
9 Erwin Kamil	Association SSM Paamaka
10 Farzia Hausil	World Wildlife Fund
11 Henri Kramer	Conservation International
12 Jerry Finisie	Iam Gold Rosebel Gold Mines
13 Johannes Abielie	World Wildlife Fund/Alliance for Responsible Mining
14 Jupta Itoewaki	Vereniging van Inheemse Dorpshoofden in Suriname
15 Jurgen Plein	Association SSM Makambo (Brokopondo)
16 Karishma Bhageloe	SCSD project
17 Kimberly Poleon	Mining Department (GMD)
18 Lucia Dwarkasing	SCSD project
19 Marijke Agwense	Iam Gold Rosebel Gold Mines
20 Marion Stekkel - Vroom	Suriname Business Forum
21 Mavrick Boejoekoe	Ministry of Regional Development and Sport
22 Meredith Henry-Cumberbatch	Ministry of Spatial Planning and Environment
23 Minouschka Fernand	EMSAGS PMU
24 Nunzio Koningsbloem	Ministry of Education
25 Preciosa Simons	Mining Department (GMD)
26 Previs Kallou	Ministry of Education
27 Ratan Kalka	Suriname Business Forum
28 Reenuska Anandbahadoer- Mahabier	SCSD project
29 Reinardus Artist	Anton de Kom University of Suriname
30 Renatha Simson	KAMPOS
31 Sandra Bihari	EMSAGS PMU
32 Sarafina	
33 Steve Badloe	Stichting Houders Mijnbouw rechten (SHMR)/ Foundation of Mining Rights Holders
34 Tedy Jbara	Stichting Houders Mijnbouw rechten (SHMR)/ Foundation of Mining Rights Holders
35 Thania Chin A Lin	Ministry of Natural Resources
36 Tiffany van Ravenswaay	Ministry of Spatial Planning and Environment
37 Valentien Moe Soe Let	Foundation for Forest Management and Production Control

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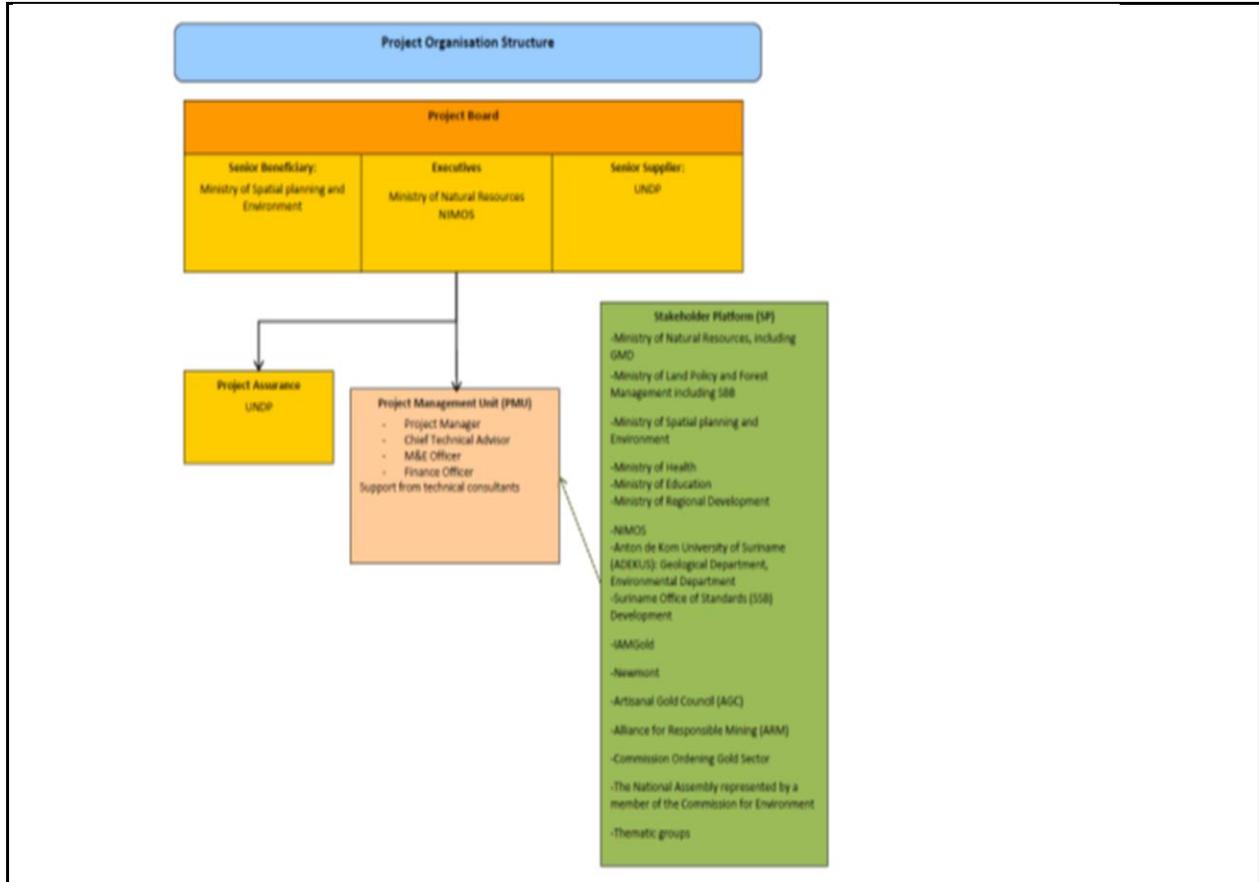
Annex 2: Presentatie: Rol en verantwoordelijkheden van het EMSAGS Stakeholders Platform

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**ROL
STAKEHOLDER PLATFORM
binnenhet
EMSAGS Project**

**Cedric Nelom
NIMOS
24 Februari 2022**





STAKEHOLDER PLATFORM - VERTEGENWOORDIGERS



- Ministerie van Natuurlijke Hulpbronnen/ Geologische Mijnbouwkundige Dienst
- Ministerie van Ruimtelijke Ordening en Milieu
- Nationaal Instituut voor Milieu en Ontwikkeling in Suriname (NIMOS)
- Ministerie van Volksgezondheid
- Ministerie van Onderwijs, Wetenschap en Cultuur
- Ministerie van Regionale Ontwikkeling & Sport
- Stichting Bosbeheer en Bostoezicht (SBB)

- Anton de Kom Universiteit van Suriname, Studierichting Milieu + Studierichting Geologie
- Suriname Standaarden Bureau (SSB)

- IAMGOLD
- Newmont

- Artisanal Gold Council (AGC)
- Alliance for Responsible Mining (ARM)
- Commission Ordening Goud Sector (OGS)
- De Nationale Assemblée, vertegenwoordigd door een lid van de Milieu Commissie
- Thematische groepen (see next slide)



STAKEHOLDER PLATFORM - VERTEGENWOORDIGERS



Thematische Groepen:

- Milieu: WWF; CI
- Spatial Planning: SPASU
- Mijnbouw:
 - Paamaka: Associatie SSM Paamaka
 - Brokopondo: Makamboa, Camp Mining
 - Stichting Houders Mijnbouwrechten (SHMR)
- Inheemse- en Tribale Volken: KAMPOS; VIDS; OIS
- Industry: VSB; SBF



ROL STAKEHOLDER PLATFORM



Algemeen: het SP zal het PB en de PMU **ondersteunen** bij specifieke technische zaken op nationaal niveau bij de projectuitvoering.

Kernactiviteiten:

- een forum bieden voor stakeholderconsultatie en informatieuitwisseling;
- mede-beoordelen van de voortgang van het EMSAGS Project & indien relevant adviseren over projectbijstelling;
- kan adviseren over specifieke acties m.b.t. sociaaleconomische, milieu- en gender gerelateerde projectactiviteiten;
- Geven van technisch advies voor engagement met gemeenschappen, in het bijzonder gemeenschappen rond mijngebieden en associaties van mijnbouwers en andere stakeholders;
- Proactief zaken betrekking hebbende op safeguards (FPIC) in overweging nemen & adviseren over preventieve of mitigerende maatregelen;



ROL STAKEHOLDER PLATFORM



- mede-beoordelen van documenten ontwikkeld binnen het project;
- ondersteunen met bevordering van de opschaling van de projectresultaten door verspreiding onder relevante personen en/of organisaties;
- kan adviseren over communicatie en awareness activiteiten;
- ondersteuning geven aan het bevorderen van partnerschappen met relevante instellingen/ organisaties voor informatieuitwisseling en grotere projectimpact; &
- Participeren in activiteiten m.b.t. kennis informatie-uitwisseling.



Annex 3: Presentatie: Status Update EMSAGS Project

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WROKO KRIN GOWTU

Improving Environmental Management in the Mining Sector of Suriname, with Emphasis on Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining
EMSAGS Project

Project Management Unit
Paramaribo, February 24, 2022

Project Objectives

01 Improve **environmental management** in the mining sector of Suriname, with the emphasis on **artisanal small-scale gold mining**.

02 Promote uptake of **environmentally responsible** mining technologies.





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PROJECT OUTCOMES

OUTCOME 1

Strong institutional and technical capacity of the main stakeholders for improved management of ASGM

OUTCOME 2

Strong policy and planning framework for the management of the environmental impacts of artisanal small-scale gold mining

OUTCOME 3

Uptake of environmentally responsible artisanal small-scale gold mining practices

OUTCOME 4

Knowledge availability and sharing increased at the national and regional scale on environmentally responsible ASGM



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OUTCOME 1: Strong institutional and technical capacity of the main stakeholders for improved management of ASGM

OUTPUT/ACTIVITY

- Training Needs Assessment of all relevant institutions
- Develop and deliver training to all relevant institutions
- Increase and improve monitoring of ASGM impacts by providing technical assistance for forest and forest carbon mapping and deployment of a rapid biodiversity assessment
- Produce LULUmaps
- Set up NRTM of ASGM related deforestation

STATUS UPDATE

- TNA being conducted
- Development of training material: Q2
- Training to all relevant institutions: Q3– Q4
- Assessment of national organizations to perform survey of carbon stocks in forests and soils surrounding the mining site.
Start: after determination of location of demonstration sites (initial focus: Brokopondo area).
- LULC/ NRTM: joint activities SBB/ MNR/ GMD/ OGS/ NIMOS.





OUTCOME 2:

Strong policy and planning framework for the management of the environmental impacts of artisanal smallscale gold mining

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OUTPUT/ ACTIVITY

- **Develop/ Update Policies and guidelines to support environmentally responsible ASGM practices**
- **Develop Mining Strategy and Action Plan, increasing the integration of environmental considerations in gold mining operations**
- **Conduct Targeted Scenario Analysis to document the costs and benefits of current practices compared to environmentally responsible ASGM practices**

STATUS UPDATE

- Policies and guidelines: (MNR): Finalize Revision Mining Law; development of Implementation Regulations, improving monitoring and law enforcement.
- Mining Strategy and Action Plan: MNR
- TSA: TOR in development.



OUTCOME 3:

Uptake of environmentally responsible artisanal small scale gold mining practices

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OUTPUT/ ACTIVITY

- **Establishment of Mining Training and Extension Centers (MTECs)**
- **Identify and pilot alternative livelihoods in communities surrounding the MTECs**
- **Knowledge exchange among miners facilitated to promote upscaling of environmentally responsible ASGM practices**

STATUS UPDATE

- MTECs: Site selection; assessment of available infrastructure; discussions partner organizations
- Alternative livelihoods projects: assessment 2nd semester 2022/ 2023
- Training and dissemination of information



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OUTCOME 4:
Knowledge availability and sharing increased at the national and regional scale on environmentally responsible ASGM

OUTPUT/ ACTIVITY

- Develop a communication & knowledge management strategy
- Produce and disseminate knowledge products
- Implement targeted communication activities with decision makers
- Implement communication & knowledge dissemination activities with general public and other key stakeholders
- Regional knowledge sharing

STATUS UPDATE

- Awareness Strategy
- Communication products under development (posters, newspaper articles, audio spots, radio programs etc).
- Strategic presentations for key Ministries and Organizations.
- Key Stakeholder activities: SP

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**Project Management Unit
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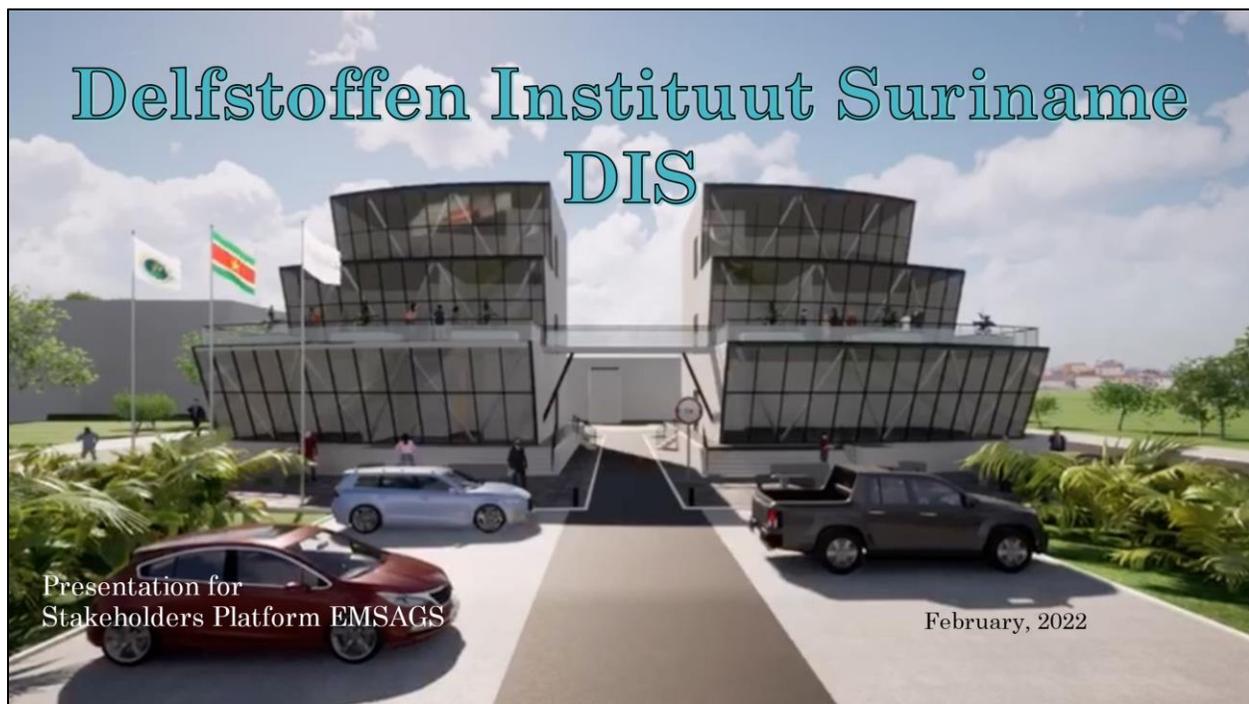
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Annex 4: Presentatie: Delfstoffen Instituut Suriname/ Suriname Competitiveness and Sector Diversification Project (SCSD) – World Bank





<h1>Content</h1>	 Background on DIS
	 SCSD project
	 Update Building DIS
	 Challenges

Background

- BGS (British Geological Survey), 1998- A Concept for a new mining code and standard mineral agreements for the Republic of Suriname
- 2004- Updates on Mining Decree 1987
- 2012- Updates on Mining Decree 2004
- June 2015- World Bank Group: Suriname Extractives Policy Note
- IGF (Intergovernmental Forum on Mining, Minerals, Metals and Sustainable Development, February 2017- Mining Policy Framework Assessment
- April 2017- Memo werkgroep Instelling Delfstoffen Instituut Suriname (GMD, OGS en BIS)
- WB, May 2018 -Suriname Minerals Institute, Motivation and Staff and Budgetary Requirements (Gary McMahon)
- WB, November 2018- Expertise on Mining Titles and Geo Data Management (Enrique Ortega)
- WB (WorldBank), Februari 2019- Note on DIS (Enrique Ortega)

PIU Transformatie naar DIS



Objective of DIS

- >To promote, coordinate, regulate and independently monitor and inspect the activities in the mining industry in Suriname aimed at an optimal contribution to the sustainable development of Suriname.
- >Efficient, effective and transparent development and management of natural resources and responsible environmental management are of primary importance in this respect, in conjunction with the rights and interests of the local communities.

Why does Suriname need a DIS?

- >Departments under the Ministry of NH (GMD) are confronted with **outdated geological data, lack of infrastructure and material** and **limited capacity** in areas such as Research, Data Management, Mine Inspectorate, Land Registry Management and Environmental Monitoring.
- >These departments are unable to prepare matters for the issuance of mining rights in the short term, as well as develop work procedures to ensure quality work, and also lack the capacity to monitor activities of artisanal and small scale mining .
- >The **low capacity to attract and retain high-quality staff**, as well as the **lack of the necessary training**, has led most people to turn to the private sector.
- >DIS will not take over the tasks and powers of the Government with regard to entering into contracts with Multinationals, but will provide the technical input during negotiations.



Importance of Minerals Institute Suriname (DIS)

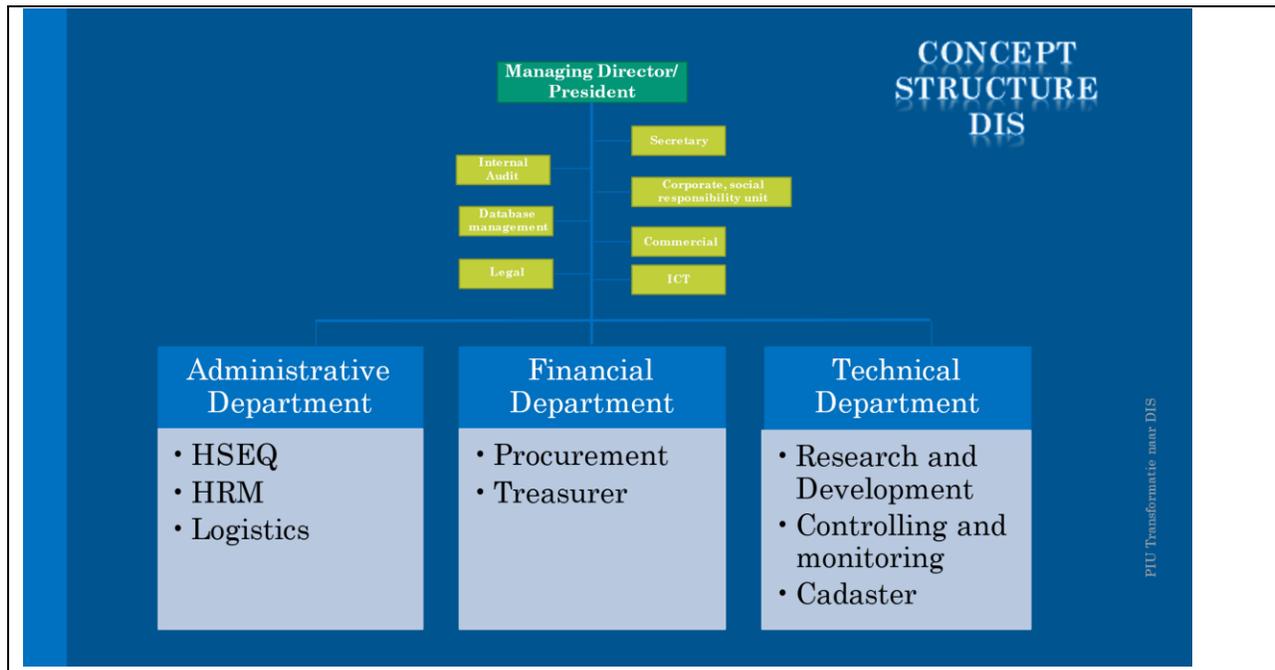
- The strategic importance of the mining industry to Suriname and the under-developed potential (knowledge, experience and expertise of deposits) of minerals, requires the establishment of an efficient, financially and administratively - autonomous entity to regulate it, in response to:
 - the expected growth of the sector, of bauxite, gold and other minerals (diversification)
 - the complexity of financial, social and environmental challenges;
 - and the increased demand for good governance and accountability in the sector.
- VISION the regulation of the mining sector, with a view to diversification, increasing revenues with a sustainable character.

PIU Transformatie naar DIS

Expected Results Minerals Institute Suriname

- Efficient policy implementation;
- Improved and efficient procedures, especially regarding the issuance of mining rights;
- Improved monitoring;
- Improved geodata management;
- Developing and maintaining frameworks and combatting brain drain to the private sector;
- Increased investment in the Mining sector, income for Suriname (taxes, royalty, participation) and employment;
- Skilled staff in negotiations with multinationals;
- Increased capacity to meet the challenge of artisanal and small-scale mining

PIU Transformatie naar DIS





Institutional strengthening/ Regulatory & Government support SCSD Project

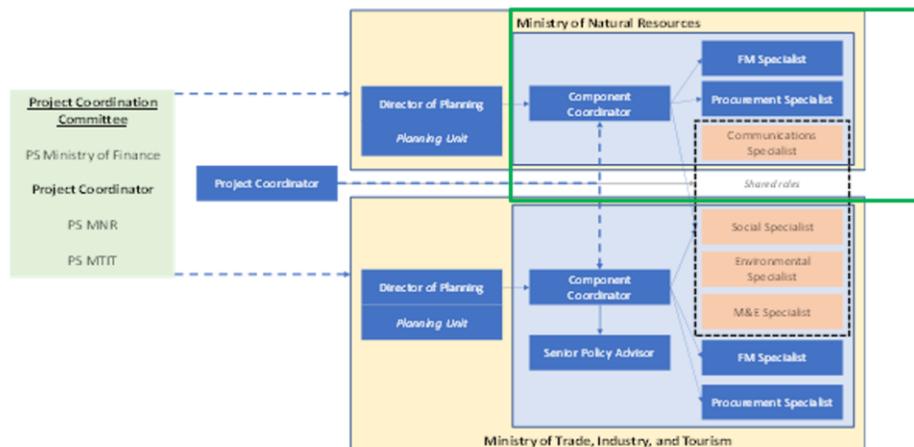
Components:

- > Component 1 (Min NR): Improvements to the Legal, Regulatory and Institutional Framework for Mining in Suriname- Ministry of Natural Resources
- > Component 2 (Min EAETI): Promoting Agriculture, Fisheries and Tourism- Ministry of Trade, Industry and Tourism

- > Project donor: World Bank
- > Project duration: 6 years

PIU Transformatie naar DIS

Organizational Structure of the dual PIUs





Purpose Component 1

- This component focuses on improvements to the legal, regulatory, and institutional framework governing mining in Suriname.
- The purpose is to align Suriname's framework to international best practice, and to provide its institutions with knowledge and tools to carry out their mandated functions.

SCSID

Subcomponents of Component 1

- Strengthening the legal, regulatory, and institutional frameworks governing the mining sector through support towards the **revision of relevant legislation and regulations** and the establishment of the **Minerals Institute**, which will integrate and strengthen mining cadaster, geological data management, and mining inspectorate functions.
- Sector administration capacity building to assist the GOS, in particular staff from the Ministry of Natural Resources, the Minerals Institute, and other relevant ministries including the Ministry of Finance, to **build the required technical skills and managerial capabilities to regulate and monitor the mining sector**.
- Enhancing **environmental, health, and social performance** of the mining sector.

SCSID



Sub components of Component 1

- Strengthening revenue assessment, collection, and forecasting, including through support to EITI and setting up systems to improve revenue collection in a transparent and accountable manner.
- Building independent oversight capacity and stakeholder consultation mechanisms, by providing support to non-state actors involved in the EITI process in Suriname (including indigenous peoples' representatives, non-governmental organizations, community-based organizations, technical experts, and other civil society representatives) to strengthen their participation in increasing transparency and disclosure in the mining industry.

SCSD

SCSD Loan

- SCSD effective: December 2019
- Amount: USD 23MM
- Term: 25 September 2019 – 13 June 2025
- 1st disbursement: December 2020



SCSD project_first disbursement

	Activity Reference No. / Description:	Update
1	IS SR-MNR-159287-CS-INDV / Minerals Institute - Institutional Mining Specialist International	Contract signed
2	IS SR-MNR-159291-CS-QCBS / Minerals Institute - HR Strategy	Evaluation
3	IS SR-MNR-159284-CS-INDV / Minerals Institute - Institutional & Change Management Advisor	Contract signed
4	GS SR-MNR-159324-CS-LCS / EITI reporting 2018 - 2021	Contract signed
5	IS SR-MNR-159325-CS-QCBS / Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment (SESA)	RFP out
6	L&R S SR-MNR-159277-CS-CQS / Updated Mining Law	Cancelled
7	L&R S SR-MNR-159282-CS-CDS / Law for establishment DIS	Cancelled
8	L&R S SR-MNR-159280-CS-CDS / Legal and regulatory support International	Evaluation
I	MS PIU SR-MNR-159329-GO-RFQ / Operational expenses	In proces
II	MS PIU SR-MNR-169006-NC-RFQ / Capacity Building for PIU Staff	In proces
III	MS PIU SR-MNR-159331-CS-INDV / Communications specialist	Pending
IV	MS PIU SR-MNR-159330-CS-LCS / Private audit	Send out RFP
V	MS PIU SR-MNR-159349-CS-INDV / Financial management specialist	Contract signed
VI	MS PIU SR-MNR-159327-CS-INDV / Procurement specialist/ Firm	Evaluation

Budget 2022

Activity Reference No. / Description:	Procurement method	Estimated amount	Contract amount	Estimate 2022	Bank Finance d	Review Type
Component 1						
Institutional strengthening						
Minerals Institute - Institutional & Change Management Advisor	INDV	120,000	105,200	105,200	100%	Post
Minerals Institute - Institutional Mining Specialist International	INDV	150,000	94,950	94,950	100%	Post
Minerals Institute - HR Strategy	QCBS	350,000		250,000	100%	Post
EITI Reporting 2018, 2019 and 2020	CQS	280,000	303,620	303,620	100%	Post
EITI stakeholder engagement (workshops)	LCS	150,000		75,000	100%	Post
Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment (SESA)	QCBS	300,000		150,000	100%	Prior
		4,320,000		1,178,770		
Project Management						
Procurement Firm services	CDS	345,000		250,000	100%	Post
Financial Management Firm (21-22)		30,000	28,571	28,500		
Financial Management Firm (22-23)		30,000		7,500		
Operational expenses	RFQ	112,000		20,000	100%	Post
Private audit	LCS	25,000		25,000	100%	Post
Communications specialist Firm	??	30,000		30,000		
Capacity Building for PIU Staff	RFQ	10,000		10,000	100%	Post
Office equipment	RFQ	35,000	30,598	30,600	100%	Post
		737,300		401,600		
Totaal		5,057,300		1,580,370		



Update BuildingDIS

- Design Phase (USD 100K)
 - Floor plan is finalized.
 - Due to change in government/ Covid this process not finalized
 - Consultant not paid yet (in budget 2022)

1.	Terms of Reference, Plan van aanpak en definitief Programma van Eisen en voorlopig ontwerp	20%
2.	Definitief ontwerp	20%
3.	Het bestek en bestekstekeningen	20%
4.	Constructie berekeningen en tekeningen, alsook installatie tekeningen	20%
5.	Bij ontvangst bouwvergunning	20%
	Totaal	100%

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Challenges

- Covid-19 Crisis: causing delays for SCSD activities
- Government change 2025
- Ministry of Natural Resources decision on Updated Mining Law and Law establishment DIS
- No Procurement Specialist Firm
 - Procurement Specialist decided to leave
 - Contract with Part-time Procurement Specialist is due on 20 October 2021.
 - Procurement process of hiring procurement Firm is ongoing
- Processing speed of approvals within the Government needs to be improved

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Annex 5: Presentatie Mercury phase-out Project in the Guianas



SUPPORTING MERCURY PHASE OUT IN THE GUIANAS



Objective

Reduce mercury contamination in the Guianas by phasing out Mercury use in the ASGM sector and thereby contribute to reduce mercury emissions

Duration: 3 years







Project Elements

complement and strengthen national mercury initiatives through regional and national coordination platforms

Technical Model for Responsible mining developed, supported and tested (ARM)

Evidence-based mercury phase-out (IRD)



Policy coordination

- National multi-stakeholder Coordinating Platform
 - with supportive technical guidance
- Regional Coordinating Platform
- National and region-wide analyses and assessment of mercury issues and experiences
- Multi-stakeholder dialogues at the local level



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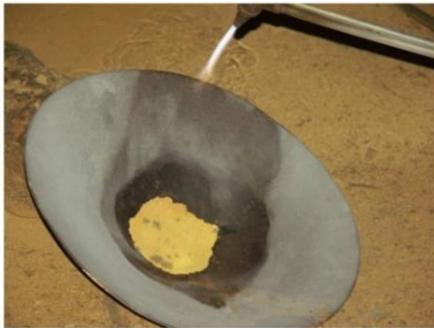
Technical Model for Responsible mining

- Viability assessment to select pilot sites and formalization of the commitment
- Detailed assessment for the implementation of responsible mining extraction techniques and roll -out of the improvement plans for the first pilot sites (one pilot in each country);
- Scaling-up: Diffusing the model to convince new pilot sites for the second phase
- Define a sustainable roadmap for pilot sites to engage with market players promoting mercury -free gold production in the Guianas.





Evidence-based mercury phase-out



Strengthening the academic and training capacities of local universities

Update, collection and consolidation of existing knowledge and data on mercury in Guyana and Suriname

Providing decision-makers and all public with up-to-date and reliable data (new and existing) through an online Observatory

Awareness raising



Implementing through Partnerships

Leveraging and Growing Local + International partnerships

- WWF
- Alliance for Responsible Mining
- IRD Institut De Recherche Pour Le Développement
- National institutions (UNDP, MNR, NIMOS, Mining Regulatory Bodies, other Ministries e.g. Health Ministry)
- Miners and Miners' associations, local communities
- Universities of Guyana and Suriname
- Business sector
- Private sector



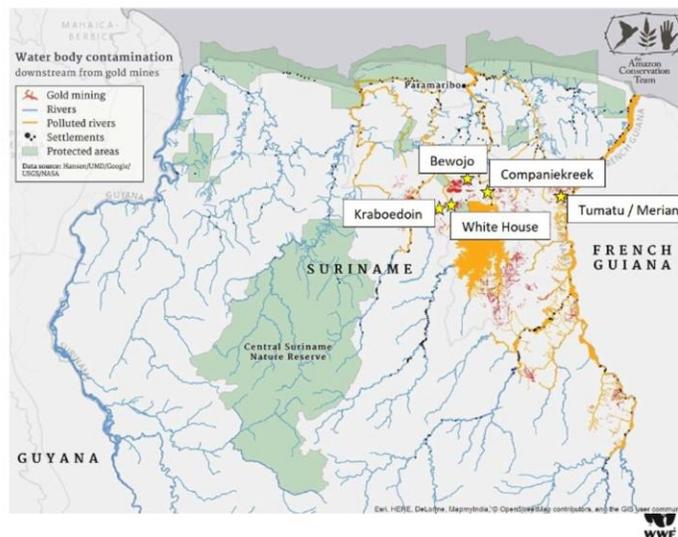


Assessment to select pilot sites

- Multicriteria analysis to identify pilot sites in the mining communities and Mining sites assessment
- Engagement with mining communities, traditional authorities and strategic stakeholders for the selection of the first pilot sites
- Stakeholder engagement plan
- Engagement Process



Identified Pilot sites Suriname





Mercury exposure and human health



Sampling Field visit Brokopondo and Upper Suriname River

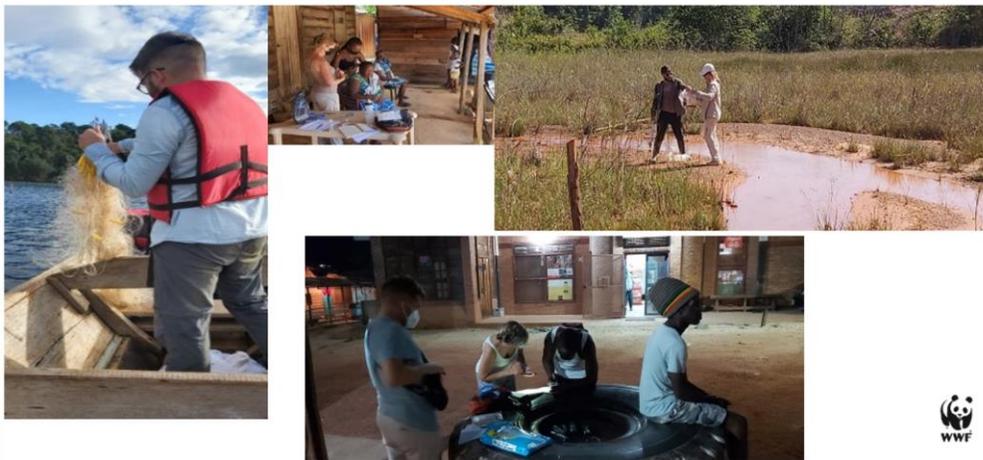
1. collect sediment and soil samples from different points in the potential pilot areas of the project.
2. Collect hair samples from people in the communities living close to the mining areas.
3. Collect fish and water samples from the lake and at several points in the Surinamese river.



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Samples Collection



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