

2 August 2010

Chairs of the REDD+ Partnership  
cc. Member countries of the REDD+ Partnership

Dear Chairs,

We understand there is to be a meeting of the REDD+ Partnership on Tuesday 3 August 2010. We note that this is the second meeting held in parallel to the August, 2010 UNFCCC climate change talks.

We, the undersigned organisations, call upon you as Chairs of the REDD+ Partnership to take steps to ensure this meeting is open to participation by all stakeholders and rights-holders, including indigenous peoples, and non-governmental and inter-governmental organisations.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours sincerely,

Australian Climate Justice Project

Australian Orangutan Project

Bank Information Center

BirdLife International

Center for International Environmental Law

Environmental Defense Fund

Environmental Investigation Agency

Global Canopy Programme

Global Witness

Greenpeace

Humane Society International

Instituto de Pesquisa Ambiental da Amazônia (IPAM)

Kenya Young Greens

Pro Natura – Friends of the Earth, Switzerland

National Wildlife Federation

Natural Resources Defense Council

Nepenthes

The Wilderness Society, Australia

Union of Concerned Scientists

Vitae Civilis

Woods Hole Research Center