

# Project Document

<b>Project Symbol:</b>	<b>GIASPA/2019/01</b>
<b>Project title:</b>	<b>Community Based Sustainable Livelihood Development in Mae Chan Tai Village</b>
<b>Project Venue:</b>	<b>Tha Kor S.-District, Mae Suai District, Chiang Rai Province, Thailand</b>
<b>Starting Date:</b>	<b>1 August 2019</b>
<b>Duration:</b>	<b>3 years</b>
<b>Executing Agency:</b>	<b>Mae Chan Tai Community Enterprise (MCT-CE)</b>
<b>Donor Agency:</b>	<b>General Incorporated Association for the Promotion of Self-reliance in Asia (GIAPSA)</b>
<b>Supporting Agency:</b>	<b>Inter Mountain Peoples Education and Culture in Thailand (IMPECT)</b>
<b>Total Budget:</b>	<b>Thai Baht 1,137,500</b>
<b>(Donor contribution:</b>	<b>Thai baht 696,000)</b>
<b>(Counterpart:</b>	<b>Thai baht 441,500)</b>

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## Summary

Thailand has achieved a remarkable economic growth in recent past. However, the bottom 10% of the population is still suffering from poverty, primarily with a lack of sufficient income and employment opportunities. Out of several disadvantaged groups who are suffering from poverty, indigenous people living in the mountainous hill areas constitute one of the largest poverty groups in Thailand and Southeast Asia. Without targeting to support these poor hill tribes, the goal of poverty eradication (towards achieving 0 %); one of the most important Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), would never been achieved.

This project, therefore, is aimed at to building up a self-help capacity of indigenous communities in Thailand and establish a replicable model which would serve as a model for community based sustainable livelihood development of mountain villages in Thailand and beyond. More specifically, the immediate objective of the project is to improve the livelihood of the villagers in Mae Chan Tai village through the promotion of community-based enterprise for quality coffee production, processing and marketing, and enhancing their income, employment and living conditions.

**4. Implementation planning:** Implementation period of August 2019- July 2020 (this work plan and time table will be revised as soon as the project become operational in August 2019)

Planned Activities	1 Aug	2 Sept	3 Oct	4 Nov	5 Dec	6 Jan	7 Feb	8 Mar	9 Apr	10 May	11 Jun	12 Jul
<b>Operational Plan 1 Develop and Raise the Potential of Community Leaders and Vocational Groups</b>												
1.1 Coffee processing and quality coffee production training			X									
1.2 Branding and packaging training			X									
1.3 Training on market analysis and strategy			X									
<b>Operational Plan 2: Promotion and Support of Equipment and Infrastructure for Coffee Processing and Packaging</b>												
2.1 Support designing and drawing for building construction.	X											
2.2 Support the adjustment of the land for building.	X											
2.3 Construct coffee processing buildings (Storage room, hulling room, packing room, and open area) 75 square meters	X	X	X									
2.4 Purchase and setting up the Hulling Machine			X	X								
2.5 Purchase and setting up the Packaging Machine and Materials			X	X								
2.6 Purchase and setting up the electrical generator and accessories			X	X								
<b>Operational Plan 3: Monitoring the Progress of the Project and Documenting Lessons Learned</b>												
3.1 Monitoring visit		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3.2 Audit reporting (once in a year)								X				

