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for Sustainable Development**

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Note: This draft report has been prepared by IIED and is being circulated to all workshop participants for comment and clarification.

APPENDIX 7

Provisional ideas for a dialogue in Nepal

Note: The representative of IUCN-Nepal outlined the following provisional ideas for a dialogue in Nepal and would be presenting these to the Nepal National Planning Commission on his return from London. It is planned that IIED will visit Nepal in late June to assist the further development of the approach.

The dialogue will be undertaken under a Task Force chaired by the National Planning Commission. It might involve the following elements:

- A review of current strategies – also examining how Districts can participate in the work of central government agencies (under the new Decentralisation Act) and how to empower Districts.
- Preparation of a series of discussion papers for the dialogues, covering:
 - policy-makers
 - donors
 - technocrats/administrators
 - development workers
 - private sector
 - general public
- Dialogues
- Preparation of an nssd (as a follow through activity)