

**Republic of the Philippines: Country Strategy and Programme Evaluation (CSPE)  
National Workshop, Manila, 16 November 2016, Crowne Plaza Manila Galleria**

Co-organized by the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA)  
and the Independent Office of Evaluation of IFAD (IOE)

**Main workshop objectives:**

- to discuss the main findings and issues emerging from the CSPE conducted by IOE;
- to provide inputs for the preparation of the evaluation's agreement at completion point; and
- to provide an opportunity to reflect on key issues and strategic priorities for IFAD's new country strategic opportunities programme under development

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>By</b>
08:00-08:45	Welcome coffee; registration of participants	
08:45-08:50	National anthem Invocation	
08:50-09:00	Opening remarks	Mr Rolando G. Tungpalan, Undersecretary, NEDA
09:00-09:10	Statement from the Independent Office of Evaluation of IFAD (IOE)	Mr Fabrizio Felloni, Deputy Director, IOE
09:10-09:20	Statement from IFAD	Mr Périn Saint Ange, Associate Vice President, Programme Management Department, IFAD
09:20--09:40	Presentation of CSPE findings and recommendations	Ms Fumiko Nakai, IOE Senior Evaluation Officer
09:40-09:55	Comments and Q&A	
09:55-10:20	Group photo & coffee/tea break	
10:20-10:30	Reflections on the CSPE findings and recommendations	Ms Sylvia Mallari, Undersecretary, Department of Agrarian Reform
10:30-10:40	Briefing on workshop mechanics	
10:40-12:15	Workshop/group discussions: Group 1: Target group and targeting approach Group 2: Rural poor's institutions Group 3: Land tenure security	
12:15-13:15	Lunch	
13:15-14.35	Continuation of workshop/group discussions	
14:35-14.45	Reflections on the CSPE findings and recommendations	Mr Ariel T. Cayanan, Undersecretary, Department of Agriculture
14:45-15:30	Presentation of workshop outputs and discussions	
15:30-15:45	Coffee/tea break	
15:45-15:55	Statements/reflections by: - Farmer organization representative - Civil society organizations	Mr Ferdinand Buenviaje, PKSK Mr Nathaniel Marquez, ANGO
15:55-16.05	Reflection on future directions and timelines for the preparation of the new country strategy (COSOP)	Ms Hoonae Kim, Director, IFAD Asia and the Pacific Division and Mr Omer Zafar, Country Programme Manager
16:05-16:10	Closing statement: IOE	Mr Fabrizio Felloni, Deputy Director, IOE
16:10-16:15	Closing statement: Government of the Philippines	Government representative