CONSULTATION ON TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE, CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS AND GENETIC RESOURCES OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

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GENERAL PURPOSE

THAT INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND COMMUNITIES DECIDE WHICH KNOWLEDGE, CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS AND GENETIC RESOURCES MUST BE PROTECTED AND HOW
Coordination route for the fulfillment of the consultation on the Protection Mechanism of the Traditional Knowledge, Cultural Expressions, and Natural and Genetic Resources, of Indigenous Peoples

1st. Stage of Consultations
1. North Forum
2. South Forum

Systematization of Results:
- Informative Document
- Consultations Instrument Proposal of regionalization
- Programming of 2nd & 3rd. Stages
- Costs

2nd. Stage of Consultations
- Micro regional workshops
- Meeting with experts on indigenous affairs

2009 Micro-regional Workshops
- Training for Facilitators (CCDI)
- Setting Workshop timetables

2010 Preparatory Meeting
- Revision of proposals with experts on indigenous affairs
- Conclusions

3rd. Stage of Consultations
- National Forum
- Delivery of results to:
  - Advisory Council CDI
  - Involved Dependencies
  - Proposal for establishing mechanisms of following-up
  - Institutional Consensus

Institutional Consensus
- Training for Facilitators (CCDI)
- Setting Workshop timetables

Expressions
- Systematization of results: anthropologic and legal vision
- Preliminary results

Evaluation of Consultations
• Follow-up of consultations
• Delivery of results to the population consulted

SYSTEM OF DIFFUSION
STAGES OF CONSULTATIONS

1st. STAGE

GOAL:
BRINGING TOGETHER AUTHORITIES & EXPERTS ON COMMUNITY AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS FOR ESTABLISHING A PANORAMA OF THE CURRENT SITUATION ONTO PROTECTION OF TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE.

SPECIFIC GOALS:
- TO KNOW AUTHORITIES & EXPERTS OPINION ON THE SUBJETS OF THE CONSULTATIONS.
- DETERMINE THE CONCEPTS OF THE SUBJETS TO BE CONSULTED.
- ESTABLISH COVERAGE OF THE CONSULTATIONS.
- TO KNOW THE POSSIBILITIES AND LIMITS OF RECOGNIZING TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGES, ACORDING THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK IN FORCE.

PRODUCTS:
- BASE DOCUMENT FOR CONSULTATIONS
- REGIONALIZATION, TIMEFRAME & UNIVERSE OF THE CONSULTATIONS
- METODOLOGY OF THE CONSULTATIONS
**MICRO-REGIONAL FORA-WORKSHOPS**

**GENERAL GOAL:**
That Indigenous Peoples & Communities determine the mechanisms for the protection of traditional knowledge, cultural expressions, natural & genetic resources.

**SPECIFIC GOALS:**
- To get acquainted on the forms of protection of traditional knowledge, on the bases of normative systems of the Indigenous Peoples & Communities.
- To identify gaps in the national legal framework, on the subject of protection of traditional knowledge.
- To elaborate a proposal of reform of the legal framework in force that warrants a proper protection.

**PRODUCTS:**
- Sistematization of the results of the consultations.
- Diagnosis of the micro-regional problematic on the protection traditional knowledge.

**2nd. STAGE**
GOAL:
To let representatives of authorities & experts on indigenous affairs, academicians, institutions & legislators, know the results of the consultations to establish alternatives of solution, as well as an evaluation and follow-up mechanism.

SPECIFIC GOALS
- To establish commitments for the creation of a legal structure that enables the protection of traditional knowledge.

PRODUCTS:
- Document with proposals of the indigenous peoples and communities on the mechanisms for the protection of traditional knowledge, cultural expressions, and natural & genetic resources, of the indigenous peoples.
FOLLOW-UP OF THE CONSULTATIONS AND RETURN OF RESULTS ON BEHALF OF CDI

HAND OVER OF THE DOCUMENT WITH THE PROPOSALS OF THE INDIGENOUS POPULATION

ADVISORY COUNCIL CDI
ADVISORY COUNCIL SEMARNAT
OTHER RELATED AGENCIES*
SYSTEM OF DIFFUSION & RETURN OF THE RESULTS OF THE CONSULTATIONS

- BEFORE, DURING & AFTER THE CONSULTATIONS
- INFORMATION ON THE SUBJECTS OF THE CONSULTATIONS
- WEB PAGE
- OFFICIAL SPACES
- PRO-INDIGENOUS BROADCASTERS
- AFFICHES
- BROCHURES
- INFORM OF THE RESULTS OF THE CONSULTATIONS
- COMMUNITY THEATRE