

## Comment Sheet 【Institutional Collaboration FS】

February 28, 2014

<b>Title of the Project</b>	<b>Toward the Regeneration of Tropical Peat Land Societies: Establishment of an International Research Network and Proposal of its Future</b>		
<b>Research Term</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS Manager</b>	<b>MIZUNO Kosuke</b>
<b>General advice and comments from the PEC:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Several reviewers commented on aspects of the technical feasibility of regeneration of the peatlands. It was also commented that once a technical solution is developed, there may not be a further role for the project.</li><li>2. The geographically limited nature of the proposed project was pointed out, with suggestions that peatland issues in other regions be also included. Otherwise the value of the collaboration with RIHN which emphasizes global environmental problems is not clear.</li><li>3. The engagement with local communities/ society is unclear and many complicated issues relating to this would need to be explored and specified.</li></ol>			