# Strengthening Public Participation on Environmental Management in Indonesia

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#### Objectives

- Gain a common understanding of the basic principles of public participation in addressing environmental concerns/ issues
- Share the key features and foundations of the EPA's Public Participation Guide
- Share best practices, challenges, and strategies in engaging the public in Indonesia, particularly related to EIA procedures
- Develop the building blocks for strategies for communication and coordination among government officials and key stakeholders
- Discuss MOE's draft public participation strategy and EIA guidelines on public participation

#### **Ground Rules**

- Stay on target
- Participate! (and allow others do so)
- Safe space for discussion
- Respect the experience of others
- Move beyond challenges
- Be on time
- Manage your technology
- Parking lot

## Logistics

- Lunch
- Bathrooms
- Breaks