

FORESTRY	DEVELOPMENT OF THE NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITIES FOR STRENGTHENING CONSERVATION AND SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF THE FOREST RESOURCES IN AZERBAIJAN							
Name of legal entity	Country	Overall Project Value (Consulting Services)	Proportion carried out by legal entity	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners
FINNTYR	Azerbaijan	6 712 860 EUR (208 000 EUR)	90 %	7	Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources, Azerbaijan	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Finland	01/2001 - 01/2003	Stora Enso Forest Development
Detailed description of project						Type of services provided		
<p>Project Purpose (Long Term Objective)</p> <p>Through development of the national institutional capacities, strengthening conservation and sustainable management of the national forest resources and utilization of their multiple benefits (environmental, social, economic and cultural) on a sustainable basis for the wealth of the society and sustainable development of the country.</p> <p>Short-term (immediate) Objectives of the Project</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Establishment of adequate national institutional capacities for inventory, assessment and management planning of forest resources - Development of institutional capacities and staff capabilities of the forestry department in forest conservation, rehabilitation, expansion and utilization fields - Creation of adequate public awareness and political commitment, development of dialogue and collaboration with the other stakeholders. <p>Project Financing</p> <p>Foreign Contribution of the project budget is 6 712 860 EUR and expected to be financed on grant basis in 4 lots by EU.</p>						<p>FINNTYR consultants visited different sites, studied and assessed the forestry situation and identified the problems and international assistance needs in Azerbaijan.</p> <p>They collected relevant information and exchanged ideas with national authorities and different stakeholders for conducting a feasibility study.</p> <p>In collaboration with Stora Enso experts and by taking comments and contributions of the Azerbaijan authorities they prepared the feasibility report and a project proposal</p>		