

APPENDIX IX: PERSONS CONSULTED

NAME	ORGANIZATION	DESIGNATION
BANGLADESH		
Mr Akhtar Hussain Khan	Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism	Secretary
Mr Md. Humayun Kabir	Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism	Joint Secretary
Mr Md. Nurun Nabi	Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism	Deputy Secretary
Mr Mohammad Kaisar Alam	Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh	Director
Mr Syed Kwaja Jonaid	Biman - Bangladesh Airlines	Dy. General Manager- Marketing
Dr Mohammad Mahbubur Rahman	Ministry of Information	Secretary-in-Charge
Dr Mahfuzul Haque	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Chairman
Mr Mushfiqur Rahman	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Jt Secretary & Director Planning
Mr Md Alauddin	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Jt Secretary & Director Planning
Mr Mohammed Ahsanullah	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	General Manager Administration
Mr Ahmed Kamal	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	General Manager Duty Free Operations
Mr Basudev Bhattecharjee	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	GM Planning Training & Statistics Div
Mr Parvez A Chowdhury	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Dep Man Planning, Training & Statistics
Mr Md Khalilur Rahman	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Gen Manager Commercial Div
Mr Habib Ullah	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Tour Division
Mr Ziaul Haque Howlader	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Executive Officer (Planning)
Mr Moniuddin Babar	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Executive Officer (Training)
Mrs Shahida Begum	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Manager Training
Mr Nusrat Ghani	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Executive Officer (Statistics)
Mr ANM Mostadud Dastagir	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Executive Officer (Commercial)
Mr Mahbub J Jahangir	Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation	Principal, NHTTI
Mr M Alamgir Khan	National Hotel and Tourism Training Institute (NHTTI)	Acting Principal
Ms Ruby Afroze	NHTTI	Manager
Mr Ajit Gomes	NHTTI	Snr Training Officer
Mrs Rokey Haider	NHTTI	Manager Travel & Tourism
Mr Ashraful Haque	NHTTI	Manager F&B
Ms Hasna Parveen	NHTTI	Manager FO & Secretarial
Ms Shaheen Afroz	NHTTI	Snr Training Off Bakery & Pastry
Mr Maksunda Akhtar	NHTTI	Snr Training Officer
Mr Md Mizanur Rahman (Sohel)	NHTTI	Computer Training Officer
Mr Md Morshed Alam Chowdhury	NHTTI	Manager Accounts

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Mr Musharref Hussain Khan (Khadim)	NHTTI	Dep Manager Admin
Mr Md Sabbir Bhuiya	NHTTI	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Akhtar Ahamed	NHTTI	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Khandonker Shamsul Alam	NHTTI	Ecotourism Guide Course
Ms Mereena Khandkar	NHTTI	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Syed Rezaul Haque	Hotel Abakash / NHTTI	Res. Manager, Ecotourism Guide
Mr G. Masoom Chowdhury	Purbani Int. Hotel & Tourism Training School	Principal
Mr Majibur Rahman	Purbani Int. Hotel & Tourism Training School	Manager Sales & Promotion
Mr Azizur Rahman	Hotel Purbani and MAAS Travel & Tours	Chairman
Mr Wolfgang Vollmann	UNESCO Bangladesh	Director
Mr Syed G. Qadir	Galaxy Holidays	General Manager & VP
Mr Hasan Mansur	The Guide Tours Ltd.	Managing Director
Mr Faridul Haque	Tour Planners Ltd / Tour Ops Assoc Bangladesh	Managing Director / President
Mr Sayed Mahmud Faruque Hasan	Tour Operators Association of Bangladesh	Director
Mr Rezaul Karim Khan	ADB Resident Mission Bangladesh	Senior Economist
Mr Hafeezuddin Ahmad	International Finance Corporation	Resident Representative Bangladesh Bhutan
Mr Md Habibullah Monju	Pan Pacific Sonargoan Hotel	Director of Finance
Mr Grant Gaskin	Pan Pacific Sonargoan Hotel	General Manager
Mr Zamiul Ahmmed Zamil	Kushiara Tourism Limited	Managing Director
Mr Khaled Saifuddin Ahmed Rony	Jubok Tourism Limited	Senior Executive
Mr Masud Hossain	The Bengal Tours Ltd.	Executive Director
Mr S.N Manzur Murshed	Sureshwar Travels	Proprietor
BHUTAN		
Dasho Karma Dorgee	Ministry of Trade and Industry	Secretary
Dasho Lhatu Wangchuk	Department of Tourism	Director General
Mr Thuji Nadik	Department of Tourism	Jt Director Plans & Programmes Division
Mr Kunzang Norbu	Department of Tourism	Jt Director Services
Mr Wangchuk	Department of Tourism	Head Marketing and Promotion
Mr Rinzin Jamtsho	Department of Tourism	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Sonam Dorje	Association of Bhutan Tour Operators (ABTO)	Secretary General
Dr Lam Dorji	Royal Society Protection of Nature	Executive Director
Mr Tshering Tobgay	Dept of Human Resources, Min of Labour & HR.	Director
Mr Tharpa Tashi	Dept of Employment & Labour, Min of Labour HR	Under Secretary
Mr Thinley Dorji	Hotel & Tourism Man. Training Institute	Director
Mr Chimi Dorji	Hotel & Tourism Man. Training Institute	Deputy Director. Ecotourism Guides
Mr Karma	Nature Conservation Division	Ecotourism Guides Course
Mr Phurba Wangdi	Bhutan Tourism Corp Ltd.	Ecotourism Guides Course
Mr Karma Lotey	Yangphel Adventure Travel	Ecotourism Guides Course

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Mr Jigme C. Yezer	National Institute of Zorig Chusum	Principal
Mr Dawa	National Institute of Zorig Chusum	Head of HRD
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Mr Tshering Penjore	Drukair Royal Bhutan Airlines	Manager Marketing
Mr Sonam Wangchuk	Drukair Royal Bhutan Airlines	Company Secretary
Ms Jessica Beaghen	EU Medicinal Plants Project Phase II	Medicinal Plant Specialist
Ms Marie-Christine Weinberger	Austrian Embassy Development Cooperation	Counsellor Head of Office
Dr Martin Uitz	Austrian Tourism Consultants	Managing Director
Mr Martin Zeppezauer	Austrian Tourism Consultants	Masterplan Consultant
Ms Cecilia Keizer	SNV Netherlands Development Organisation	Country Director
Mr John Hummel	SNV Netherlands Development Organisation	Senior Tourism Advisor
Ms Megan Ritchie	SNV Netherlands Development Organisation	Tourism Adviser
Mr Kinzang Namgay	World Wildlife Fund	Country Representative
Mr Chadho Tenzin	World Wildlife Fund	Senior Programme Officer
Mr Mincha Wangdi	World Wildlife Fund	Sustainable Livelihoods Programme Officer
Ms Chopel Drayang	World Wildlife Fund	Communication Officer
Ms Aum Dago Beda	Etho Metho Tours	Managing Director
Ashi Khendum Dorji	Chhundu Travel & Tours	Managing Director
Mr Sonam Tobgay	Lotus Adventures Bhutan	Managing Director
Mr Rinzin Ongdra Wanchuck	Yu Druk Tours and Treks	CEO
Ms Sonam Wangmu	Yu Druk Tours and Treks	Managing Director
Mr Hishey Tshering	Bhutan Heritage Travels	Managing Director
Mr Tshering Jamtsho	Sky Travels	Managing Director
Mr Kinley Gyeltshen	Gangri Tourist Trek	Managing Director
Mr Jacob George	Tashi Group of Companies	General Manager Hotels Division
Mr Dilu Giri	Druk Hotel	Senior Manager
Dasho Tobgay and Ms Genzing Zam Dorji	Gangtay Palace Hotel	Owners and managers
Mr John Reed	Aman Resorts Bhutan	General Manager
Mr Stuart Campbell	Uma Resort Paro	General Manager
Shechen Rabjam Rinpoche	Shechen Monasteries	Rinpoche and Buddhist Leader
Mr Robin Wangdi	Tourism Trainer	Tourism Trainer
Mr Rinchen Khandu	Druk Chhoeling Translation & Consulting	Tourism Trainer
INDIA		
Mr Amitabh Kant	Ministry of Tourism	Joint Secretary
Mr Atul Chaturvedi	Ministry of Tourism	Director
Ms Renu Jain	Ministry of Tourism	Under Secretary
Ms Alka Kohli	Ministry of Tourism	Regional Director

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Mr Rajeev Talwar	Ministry of Tourism / ITDC	Additional Director General / Chairman & MD
Ms Madnu Dubey	ITDC Ashok Creatives	Manager
Mr Navin Berry	SATTE and Cross Section Publications	Managing Director
Mr Madan Prasad Bezbaruah	World Tourism Organization	Representative & Former Gol Secretary of Tourism
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Mr Alok Shivapuri	India Institute of Hotel Management, Catering & Nutrition	Principal / Secretary
Mr V. K Bajaj	India Institute of Travel and Tourism Management (IITTM) Gwalior	Acting Director & Jt Dir Gen Market Research Division
Prof. Sandeep Kulshrestha	IITM Gwalior	Course Director & Ecotourism
Mr CS Barua	IITM Gwalior	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Ravi Singh	WWF India	CEO
Mr PK Sen	WWF India	Director
Ms Sejal Worah	WWF India	Ecotourism Specialist
Dr Raghu Chundawat	Snow Leopard Trust	Representative South Asia
Mr Toby Sinclair	Global Tiger Patrol India	Ecotourism Trainer
Ms Amanda Bright	Global Tiger Patrol UK	Chair of Trustees
Mr Randhir Vikram Singh of Mendawa	Heritage Hotels Association of India	Secretary General
Mr Bhim Singh	Rajasthan Tours Pvt Ltd,	Managing Director
Mr Sanjay Kirpal	Rajputana Palace Sheraton	General Manager
Mr Dilip Puri	Taj Rambagh Palace Hotel	General Manager
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Dr Lalit K Panwar	Jaipur Development Authority	Jaipur Development Commissioner
Mr Richard Shivaji Rao Holkar	Ahilya Fort Hotel	Managing Director
Ms Sultana Bashir	UNDP Kuala Lumpur Malaysia	Reg Coord for BiodiversityUNDP-GEF Asia Pacific
Mr Sudir Sahi	UNDP Rural Tourism Programme Nagarland	Consultant Tourism & Environmental Services
Ms Kavita Iyengar	ADB India Resident Mission	Senior Consultant Regional Development
Mr Prem Subramaniam	Infrastructure Development Finance Corporation	Head Tourism Infrastructure
Mr Asish Phookan	Jungle Travels India	Managing Director
Ms Nellie Ahmed Tanvweer	The Weavers - Guwahati	Managing Director
Mr Subhash Goyal	Stic Travels/Indian Assoc of Tour Operators	Chairman / President

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Ms M Roy	Confederation of Indian Industries	Principal Advisor - Tourism
Mr Mukt Dogra	ITC Welcome Group Sonar Bangla Sheraton	Training Manager
Mr Arun Kumar	Destination Worldwide	Senior Special Correspondent
Mr Kuku S Kumar	Travel Mate / TMI Academy of Travel Management & Training	Managing Director
Mr Krishna Kumar Singh	Globally Managed Services	Senior Consultant
Mr Manoj Jalan	Purbi Discovery	Vice President
Mr Ranjit Chaudhury	Institute of Hotel Management Kolkata	Principal
Mr Angshuman Chatterjee	IHM Kolkata	Head of Dept. Food & beverage
Mr Anshuman Bhakta	IHM Kolkata	Head of Dept. Front Office
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Mr Shering Dorjee	Darjeeling	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr NK Vasu	Kaziranga National Park	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Gerard D'Souza	Taj Institute of Hotel Management	Senior Faculty - Food Production
NEPAL		
Mr Pradeep Kumar Gyawali	Ministry of Culture Tourism & Civil Aviation (MoCTCA)	Minister
Mrs Yankila Sherpa	MoCTCA	Minister
Mr Govinda Prasad Pandey	MoCTCA	Secretary
Mr Sushil JB Rana	MoCTCA	Secretary
Mr Sharada Prasad Trital	MoCTCA	Joint Secretary
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Mr Subash Nirola	Nepal Tourism Board	Director Tourism Products & Resources Development Dept
Ms Nandini Lahe-Thapa	Nepal Tourism Board	Dir Tourism Marketing & Promotion
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Mr Dechen Sherpa	TRPAP	Gender Specialist
Mr Mingma Norbu Sherpa	TRPAP	Tourism Planning Specialist

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Mr Hari Uprety	TRPAP	Environmental Specialist
Mr Chet Nath Kanel	TRPAP	Training Specialist
Mr Bibek Jung Pandey	TRPAP	Officer
Mr Rajesh R. Dali	Civil Aviation Authority of Nepal	Director General
Dr Sultan Hafeez Rahman	ADB Nepal Resident Mission	Country Director
Mr Sungsup Ra	ADB Nepal Resident Mission	Senior Country Program Specialist
Mr Bishnu Dev Pant	ADB Nepal Resident Mission	Regional Cooperation Specialist
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Mr Babu Ram Bhatta	CCODER Nepal	Program Officer
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Mr Aditya Dahal	Nepal River Conservation Trust	Coordinator

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Mr Bishnu Poudel	Future Nepal	President
Mr Tek Bahadur Tamang	Future Nepal	Member
Mr Shiva Sharan Thapa	Taragoan Development Board	Manager
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Mr DB Kattel	Society of Environmental Journalists	Editor
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Mr Hare Ram Baral	TURGAN Tour Guides Association	Vice President
Mrs Meena Khanal	Nepal Academy of Tourism & Hotel Management (NATHM)	Executive Director
Mr Basant Kumar Upadhyay	NATHM	Executive Director
Mr Ujjwal Satyal	NATHM	Head of Food & Beverage
Mr Keshab Prasad Thapaliya	NATHM	Chief Officer
Mr Krishna Kharel	NATHM	Ecotourism Guide Course
Mr Gyan Bahadur Karki	NATHM	Ecotourism Guide Course
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Mr Samir Thapa	Silver Mountain School of Hotel Managem't	Principal
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Mr Raj Bahadur Giri	Kathmandu Training Centre	Executive Chairman
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Mr Roshan Thapa	SASTHM	Director
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Mr Ananda Ghimere	Himalayan Adventure Travel	Teacher
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Mr Raju Singh	Trekking Agents Association of Nepal	Executive Director
Mr Shyam Bahadur Panday	Shangrila Hotels & Resort	Chairman
Mr Suman Pandey	Explore Himalaya Travel & Adventure	GM & NTB Board Member
Mr Bharat Basnet	Explore Nepal Group	Managing Director
Ms Subedhaya Basnet	Explore Nepal Group	Officer
Ms Prabihaya Basnet	Explore Nepal Group	Officer
Mr Megh Ale	Borderlands	Managing Director
Mr Raj Gyawali	Socialtours.com	Director
Mr Bijaya Pradhan	Dream Nepal Travel & Tours	Executive Chairman
Mr Leo Raman	Leo Club of Kathmandu	President
Mr Tilak Lama	Himalan Adventure Treks P Ltd	Managing Director
Mr Amar Mali	Rhino Resort Pvt Ltd	Managing Director
Mr Hari Bahadur Kedal	Discover Himalayas	Member of Board
Mr Rewat Thapa	Ratna Hotel Biratnagar	Managing Director
Mr Bhabish Kumar Shrestha	Naulo Travels & Tours	Managing Director
Mr Rajan Shrestha	Hotel Swaagatam Biratnagar	Managing Director
Mr Khem Raj Nepal	Halesi Travels & Tours / Rawa Tours	Managing Director
Mr Suresh Bhattarai	Hotel Pacific	Managing Director
Mr Biondeshwar Shrestha	Krishna Travels & Tours	Managing Director
Mr Shovan Nepal	Himshikhar Travels	Managing Director
Mr Nabin Nirola	Makalu Arun Tours & Travels	Managing Director
Mr Raju Ranjitkar	Dragon Guest House	Managing Director
Mr Kaustubh Mani Dixit	Hotel Eastern Star	Partner
OTHERS		
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Mr Ram Kohli	Pacific Asia Travel Association (PATA)	Chairman
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Mr Pradech Phayakvichien	Tourism Authority of Thailand	TAT Advisor
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