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Skills Development for Disadvantaged Groups: Review, Issues and Prospects Final
Report [Lao P.D.R.]
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xii, 98 p. ; 29 cm.
92-9223-048-4
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[The study analyzes existing relevant policies, strategies and programmes, and
offers a set of policy recommendations designed to strengthen the provision of skills
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Lao PDR : S:L, 2006
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3. General Description of the Sing District
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6. Infrastructure Development
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Vientiane : The World Bank Vientiane Office, 2007

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Lao PDR : Team Consulting Engineering and Management co., Ltd., 2006

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1. Introduction
2. Profile of Ethnicity Among Project Affected Persons (PAPS)
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4. Proposed Mitigation Measures Concerning Ethnic Issues
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Washington : The International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and The World Bank, c2007

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 2. Investment Climate and Firm Performance in Manufacturing
 3. Investment Climate and Firm Performance in Service
 4. Informal Economy
 5. Conclusions and Recommendations.]
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Canada : Probe International, 2005
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Special Final Report – Some key findings, future issues and interventions for the Lao Coffee Industry : Fao-Lao TCP/Lao/2903 (A) Phase I & TCP/Lao/3101 Phase II Coffee Project / Compiled by Anthony Marsh...(et al.)
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Slash-And-Burn Rice Systems in the hills of northern Lao PDR: Description, Challenges and Opportunities / W. Roder
Lao PDR : International Rice Research Institute, 2000
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Building Capacity in Environmental Impact Assessment : Selected Case Studies in Attapeu Province, Lao PDR (A Publication of the Mekong Wetlands Biodiversing Conservatio and Sustainable Use Programme)
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Luang Prabang : Lao Royal Heritage / Pictures by Roland Nevelu and Text by Ben Davies
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[In 1353, Lane Xang (Known as the Kingdom of a Million Elephants), Established its capital at Luang Prabang. This village tucked between the banks of the Mekong and Khan rivers was to remain the capital of Lao until the year 1563. Despite the fact that the new Laotian capital moved to Vientiane, Luang Prabang remained a kingdom until 1975 when the Pathet Lao Communist Party abolished the Monarchy.]

Recueil des traits Franco – Siamois delimitant la frontiere de l' Indochine et du Siam (LAO – THAI) 1886 – 1946
Lao PDR : du Department des traits et du Droit Ministere des affaires Etrangeres Republique Democratique Populaire Lao No 003 Mars 1996
418 p. ; 30 cm.
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Law

Lao Legal and Investment Guide 2007
Vientiane : Mekong Law Group, Legal and Tax Advisers, 2007
110 p. ; 24 cm.
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1. Generalities
2. Foreign Investment Management in LAO PDR
3. Corporate Issues
4. Taxation and Accounting
5. Financial System
6. Land System
7. Contract law and Contract Enforcement
8. Trade and customs
9. Labor and Immigration
10. Intellectual Property

11. Natural Resources and environment
12. Dispute Resolution.]
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Decree on the Environment protection fund No. 146 / PM, Vientiane capital, date 6 June 2005

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Vientiane : Committee for Planning and Investment, 2006
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Part 2 : Goals, Objectives and Targets
Part 3 : Implementation
Part 4 : Institutional Arrangement for Implementation, Monitoring and Evaluation.]

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Vientiane : Lao National Unexploded Ordnance Programme, 2007
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Teacher Education Strategy 2006-2015 and Action Plan 2006-2010
Vientiane : Ministry of Education, 2006
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Annual report 2006 : Poverty Reduction Fund
Vientiane : PRF National Office at Committee for Planning and Investment , 2007
109 p. : ill. ; 29 cm.
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Microfinance for the Poor in the Lao PDR : Second National Conference Report -
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Lao PDR : Microfinance Capacity building and Research Programme and National
Economic Research Institute, 2007
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Official Gazette [Budget Volume 2005-2006]
Vientiane : Lao People's Democratic Republic, 2006 (13th Year)
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National Education for All (EFA) Action Plan 2003-2015- (Final)
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Politics

Laos-Vietnam : Great Friendship, Special Solidarity and Comprehensive Co-operation
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Diplomatic ties 1962-2007]

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Report of the National Rural Youth workshop on Rural Youth, Food Security and
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January 2005 Lao Youth Union Building Vientiane, Lao PDR
Bangkok : Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Regional office for
Asia and the Pacific, 2005
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Rap Publication 2005/15
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Health Status of the People in Lao PDR (As part of the World Health Survey
supported by WHO)
Vientiane : Ministry of Health, National Institute of Public Health, 2006
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Education for all 2000 Assessment : Country Report
Bangkok : UNESCO Principal Regional office for Asia and the Pacific, c2000
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