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# Adaptation at private investment -Risk Management and Adaptation Services-

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# **Business and Climate Change Risk**

Private investment is often damaged by extreme weather.

In general,

✓Mining sector is exposed to higher natural disaster risk

**√Industry with long supply chain is vulnerable** 



**Source Rio Tinto** 

Flood in Thailand In 2010







Source Bangkok Weekly

# Risk management of Extreme Weather Risk

Extreme weather risk is reviewed as a part of risk management of investment.

- **√Review of weather related risk**
- **√**Consideration of countermeasures, such as physical structure, contingency reserves, insurance.
- **√Post disaster recovery**

#### Weather risk at project;

**Coal power plant** 

- >Optimization of feedstock at plant site preparing for delay of unloading by storm
- Shortage of cooling water preparing by lower water level by drought

#### Oil and gas Pipeline

Rout selection and design change of equipment for flood and landslide risk.

#### Hydropower

- Heavy rain or drought at water catchment area
- Dam disaster plan as an emergency situation caused by heavy rain

## Mining

>Intake water shortage

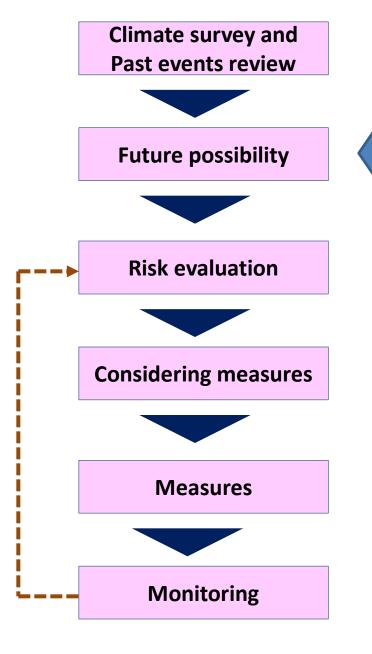
# **Lessons learnt from private investment**

Risk = Probability X Magnitude of damage

BCP(Business Continuity Plan) under Climate Change Risk

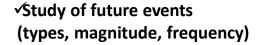
- ◆ Extreme weather risk is evaluated based on the past 20-30 years weather events.
- ⇒ Climate Risk management requires future weather pattern at the project area.
- ◆ Boundary of risk management should <u>include supply chain</u>.

## **Adaptation Consideration Cycle at Projects developments**



- ✓ Survey of climate at project site
- ✓ Past event review(Perhaps limited information)

## **Climate change factor**



National
Adaptation
Strategy
(Forecast,
infrastructure)

#### Risk=potential damage X probability

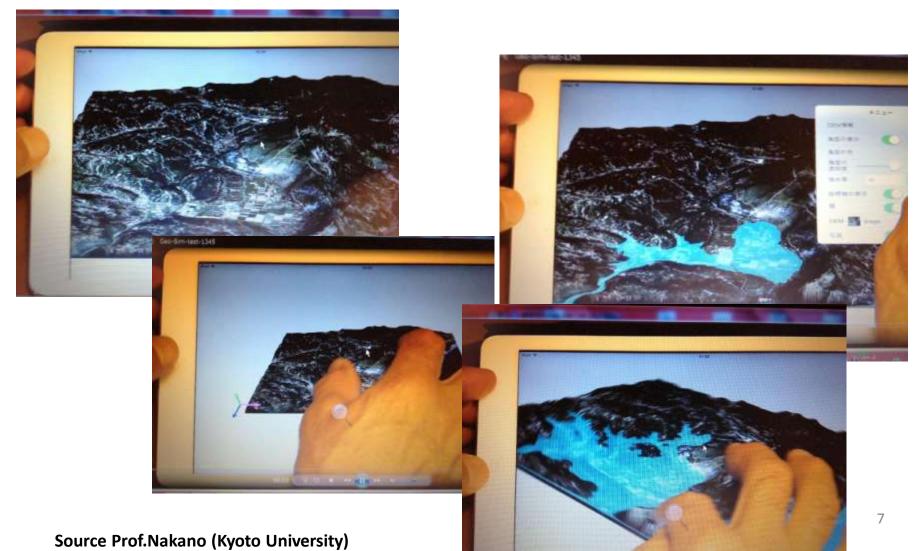
- **√**Taking into account of project life and impact on project
- **√**Taking into account of national risk mitigation measure
- **√**Measures under budget constraint
- **√100%** Prevention may not be practical. Combination with economic approach is better.
- Economic measures: Insurance, contingency reserves
- **√**Adaptation Plan/Strategy is recommended.
- ✓ Project may be suspended if risk is so high and adaptation measures is so expensive,
- ✓Monitor and evaluate events during operation period and feed back to Risk Evaluation

# Proposal 1> Adaptation Consideration Guideline

- <Purpose>
- ◆Encourage the adoption of "review Cycle" for project risk control
- ◆ Paying attention on the risk of supply chain
- 1 Review and Identification of climate related risk
- Potential risk shall be listed even though its risk seems to be not so big.
- Damage and loss at project itself.
- Community of work force
- ≯Logistic of project including transportation.
- Supply chain of energy, material and parts etc.
- Damage at their market
- 2 Consideration of Adaptation measures
- Taking into account of risk, damage and cost, measures to be taken will be determined
- > Improve physical infrastructure for preventing/mitigating future events.
- Alert and evacuation system (safeties)
- ≯nsurance and other economic instruments (Contingency reserves)
- Diversification of market and alternative resources.
- 3 Implementation of Measures

# **Handy Type Hazard Map**

3D (3 dimension) map visualizes climate change risk (3D map is made by using remote sensing technology)



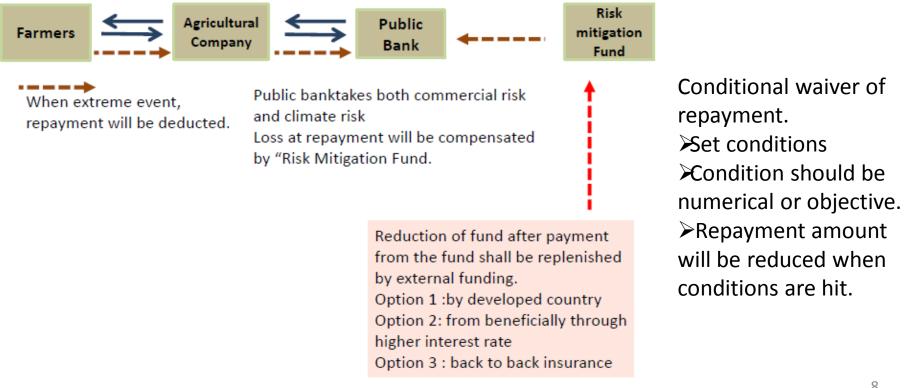
#### <Proposal 3>

# **Adaptation Finance**

## Adaptation project

- Project intended to adaptation but additional revenue is not expected
- Projects with adaptation components in order to stabilize project cash flow

## Concept of adaptation farmers loan



## Conclusion

We need further information for Climate Change Risk Management

**Enough information about present situation (ground and weather)** 

Future climate scenario by project specific area

Government action (Adaptation Plan)

When business take proper adaptation actions, then cost of Adaptation for government can be reduced!