

Name of the organisation: Advocacy and Policy Institute (API)

Project title: Strengthening Democratic Governance (SDG)

Sector (ref. list of sectors in Sectorial experience in PADOR): 15112: Decentralisation and support to subnational government; 15150: Democratic participation and civil society; 15153: Media and free flow of information

Location	Cost of the action (EUR)	Role: Coordinator, co-beneficiary, affiliated entity	Donors to the action (name)	Amount contributed (by donor)	Dates (from..to) dd/mm/yyyy
Cambodia (Kampong Chhnang, Kampong Speu, Kampong Thom, Banteay Meanchey, Kratie and Pursat)	763 566.34	Coordinator	Bread for the World (BfdW), Open Society Foundation (OSF), DCA/CA, British Embassy, Results for Development Institute, UNESCO	BfdW: 230 000 OSF: 87 923 Other donors: 445 643.34	From 01/012014 to 31/12/2016

**Objectives
and
results of
the action**

Objective: To contribute to poverty reduction and better protection and promotion of rights and voices, particularly for young people, women and vulnerable people and groups, by promoting a culture of public information disclosure, strengthening democratic participation, and transparency and accountability within the Decentralisation and De-concentration framework in Cambodia, particularly in the targeted Commune and District Councils, and advocating for equitable and sustainable public policy.

Results:

- Increased public information available on critical issues affecting communities in 13 district administrations
- Increased access to public information on laws and policies;
- Supported productive dialogue and participation in democratic decision making to enhance the voices of and protect the rights of communities particularly vulnerable people in targeted areas;
- Increased their knowledge, understanding and skills of 195 councillors to support their functions with more transparency and accountability, including human rights, public information disclosure and collaboration with communities, local civil society and the government;
- Civil society organisations and networks are able to effectively contribute to democratic governance, human rights, environmental governance, de-centralisation, transparency and accountability, information disclosure and development processes at local and national level.