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Technical Workshop
Awareness raising on the *Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure*

**Regional Initiative on Empowering Smallholders and Family Farms for improved
Rural Livelihoods and Poverty Reduction**

The VGGT Caravan
(MDF E1 - Promoting secure land tenure within the framework of the Voluntary Guidelines)

26 November 2015	
08.30-09.00	Registration of participants
09.00-09.30	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FAO Representative in Tajikistan (10 min) • Gafurov Ahmadjon, Representative of Ministry of Agriculture (10 min) • Morten Hartvigsen, FAO Land Tenure Officer (10 min)
09.30-09.45	Group photo (15 min)
09.45-10.00 Coffee/Tea break	
10.00 -10.30	Objectives of the workshop, introduction of agenda and participants, Richard Eberlin; Land Tenure and Rural Development Expert, FAO
10.30-12.30	Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contents, development and application of the Guidelines, Richard Eberlin and Morten Hartvigsen, FAO • Questions & Answers – Facilitator (Richard Eberlin) • Presentation of the work for the afternoon (Richard Eberlin)
12.30- 13:30 Lunch	
13.30-14.30	Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure: Governing land for women and men; Ms Bozhana Stoeva (Rural Development and International Policy Analyst) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation and discussion
14:30 -15:15 Group work	Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure – Familiarization exercise
15.15 - 15.45 Coffee / Tea break	
15.45-16.45	Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure - Report back and discussion
16:45-17.00	Synthesis of Day 1 (Richard Eberlin)

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10.00-10.15	Summary Day 1 and Programme Day 2 – Applications of the Guidelines (Richard Eberlin)
10.15-10.45	Applications of the Guidelines in the country – Case study - Policy, Legal and Institutional Framework within the context of the Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure of Land, Fisheries and Forests in the Context of National Food Security (VGGT) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of case study by Mr Obid Islomov, national consultant
10.45-11.15 Coffee / Tea break	
11.15-11.45	Comments and discussion on the findings of the case study
11.45-12.30 Group work	How can the Guidelines be used to address the issues identified? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the group work (Richard Eberlin) • Group work
12.30 – 13:30 Lunch	
13.30–15.00	Use of the Guidelines in the Country - Report back and discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations of the group discussion results • Questions & Answers
15.00 - 15.30 Coffee / Tea break	
15.30-16.00	Wrap-up - towards a shared vision of improved governance of tenure Closing