

### **Project Update: August 2011**

The study is in progress. The first survey was conducted in the habitat adjacent to village Arang Kel from June 10th to 21st 2011, to estimate the population of musk deer. Sign survey and direct sighting method was used to estimate the population and distribution of musk deer. Data on the habitat use were also collected. The second survey was conducted from July 24th to August 5th. During the survey population of musk deer was estimated at 12-15 animals. The remaining two sites along with previously collected data will deliver the concrete picture about the population density and distribution of musk deer in the area.

Awareness material for the distribution in workshop and awareness sessions has been printed.

