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## Report on the Training Course on Skills for Effective Trainers for Staff of MCA and NDRCC, $6^{th} - 10^{th}$ September 2010

ADPC's resource group consisting of Mr. Merrick Chatfield and Ms. LingLing Jiang conducted a five-day training course on Skills for Effective Trainers (SET) based on an agreement between ADPC and Ministry of Civil Affairs of P.R.China (MCA), with funding support from the Chinese Government. The SET course for 22 staff of MCA and its National Disaster Reduction Center of China (NDRCC) was held in Beijing, China from 6<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> September 2010.





It was the first time for ADPC to conduct a SET course in China. The participants expressed the highest satisfaction after the course, which was shown from the 21 evaluation forms received. Some of the participants said, they had never participated in such a significant and practical training course before. Ms. Luo Xin, Division Director of Department of International Cooperation of MCA conveyed at the closing ceremony that China is very interested in cooperating with ADPC on Disaster Management (DM) more and more. A meeting on conducting an outline of flagship courses on DM for China by ADPC was held immediately after the closing ceremony of the SET course on the late afternoon of 10<sup>th</sup> September.