

contamination, without expensive and technical chemical sampling tests. Recording information on biodiversity and wildlife populations can flag up harmful effects of pesticides for further investigation and regulatory action.

Training courses will be run by experienced eco-toxicologists from the UK, for appropriate scientists, NGOs, and government authorities.

### Field Work

After both health and eco-toxicology trainings have been completed in 2006, some funds will be available for the participants to carry out field work based on the methodologies covered during the training. Information collected during the field work will form part of a final report for the Pesticides and Poverty project.

### Funding

The project is funded by the European Commission – DG Development.



### Timing

The project commenced in January 2005 and will run until December 2008.

2005: Preparation of materials, project planning and stakeholder engagement

2006: Training of Trainer activity, case studies, and liaison between partners and international initiatives

2007: partners and beneficiaries will put their training into practice, and results will be fed into national and international policies.

### Email update service

We send regular updates on project activities by email. If you would like to receive these updates please email [eloisetouni@pan-uk.org](mailto:eloisetouni@pan-uk.org) to register. You will receive approximately 4-6 updates per year.

## Pesticides and Poverty: Implementing Chemical Conventions for Safe and Just Development

This project will:

- Provide resources for implementing chemical conventions and processes
- Build capacity to document hazards and risks
- Recognise and address resource constraints
- Raise awareness among government bodies, public interest groups, civil society and other key stakeholders

This project aims to assist developing countries to effectively implement Chemical Conventions and processes in order to reduce the risks arising from pesticide use, while building sustainable agricultural production.

While engaging with policy makers, regulators and NGOs in Africa, the project will also raise awareness in civil society, and bring key stakeholders into a programme of dialogue and action, using the unique opportunity of new initiatives on chemicals. The project draws on considerable experience of Pesticide Action Network partners in the UK, Africa and Asia Pacific.

### Partners



**Pesticide Action Network UK (PAN UK):**  
[www.pan-uk.org](http://www.pan-uk.org)



**AGENDA** for Environment and Responsible Development: [www.agenda.tz](http://www.agenda.tz)



**Pesticide Action Network Africa (PAN Africa):** [www.pan-africa.sn](http://www.pan-africa.sn)



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