

*CUTS believes that networking is crucial for conducting effective research. It is our policy to engage high quality outside researchers for research activities as well as conducting research in-house.*

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
<b>CUTS Centre for International Trade, Economics &amp; Environment</b>			
<i>National</i>			
1.	<b>BASIX, Bihar</b>  Established in 1996  <a href="http://www.basixindia.com">www.basixindia.com</a>	Promote a large number of sustainable livelihoods, including for the rural poor and women, through the provision of financial services and technical assistance in an integrated manner. BASIX will strive to yield a competitive rate of return to its investors so as to be able to access mainstream capital and human resources on a continuous basis	Project Partner in India of “Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a>
2.	<b>Centre for Community Economics and Development Consultants Society</b>  Founded by a small group of young, committed social workers to provide immediate relief to the victims of devastating floods in Jaipur district in 1982  <a href="http://www.cecoedecon.org.in">www.cecoedecon.org.in</a>	Evolved into a civil society organisation pursuing integrated participatory development and advocating human rights. The organisation has an authentic and informed perspective of micro-macro dynamics. The criterion for undertaking interventions is that they should lead to community self-reliance and empowerment.	Research and advocacy partner of “Impact of Climate Change and Food Insecurity on Poverty” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS">www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		Thus, its work centres on the unfulfilled needs and ignored rights of partner communities	
3.	<b>Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development (CRRID), Chandigarh</b>  It is registered as a scientific and educational charitable society under the Indian Societies Registration Act, 1860, in the Union Territory (UT) of Chandigarh in July, 1978  <a href="http://www.crrid.res.in">www.crrid.res.in</a>	Provide environment suitable for academic research and undertook, organised, guided and promoted research in selected subjects in the humanities, Indian culture, comparative religion, social sciences, natural sciences, industry, agriculture and other fields as the authorities of the Centre may decide from time to time	Project Partner in India of “Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a>
4.	<b>Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta</b>  Founded in February 1973  <a href="http://www.csSScal.org">www.csSScal.org</a>	Designed to function democratically and has impeccable record of public accountability	Research & Advocacy partner of “Mainstreaming International Trade into National Development Strategy” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mainstreaming/partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mainstreaming/partners.htm</a>
5.	<b>Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI)</b>  <a href="http://ficci.in/">http://ficci.in/</a>	Established in 1927, FICCI is the largest and oldest apex business organisation in India. Its history is closely interwoven with India's struggle for independence, its industrialisation and emergence as one of the most rapidly growing global economies	Partner in organising regional connectivity conference in New Delhi entitled “South Asia in the Indo-Pacific Context”  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/sarcc/Delhi_Summit.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/sarcc/Delhi_Summit.htm</a>
6.	<b>Forum for Protection of Public Interest</b>  <a href="http://www.propublic.org">www.propublic.org</a>	Play the role of a social change agent to empower the Nepalese people through research, advocacy, litigation and capacity building	Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
7.	<b>Gauripur Vivekanand Club, Dhubri, Assam, India</b>  Founded in 1978	The NGO works on issues of Agriculture, Education & Literacy, Environment & Forests, Labour & Employment, MSME, Rural Development & Poverty Alleviation, Vocational Training, Water Resources, Women's Development & Empowerment etc.	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Expanding tradable benefits of trans-boundary water: <i>Promoting navigational usage of inland waterways in Ganga and Brahmaputra basins</i> " project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/IW/">www.cuts-citee.org/IW/</a>
8.	<b>Grameen Sahara, Assam</b>  <a href="http://grameensahara.org/">http://grameensahara.org/</a>	Grameen Sahara was created to fulfill the recognised need for a development institution having grassroot knowledge of the North-East region to contribute in promotion of livelihoods for the poor by providing financial services, technical assistance and other required development support services in an integrated manner	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Women traders in the Northeast of India"  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm</a>
9.	<b>Impulse NGO Network and Impulse Social Enterprises, Meghalaya</b>  <a href="http://www.impulsengonetwork.org/">www.impulsengonetwork.org/</a>	A non-profit organisation founded in 1993, to address the issue of unsafe migration, exploitation, and human trafficking. Today, Impulse NGO Network's efforts against human trafficking expand across the eight states of North-East India and nearby	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Women traders in the Northeast of India"  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm</a>
10.	<b>International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), New Delhi</b>	Provide research-based policy solutions that sustainably reduce poverty and end hunger	Project partner of "Food Security in India: The Interaction of Climate Change, Economic Politics and Trade

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	Founded in 1975 <a href="http://www.ifpri.org">www.ifpri.org</a>	and malnutrition	(FOODSEC)" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm">http://www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm</a>
11.	<b>Manipur Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI)</b> <a href="http://m-cci.org/">http://m-cci.org/</a>	MCCI provides a voice of Manipur civic businesses, helping companies, places, and people to realise their full potential to the business communities they represent, by intensifying their priorities and concerns	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Women traders in the Northeast of India"  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm</a>
12.	<b>Poorvanchal Gramin Vikas Sansathan (PGVS)</b> <a href="http://www.pgvs.pgvsindia.com/">www.pgvs.pgvsindia.com/</a>	PGVS started as an initiative for providing medical assistance to the poorest within the community. Later, with exposure and experiential learning, it included education, governance, public health, agri-livelihoods, literacy and disaster management as themes of intervention. However, the organisation has found that working in an integrated development framework having disaster preparedness as the key theme is the most effective approach for the area	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Expanding tradable benefits of trans-boundary water: <i>Promoting navigational usage of inland waterways in Ganga and Brahmaputra basins</i> " project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/IW/">www.cuts-citee.org/IW/</a>
13.	<b>Rashtriya Gramin Vikas Nidhi (RGVN), Guwahati</b>  Established in April 1990 <a href="http://www.rgvnindia.org">www.rgvnindia.org</a>	National level multi-state development and support organisation working in the states of Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Manipur, Tripura, Sikkim, Odisha, Jharkhand, Bihar. After	Project Partner in India of "Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		expanding operations in the Northeast, development activities were also extended to the poverty stricken pockets of Chhattisgarh, Eastern Uttar Pradesh and coastal Andhra Pradesh	
14.	<b>Research &amp; Information System for Non-aligned and Other Development Countries, New Delhi, India</b>  Established in 1984 as India's contribution to the developing world for creating a think-tank on global issues  <a href="http://www.ris.org.in">www.ris.org.in</a>	Function as an advisory body to the Government of India on multilateral economic and social issues, including regional and sub-regional cooperation arrangements; and foster analytical debates and capacity building through training of policymakers, conducting collaborative research studies, etc.	Research and networking partner of the SACSNI project <a href="http://cuts-international.org/sacsni.htm">http://cuts-international.org/sacsni.htm</a>  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project  Research partner of the ABMA project  Research & advocacy partner of "South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring Mekong-Ganga Relationship" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm</a>
15.	<b>YouthNet, Nagaland</b>  <a href="http://www.youthnet.org.in/">www.youthnet.org.in/</a>	A non-profit organisation that was launched in 2006 by a group of young Naga professionals. The main objective was to create a platform where young people can address any issues that affect them.	Survey Partner of CUTS for "Women traders in the Northeast of India"  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgit/index.htm</a>
<b>International</b>			
16.	<b>Afghan Development Association</b>  A non-government, non-profit and non-political organisation established in	Promote and provide development and humanitarian related services	Research and advocacy partner of "Impact of Climate Change and Food Insecurity on Poverty" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS">www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	1989 <a href="http://www.ada.org.af/ADA">www.ada.org.af/ADA</a>		
17.	<b>Bangladesh Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BWCCI)</b> <a href="http://www.bwcci-bd.org/">www.bwcci-bd.org/</a>	A non-profit, non-political organisation works to encourage and strengthen women's participation in the private sector as entrepreneurs through promoting a women friendly business environment	Project partner of CUTS for "Gender Dimensions of Trade Facilitation Agreement: Evidence from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal" <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/">www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/</a>
18.	<b>Bhutan Media and Communications Institute (BMCI)</b> <a href="https://bmcinstitute.com/">https://bmcinstitute.com/</a>	A social enterprise works for education and training of media professionals and also provides consultancy on various socio-economic issues	Project partner of CUTS for "Gender Dimensions of Trade Facilitation Agreement: Evidence from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal" <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/">www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/</a>
19.	<b>Centre for Development and Integration, Vietnam</b>	Analyse the emerging socio-economy and poverty issues	Research and advocacy partner of "Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
20.	<b>Centre for Policy Dialogue, Dhaka, Bangladesh</b>  Established in 1993 to serve the growing demand from the civil society for a more participatory and accountable development process <a href="http://www.cpd-bangladesh.org">www.cpd-bangladesh.org</a>	Create a platform for public discussion of important national policy issues; provide policy inputs to the principal decision-makers on the basis of research and dialogue outputs; and generate information on public perception on issues of national, economic and social interest and on state of governance by conducting periodic public perception polls	Member of a CUTS-led consortium which researched and analysed the conditions necessary for trade and investment to reduce poverty in South Asia  Research and networking partner of "South Asian Civil Society Network on International Trade Issues" (SACSNI) project <a href="http://cuts-international.org/sacsni.htm">http://cuts-international.org/sacsni.htm</a>  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			Project partner of “Trade and Transport Facilitation Support (South Asia)” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm</a>
21.	<b>Consumer Education Trust of Uganda (CONSENT)</b>	Enhance public-private sector partnership through awareness programmes, dialogue, policy research and advocacy	Advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” Project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
22.	<b>Development Network of Indigenous Voluntary Associations, Uganda</b> <a href="http://www.deniva.or.ug">www.deniva.or.ug</a>	Strengthen civil society organisations in the quest for transparency, equity and democratic governance through advocacy, networking and capacity building for sustainable development in Uganda	Research partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” Project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
23.	<b>Economic &amp; Social Research Foundation, Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania</b>  Non-governmental think-tank established in 1994 <a href="http://www.esrf.or.tz">www.esrf.or.tz</a>	Build human and institutional capabilities in economic and social policy analysis through training, research and advocacy	Research and advocacy partner of the 7Up project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7up4/">www.cuts-ccier.org/7up4/</a>  Research and advocacy partner of the IFD project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/ifd-indx.htm">www.cuts-international.org/ifd-indx.htm</a>  Networking and advocacy partner of the FEATS project <a href="http://www.cuts-geneva.org/FEATS.html">www.cuts-geneva.org/FEATS.html</a>  Research partner of the IWOGDA project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/iwogda.htm">www.cuts-international.org/iwogda.htm</a>  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project  Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			Poverty Reduction” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
24.	<b>Economic Institute of Cambodia, Cambodia</b>  <a href="http://www.eicambodia.org">www.eicambodia.org</a>	Enhance the awareness of Cambodian stakeholders on development issues and to participate in the formulation of sustainable economic development policies and strategies that will equitably benefit the Cambodians	Research and advocacy partner of “South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring Mekong-Ganga Relationship” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm</a>  Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
25.	<b>FLACSO</b>  The Latin American Faculty of Ciencias Sociales is an international organisation created in 1957 to promote social science research in Latin America	Promote the critical investigation of the problems of the Latin American social reality; and collaborate with international, national and regional organisations	Research partner of the IWOOGDA project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/iwogda.htm">www.cuts-international.org/iwogda.htm</a>  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project  Partner for “Strategic Review of WTO-provided Trade-Related Technical Assistance (TRTA) Activities” <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/trta.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/trta.htm</a>
26.	<b>Global Ecolabelling Network</b>  <a href="http://www.globalecolabelling.net">www.globalecolabelling.net</a>	Serve its members, other ecolabelling programmes and stakeholders, and the public by improving, promoting and developing the ecolabelling of products and the credibility of ecolabelling programmes worldwide	Project partner of “Enabling developing countries to seize eco-label opportunities” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ecolabel/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ecolabel/index.htm</a>
27.	<b>Griffith Asia Institute, Australia</b>  <a href="http://www.griffith.edu.au/">www.griffith.edu.au/</a>	Produces innovative, interdisciplinary research on key developments in the	Research partner of “South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring IBSA Initiatives” project



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		politics, economics, societies and cultures of Asia and the South Pacific	<a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>
28.	<b>Institute for Global Dialogue</b>  Established in 1995 as a culmination of several years of efforts led by the former South African president, Nelson Mandela, in his capacity as the principal of the African National Congress  <a href="http://www.igd.org.za">www.igd.org.za</a>	Advances a balanced, relevant and policy-oriented analysis, debate and documentation of South Africa's role in international relations and diplomacy	Research and advocacy partner of "Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
29.	<b>Institute for International Trade Negotiations Studies (ICONE), Brazil</b>  <a href="http://www.iconebrasil.org.br">www.iconebrasil.org.br</a>	Carry out applied research work to support international negotiations, particularly in the areas of agribusiness, thus contributing to a broader integration of Brazil into the world economy	Research and advocacy partner of "South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring IBSA Initiative" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>
30.	<b>Institute of Agriculture and Trade Policy, USA</b>  <a href="http://www.iatp.org">www.iatp.org</a>	Promotes resilient family farms, rural communities and ecosystems around the world through research and education, science and technology, and advocacy	Research partner of "Devising a Comprehensive IBSA Strategy on WTO Agriculture Negotiations" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>
31.	<b>Institute of Economic Affairs, Nairobi, Kenya</b>  Non-governmental organisation established in 1997	Conduct research, policy advocacy and civil society capacity building on issues of economic governance; and analyse multilateral and regional trade issues for advocacy	Research and advocacy partner of "Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth" (7Up) project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1/">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1/</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.iea.or.ke">www.iea.or.ke</a>	with the policymakers and the civil society	<p>Networking and advocacy partner of “Fostering Equity &amp; Accountability in the Trading System” (FEATS) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-geneva.org/FEATS.html">www.cuts-geneva.org/FEATS.html</a></p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &amp; Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a></p>
32.	<p><b>Institute of Policy Studies, Colombo, Sri Lanka</b></p> <p>An autonomous research institute established in 1988 as a policy think-tank on socio-economic research</p> <p><a href="http://www.ips.lk">www.ips.lk</a></p>	<p>Provide informed analysis to national planners and policymakers in the country and in South Asia</p> <p>Serve as a working partner in workshops and seminars in the region</p>	<p>Research &amp; advocacy partner of the 7Up project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1/">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1/</a></p> <p>Research and networking partner of the SACSNIIT project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/sacsniti.htm">http://cuts-international.org/sacsniti.htm</a></p> <p>Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the CACESA project</p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of the PROACT project</p> <p>Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project</p> <p>Research partner of “South Asia Forum for International Trade” (SAFIT-II) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm">www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Trade and Transport Facilitation Support (South Asia)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Cost of</p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<p>Economic Non-Cooperation to Consumers in South Asia (COENCOSA)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/">www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/</a></p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &amp; Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a></p>
33.	<b>Institute of World Economics and Politics (IWEP), Vietnam</b> <a href="http://www.iwep.org.vn">www.iwep.org.vn</a>	<p>Conduct research on theories and models of economic development that help resolving current socio-economic problems of Vietnam. It attempts to anticipate the emerging issues and to be ready with practical ideas to inform and shape public debate</p>	<p>Research and advocacy partner of “South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring Mekong-Ganga Relationship” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm</a></p>
34.	<b>International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)</b> <a href="http://www.iucn.org/">www.iucn.org/</a>	<p>IUCN is a union uniquely composed of both government and civil society organisations. It provides public, private and non-governmental organisations with the knowledge and tools that enable human progress, economic development and nature conservation to take place together</p>	<p>Activity Partner of CUTS for “Expanding tradable benefits of trans-boundary water: Promoting navigational usage of inland waterways in Ganga and Brahmaputra basins” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/IW/">www.cuts-citee.org/IW/</a></p>
35.	<b>Kenya Institute for Public Policy Research and Analysis</b> <p>Established in May 1997 through a Legal Notice and commenced operations in June 1999  <a href="http://www.kippra.org">www.kippra.org</a></p>	<p>Provide quality public policy advice to the Government of Kenya and other stakeholders by conducting objective research and through capacity building in order to contribute to the achievement of national development goals</p>	<p>Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &amp; Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
36.	<b>Kenya National Cleaner Production Centre (KNPCPC)</b> <a href="http://www.cpkkenya.org">www.cpkkenya.org</a>	Enhance regional and international cooperation and was based on five national policy building blocks	Project partner of “Enabling developing countries to seize eco-label opportunities” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ecolabel/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ecolabel/index.htm</a>
37.	<b>Law &amp; Society Trust, Colombo, Sri Lanka</b> A non-profit body, established in 1982 and committed to improving public awareness on civil and political rights <a href="http://www.lawandsocietytrust.org">www.lawandsocietytrust.org</a>	Promote cooperation between government and society within South Asia on questions relating to human rights, democracy and minority protection	Research and advocacy partner of the 7Up project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a> Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
38.	<b>Myanmar Marketing Research &amp; Development Ltd (MMRD)</b> <a href="http://www.mmrdrs.com/">http://www.mmrdrs.com/</a>	MMRD was founded in 1992 by U Moe Kyaw and quickly established itself as a leading market research company and publisher of the first trade directory in Myanmar – the Yangon Directory. Today, the MMRD Group and its affiliated companies employ over 700 staff across three core divisions: Research Services, Publications and Trading.	Myanmar Partner of CUTS under “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh Bhutan-India Nepal Motor Vehicles Agreement: Facilitating implementation and stakeholder buy-in in the BBIN sub region” project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/">www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/</a>
39.	<b>National Economic Research Institute, China</b> <a href="http://www.neri.org.cn">www.neri.org.cn</a>	Provide research findings and policy analyses to the government, the mass and the business circles	Research partner of “Devising a Comprehensive IBSA (India-Brazil-South Africa) Strategy on WTO Agriculture Negotiations” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
40.	<b>National Institute of Consumer Research (SIFO), Norway</b> <a href="http://www.sifo.no">www.sifo.no</a>	Concerned with consumer research, and as such is responsible for developing expertise on the relevant fields. Importance is placed on research as well as the dissemination of information to various authorities, consumer-oriented institutions, research and scientific institutions, and in private industry	Project partner of “Food Security in India: The Interaction of Climate Change, Economic Politics and Trade (FOODSEC)” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm</a>
41.	<b>National University of Laos, Lao PDR</b> <a href="http://www.nuol.edu.la">www.nuol.edu.la</a>	Rationalise the Higher Education of Lao PDR, making it more efficient and more effective in its task of training human resources for the country	Research and advocacy partner of “South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring Mekong-Ganga Relationship” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mgr.htm</a>
42.	<b>Nepal Economic Forum (NEF)</b> <a href="http://www.nepaleconomicforum.org/">www.nepaleconomicforum.org/</a>	NEF is a not for profit organisation aiming to be Nepal's premier private sector-led economic policy and research institution. Established in 2009, NEF seeks to re-define the economic development discourse in Nepal and positively transform Nepal's economic and development policies	Nepal Partner of CUTS under “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh Bhutan-India Nepal Motor Vehicles Agreement: Facilitating implementation and stakeholder buy-in in the BBIN sub region” project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/">www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/</a>
43.	<b>Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (NUPI), Norway</b>	Carries out research and disseminates findings on global power relations,	Project partner of “Food Security in India: The Interaction of Climate Change,

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.nupi.no">www.nupi.no</a>	security policy, development issues, international economics and Norwegian foreign policy	Economic Politics and Trade (FOODSEC)" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/FOODSEC/index.htm</a>
44.	<b>Overseas Development Institute, UK</b>  <a href="http://www.odi.org.uk">www.odi.org.uk</a>	Inspire and inform policy and practice which leads to reduction of poverty, the alleviation of suffering and the achievement of sustainable livelihoods in developing countries	Research partner of "South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring IBSA Initiatives" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>  Research and advocacy partner of "Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
45.	<b>Pakistan Institute of Legislative Development and Transparency</b>  <a href="http://www.pildat.org/">www.pildat.org/</a>	PILDAT is an independent, non-partisan and not-for-profit indigenous think tank focussed on political and public policy research and legislative strengthening. As an indigenous institution, Its mission is to strengthen democracy and democratic institutions in Pakistan	Organisation of 'India-Pakistan Legislators and Public Officials Dialogue on Sharing of Experiences on Governance and Democracy'
46.	<b>Practical Action, Bangladesh</b>  An international non-governmental organisation (NGO) that uses technology to challenge poverty in developing countries started in 1973  <a href="http://practicalaction.org">http://practicalaction.org</a>	Work with financially backward population to influence social, economic and institutional systems for innovation and the use of technology	Research and advocacy partner of "Impact of Climate Change and Food Insecurity on Poverty" project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS">www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS</a>
47.	<b>Royal Society for Protection of Nature (RSPN)</b>	In 1987, RSPN was established as a citizen-based NGO devoted to the conservation of	Project Partner of CUTS under " Expanding tradable benefits of trans-boundary water: Promoting navigational usage

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.rspnbhutan.org/brief-history-of-rspn/">www.rspnbhutan.org/brief-history-of-rspn/</a> <a href="http://www.rspnbhutan.org/brief-history-of-rspn/">www.rspnbhutan.org/brief-history-of-rspn/</a>	Bhutan's unique environment. RSPN has evolved as a complementary partner to the Royal Government of Bhutan in the preservation of Bhutan's rich natural heritage	of inland waterways in Ganga and Brahmaputra basins" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/IW/">www.cuts-citee.org/IW/</a>
48.	<b>SNV, Bhutan</b> Since 1988, SNV operate under a country agreement with the Royal Government of Bhutan <a href="http://www.snvworld.org">www.snvworld.org</a>	Strengthening the capacity of local organisations around three lead sectors: agriculture, Renewable energy and WASH	Project Country Partner of "Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a>
49.	<b>South African Institute of International Affairs, Pretoria</b> An independent, non-governmental organisation established in 1994 <a href="http://www.saiia.org.za">www.saiia.org.za</a>	Promote a wider and more informed understanding of international issues; establish links with international organisations and governments through the staging of joint research projects and publications, and participation in international and local events	Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project Research partner of "International Working Group on Doha Agenda" (IWOGDA) project Research and advocacy partner of "South-South Economic Cooperation: Exploring IBSA Initiative" project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/ibsa2partners.htm</a>
50.	<b>South Asia Watch on Trade, Economics and Environment, Kathmandu</b> Launched in 1994 & established as an independent network-based regional institution in 1999 with the objective to promote research and networking on trade and development issues <a href="http://www.sawtee.org">www.sawtee.org</a>	Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia from the non-governmental side; conduct research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian region; and establish linkages with other organisation having similar objectives	Research and networking partner of the SACS NITI project Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the CACESA project Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project Research and advocacy partner of "Progressive

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<p>Regional Organisation, Action and Cooperation on Trade” (PROACT) project</p> <p>Research partner of “South Asia Forum for International Trade” (SAFIT-II) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm">www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Trade and Transport Facilitation Support (South Asia)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Trade Consignment Mapping for better Regional Connectivity in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/">www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Cost of Economic Non-Cooperation to Consumers in South Asia (COENCOSA)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/">www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/</a></p> <p>Project Country Partner of “Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a></p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &amp; Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a></p> <p>Country Partner of “Linkages and Impact of Cross-border informal trade in agricultural inputs in Easter South Asia”</p>



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			project
51.	<b>Southern African Regional Poverty Network</b> <a href="http://www.sarpn.org.za">www.sarpn.org.za</a>	Achieve goal through widening participation, bringing people together across the region to exchange ideas, and disseminating information to deepen understandings of poverty issues and improve policy and practice	Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
52.	<b>Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan</b> Established in 1992 on the recommendation of the Pakistan National Conservation Strategy as an independent and non-profit organisation policy analysis, policy intervention and programme advisory services <a href="http://www.sdpi.org">www.sdpi.org</a>	Conduct policy-oriented research & advocacy from a broad multidisciplinary perspective; promote the implementation of policies, programmes, laws and regulations based on sustainable development; and strengthen civil society and promote civil society-government interaction through collaboration with other organisations and activist networks	Member of a CUTS-led consortium which researched and analysed the conditions necessary for trade and investment to reduce poverty in South Asia Research and advocacy partner of the 7Up project Research and networking partner of the SACSNI project Research and advocacy partner of the PROACT project Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project Research partner of “South Asia Forum for International Trade” (SAFIT-II) project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm">www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm</a> Project partner of “Trade and Transport Facilitation Support (South Asia)” project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/TTFA/Index.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<p>Project partner of “Financial Intermediaries and Trade Facilitation in South Asia (FITF)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/FITF/">www.cuts-citee.org/FITF/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Trade Consignment Mapping for better Regional Connectivity in South Asia (TCMSA)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/">www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Cost of Economic Non-Cooperation to Consumers in South Asia (COENCOSA)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/">www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/</a></p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of “Impact of Climate Change and Food Insecurity on Poverty” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS">www.cuts-citee.org/CCFS</a></p>
53.	<p><b>The East-West Center (EWC)</b>  <a href="http://www.eastwestcenter.org/">www.eastwestcenter.org/</a></p>	<p>Established in 1960, the EWC serves as a resource for information and analysis on critical issues of common concern, bringing people together to exchange views, build expertise, and develop policy options. The Center is an independent, public, nonprofit organisation with funding from the US government, and additional support provided by private agencies, individuals, foundations, corporations, and governments in the</p>	<p>Partner in organising regional connectivity conference in New Delhi entitled “South Asia in the Indo-Pacific Context”  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/sarcc/Delhi_Summit.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/sarcc/Delhi_Summit.htm</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		region	
54.	<p><b>Unnayan Shamannay</b></p> <p>The organisation was incorporated in July 1994 under the Companies Act, 1913 (section 26) with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies under the Ministry of Commerce, Government of Bangladesh (The Registration number is C-345 (02)/94)</p> <p><a href="http://www.usshamunnaybd.org/">www.usshamunnaybd.org/</a></p>	Coordinate developmental activities, not in the narrow sense, but in the wider context of a living society	<p>Country Partner of “Linkages and Impact of Cross-border informal trade in agricultural inputs in Easter South Asia” project</p> <p>Research partner of “South Asia Forum for International Trade” (SAFIT-II) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm">www.cuts-international.org/partnerorgII.htm</a></p> <p>Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development &amp; Poverty Reduction” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Addressing Barriers to Rice Seeds Trade between India and Bangladesh” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/RISTE/Partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/RISTE/Partners.htm</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Financial Intermediaries and Trade Facilitation in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/FITF/">www.cuts-citee.org/FITF/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Trade Consignment Mapping for better Regional Connectivity in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/">www.cuts-citee.org/TCMSA/</a></p> <p>Project partner of “Cost of Economic Non-Cooperation to Consumers in South Asia (COENCOSA)” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/">www.cuts-citee.org/COENCOSA-Phase-II/</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<p>Project Country Partner of “Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a></p> <p>Project Country Partner of “Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/">www.cuts-citee.org/SDIP/</a></p> <p>Research &amp; Advocacy partner of “Mainstreaming International Trade into National Development Strategy” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/mainstreaming/partners.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/mainstreaming/partners.htm</a></p> <p>Partner “Expanding tradable benefits of trans-boundary water: Promoting navigational usage of inland waterways in Ganga and Brahmaputra basins” project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/IW/">www.cuts-citee.org/IW/</a></p>
55.	<b>World Trade Institute, University of Bern, Switzerland</b>	The World Trade Institute is a leading academic institution dedicated to graduate level education and research on international trade regulation and investment. As a centre of excellence of the University of Bern, it explores the interconnections between the fields of law, economics and political science	<p>CUTS as survey and conference partner for Impact Assessment of EU-India Bilateral Broad Based Trade and Investment Agreement Project</p> <p><a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/pdf/Agenda-Impact%20Assessment%20of%20EU-India%20Bilateral%20Trade%20and%20Investment%20Agreement.pdf">www.cuts-citee.org/pdf/Agenda-Impact Assessment of EU-India Bilateral Trade and Investment Agreement.pdf</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
<b>CUTS Centre for Competition, Investment &amp; Economic Regulation</b>			
<i>National</i>			
1.	<b>Bask Research Foundation</b>	Research Foundation in decentralised renewable energy sector	Knowledge partner for Green Growth and Energy Transformation <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Green/">www.cuts-ccier.org/Green/</a>
2.	<b>Broadband India Forum</b>  Policy forum for enhancing the potential of entire ecosystem  <a href="http://www.broadbandindiaforum.com/">www.broadbandindiaforum.com/</a>	Primarily an industry-led body	Involved in CompIP initiative and joint release of report  <a href="http://compip.circ.in/#hello">http://compip.circ.in/#hello</a>
3.	<b>Citizen Consumer and Civic Action Group</b>  CAG came into existence on 7 October 1985 as a non-profit, non-political, non-religious, voluntary and professional citizens group based in Chennai, India <a href="http://www.cag.org.in">www.cag.org.in</a>	Works towards protecting citizens' rights in consumer and environmental issues and promoting good governance processes including transparency, accountability and participatory decision-making	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
4.	<b>Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)</b>  <a href="http://www.cii.in/">www.cii.in/</a>	The Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) works to create and sustain an environment conducive to the growth of industry in India, partnering industry and government alike through advisory and consultative processes	MoU with CUTS to facilitate projects and representation in meetings of mutual interests
5.	<b>Consumer Education and Research Centre (CERC)</b>  CERC was founded in 1978. It is a non-profit, non-government body  <a href="http://cercindia.org/">http://cercindia.org/</a>	A non-political, non-profit and non-government organisation dedicated to the protection and promotion of consumer interests through active use of research, media and information dissemination	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
6.	<b>Consumer Guild, Lucknow</b>	It works on key issues	Regional partner for the

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://uttar-pradesh.ngosindia.com/consumer-guild-lucknow/">http://uttar-pradesh.ngosindia.com/consumer-guild-lucknow/</a>  Founded in 2006 with the aim of raising consumer awareness and protection. Its parent organisation is Paul Foundation	of children, education and literacy, environment and forests, food processing, legal awareness and aid, right to information and advocacy, women's development and empowerment	Consumer Broadband Label Project  Consumer Advocacy partner for 'Working towards effective regulatory decision making in India's electricity sector' <a href="http://uttar-pradesh.ngosindia.com/consumer-guild-lucknow/">http://uttar-pradesh.ngosindia.com/consumer-guild-lucknow/</a> <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/">http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/</a>
7.	<b>Consumer Voice</b>  A voluntary action group, it consists of academicians, professionals and volunteers. On 28 June 1986, it was registered as a Public Charitable Trust  <a href="http://www.consumer-voice.org/">www.consumer-voice.org/</a>	Voluntary organisation in interest of consumer education-is the voice of and for consumers in every sense	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
8.	<b>Consumers' Legal Protection Forum (CLPF)</b>  A group of Advocates and Journalists. It was established in year 2008	Help and raise aware of consumer about their rights	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
9.	<b>Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce &amp; Industry (FICCI)</b>  <a href="http://ficci.in/">http://ficci.in/</a>	A non-government, not-for-profit organisation. Rallying point for free enterprises in India. To empower Indian businesses, in the changing times, to shore up their competitiveness and enhance their global reach	MoU with CUTS to facilitate projects and representation in meetings of mutual interests
10.	<b>Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations, New Delhi India</b>  An autonomous, non-profit	Promote research on issues, which are central to India's international position and its economic exposure to the rest of the world; and better understand	Research and advocacy partner of 'A Functional Competition Policy for India' (FunComp) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	research organisation established in 1981 and engaged in policy-oriented research <a href="http://www.icrier.res.in">www.icrier.res.in</a>	global developments and experiences of other economies through networking & exchange of information	
11.	<b>Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi</b> <a href="http://www.iitd.ac.in/">www.iitd.ac.in/</a>	Premier government-owned Technology Institute in India	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
12.	<b>Industries Association of Uttarakhand (IAU), Dehradun</b> <a href="http://www.iauonline.in/contactus.php">www.iauonline.in/contactus.php</a>	Industries' Association	Partner for organising FGD on Ease of Doing Business under the project 'Evaluation of Competitiveness Amongst North Indian States' <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm</a>
13.	<b>Insights Development Consulting Group (IDCG)</b>  IDCG is a management and strategy consulting firm established on 12 June 1995. It is classified as non-government company  <a href="http://www.idcg.co.in/">www.idcg.co.in/</a>	Enables communities, institutions and organisations to develop customised high value solutions that reduce time-to-market for organisational initiatives	Survey partner in RIA of Maharashtra City Taxi Rules, 2017
14.	<b>Integrated Research and Action for Development</b>  Forum for research and development on energy issues  <a href="http://irade.org/website/">http://irade.org/website/</a>	Forum for research and development on energy issues	Involved in the project on Cross-border Energy Trade  <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/CBET/pdf/Report-Impact of CBET on livelihoods and Gender in Nepal and Bhutan.pdf">http://cuts-ccier.org/CBET/pdf/Report-Impact of CBET on livelihoods and Gender in Nepal and Bhutan.pdf</a>
15.	<b>International Institute of Information Technology, Bangalore</b> <a href="http://www.iiitb.ac.in/">www.iiitb.ac.in/</a>	Premier Technology Institute in India	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
16.	<b>Koan Advisory</b>  Research-driven advisory firm	Primarily involved in tech-policy advisory	Organised joint roundtables on reforms in digital payments and sports regulation in India

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.koanadvisor.com/">http://www.koanadvisor.com/</a>		
17.	<b>Mumbai Grahak Panchayat (MGP)</b>  It was established in year 1975 and perhaps the largest voluntary consumer organisation in India with a membership of 24,500 families. It has been engaged in activities of consumer protection and education for the last 33 years <a href="http://www.mumbaigrahakpanchayat.org/">www.mumbaigrahakpanchayat.org/</a>	Enrich the quality of life through sustainable consumption, educate consumers, create awareness and thus to empower them to fight against injustice	Regional partner for the Consumer Broadband Label Project <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/">http://cuts-ccier.org/broadbandlabel/</a>
18.	<b>National Council of Applied Economic Research, New Delhi, India</b>  An independent, non-profit research institution, established in 1956 and committed to assist government, civil society and the private sector to make informed policy choices <a href="http://www.ncaer.org">www.ncaer.org</a>	Enhance public awareness of policy issues in business and economics and establish linkages with research institutions interested in the areas of industry and infrastructure development, macroeconomic analysis, and human development	‘Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth’ (7Up1) project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a>  ‘Towards a Functional National Competition Policy for India’ (FunComp) project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm</a>
19.	<b>Nishith Desai Associates</b> <a href="http://www.nishithdesai.com/information/home.html">www.nishithdesai.com/information/home.html</a>	A research and strategy-driven law firm looking at emerging areas of law and regulation	Partner for organising a stakeholder consultation event on ‘Consumer Welfare in Emerging Regulatory Landscape in Data Economy’ <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Event-Conference on Consumer Welfare in Emerging Regulatory Landscape in Data Economy-sept24-2018.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/Event-Conference on Consumer Welfare in Emerging Regulatory Landscape in Data Economy-sept24-2018.htm</a>
20.	<b>NITI Aayog</b> <a href="http://niti.gov.in/">http://niti.gov.in/</a>	Think Tank of Government of India	Donor for JUDIMPACT-1 project



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
21.	<b>Prayas Pune</b>  Leading research and advocacy organisation on energy issues <a href="http://www.prayaspune.org/">Iwww.prayaspune.org/</a>	Involved in evidence-based research and advocacy on energy issues	Participated in workshops and seminars organised by Prayas
22.	<b>Punjab University</b>  Established in 1882 as University of Punjab at Lahore (now in Pakistan)  <a href="http://puhcd.ac.in/">http://puhcd.ac.in/</a>	Academic and research Institute	Partner for organising FGD on Ease of Doing Business under the project 'Evaluation of Competitiveness Amongst North Indian States'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm</a>
23.	<b>Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation (SSEF)</b>  Established in 2009 to support India's developmental and energy security objectives  <a href="http://shaktifoundation.in/">http://shaktifoundation.in/</a>	Support India's developmental and energy security objectives; and facilitate India's transition to a sustainable energy future by promoting policies that encourage renewable energy, energy efficiency and sustainable urban transport	Donor and project partner for 'Working Towards Effective Regulatory Decision Making in India's electricity sector' <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/">www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/</a>
24.	<b>The Dialogue</b>  Policy advocacy firm  <a href="http://www.thedialogue.co/">www.thedialogue.co/</a>	An emerging public policy think tank in Delhi	Partner for organising a stakeholder consultation event on 'Towards a Regulated Data Economy: Getting the Implementation Right'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Event-Round Table Discussion on Towards a Regulated Data Economy Getting the Implementation Right-sept26-2018.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/Event-Round Table Discussion on Towards a Regulated Data Economy Getting the Implementation Right-sept26-2018.htm</a>
25.	<b>The Energy &amp; Resources Institute (TERI)</b>  Research institute in the field of energy <a href="http://www.teriin.org/">www.teriin.org/</a>	Involved in evidence-based research and advocacy on energy issues	Involved in the project on Regulatory Role and Engagement in India's Clean Energy Transformation  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CET/">www.cuts-ccier.org/CET/</a>  Research and advocacy

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			partner of 'Towards a Functional National Competition Policy for India' (FunComp) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/funcomp-overview.htm</a>
26.	<b>The Policy Think Tank, Lucknow</b>	Think tank for Government of Uttar Pradesh	Partner for organising FGD on Ease of Doing Business under the project 'Evaluation of Competitiveness Amongst North Indian States'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/STATE-COMP/index.htm</a>
27.	<b>Vikram Sarabhai Centre for Development and Interaction, Gujarat India</b>  Set up in 1977 to take proactive steps to conserve environment and to promote sustainable development  <a href="http://www.viksat.org">www.viksat.org</a>	Undertake promoting and strengthening people's institutions through interactions, for an equitable, gender sensitive, sustainable development and management of natural resources	Proposed partner under Demand Side Management & Renewable Energy in India: Capacity Building of CSOs' (DREC) Project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/DREC">www.cuts-ccier.org/DREC</a>
<b>International</b>			
28.	<b>Action for Economic Reforms (AER) Philippine</b>  An non-government organisation founded in 1996	Work with an emphasis on fiscal policy and tax policy and administration and their impact on equity, poverty reduction and sustainability	Country partner of 'Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries' (CREW) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW">www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW</a>
29.	<b>Bangladesh Enterprise Institute, Dhaka Bangladesh</b>  Established in 2000 to promote, articulate and influence policy issues for the development of a market-oriented economic	Conduct research and reviews of issues which are of vital importance to the private sector; build its capacity to network with national, regional and international institutions that could	Research and advocacy partner of 'Investment for Development' (IFD) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/ifd-overview.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/ifd-overview.htm</a>  'Advocacy and Capacity Building on Competition Policy

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	environment <a href="http://www.bei-bd.org">www.bei-bd.org</a>	help to promote the interests of Bangladesh; and disseminate knowledge and information derived from research	and Law In Asia' (7Up2) project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2</a>
30.	<b>Botswana Institute For Development Policy Analysis (BIDPA), Botswana</b>  BIDPA established in 1995 as a non-government policy research institution  <a href="http://www.bidpa.bw">www.bidpa.bw</a>	Conduct policy analysis and capacity building on developmental policy issues of relevance to Botswana and the Southern African region	Country partner of 'Capacity Building on Competition Policy in Select Countries of Eastern and Southern Africa' (7Up3) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7up3">www.cuts-ccier.org/7up3</a>
31.	<b>BRICS Competition Law and Policy Centre, Skolkovo – HSE Institute for Law and Development, Moscow, Russia</b>  The BRICS Competition Law and Policy Centre (BRICS Competition Centre) project was initiated and is coordinated by the Skolkovo - Higher School of Economics Institute for Law and Development, a Moscow-based international think tank  <a href="http://dev.bricscompetition.org/about/">http://dev.bricscompetition.org/about/</a>	Provide the meeting point for BRICS competition law research; ensure the scientific support the work of BRICS competition authorities; and promote a distinct BRICS competition law agenda for the global economy	Project partner, including the on-going BRICS Digital Competition Law Project  <a href="http://dev.bricscompetition.org/partners/">http://dev.bricscompetition.org/partners/</a>
32.	<b>Centre d'Etudes, de Documentation, de Recherches Economiques et Sociales (CEDRES) Burkina Faso</b>  A public scientific institution established in 1975 by professors from	Conduct research on socio economic and developmental issues	Country partner of 'Strengthening Constituencies for Effective Competition Regimes in Select West African Countries' (7Up4) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	the University of Ouagadougou <a href="http://www.cedres.bf">www.cedres.bf</a>		
33.	<b>Centre for Energy Environment and Resources</b>  It was created under a Thai Foundation with an international orientation aiming to develop, promote and disseminate sustainable energy-environment concepts, international experiences and recommended practices  <a href="http://www.ceerd.net/">www.ceerd.net/</a>	Conducts training and research on energy-environment economics, planning, modelling, policy, markets and technology	Project partner for 'Working Towards Effective Regulatory Decision Making in India's Electricity Sector'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/">www.cuts-ccier.org/CPSER/</a>
34.	<b>Consumer Education Trust of Uganda (CONSENT) Uganda</b>  A CSO founded in 2002 for generating consumer awareness, empowerment and advocacy among businesses and engagement of policymakers to enact pro-people policies	Conduct research, policy advocacy on issues of consumer welfare; and enhance public-private sector partnership through awareness programmes, dialogue, policy research and advocacy	Country partner of 'Capacity Building on Competition Policy in Select Countries of Eastern and Southern Africa' (7Up3) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up3">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up3</a>  'Critical Dimensions of Indian Investment in Africa' (IIA) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/IIA">www.cuts-ccier.org/IIA</a>
35.	<b>Consumers Empowerment Organisation of Nigeria (CEON), Nigeria</b>  Research-based advocacy NGO established in 1995 to strengthen consumer protection, competition, and sustainable development regimes  <a href="http://www.ceon-">www.ceon-</a>	Strengthen consumer protection, competition and sustainable development regimes in Nigeria	Research and advocacy partner of 'Strengthening Constituencies for Effective Competition Regimes in Select West African Countries' (7Up4) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://camon.gnbo.com.ng/">camon.gnbo.com.ng/</a>		
36.	<b>Economic &amp; Social Research Foundation Tanzania</b>  Non-governmental think-tank established in 1994  <a href="http://www.esrf.or.tz">www.esrf.or.tz</a>	Build human and institutional capabilities in economic and social policy analysis through training, research & advocacy	Research and advocacy partner of 'Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth' (7Up1) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a>  'Investment for Development' (IFD) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/ifd-overview.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/ifd-overview.htm</a>
37.	<b>Economic Institute of Cambodia (EIC) Cambodia</b>  Established in February 2003 is an independent Think-tank based in Cambodia  <a href="http://www.eicambodia.org">www.eicambodia.org</a>	Provide a comprehensive understanding of socio-economic development; and enhance awareness on development issues and to participate in the formulation of sustainable economic development policies and strategies	Research and advocacy partner of 'Advocacy and Capacity Building on Competition Policy and Law In Asia (7Up2) Project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2</a>
38.	<b>Ford Foundation</b>  A private American foundation created in 1936 by Edsel and Henry Ford.  <a href="http://www.fordfoundation.org">www.fordfoundation.org</a>	One of the most influential foundations in the world, with interests in economic empowerment, education, human rights, democracy and Third World development	Project partner and donor for project on 'Strengthening the Discourse on Economic Policy to Generate Good and Better Jobs in India'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/growjobs/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/growjobs/index.htm</a>
39.	<b>Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES)</b>  The oldest political foundation in Germany with a rich tradition dating back to its foundation in 1925	Non-profit German foundation committed to the values of democracy and social justice	Project partner and donor for 'Future of Jobs in India' Project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Green/">www.cuts-ccier.org/Green/</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.fes-india.org">www.fes-india.org</a>		
40.	<b>Institute of Economic Affairs (IEA), Kenya</b>  Non-governmental organisation established in 1997  <a href="http://www.iea.or.ke">www.iea.or.ke</a>	Conduct research, policy advocacy and civil society capacity building on issues of economic governance; and analyse multilateral and regional trade issues for advocacy with the policymakers and the civil society	Research and advocacy partner of 'Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth' (7Up1) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a>
41.	<b>Institute of Policy Studies, Colombo, Sri Lanka</b>  An autonomous research institute established in 1988 as a policy think-tank on socio-economic research  <a href="http://www.ips.lk">www.ips.lk</a>	Provide informed analysis to national planners and policymakers in the country and South Asia, and serve as a working partner in workshops and seminars in the region	Research and/or advocacy partner of 'Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth' (7Up1) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a>
42.	<b>Institute of Statistical, Social and Economic Research, Ghana</b>  Established in year, 1962 as a policy research institute also, serves as the research wing of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ghana  <a href="http://www.isser.edu.gh">www.isser.edu.gh</a>	Conduct and promote policy research on economic Issues	Country partner of 'Strengthening Constituencies for Effective Competition Regimes in Select West African Countries' (7Up4 project)  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up4</a>  'Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries' (CREW) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW">www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW</a>
43.	<b>Namibia Economic Policy Research Unit (NEPRU), Namibia</b>  An autonomous non-governmental organisation, founded in 1990	Undertake socio-economic research and dissemination of information, thereby enhancing informed policy decisions for national development; and seek and strengthen cooperation and exchange with national	Country partner of 'Capacity Building on Competition Policy in Select Countries of Eastern and Southern Africa' (7Up3) Project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7up3">www.cuts-ccier.org/7up3</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		agencies and similar institutions in Southern Africa	
44.	<b>National Economic Research Institute, Vientiane, Laos</b>  Established in 1997 is a strategic research institute under the supervision of the Committee for Planning and Investment (CPI) now the Ministry of Planning and Investment (MPI)  <a href="http://www.neri.gov.la/?lang=en">www.neri.gov.la/?lang=en</a>	Formulate the long-term provincial, regional and national socio-economic development strategy, to research, analyse and monitor	Research and advocacy partner of 'Advocacy and Capacity Building on Competition Policy and Law In Asia (7Up2) Project'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2</a>
45.	<b>Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (NUPI), Norway</b>  NUPI was established by the Norwegian Parliament in 1959. The institute is organised as a state body under the Ministry of Education and Research, but operates as an independent, non-political instance in all its professional activities  <a href="http://www.nupi.no">www.nupi.no</a>	Carry out research and disseminates findings on global power relations, security policy, development issues, international economics and Norwegian foreign policy	Project partner of 'Exploring the Interplay between Business Regulation and corporate Conduct in India'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/BRCC">www.cuts-ccier.org/BRCC</a>
46.	<b>Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS), Philippine</b>  PIDS is organised as a nonstock, non-profit government corporation and established in year, 1977.  Created in 1977 to respond to the critical and growing need for research for planning and policy	Develop and implement a comprehensive and integrated research for the formulation of national development plans and policies' serve as a common link between the government and existing research institutions; and establish a repository for economic research information and other related	Country partner of 'Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries' (CREW) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW">www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW</a>



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	formulation. <a href="http://www.pids.gov.ph">www.pids.gov.ph</a>	activities	
47.	<b>Royal Society for Protection of Nature (RSPN), Bhutan</b> It is registered with the Civil Society Organisation Authority as a non-profit Public Benefit Organisation in 1987 <a href="http://www.rspnbhutan.org/">www.rspnbhutan.org/</a>	Conservation of the Kingdom's environment through education, research and sustainable livelihood opportunities	Survey partner in Impact of Cross border Electricity Trade on Livelihoods and Gender Concerns <a href="http://cuts-ccier.org/CBET/">http://cuts-ccier.org/CBET/</a>
48.	<b>South Asia Watch on Trade, Economics &amp; Environment (SAWTEE), Nepal</b> Launched in 1994 and established as an independent network-based regional institution in 1999 with the objective to promote research and networking on trade and development issues <a href="http://www.sawtee.org">www.sawtee.org</a>	Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia from the non-governmental side; conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian region; and establish linkages with other organisation having similar objectives	Research and networking partner 'Advocacy and Capacity Building on Competition Policy and Law In Asia (7Up2) Project' <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up2</a> Project partner 'Gender Dimensions of Trade Facilitation Agreement: Evidence from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal' <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/">www.cuts-citee.org/gdtfa/</a>
49.	<b>Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan</b> Established in 1992 on the recommendation of the Pakistan National Conservation Strategy as an independent and non-profit organisation policy analysis, policy intervention and programme advisory services <a href="http://www.sdpi.org">www.sdpi.org</a>	Conduct policy-oriented research and advocacy from a broad multidisciplinary perspective; promote the implementation of policies, programmes, laws and regulations based on sustainable development; and strengthen civil society and promote civil society-government interaction through collaboration with other organisations and activist networks	Member of a CUTS-led consortium which researched and analysed the conditions necessary for trade and investment to reduce poverty in South Asia Research and advocacy partner of 'Comparative Analyses of Comparative Regimes of Seven Developing Countries of the Commonwealth' (7Up1) Project <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1">www.cuts-ccier.org/7Up1</a>



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
50.	<b>US-India Business Council</b> <a href="http://www.usibc.com/">www.usibc.com/</a>	The Council aims to create an inclusive bilateral trade environment between India and the US	Mutual representation in meetings that are aimed at promoting US-India Trade and Investment
51.	<b>Unnayan Shammany, Bangladesh</b>  Non-profit organisation for research and development of cultural learnings  <a href="http://www.shamunnaybd.org">www.shamunnaybd.org</a>	Coordinate developmental activities in the wider context of a living society	Project partner (research and/or advocacy) of 'Regulatory Reforms in Electricity Sector in South Asia'  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/RESA">www.cuts-ccier.org/RESA</a>
52.	<b>US-India Strategic Partnership Forum</b>  The US-India Strategic Partnership Forum (USISPF) is a non-profit organisation  <a href="http://www.usispf.org/">www.usispf.org/</a>	Strengthen the US-India bilateral and strategic partnership	Joint engagement and partnership opportunities under CUTS WDC are being explored
53.	<b>Zambia Institute for Policy Analysis and Research (ZIPAR) , Zambia</b>  A semi-autonomous Think-Tank established by the Government Republic of Zambia with the support of the African Capacity Building Foundation and became operational in 2009  <a href="http://www.zipar.org.zm">www.zipar.org.zm</a>	Conduct research, formulation, analysis and monitoring of economic policies and provide consultancy to private and public sector, and CSOs	Research partner of 'Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries' (CREW) Project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW">www.cuts-ccier.org/CREW</a>
<b>CUTS Centre for Consumer Action, Research &amp; Training</b>			
<b>National</b>			
1.	<b>Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), New Delhi, India</b> <a href="http://www.bis.org.in/bis_overview.asp">www.bis.org.in/bis_overview.asp</a>	BIS, the National Standards Body is promoting and nurturing standards movement within the country since 1947. BIS came into existence on	BIS has given recognition to CUTS as one of consumer organisations in the state of Rajasthan and CUTS will be part of its Regional Publicity Committee at BIS Central Region Office

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		01 April 1987 through an Act of Parliament dated 26 November 1986	
2.	<b>Centre for Youth and Social Development (CYSD), Bhubaneswar, Odisha</b> <a href="http://www.cysd.org/">www.cysd.org/</a>	CYSD is a non-profit development organisation established in 1982 working to improve the quality of lives of tribal, rural and urban poor in Odisha	CUTS has engaged CYSD for implementing the I3S project in Assam State and conducting action research
3.	<b>Department of Road Transport, Government of Rajasthan</b> <a href="http://morth.nic.in/www.transportrajasthan.gov.in/content/transportportal/en.html">http://morth.nic.in/www.transportrajasthan.gov.in/content/transportportal/en.html</a>	The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, a branch of the Government of India, is the apex body for formulation and administration of the rules, regulations and laws relating to road transport	Organised a workshop on awareness on Section 134 of Motor Vehicles Act under Road Safety Week, 2016  Similarly, the Department approved for conducting road shows and street plays for Road Safety Week 2017
4.	<b>Food Safety and Standards Authority of India</b> <a href="https://fssai.gov.in/home">https://fssai.gov.in/home</a>	FSSAI lays down science-based standards for articles of food and regulates their manufacture, storage, distribution, sale and import to ensure availability of safe and wholesome food to 130 crore citizens of the country. The authority is also responsible for creating an information network across the country so that the public, consumers, etc. receive rapid, reliable and accurate information about food safety and hygiene and related issues of concern	CUTS International is working in the area of food safety since its beginning to safeguard the interest of common consumers. CUTS also represent the voice of common consumers in the Central Advisory Committee of FSSAI, being its member. FSSAI has come out with India's first draft 'Food Safety & Standards (Labeling and Display) Regulations, 2018', giving fair opportunity to all the concerned stakeholders. CUTS is advocating for it
5.	<b>GIZ, India</b> <a href="http://www.giz.de/en/worldwide">www.giz.de/en/worldwide</a>	For over 60 years, GIZ has been working jointly with partners in India, in	Study on the 'Status of Law Enforcement for Misleading Advertisements in India and

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="#">/368.html</a>	sustainable economic, environmental and social development. The key focal areas of Indo-German cooperation are currently energy, environment, sustainable economic development	its Impact on Consumers' <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/CART/pdf/Study_on_the_Status_of_Law_Enforcement_for_Misleading_Advertisements_in_India.pdf">www.cuts-international.org/CART/pdf/Study on the Status of Law Enforcement for Misleading Advertisements in India.pdf</a>
6.	<b>Indian Direct Sellers Association</b> <a href="http://www.idsa.co.in/">www.idsa.co.in/</a>	The Indian Direct Selling Association (IDSA) is an autonomous, self-regulatory body for the direct selling industry in India. The Association acts as an interface between the industry and the consumers	IDSA-CUTS to explore the possibilities to collaborate to conduct Annual Survey report of IDSA  The Survey to focus on two major parts: analysis of industry, inputs of which will be provided by direct selling entities
7.	<b>Ministry of Environment &amp; Forests, Government of India</b> <a href="http://www.moef.nic.in/">www.moef.nic.in /</a>	The Ministry of Environment & Forests (MoEF) is the nodal agency in the administrative structure of the Central Government for the planning, promotion, co-ordination and overseeing the implementation of India's environmental and forestry policies and programmes	CUTS is appointed as regional resource agency by MoEF since 2006-07 for creating awareness in Rajasthan state on the issues related to environment protection and conservation
8.	<b>Ministry of Food and Consumer Affairs</b> <a href="http://consumeraffairs.nic.in/home.aspx">http://consumeraffairs.nic.in/home.aspx</a>	Government of India Department of Food and Consumer Affairs in New Delhi	Build capacities of rural consumers, especially women in terms of financial literacy there-by enhancing their financial inclusion and overcome vulnerability and ensure the economic security  Enhancing Financial Protection of Consumers in Particular Women through Financial Literacy Initiatives

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
9.	<b>National Law School of India University, Bangalore</b>  Since 1987 <a href="http://www.nls.ac.in">www.nls.ac.in</a>	Teaching law courses with both interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary dimensions and facilitating research and publications	CUTS is partnering with NLSIU to develop trainings, research programmes and various other activities that promotes consumer empowerment, since March 2012
10.	<b>Omeo Kumar Das Institute of Social Change and Development (OKDISCD) Guwahati, Assam</b> <a href="http://www.okd.in/">www.okd.in/</a>	OKDISCD is a one of the most eminent academics of the entire Northeast. It was established on March 30, 1989 under the joint initiative of the Government of Assam and the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi	CUTS is supporting institute for implementing the I3S project in Assam State and conducting action research
11.	<b>Public Affairs Centre Bangalore, Karnataka</b> <a href="http://www.pacindia.org/">www.pacindia.org/</a>	Public Affairs Centre (PAC) is a not for profit organisation, established in 1994 with a mandate to improve the quality of governance in India. The focus of PAC is primarily in areas where citizens and civil society organisations can play a proactive role in improving governance	CUTS is supporting PAC for implementing the I3S project in Karnataka State and conducting action research
12.	<b>Reserve Bank of India</b> <a href="http://www.rbi.org.in/">www.rbi.org.in/</a>	The RBI is India's central banking institution, which controls the monetary policy of the Indian rupee	The pilot project was implemented in five selected district of Rajasthan. The objective of the pilot programme is imparting education and awareness for the promotion of depositor's interest and to provide safe and secured deposit lessons to various depositors in five selected districts of Rajasthan. In addition, the programme will also encourage public to have on bank account, discourage public from keeping money in illegal non-

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			bank entities, demystify KYC requirements, and provide information about customer rights as a depositor. RBI again extended the pilot phase with another two programmes and then ten more programmes in the year 2018
13.	<b>Sightsavers</b> <b>New Delhi, India</b> <a href="http://www.sightsaversindia.in">www.sightsaversindia.in</a>	Sightsavers is an international organisation that works with partners in over 30 countries to eliminate avoidable blindness, and fights for the rights and needs of people who are visually impaired or blind	CUTS was involved in facilitating effective and meaningful inclusion of persons with disabilities in to larger development actions and process at levels in order to achieve full citizenship rights
14.	<b>Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI), New Delhi</b>  Established on February 20, 1997 <a href="http://www.trai.gov.in">www.trai.gov.in</a>	The entry of private service providers brought with it the inevitable need for independent regulation. The Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) was, thus, established with effect from February 20, 1997 by an Act of Parliament, called the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India Act, 1997, to regulate telecom services, including fixation/revision of tariffs for telecom services which were earlier vested in the Central Government	CUTS being Consumer Advocacy Group has been assigned with a task to conduct Consumer Awareness Programme (CAP) in various cities/towns/villages of Rajasthan, which is restricted to one in one quarter
15.	<b>The Asia Foundation</b> <b>New Delhi, India</b> <a href="http://asiafoundation.org/">http://asiafoundation.org/</a>	The Asia Foundation is a non-profit, non-governmental organisation professing a commitment to the development of a peaceful, prosperous,	Rajasthan City Mayors Learning Platform (RCMLP)  Improving Service Delivery by Urban Local Government in the City of Jaipur through Enhanced Civic Engagement

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		just, and open Asia-Pacific region	(MyCity Project)
16.	<b>The Department of Consumer Affairs (DoCA), Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Government of India, New Delhi</b> <a href="http://consumeraffairs.nic.in">http://consumeraffairs.nic.in</a>	Formulation of policies on various aspects of consumer empowerment	CUTS is in the process of signing a MoU with DoCA, to conduct research, capacity building and awareness generation on issues of Consumer Protection, Standards, Sustainable Consumption & Production, Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals, Consumer Safety, Food Security, Trade Policy and International Cooperation
17.	<b>UNDP, New Delhi, India</b> <a href="http://www.in.undp.org/content/india/en/home.html">www.in.undp.org/content/india/en/home.html</a>	UNDP partners globally with all levels of society in more than 170 countries and territories where they operate. They offer global perspective and local insight to help empower lives and build resilient nations that can withstand crisis, and that drive and sustain growth that improves the quality of life for everyone. They call this people-centred approach 'human development'	Implemented at project 'Insights into Indian States' to highlight the successful as well as not so successful practices followed in the selected States, in the selected areas and help policy makers to implement relevant policies in the best manner possible
18.	<b>World Resources Institute, India</b> <a href="http://www.wri.org/">www.wri.org/</a>	A global research organisation working on six critical goals that the world must achieve this decade in order to secure a sustainable future: climate, energy, food, forests, water, cities and transport	Understand the consumer experience with rooftop solar, specifically, pain points for consumers who have installed/wish to install rooftop solar in Jaipur. Expected to increase prevalence of solar rooftops by working to reduce issues people face before, during and after its installation
<b>International</b>			

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
19.	<b>Affiliated Network for Social Accountability – South Asia Region (ANSA-SAR)</b> <a href="http://wbi.worldbank.org/wbi/content/affiliated-networks-social-accountability-ansa">http://wbi.worldbank.org/wbi/content/affiliated-networks-social-accountability-ansa</a>	ANSA promotes knowledge products, capacity building, and networking for social accountability in South Asia region	CUTS was involved in institutionalise the process, mechanisms and tools of Social Accountability among ANSA-SAR partners in Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Nepal, Pakistan and India
20.	<b>Asian Development Bank</b> <a href="http://www.adb.org/">www.adb.org/</a>	The Asian Development Bank was conceived in the early 1960s as a financial institution that would be Asian in character and foster economic growth and cooperation in one of the poorest regions in the world	Phase 2 of the ProOrb project, which includes promoting civic engagement in public procurement, collection and analysis of public procurement
21.	<b>Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids (CTFK)</b> <a href="http://www.tobaccofreekids.org">www.tobaccofreekids.org</a>	A leading advocacy organisation working to reduce tobacco use and its deadly consequences in the US and around the world. Through strategic communications and policy advocacy campaigns, we promote the adoption of proven solutions that are most effective at reducing tobacco use and save most lives	CUTS with the support of CTFK is advocating the implementation of 'Food Safety & Standards (Labeling and Display) Regulations, 2018
22.	<b>Consumers International (CI) IKEA Foundation</b> <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IKEA">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IKEA</a>	<b>IKEA</b> is a Swedish-founded multinational group, headquartered in the Netherlands, that designs and sells ready-to-assemble furniture, kitchen appliances and home accessories. It has been the world's largest furniture retailer since at least 2008.	Promote use of safer and sustainable products among low income consumers and in turn improve their health and wellbeing.  ProVoice Project
23.	<b>Consumers International, London, UK</b>	CI's vision is of a world where people can make	The overall objective of the project is to promote



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.consumersinternational.org/">www.consumersinternational.org/</a>	informed choices on safe and sustainable goods and services and in which individual and collective Consumer Rights are secure and respected	appropriate eco-system for consumers to make right choice in their financial planning and to discourage incentive inspired miss selling by front desk bank staff/financial agents
24.	<b>Federal Service on Customer's Rights Protection and Human Well-being Surveillance (Rospotrebnadzor) of Russian Federation</b> <a href="http://www.rospotrebnadzor.ru/en/">www.rospotrebnadzor.ru/en/</a>	The Federal Service for Supervision of Consumer Rights Protection and Human Well-Being (Rospotrebnadzor) is the federal service responsible for Supervision of consumer rights Protection and Human Well-Being in Russia. Since May 2012 Rospotrebnadzor reports directly to the Russian Government. It functions on the base of the Act of Federal Service on the base of the Administrative Regulation	CUTS facilitated exposure visit for the delegation to India in February 2018  George Cheriyan participated in round table in September, 2018 in Moscow, Russia
25.	<b>Federation of Consumer Protection Societies of the Republic of Uzbekistan</b> <a href="http://potreb.uz/en/main-page/">http://potreb.uz/en/main-page/</a>  <b>National Association of Microfinance Institutos, Uzbekistan</b> <a href="http://www.microcapital.org/microcapital-brief-uzbek-association-for-microfinance-institutions-and-credit-unions-to-implement-new-group-loan-program/">www.microcapital.org/microcapital-brief-uzbek-association-for-microfinance-institutions-and-credit-unions-to-implement-new-group-loan-program/</a>  <b>GIZ, Ujbekistan</b>	The Federation operates on the basis of the Constitution, the Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan on Protection of Consumers' Rights  Uzbek Association for Microfinance Institutions and Credit Unions, a network of 22 credit unions and 21 microfinance institutions  In Uzbekistan, the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale	A visit was made by the delegates, who visited RBI, NABARD and other financial institutions to understand the existing financial sector structures, financial consumer protection, financial inclusion initiatives, regulations and consumer complaint redressal mechanism related to financial services in India



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/364.html">www.giz.de/en/worldwide/364.html</a>	Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH implements projects and programmes on behalf of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), the German Federal Foreign Office (AA) and the German Federal Ministry of the Interior (BMI)	
26.	<b>Global Health Advocacy Incubator (GHAI)</b> <a href="https://nonprofitprofessionals.com/current-searches-all/ghai-ad">https://nonprofitprofessionals.com/current-searches-all/ghai-ad</a>	The Global Health Advocacy Incubator (GHAI), an initiative of the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids, draws on lessons from tobacco control campaigns in more than 50 countries and in other public health issues to drive policy change campaigns around the globe to improve health	CUTS with the support of GHAI is advocating the implementation of 'Food Safety & Standards (Labeling and Display) Regulations, 2018'
27.	<b>Global Partnership for Social Accountability (The World Bank), USA</b> <a href="http://www.thegpsa.org/sa/">www.thegpsa.org/sa/</a>	GPSA provides strategic and sustained support to civil society organisations (CSOs) and governments for social accountability initiatives aimed at strengthening transparency and accountability. We build on the World Bank's direct and ongoing engagement with public sector actors as well as with a network of global partner organisations to achieve the World Bank's twin goals of eliminating extreme	CUTS is one of the global partners of GPSA

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		poverty and boosting shared prosperity	
28.	<b>Global Road Safety Partnership (GRSP)</b> <a href="https://www.grsproadsafety.org/about/contact/">https://www.grsproadsafety.org/about/contact/</a>	The Global Road Safety Partnership's Advocacy and Grants Programme aims to promote the adoption and implementation of effective road safety policies in low and middle-income countries	Campaign for enhanced Road Safety in India through advocacy for speedy rulemaking and effective implementation on Road Safety Law in India (Project RoSA). The second lag of the project involves road safety awareness by way of various administering road safety activities in the targeted areas
29.	<b>Partnership for Transparency Fund (PTF)</b> <a href="http://ptfund.org/">http://ptfund.org/</a>	PTF is a not-for-profit anti-corruption organisation that tackles small scale corruption around the world	PTF has an institutional partnership with CUTS. Have supported CUTS in past for few projects. New partnership with PTF is in process
30.	<b>Research Centre for the Law and Policy of Global Consumer Protection, China (Wuhan University), China</b>  Established on 15 March 2013.  <a href="http://en.internationalconsumer.org/">http://en.internationalconsumer.org/</a>	Contribute to the development of Chinese legislation and international law	CUTS is collaborating for doing thematic research in China, to integrating consumer protection law into curricula for post graduates as well as undergraduates, facilitating training event, develop resource persons and experts of consumer protection law and host each other's students as internships and the academics as visiting scholars, since March 2013
31.	<b>Swedish Society for Nature Conservation (SSNC), Sweden</b>  <a href="http://www.naturskyddsforening.se/en/in-english/about-us">www.naturskyddsforening.se/en/in-english/about-us</a>	Nature Conservation	Develop a culture of sustainable consumption and lifestyle through organic production and consumption in the state of Rajasthan.  Strengthen consumers by vibrant role of CSOs for raising awareness on environmental and other impacts of consumption and promote and contribute to sustainable patterns of consumption

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			amongst consumers, policymakers and other key stakeholders  Documenting Practices of Sustainable Culture and Lifestyles in India
32.	<b>The World Bank</b> <b>Washington DC, USA</b> <a href="http://www.worldbank.org/">www.worldbank.org/</a>	The World Bank is a vital source of financial and technical assistance to developing countries around the world to reduce poverty and support development	A project by the name ProOb-Objective of defining the strategies, methodology and indicators for observing the procurement process in the selected departments in Rajasthan
33.	<b>The World Bank Institute</b> <b>Washington DC, USA</b> <a href="http://wbi.worldbank.org/wbi/">http://wbi.worldbank.org/wbi/</a>	The World Bank Institute (WBI) is a global connector of knowledge, learning and innovation for poverty reduction. It connects practitioners and institutions to help them find suitable solutions to their development challenges	With the support of WBI, CUTS is involved the social accountability and governance interventions at the regional level
34.	<b>US Embassy</b> <a href="https://in.usembassy.gov/">https://in.usembassy.gov/</a>	The US Embassy in New Delhi is the diplomatic mission of the United States of America in the Republic of India	Organising civil society capacity building workshops and bring together representatives from leading US and India think tanks, CSOs to share best practices for enhancing self-governance transparency  Civil Society Organisations Capacity Building on Self-Governance (CiSCAG Project)
35.	<b>Which? UK</b> <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Which%3F">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Which%3F</a>	Promoting informed consumer choice in the purchase of goods and services by testing products, highlighting inferior products or services,	CUTS in partnership with Consumer International (CI) and financial assistance from Which? UK has implemented the project for better and effective mechanism to control mis-selling of financial

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		raising awareness of consumer rights and offering independent advice	products to consumers due to agent commission offers by way of evidence-based advocacy and building a momentum for practice and policy change, so that consumers can make right choice in their financial planning based on right advice than the distorted financial advice based on commission
36.	<b>WHO Country Office for India, through support from Bloomberg Initiative for Global Road Safety</b> <a href="http://www.searo.who.int/india/about/contact/en">www.searo.who.int/india/about/contact/en</a> <b>and</b> <a href="http://www.bloomberg.org/program/public-health/road-safety/">www.bloomberg.org/program/public-health/road-safety/</a>	The Bloomberg Philanthropies Initiative for Global Road Safety works with the world's leading road safety organisations to implement road safety activities and coordinate with in-country governmental and non-governmental stakeholders	Study of Institutional and Legislative Assessment for Road Safety in India. The outcome of the study will help in developing recommendation for improvement for any gaps identified in the assessment in each of the selected States/Union territories, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specific legislative or regulatory text for improvement</li> <li>The rationale for the recommendation</li> </ol>
<b>CUTS Centre for Human Development</b>			
1.	<b>Agriculture and Allied Departments and Institutions</b>	Developing a culture of sustainable consumption and lifestyle through organic production and consumption in our working area	Developing a culture of sustainable development; setting up the community seed bank and vermin-compost cell with the help of farmers; developing organic gardens in selected schools at each district; and creating a demand of organic consumption among consumers
2.	<b>Banking and Financial Institutions</b>	Enhancing financial protection of consumers in particular women through financial literacy initiatives	Build capacities of rural consumers, especially women in terms of financial literacy there-by enhancing their financial inclusion and other financial-related involvements; enhance

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			awareness, knowledge and skills among the target community on the financial decisions about savings, investments, borrowings, income and expenditure; and overcome vulnerability and ensure the economic security of rural consumers by linking them with financial services and government/non-government development schemes
3.	<b>Childline India Foundation Mumbai</b> supported by Ministry of Women and Child Development, India.  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/CHD/Child Line 1098.htm">www.cuts-international.org/CHD/Child Line 1098.htm</a>	Reach out to every child in need of care and protection by responding to emergencies calls and advocate service for children those are inaccessible or non-existent	Providing care and protection in term of awareness creation, build capacity, case intervention, facilitation, advocacy, networking with allied services of government department to avail their rights
4.	<b>Disabled People Organisation (Mewar Viklang Seva Sansthan, Chittorgarh)</b>  Established in 2010 , a registered organisation in Chittorgarh, having 16 Disabled members	Ensuring economic empowerment of visually impaired people and developing a network of people with disabilities, leading to social inclusion of the people with disabilities (PwDs) and bringing about a change in the outlook of the people and stakeholders	Enhancing opportunities for economic security and livelihood to disabled and enabling them to advocate for their rights
5.	<b>District level Coordination Committee's members/representations in Chittorgarh and Bhilwara</b>	Working on health, child protection, violence against working women, tobacco control, road safety, eye care, vigilance, environmental and consumer protection etc.	Assisting in various governments monitoring committees for review and assess the developmental programmes with better outcomes
6.	<b>Farmers Producers Organisation</b>	Promote sustainable and equitable agriculture	Helping farmers in terms of awareness creation, capacity

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	A legal entity company formed by primary producers. <a href="http://www.nabard.org/auth/writereaddata/File/FARMER%20PRODUCER%20ORGANISATIONS.pdf">www.nabard.org/auth/writereaddata/File/FARMER%20PRODUCER%20ORGANISATIONS.pdf</a>	and rural prosperity through effective credit support, institution development and other innovative initiatives	building, technical support, professional management, market access, value addition of products, regulatory requirements etc.
7.	<b>Medical &amp; Health Department and Sightsavers India</b>	Rural eye health in Chittorgarh	Undertake awareness activities, i.e. facilitate flow of patients to eye camps and hospital, training to health workers, preliminary screening, support to base hospital in planning or conduct camps, publicity, linkage with local stakeholders, networking, follow-ups of patient before or after surgeries
8.	<b>Network of District Level Non-Governmental Organisations (DNGOs), Chittorgarh</b>	Serve as a platform to address issues related to NGO collaboration at district level for strengthening the partnerships between NGOs, government and stakeholders, etc.	Function as a think tank for a meaningful and continuous dialogue, thematic discussions, sharing information and devise innovative strategies to enhance effectiveness of on-going programmes; and review existing policy regimes and guidelines
9.	<b>Pratham Education Foundation, ASER (Rural)</b>  Pratham is one of the non-governmental organisations in India Established in 1995 to provide education to children in the slums of Mumbai; Pratham has grown both in scope and geographical coverage.  <a href="http://www.pratham.org">www.pratham.org</a>	Work towards the provision of quality education to the underprivileged children in India and abroad	Since 2005, the ASER survey has been conducted in Chittorgarh district to assess the learning level of school going children
10.	<b>Rajasthan Bal Adhikaar Sangrakshan Sanjha</b>	Right to Children for Free and Compulsory	Creating greater public awareness on child rights and

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<b>Abhiyaan</b>  Networked into the state level advocacy groups/ NGOs supported by Action Aid  <a href="http://www.actionaid.org/india">www.actionaid.org/india</a>	Education (RTE)	promoting quality primary level education
11.	<b>Resource Group on Child Rights in Rajasthan</b>  An initiative of the Save the Children and UNICEF 2013	Child care and protection	The Group involved to spread awareness related to child rights in various segments of the society
12.	<b>Save the Children</b>	Child rights for change in Rajasthan	Activate and strengthen <i>Panchayat</i> Level Child Protection Committees and develop the child protection workforce at the block and district level through competency based trainings for a strong government system that will work towards preventing child labour and migration and also monitor other issues related to child rights
13.	<b>Self Help Groups-</b> National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/CHD/Self-Help-Groups-Bank-Linkages-Programme.htm">www.cuts-international.org/CHD/Self-Help-Groups-Bank Linkages Programme.htm</a>	Ensure socio-economic development and enhance livelihood security in rural areas especially of women	Organising, nurturing and enabling credit linkage of SHGs with banks; stakeholders are encouraged to take up promotion of SHGs by way of promotional grant assistance. SHGs model is now become the success financial inclusion programme at rural level
<b>CUTS Calcutta Resource Centre</b>			
<b>National</b>			
1.	<b>Agragati, Howrah, West Bengal</b>  The NGO is actively involved in the following activities: Community Development, Women	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: "Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level" (CONASC)



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<p>Empowerment, Child Welfare, Health care &amp; Wellbeing, Environment, Agricultural development and Conservation &amp; Heritage</p> <p><a href="http://agragati.webs.com/apps/blog/">http://agragati.webs.com/apps/blog/</a></p>	<p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a></p>
2.	<p><b>Alinan Ramakrishna Vivekananda Yuva Sangha</b>, East Midnapore (Alinan), West Bengal</p> <p>In the year 1974, some youth of village Alinan and Saira of undivided Medinipur sowed a seed of social service</p> <p><a href="http://arvys.org/Home.php">http://arvys.org/Home.php</a></p>	<p>Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p> <p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p>Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: "A Diagnostic Study to Build the Capacity/Awareness among CSOs to demand for Demand Side Management &amp; Renewable Energy in India" (DREC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/index.htm</a></p>
3.	<p><b>Athghara Sanghati Kendra</b>, North 24 Parganas (Bashirhat) West Bengal</p> <p>Started in the year 1977 by a group of young and enthusiastic men &amp; women, the organisation has been working on issues related to solar energy, health, education, child care &amp; nutrition, organic agriculture, women empowerment. The NGO organises awareness camps on several issues</p> <p><a href="http://agragati.webs.com/apps/blog/">http://agragati.webs.com/apps/blog/</a></p>	<p>Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p> <p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p>Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: "Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level" (CONASC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a></p>
4.	<p><b>Baikantapur Tarun Sangha</b>, South 24 Parganas (Baikantapur), West Bengal</p>	<p>Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand</p>	<p>Networking and field research partner in the district for the following projects: "A Diagnostic Study to Build the Capacity/Awareness among</p>



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<p>This is a non-profit, non-political &amp; non-religious Integrated Development Service Providing Organisation to serve the poverty stricken, marginalised and vulnerable community living near the Reserve Mangrove Forest areas under Coastal Sunderbans</p> <p><a href="http://www.bts-india.in/">www.bts-india.in/</a></p>	<p>Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p> <p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p>CSOs to demand for Demand Side Management &amp; Renewable Energy in India” (DREC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm</a></p>
5.	<p><b>Baxi Par Mekhligunj Farmer Producer Company Limited</b></p>	<p>District level grassroots organisation working mainly in the public health, electricity sector and other disaster relief related issues</p> <p>A state level farmer producer company working for farmer’s interest as well as electricity issues for grassroots consumers</p>	<p>Partner in West Bengal for the project “Consumer Awareness Programme for improvement of the overall standard of performance in the distribution Sector in two districts of West Bengal (CAPSOPI)”</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP I.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP I.htm</a></p>
6.	<p><b>Bengal Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry (BCC&amp;I)</b></p> <p>It is a chamber of commerce based in West Bengal, India</p> <p><a href="http://www.bengalchamber.com/">www.bengalchamber.com/</a></p>	<p>Conduct Policy Advocacy and, Business Research to promote trade in West Bengal, India</p>	<p>Event partner for organizing seminar on “Information Disclosure for Broadband Services: Empowering Informed Choices in the 4G Era” (CBL)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/CRC/CBL.htm">http://cuts-international.org/CRC/CBL.htm</a></p>
7.	<p><b>Calcutta Customs House Agents Association (CCHA)</b></p> <p>It is an apex body of the authorised agents of Kolkata Customs, those are engaged in clearing and forwarding freight at the Airport and Seaports of West Bengal</p> <p><a href="http://www.cchaakolkata.org/Def">www.cchaakolkata.org/Def</a></p>	<p>Facilitation of international trade by clearing and forwarding freight through air, water and land.</p>	<p>Event partner for organising Awareness Generation Workshop in Kolkata, under the project “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar”</p> <p><a href="http://www.cuts-">www.cuts-</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="#">ault.aspx</a>		<a href="#">international.org/BBINMVA/</a>
8.	<p><b>Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation (CESC)</b> It is the Kolkata-based flagship company of the RP-Sanjiv Goenka Group, born from the erstwhile RPG Group, under the chairmanship of businessman Sanjiv Goenka. It was founded in 1897.</p> <p><a href="#">www.cesc.co.in/</a></p>	<p>It is the sole distributor of electricity within an area of 567sq km of Kolkata &amp; Howrah and serve 2.9 million consumers which include domestic, industrial and commercial users</p>	<p>CRC with the support of CESC organised a series of focussed group meetings with electricity consumers in Kolkata, under the project “Grahoker Mukho Mukhi”</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/Grahoker_Mukho-Mukhi.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/Grahoker_Mukho-Mukhi.htm</a></p>
9.	<p><b>Chak Kumar Association for Social Service</b>, West Midnapur (Debra Bazar), West Bengal</p> <p>This is a registered state level NGO working on Child rights &amp; Protection, Correctional service, Shelter, protection and Need and care and protection of Juvenile (JCL &amp; CNCP) boys, Entrepreneurship development training for unemployed youth, Women Empowerment, CHILD Line Service etc.</p>	<p>Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p> <p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p>Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: “A Diagnostic Study to Build the Capacity/Awareness among CSOs to demand for Demand Side Management &amp; Renewable Energy in India” (DREC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a></p>
10.	<p><b>Chanchal Jana Kalyan Samity</b>, Malda (Chanchal), West Bengal</p> <p>The aim of the organisation is to work in the villages with the villagers for upliftment of their socio-economic condition, ensuring civic &amp; human rights, minimum health care, fight against malnutrition, illiteracy and migration</p>	<p>Conduct research and awareness generation on people’s perceptions on the impact of globalisation specially on agriculture</p> <p>Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p>	<p>Project partner for: “Impact of Rural Electrification Project”, “Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level”(CONASC) project and “Rational use of Drugs in the Community (RUD) ” project</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://west-bengal.ngosindia.com/channel-jana-kalyan-samiti-malda/">http://west-bengal.ngosindia.com/channel-jana-kalyan-samiti-malda/</a>	Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes	
11.	<b>Child In Need Institute (CINI)</b> It is an international humanitarian organisation aimed at promoting sustainable development in health, nutrition and education of child, adolescent and woman in need in India  <a href="http://www.cini-india.org/">www.cini-india.org/</a>	Conduct community development projects and programmes with primary focus on the issues of health, nutrition, education and protection of children and mothers	Networking partner for "Community Outreach Programme for the promotion of Jal Marg Vikas Project: NW-1" organised in West Bengal  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/CRC/JMVP.htm">http://cuts-international.org/CRC/JMVP.htm</a>
12.	<b>Consumer's Protection Association, Agartala Tripura</b>  This is a leading National level, Non-Government and non-profit organisation working on Good Governance and humanitarian services	Conduct regional consultations, and state level knowledge enhance workshops  Organising awareness generation camps and capacity building exercises of CSOs working on consumer issues, with a focus on new generation consumer issues  Assist in research activities and conducted a comprehensive survey on consumer concerns	State partner in organising awareness generation camps and capacity building exercises in the ConsumersUp project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm</a>
13.	<b>Consumers' Legal Protection Forum, Guwahati, Assam</b>  A group of advocates, journalists, doctors and social welfare activists are running the consumer rights body in Assam.	Conduct Regional Consultations, and state level knowledge enhance workshops  Organise awareness generation camps and capacity building exercises of CSOs working on consumer	State partner in organising awareness generation camps and capacity building exercises in the ConsumersUp project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		<p>issues, with a focus on new generation consumer issues</p> <p>Assist in research activities and conducted a comprehensive survey on consumer concerns</p>	
14.	<p><b>Dakshin Ramchandrapur Vivekananda SevaKendra</b>, Cooch Behar, West Bengal</p> <p>The organisation registered since 1987, has been working on poverty alleviation, livelihood development</p> <p><a href="http://pwdcbr.org/disability_slider.html">http://pwdcbr.org/disability_slider.html</a></p>	<p>Training, rehabilitation and skill development for people with disabilities</p>	<p>Project partner for “A Diagnostic Study to Build the Capacity/Awareness among CSOs to demand for Demand Side Management &amp; Renewable Energy in India” (DREC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm</a></p>
15.	<p><b>Datacorp Traffic Pvt. Ltd.</b></p> <p>Data Corp Traffic is an offshore partner for providing Transportation Data analysis/ Traffic video reduction services for Transportation data collection companies, Transport Planners, Consultants, Councils and other Transport authorities across the globe</p> <p><a href="http://www.datacorp-traffic.in/">www.datacorp-traffic.in/</a></p>	<p>DataCorp Traffic is a professional transportation data collection company for carrying out all types of Traffic surveys across India. We bring in the International expertise and latest technologies for delivering accurate traffic data at International standards for the Indian road conditions.</p>	<p>Datacorp was responsible for conducting Origin – Destination Surveys and Traffic Speed/Mix/Volume Surveys using pneumatic tubes with ATCC and Video capturing across the following two BBIN Corridors:</p> <p>Kolkata-Agartala via Dhaka; and Kathmandu-Chittagong via Fulbari, Banglabandha and Dhaka</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/BBIN.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/BBIN.htm</a></p>
16.	<p><b>Deepalaya</b></p> <p>It is a national level NGO</p> <p><a href="http://www.deepalaya.org/">www.deepalaya.org/</a></p>	<p>Work in the areas of consumer protection, education, women empowerment and vocational training</p>	<p>Event partner for organising seminar on “Information Disclosure for Broadband Services: Empowering Informed Choices in the 4G Era” (CBL)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-">http://cuts-</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<a href="http://international.org/CRC/CBL.htm">international.org/CRC/CBL.htm</a>
17.	<b>Earth Day Network</b>  It is an international NGO working on various issues pertaining to Energy and Environment.  <a href="http://www.earthday.org/">www.earthday.org/</a>	Through a combination of education, public policy, and consumer campaigns they try to diversify, educate and activate the environmental movement worldwide	Project partner for the Grow GET project.  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Grow-GET/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/Grow-GET/index.htm</a>
18.	<b>Federation of Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industries of North Bengal (FOCIN), Siliguri, West Bengal</b>	Chamber of Commerce from North Bengal working on issues of Trade and Development	Networking and event partners in various trade projects
19.	<b>Federation of Industry and Commerce for North East Region (FINER)</b>  It is an Apex Industrial body of the North East Region. It facilitates growth of Industry, Trade and Commerce in the North Eastern States of India  <a href="http://www.finer.in/">www.finer.in/</a>	Conduct policy advocacy and, business research to promote trade in North East region of India	Event partner for organising Awareness Generation Workshop in Shillong, under the project “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar”  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/">www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/</a>
20.	<b>FICCI, North East</b> It is the apex business organisation in India <a href="http://www.ficci.in/">www.ficci.in/</a>	FICCI provides a platform for networking and consensus building within and across sectors and is the first port of call for Indian industry, policy makers and the international business community	Event partner for organising “Awareness Generation Workshop” in Guwahati, under the EPTAF project  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/">www.cuts-international.org/BBINMVA/</a>  CUTS was also a knowledge partner for the fourth and fifth North East Summit on Connectivity organised in Nagaland and Arunachal Pradesh respectively
21.	<b>Indian Institute of Engineering Science and</b>	Undertake Undertake Research and Provide	Event Partner of the project ‘Traffic Calming Strategies to

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<b>Technology, Shibpur (Formerly BESU)</b> This is one of the leading Technical Institutes of India, established in 1856. The University has developed a strong Research & Consultancy Directorate in order to promote Research based activities.  <a href="http://www.becs.ac.in/">www.becs.ac.in/</a>	Training on Traffic & Transport Engineering, Renewable Energy and other engineering faculties.	Improve Pedestrian Safety in India' <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/CART/eventTCSRegionalandNationalDisseminationMeetings.htm">www.cuts-international.org/CART/eventTCSRegionalandNationalDisseminationMeetings.htm</a>
22.	<b>Jadavpur University</b>  The Institute is a premier Indian University offering a vast repertoire of courses and is known for its commitment towards advanced study and research  <a href="http://www.jaduniv.edu.in">www.jaduniv.edu.in</a>	Undertake research and policy analysis on economic issues  Contribute to the public debate on current important economic issues	Event partner for Stakeholders Consultation on Regional Economic Cooperation in South Asia with a Focus on India-Bangladesh Trade, 19 September 2008.  Other than that, steady networking with professors and faculty of the Economics Department of the University. They have been involved in many consultations and provided inputs towards our research
23.	<b>Jalpaiguri Small Tea Growers Association, Jalpaiguri, West Bengal</b>  The association was established in 2006 to promote quality sustainable agriculture.  <a href="http://www.smallteajalpaiguri.org">www.smallteajalpaiguri.org</a>	Create awareness on good practices in tea cultivation and create market linkages	Networking and field research partner in the district for 'Grassroots Reachout & Networking in India on Trade & Economics' (GRANITE) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/GRANITE-II/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/GRANITE-II/index.htm</a>
24.	<b>Jorhat Engineering College</b>  The premier institution of North East India and the second Government Engineering College of	Undertake research and provide training on various engineering faculties	Networking and awareness generation partner for BIS programme of Educational Utilisation of Standards awareness generation in Jorhat

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	Assam started on 7th January, 1959 <a href="http://jecassam.ac.in/">http://jecassam.ac.in/</a>		<a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS-Awareness-Generation-Programme.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS Awareness Generation Programme.htm</a>
25.	<b>Kajla Jana Kalyan Samity, East Midnapore</b> A district-level grassroots organisation <a href="http://www.kjksindia.org/">www.kjksindia.org/</a>	It works mainly on integrated environment management, child protection, action against domestic violence, disaster risk reduction	Networking partner for “Community Outreach Programme for the promotion of Jal Marg Vikas Project: NW-1” organised in West Bengal  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/CRC/IMVP.htm">http://cuts-international.org/CRC/IMVP.htm</a>
26.	<b>Kapaseria Rural Development Society, East Midnapore</b>  A district-level grassroots organisation	It works mainly on rural development, SHG formation, vocational training and providing market linkage	Networking partner for “Community Outreach Programme for the promotion of Jal Marg Vikas Project: NW-1” organised in West Bengal. <a href="http://cuts-international.org/CRC/IMVP.htm">http://cuts-international.org/CRC/IMVP.htm</a>
27.	<b>Maa Sarada Smriti Seva Sangsthan, Bihar</b>  The NGO registered under Societies’ Act since 2008, works on several development issues in Bihar	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on ISI marks on several commodities and Hallmark on jewelleryes in Hazipur District of Bihar	District partner for general consumer awareness generation on ISI standards provided by BIS
28.	<b>Mogra Women Development Centre, Hooghly (Mogra), West Bengal</b>  The NGO works on issues related to Livelihood development	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy  Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: “Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level” (CONASC)  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a>
29.	<b>Mukti, South 24 Parganas, West Bengal</b>	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following projects: “A



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<p>A socio-economic development organisation, registered with Government of India Trust Act 64, 12A, 80G and FCRA (Foreign Contribution Regulation Act 1976), has been working for Sunderban people in the Delta region of South 24 Parganas, WB, India with the programmes of Health, Water and Sanitation, Education &amp; Empowerment, Agricultural Reforms, Livelihood &amp; Economic Empowerment, Environment, Rights &amp; Governance, covering 23000 households of the last miles</p> <p><a href="http://muktiweb.org/">http://muktiweb.org/</a></p>	<p>building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy</p> <p>Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes</p>	<p>Diagnostic Study to Build the Capacity/Awareness among CSOs to demand for Demand Side Management &amp; Renewable Energy in India" (DREC)</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm</a></p>
30.	<p><b>Muzaffarpur Institute of Technology</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.mitmuzaffarpur.org/">www.mitmuzaffarpur.org/</a></p>	<p>Undertake research and provide training on various engineering faculties</p>	<p>Networking and awareness generation partner for BIS programme of Educational Utilisation of Standards awareness generation in Muzaffarpur</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS-Awareness-Generation-Programme.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS Awareness Generation Programme.htm</a></p>
31.	<p><b>National Youth Project, Arunachal Pradesh</b></p> <p>The NGO registered since 2009 has been working on Child Welfare, Civic Issues, Drinking Water, Education &amp; Literacy, Environment &amp; Forests, Health &amp; Family Welfare and Women's Development &amp; Empowerment etc.</p>	<p>Organising awareness generation camps on consumer protection and safety issues</p>	<p>State partner for organising consumer awareness programmes in Consumer Protection and Safety project of IRDA</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/ConsumersUp/index.htm</a></p>



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
32.	<b>NIDAN</b> , Patna, Bihar  Nidan is a well-known organisation operating from Patna, Bihar working on livelihood development, health, education, social security and other issues  <a href="http://www.nidan.in/">www.nidan.in/</a>	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on ISI marks on several commodities and Hallmark on jewelleryes	District partner for general consumer awareness generation on ISI standards provided by BIS
33.	<b>Organic Ekata Society</b> , Darjeeling, West Bengal This is a co-operative society of small tea farmers from Darjeeling, dedicated to socioeconomic development of the region	Create awareness on good practices in tea cultivation and create market linkages	Field Research Partner for “Grassroots Reachout & Networking in India on Trade & Economics” (GRANITE) project  <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/GRANITE-II/index.htm">www.cuts-citee.org/GRANITE-II/index.htm</a>
34.	<b>Palsa Pally Unnayan Samity</b> , Murshidabad (Nabagram), West Bengal  The NGO works on several Civic, Agricultural and child education issues in the district.	Conduct research and awareness generation on people’s perceptions on the impact of globalisation specially on agriculture; conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy; and empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following projects: “Grassroots Reachout & Networking in India on Trade & Economics” (GRANITE)project,  “Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level”(CONASC) project and  “Rational use of Drugs in the Community (RUD) ” project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a>
35.	<b>Purulia District Sishu O Mohila Unnayan Samity</b> , Purulia (Jargo) West Bengal  The NGO has been working on issues related to social upliftment of rural communities	Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy  Empower CSOs to	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following project: “Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level” (CONASC)  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.agragami.org/Default/Pages/Default.aspx">www.agragami.org/Default/Pages/Default.aspx</a>	carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes	<a href="#">/index.htm</a>
36.	<b>Ramakrishna Loka Seva Kendra</b>	District level grassroots organisation working mainly in the public health, electricity sector and other disaster relief related issues  A state level farmer producer company working for farmer's interest as well as electricity issues for grassroots consumers	Project Partner in West Bengal for the project "Consumer Awareness Programme for improvement of the overall standard of performance in the distribution Sector in two districts of West Bengal (CAPSOPI)"  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm</a>
37.	<b>Ramkrishnapur Farmer Producer Company Limited</b>	District level grassroots organisation working mainly in the public health, electricity sector and other disaster relief related issues A state level farmer producer company working for farmer's interest as well as electricity issues for grassroots consumers	Partner in West Bengal for the project "Consumer Awareness Programme for improvement of the overall standard of performance in the distribution Sector in two districts of West Bengal (CAPSOPI)"  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm</a>
38.	<b>Rashtriya Gramin Vikas Nidhi (RGVN), Guwahati</b> Established in April 1990 Rashtriya Gramin Vikas Nidhi  <a href="http://www.rgvnindia.org">www.rgvnindia.org</a>	National level multi-state development and support organisation working in the states of Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Manipur, Tripura, Sikkim, Odisha, Jharkhand, Bihar. After expanding operations in the Northeast, development activities were also extended to the poverty stricken pockets of Chhattisgarh, Eastern Uttar Pradesh	Project Partner in India of "Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)" project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		and coastal Andhra Pradesh	
39.	<b>Seva Kendra, Kolkata</b> is committed to building a harmonious society, through participation and action towards the upliftment of the struggling and disadvantaged people of West Bengal  <a href="http://www.sevakendra.in/">www.sevakendra.in/</a>	Renewable Energy, Sustainable Development, Rehabilitation of Children below working Age, Education, Organic Farming	Project partner for the Grow GET project  <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/Grow-GET/index.htm">www.cuts-ccier.org/Grow-GET/index.htm</a>
40.	<b>Sreema Mahila Samity, Nadia (Duttafulia), West Bengal</b>  The samity which started its journey in 1972, has proved its mettle in the micro-finance, health and general welfare activities in improving the quality of life of the community  <a href="http://sreema.org/">http://sreema.org/</a>	Conduct research and awareness generation on people's perceptions on the impact of globalisation specially on agriculture  Conduct awareness generation for consumers and capacity building on issues pertaining to Demand Side Management/ Renewable Energy  Empower CSOs to carryout need based advocacy and participate in the associated policy, regulatory processes	Networking and field research partner in the district for the following projects: "Grassroots Reachout & Networking in India on Trade & Economics" "Consumer Assistance Cells for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level" and "Rational use of Drugs in the Community" (RUD) project <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a>
41.	<b>Sristee</b>	District level grassroot organisation working mainly in the public health, electricity sector and other disaster relief related issues A state level farmer producer company working for farmer's interest as well as electricity issues for grassroot consumers	Partner in West Bengal for the project "Consumer Awareness Programme for improvement of the overall standard of performance in the distribution Sector in two districts of West Bengal (CAPSOPI)"  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CAPSOP1.htm</a>
42.	<b>Tripura Institute of</b>	Undertake research and	Networking and awareness

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<b>Technology</b> The institute which was started in the year 1958 with three conventional branches of Civil, Electrical and Mechanical Engineering, affiliated to West Bengal State Council of Technical Education. Later, one more branch namely Electronics & Tele-Communication Engineering paved its way into the system in the year 1995 <a href="http://www.titagartala.nic.in/">www.titagartala.nic.in/</a>	provide training on various engineering faculties	generation partner for BIS programme of Educational Utilisation of Standards awareness generation in Agartala <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS-Awareness-Generation-Programme.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CUTS-BIS Awareness Generation Programme.htm</a>
43.	<b>West Bengal Renewable Energy Development Agency (WBREDA)</b> WBREDA, formed in the year 1993 is the State Nodal Agency for implementation of Non Conventional Energy programmes in West Bengal <a href="http://www.wbreda.org/">www.wbreda.org/</a>	Contribute by providing inputs on energy issues  Contribute to the public debate on relevant energy issues	Partnered and provided advise in several workshops and events such as “Workshop on Formulation & Implementation of Low Carbon Policies in Electricity Sector”, “Evolving consumer friendly policies to enhance access to Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency” of the DREC project  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/DREC/Index.htm</a>
44.	<b>West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (WBERC)</b> The commission, constituted by the Government of West Bengal came into effect from 1999 <a href="http://www.wberc.net/">http://www.wberc.net/</a>	Framing regulations pertaining to electricity sector in West Bengal	Partnered and provided advise in several workshops and events such as “Workshop on Formulation & Implementation of Low Carbon Policies in Electricity Sector”, “Evolving consumer friendly policies to enhance access to Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency” of the DREC project  Jointly implemented the

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			project entitled “Consumer Awareness programme for improvement of overall standard of performance in the Distribution sector in two districts of West Bengal (CAPSOPI) in West Bengal” during 2017
45.	<b>West Bengal State Electricity Board (WBSEDCL)</b>  It is a state owned electricity regulation board in West Bengal in India. It was formed on 1 May 1955 and dissolved on 31 March 2007. WBSEDCL is responsible for distributing power in the state of power at 33 kV level and below.  <a href="http://www.wbsedcl.in/irj/go/km/docs/internet/new_website/Home.html">www.wbsedcl.in/irj/go/km/docs/internet/new_website/Home.html</a>	WBSEDCL is responsible for transmitting power at 66 kV, 132 kV, 220 kV and 400 kV in the state of West Bengal	CRC with the support of WBSEDCL implemented a project titled “Consumer Assistance Cell for Electricity Consumers at Grassroots Level”. The project was implemented in nine districts in West Bengal.  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/CONASC/index.htm</a>
<b>International</b>			
46.	<b>Bhutan Media and Communications Institute</b>  BMCI is a social enterprise with a deep-rooted value system that respects and regards all aspects of life. They have tasked themselves to reach out to different sections of society who are in need of their services. Every program and activity is carefully planned striving to solve a problem of a particular group, industry or society  <a href="https://bmcinstitute.com/">https://bmcinstitute.com/</a>	Their area of work encompasses Climate Change, providing skill development training to youths on various computer skills, create awareness for a healthy lifestyle, policy research and advocacy, media sensitisation on various trade, environment and economic issues	Project Partner for the project titled “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar”  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm">www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm</a>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
47.	<b>East West Centre (EWC), US</b> The East-West Center promotes better relations and understanding among the people and nations of the United States, Asia, and the Pacific through cooperative study, research, and dialogue.  <a href="http://www.eastwestcenter.org/">www.eastwestcenter.org/</a>	<p>Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia and Southeast Asia from the non-governmental side</p> <p>Conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian and Southeast Asian region</p>	<p>Project Partner for the project titled “Indo-Asia Connectivity for Shared Prosperity”</p> <p><a href="http://cuts-international.org/iacp/">http://cuts-international.org/iacp/</a></p>
48.	<b>Myanmar Marketing Research &amp; Development, Ltd. (MMRD)</b> , Myanmar. MMRD enable global organisation to have unique insights on Myanmar business and social environment as they have accumulated a wealth of knowledge and data on Myanmar through thousands of interviews, focus groups or surveys across all major industries and communities  <a href="http://www.mmrd.com/">www.mmrd.com/</a>	<p>Conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues</p>	<p>Project Partner for the project titled “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar”</p> <p><a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm">http://www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm</a></p>
49.	<b>Nepal Economic Forum (NEF)</b> NEP is a Nepal's premier private sector led economic policy and research institution. Established in 2009, NEF seeks to re-define the economic development discourse in Nepal and positively transform Nepal's economic and development policies	<p>Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia and Southeast Asia from the non-governmental side</p> <p>Conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian and Southeast Asian region</p>	<p>Project Partner for the project titled “Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar”</p> <p><a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm">www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm</a></p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://www.nepaleconomicforum.org/">www.nepaleconomicforum.org/</a>		
50.	<b>SNV, Bhutan</b> active as a development partner in Bhutan since 1988  <a href="http://www.snvworld.org">www.snvworld.org</a>	Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia from the non-governmental side  Conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian region  Establish linkages with other organisation having similar objectives	Project Partner in Bhutan for the project titled "Sustainable Development Investment Portfolio in South Asia (SDIP)"  <a href="http://cuts-international.org/crc/Sustainable_Development_Investment_Portfolio.htm">http://cuts-international.org/crc/Sustainable_Development_Investment_Portfolio.htm</a>
51.	<b>Unnayan Shamannay</b> It is involved in research along with capacity building, policy advocacy. Further, it also assists networking and facilitates cultural learning. They try to strengthen private sector initiatives for socioeconomic and cultural development of Bangladesh through a concerted grassroots approach  <a href="http://www.usshamunnaybd.org/">www.usshamunnaybd.org/</a>	Facilitate the process of regional integration within South Asia and South East Asia from the non-governmental side.  Conduct policy research and advocacy programme on trade, economic and environmental issues affecting the South Asian and Southeast Asian region	Project Partner for the project titled "Creating an Enabling and Inclusive Policy and Political Economy Discourse for Trade, Transport and Transit Facilitation in and among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Myanmar"  In the past Unnayan Shamannay had also partnered CUTS International in implementing various other projects.  <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm">www.cuts-international.org/bbinmva/Partners.htm</a>
<b>CUTS Hanoi</b>			
1.	<b>Indonesian Centre for Law and Policy Studies, Indonesia</b>  A non-profit organisation working on research and advocacy towards socially	Contribute significantly to the consistency of the legal enforcement and to legal reform in Indonesia	Research partner of the UTPs project



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	responsible law making in Indonesia <a href="http://www.pshk.or.id">www.pshk.or.id</a>		
2.	<b>National Economic Research Institute, Laos</b>  Established in 1997 as a strategic research institute under the supervision of the Committee for Planning and Investment (CPI) <a href="http://www.neri.gov.la">http://www.neri.gov.la</a>	Formulate the long-term provincial, regional, and national socio-economic development strategy, to research, analyse and monitor	Research partner for the 'Competition Policy and Law in ASEAN' project
3.	<b>Philippines Institute for Development Studies, the Philippines</b>  Established on September 26, 1977 to respond to the critical and growing need for research for planning and policy formulation. <a href="http://www.pids.gov.ph">http://www.pids.gov.ph</a>	Help government planners and policymakers in the executive and legislative branches of government	Research partner of the UTPs project
4.	<b>Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI), Thailand</b>  A non-profit, non-governmental foundation established in 1984 <a href="http://www.info.tdri.or.th">www.info.tdri.or.th</a>	Conduct and promote policy research; and create a research network linking institutions/individuals in policy research	Research partner of the UTPs project
5.	<b>The Swedish Standards Institute (SIS)</b>  A member-based, not-profit private association and is the centre for work on standards in Sweden. <a href="http://www.sis.se/en/">http://www.sis.se/en/</a>	Help customers to develop their business and make it more efficient by providing a neutral forum where standards can be influenced, as well providing training and general guidance	Research, capacity-building and advocacy partner of "SESA Programme: Trade Promotion through Standardisation" project (2013-2016)
6.	<b>Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry (VCCI)</b>	Being national organisation which assembles and represents business	Advocacy and networking partner of the 'Trade Promotion through Standardisation in the South



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<p>VCCI is an independent, non-governmental, non-profit organisation having the status of a legal entity and operating with financial autonomy established in 2003</p> <p><a href="http://vcci.com.vn">http://vcci.com.vn</a>  <a href="http://vccinews.com/">http://vccinews.com/</a></p>	<p>community, employers and business associations of all economic sectors in Vietnam, VCCI's mission is to promote trade and business relations with enterprises abroad</p>	<p>East and South Asia regions' (SESA) programme (2013-2016)</p> <p>Partner (information gathering) of the Geneva Connexion project (2016)</p> <p>Partner in organising the launch event of the Diginomics-I (Regional Inclusive Growth) project in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam in August 2017</p>
7.	<p><b>Vietnam Competition Authority, Hanoi, Vietnam (VCA)</b></p> <p>State agency under the Ministry of Industry and Trade established in 2006.</p> <p><a href="http://www.vca.gov.vn">http://www.vca.gov.vn</a></p>	<p>Administer competition law enforcement, handle anti-competition and unfair competition cases; investigate antidumping, subsidy and safeguard cases (WTO law); and responsible for consumer protection</p>	<p>Research, advocacy and networking partner for the "Strengthening the Competition Authorities in Vietnam" (SCAV) project</p> <p>Research partner for the "Unfair Trade Practices in ASEAN" (UTPs) project</p> <p>Research partner for the "Using Competition Law/Policy Tools in Dealing with Anticompetitive Practices in the Pharmaceutical Distribution System in Vietnam" project</p>
8.	<p><b>Vietnam Standards and Consumers Association, Hanoi, Vietnam (VINASTAS)</b></p> <p>Established in 1988 as a non-governmental consumer association at the national level with a network of 46 branches in provinces</p> <p><a href="http://vinastas.org/home/default.aspx">http://vinastas.org/home/default.aspx</a></p>	<p>Promote standardisation, metrology and quality; and protect consumers' interests</p>	<p>Research, advocacy and networking partner of the "Strengthening the Consumer Movement in Vietnam" (SCMV) project</p> <p>Research, advocacy and networking partner for the "Holding broadband service providers to account" project</p> <p>Research, advocacy and networking partner for the "Promoting Food Safety in Vietnam: A Case Study on the</p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			<p>Presence of Pesticides, Chemicals and Harmful Bacteria in Vegetables and Fruits” project</p> <p>Advocacy and networking partner for the “Trade Promotion through Standardisation in the South East and South Asia regions” (SESA) programme (2013-2016)</p>
<b>CUTS Nairobi</b>			
1.	<b>Action Développement et Intégration Régionale (ADIR) Burundi</b> <a href="http://adirburundi.wordpress.com/event-info/adir/organs/">http://adirburundi.wordpress.com/event-info/adir/organs/</a>	Brings together EAC stakeholders, in five EAC countries and in Geneva, to pursue a more integrated policy framework on issues of food security, climate change and trade	Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade linkages in the East African Community (PACT-EAC) Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-geneva.org/pacteac/">http://www.cuts-geneva.org/pacteac/</a>
2.	<b>African Centre for Trade and Development (ACTADE)</b> <a href="http://www.actade.org/Actade/default.aspx">http://www.actade.org/Actade/default.aspx</a>	Study the implications of the SPS within the EAC region	Research partner on “Building an Inclusive East African Community” BIEAC Project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/BIEAC/index.htm">http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/BIEAC/index.htm</a>
3.	<b>African Women Economic Policy Network</b> <a href="http://www.aweponafrica.org/">http://www.aweponafrica.org/</a>	Strengthen the capacity of women especially at the grassroots and national levels to influence the shape of economic policy	Adjunct partner under “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” Project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
4.	<b>Agency for Cooperation in Research and Development</b> <a href="http://www.acordinternational.org/news/acord-rwanda-universalising-social-justice/">http://www.acordinternational.org/news/acord-rwanda-universalising-social-justice/</a>	Strengthen the CSOs on fostering equity and accountability in the trading system in Uganda	Advocacy partner on “Building an Inclusive East African Community” BIEAC Project
5.	<b>Consumer Education Trust (CONSENT)</b>	Enhance public private sector partnership through awareness	Advocacy partner on the “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		programmes, dialogue, policy research and advocacy	Reduction” Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
		Produce a comparative study of competition regimes in seven developing countries of the commonwealth	Research organisation in a Comparative study of Competition Regimes in Selected Developing countries. 7UP 1 Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7up1/">http://www.cuts-ccier.org/7up1/</a>
6.	<b>Development Network of Indigenous Network</b> <a href="http://www.deniva.or.ug/">http://www.deniva.or.ug/</a>	Strengthen civil society organisations in the quest for transparency, equity and democratic governance through advocacy, networking and capacity building for sustainable development in Uganda	Research partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” (TDP) project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
7.	<b>East African Civil Society Organisation Forum (EACSOF)</b> <a href="http://www.eacsofrwanda.org/spip.php?rubrique4">http://www.eacsofrwanda.org/spip.php?rubrique4</a>	They also update their representatives at the WTO in Geneva on the situation on the ground every two months	
8.	<b>Economic &amp; Social Research Foundation</b> <a href="http://www.ersf.or.tz">www.ersf.or.tz</a>	Build human and institutional capabilities in economic and social policy analysis through training, research & advocacy  Strengthen the civil society organisations on fostering equity and accountability in the trading system in Tanzania	Research and advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” (TDP) Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>  Advocacy Partner on “Fostering Equity, Accountability and Transparency” FEATS Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/FEATS/index.htm">http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/FEATS/index.htm</a>
9.	<b>Hivos East Africa</b> <a href="https://east-africa.hivos.org/about-hivos">https://east-africa.hivos.org/about-hivos</a>	To build demand for uptake of Renewable energy in Kenya	Support partner under the project titled ‘Diagnostic Study to build the Capacity/Awareness among Consumer Groups to Demand for Renewable Energy (RE) &

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
			Energy Efficiency (EE) in Kenya <a href="http://cutsRenewableenergy.org">http://cutsRenewableenergy.org</a>
10.	<b>Institute of Economic Affairs</b> <a href="http://www.iea.or.ke">www.iea.or.ke</a>	Research, policy advocacy and civil society capacity building on issues of economic governance	Advocacy partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” (TDP) Project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
11.	<b>Kenya Association of Manufacturers</b> <a href="http://www.kam.co.ke">www.kam.co.ke</a>	Unite industrialists and serve as a voice for Kenya’s manufacturing sector	Adjunct partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” (TDP) project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
12.	<b>Kenya Institute of Public Policy Research and Analysis</b> <a href="http://www.kippra.org">www.kippra.org</a>	Develop capacities in public policy research and analysis, and therefore assist the Government of Kenya in the process of policy formulation, implementation and evaluation	Research partner of “Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction” (TDP) Project <a href="http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/">http://www.cuts-citee.org/tdp/</a>
13.	<b>Kenya Market Trust</b> <a href="http://www.kenyamarkets.org/">www.kenyamarkets.org/</a>	Political Economy Analysis of the Kenya’s Livestock Sector	Research and Advocacy Partnership in the use of the political economy analysis approach to interrogate the underlying formal and informal rules, interests, politics, the decision-making spectrum toward the livestock sector and related markets

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
14.	<b>Southern and Eastern Africa Trade, Information and Negotiations Institute (SEATINI)</b> <a href="http://www.seatiniuganda.org/">http://www.seatiniuganda.org/</a>	Support CSOs in the integration process within the EAC  Strengthen the CSOs on fostering equity and accountability in the trading system in Uganda	Advocacy partner on “Building an Inclusive East African Community” BIEAC Project <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/BIEAC/index.htm">http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/BIEAC/index.htm</a>  Advocacy Partner on “Fostering Equity, Accountability and Transparency” FEATS Project. <a href="http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/FEATS/index.htm">http://www.cuts-international.org/ARC/Nairobi/FEATS/index.htm</a>
15.	<b>The Netherlands Development Organisation (SNV) Kenya</b> <a href="http://www.safefoodkenya.com/">www.safefoodkenya.com/</a>  Agriculture & Livestock Department responsible for dairy development in Laikipia, Murang'a, Nakuru & Nyandarua counties	Food Safety and Food Loss Reduction in the Kenya's Dairy Sector	Voice for Change Partnership (V4CP) in collaboration with the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), and in partnership with the Dutch Directorate-General for International Cooperation (DGIS) for policy and practice change towards the realisation of safety and loss reduction in the Kenya's dairy sector. <a href="http://www.snv.org/theme/food-nutrition-security">www.snv.org/theme/food-nutrition-security</a>
16.	<b>Trade Development Links, Rwanda</b> <a href="http://td-links.com/?page_id=8">http://td-links.com/?page_id=8</a>	Study on safeguarding the EAC agricultural sector under the Economic Partnership Agreements	Research partner on “Building an Inclusive East African Community” BIEAC Project
17.	<b>University of Dar es Salaam</b> <a href="http://www.udsm.ac.tz">www.udsm.ac.tz</a>	Assessing the revenue and development implications under Economic Partnership Agreements	Research partner on “Building an Inclusive East African Community” BIEAC Project
<b>CUTS Geneva</b>			
1.	<b>Action Développement et Intégration Régionale (ADIR)</b> <b>Bujumbura, Burundi</b>  A platform of National NGOs	Promoting regional integration and development	Partner for the project “Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade Linkages in the EAC” (PACT EAC), phases 1 and 2.

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="mailto:gmanirankunda@gmail.com">gmanirankunda@gmail.com</a>		
2.	<p><b>Agency for Cooperation and Research in Development (ACORD) Kigali, Rwanda</b></p> <p>One of the oldest and largest Pan-African non-governmental organisations</p> <p><a href="http://www.acordinternational.org/our-work/where/rwanda">www.acordinternational.org/our-work/where/rwanda</a></p>	Work for common cause with people who are poor and those who have been denied their rights to obtain social justice and development and be part of locally rooted citizen movements	Partner for the project “Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade Linkages in the EAC” (PACT EAC), phases 1 and 2.
3.	<p><b>Centre Africain pour le Commerce International et le Développement (CACID), Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso</b></p> <p>Non-Profit research and training centre on trade established in 2012.</p> <p><a href="http://www.cacid.net">http://www.cacid.net</a></p>	Contribute to development of the African continent through promotion of intra-African trade, as well as promoting increased share of Africa in global trade	Project partner for CUTS Geneva’s EIF sPokes project
4.	<p><b>Centre for the Analysis of Regional Integration at Sussex (CARIS)</b></p> <p>Established in 2006 at the University of Sussex, it conducts research in all areas related to regional integration</p> <p><a href="http://www.sussex.ac.uk/caris">www.sussex.ac.uk/caris</a></p>	Examine the impact of regional trade agreements and preferences on the economies involved in the agreements, those excluded, and also on the interaction between such preferential arrangements and the multilateral trading system	Partnering with ILEAP and CUTS Geneva on the TAF-funded project “Support to Enhance Development of Trade in Services Negotiations”
5.	<p><b>DiploFoundation</b></p> <p>Non-profit foundation established by the governments of Malta and Switzerland</p> <p><a href="http://www.diplomacy.edu">www.diplomacy.edu</a></p>	Diplo works to increase the role of small and developing states, and to improve global governance and international policy development	Lead partner of our Digital Commerce Online Course
6.	<b>East African Civil Society</b>	Building a critical mass	Partner for the project

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<p><b>Organizations Forum (EACSOFF), Rwanda Kigali, Rwanda</b></p> <p>Autonomous umbrella body of all non-governmental organizations and CSOs in East Africa</p> <p><a href="http://www.eacsofrwanda.org">www.eacsofrwanda.org</a></p>	of knowledgeable and empowered civil society in the region	"Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade Linkages in the EAC" (PACT EAC), phase 1.
7.	<p><b>Economic and Social Research Foundation (ESRF) Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania</b></p> <p>An independent, not-for-profit institution for research and policy analysis established in 1994.</p> <p><a href="http://www.esrftz.org">www.esrftz.org</a></p>	Strengthening capabilities in policy analysis and development management and to enhance the understanding of policy options in the government, private sector, civil society and donor community	Partner for the project "Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade Linkages in the EAC" (PACT EAC), phases 1 and 2.
8.	<p><b>European Centre for Development Policy Management (ECDPM), Maastricht, The Netherlands</b></p> <p>A "Think and do tank", established as an independent foundation in 1986.</p> <p><a href="http://www.ecdpm.org">www.ecdpm.org</a></p>	Link policy and practice in European development and international cooperation and to act as an independent broker between Europe and ACP States	CUTS Geneva staff participated in ECDPM seminars
9.	<p><b>Friedrich Ebert Stiftung (Geneva Office), Geneva, Switzerland</b></p> <p>A German political foundation founded in 1925.</p> <p><a href="http://www.fes-globalization.org">www.fes-globalization.org</a></p>	Contribute worldwide to the debate on globalisation and global governance	<p>Joint initiative on "Building Trust and Convergence between Smaller Developing and Developed WTO Members."</p> <p>Collaboration with CUTS Geneva on the publication "Reflections from the Frontline: Developing Country Negotiators at the WTO"</p>

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
10.	<b>HamsaHub Consulting Yangon, Myanmar</b>  HamsaHub is a Myanmar-based responsible business consulting firm providing dedicated services in project and programme design, stakeholder analysis and international development  <a href="http://www.hamsahub.com">www.hamsahub.com</a>	Leveraging Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) as a strategic basis for doing no harm, socially or environmentally, during the entire business process	Project Partner for the project “Business & Trade Connection: South & Southeast Asia”, informing WTO delegates about private sectors’ experience on the ground
11.	<b>IDEAS Centre, Geneva, Switzerland</b>  An independent, non-profit organisation created in 2002.  <a href="http://www.ideascentre.ch">www.ideascentre.ch</a>	Offer strategic high-level policy advice to government officials for the identification of national development priorities and interests, policy formulation and management, institution and capacity building as well as consultation with stakeholders in business and civil society	Collaboration in pre-LDC IV preparations, including the production of a substantive paper
12.	<b>Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka (IPS) Colombo, Sri Lanka</b>  Operating under the purview of Ministry of Policies and Economics Affairs, IPS is an authoritative independent voice in economic policy analysis.  <a href="http://www.ips.lk">www.ips.lk</a>	Promote policy-oriented economic research and to strengthen the capacity for medium-term policy analysis in Sri Lanka	Project Partner for the project “Business & Trade Connection: South & Southeast Asia”, informing WTO delegates about private sectors’ experience on the ground.
13.	<b>Lao National Chamber of Commerce and Industry Vientiane, Lao PDR</b>  Established in 1989, it is an independent body which represents the business community in Lao PDR.  <a href="http://www.laoocci.com">www.laoocci.com</a>	Make the link between businesses and the state, and represent employers, groups and joint ventures across all agencies that have been established under the laws of Lao PDR	Project Partner for the project “Business & Trade Connection: South & Southeast Asia”, informing WTO delegates about private sectors’ experience on the ground.



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
14.	<b>Nepal Economic Association (NEA), Kathmandu, Nepal</b>	A national organisation of professional economists	Project Partner for CUTS Geneva's EIF sPokes project Project Partner for the project "Business & Trade Connection: South & Southeast Asia", informing WTO delegates about private sectors' experience on the ground.
15.	<b>Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie (OIF) Paris, France</b>  IGO created in 1970, with the mission to embody the active solidarity between its 80 member states and governments.  <a href="http://www.francophonie.org">www.francophonie.org</a>	Building trade negotiations capacities of developing countries, particularly French-speaking ones, so they are able to advance their positions and interests	Partner for the French edition of the book "Reflections from the Frontline: Developing Country Negotiators in The WTO"  Jointly organised event on trade and innovation during the WTO Public Forum
16.	<b>Policy Research Institute of Market Economy (PRIME Institute) Islamabad, Pakistan</b>  Independent economic policy think tank that runs research, advisory and advocacy programmes around the twin pillars of market and governance  <a href="http://www.primeinstitute.org">www.primeinstitute.org</a>	Promoting the protective function of the state and freedom for market	Project Partner for the project "Business & Trade Connection: South & Southeast Asia", informing WTO delegates about private sectors' experience on the ground.
17.	<b>Southern and Eastern African Trade Information and Negotiations Institute (SEATINI), Uganda Kampala, Uganda</b>  Regional Non-Governmental Organization founded in 1996  <a href="http://www.seatiniuganda.org">www.seatiniuganda.org</a>	Strengthening the capacity of key stakeholders to take a more effective part in and influence the process of globalisation for sustainable development and improved livelihoods	Partner for the project "Promoting Agriculture, Climate and Trade Linkages in the EAC" (PACT EAC), phases 1 and 2.

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
18.	<b>The Commonwealth Secretariat (CWS)</b> <b>London, UK</b>  A voluntary association of 53 independent and equal sovereign states.  <a href="http://www.thecommonwealth.org">www.thecommonwealth.org</a>	Supporting governments to help achieve sustainable, inclusive and equitable development	Various research and event collaborations, e.g. at the LDC IV Conference.  CUTS staff contributions to CWS' "Hot Topics" issues
19.	<b>Trade Policy Training Centre in Africa (trapca)</b> <b>Arusha, Tanzania</b>  Launched in 2006, a training centre on trade policy operating under the auspices of ESAMI and Lund University.  <a href="http://www.trapca.org">www.trapca.org</a>	Providing training and technical expertise on trade issues to professionals in Least Developed Countries (LDCs) and low income Sub-Saharan African countries	Developed and delivered a training course on "Climate, food, trade: developing coherent policies and programmes" under CUTS Geneva's PACT EAC Project.
<b>CUTS Lusaka</b>			
1.	<b>Agriculture Consultative Forum (ACF)</b> <a href="http://www.acf.org.zm">www.acf.org.zm</a>	The Vision of the ACF is to see an efficient and prosperous agricultural sector that contributes to national food security and income.	Research and Advocacy partner of "Leveraging Consumer and Producers' Voices in Policy Reforms (LECOP)" project
2.	<b>Caritas Zambia</b> <a href="http://www.caritaszambia.org">www.caritaszambia.org</a>	Faith-based organisation dedicated to the promotion of integral human development through witnessing, animation, conscientisation and institutional strengthening	Advocacy partner in the nationwide exercise to review the Commercial, Trade and Industrial (CTI) policy for Zambia
3.	<b>Competition and Consumer Protection Commission (CCPC)</b> <a href="http://www.ccpc.org.zm">www.ccpc.org.zm</a>	Mandate to protect the competition process in the Zambian Economy and also to protect consumers	Research and Advocacy partner of "Understanding and Awareness Raising On Healthcare Issues in Zambia" project
4.	<b>Economics Association of Zambia (EAZ)</b> <a href="http://www.eaz.org.zm">www.eaz.org.zm</a>	Aims to promote the socio-economic development of Zambia	Research and Advocacy partner of "Leveraging Consumer and Producers'

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		and the world at large by undertaking research, training, education, publication and consultancy in the field of economics and related disciplines	Voices in Policy Reforms (LECOP)" project
5.	<b>Institute of Global Dialogue, Johannesburg, South Africa</b> <a href="http://www.igd.org.za">www.igd.org.za</a>	Conduct research of multilateral institutions to understand their impact on South Africa and the global South  Analyse regional cooperation in Southern Africa	Research and advocacy partner of the 7Up project  Research and advocacy partner of "Investment for Development" (IFD) project
6.	<b>Namibian Economic Policy Research Unit, Windhoek</b> <a href="http://www.nepru.org.na">www.nepru.org.na</a>	Contribute to local capacity building through training, applied socio-economic research and dissemination of information, thereby enhancing informed policy decisions for national development  Seek and strengthen cooperation and exchange with national agencies and similar institutions in Southern Africa and worldwide	Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the CPCP project  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project
7.	<b>Southern African Regional Poverty Network (SARPN)</b> <a href="http://www.sarpn.org.za">www.sarpn.org.za</a>	Contribute to the sustainable reduction of poverty through effective pro-poor policy, strategy and practice in the SADC region.	Advocacy partner of "Linkages between Trade, Development & Poverty Reduction" Project
8.	<b>The Botswana Institute for Development Policy Analysis, Gaborone</b> <a href="http://www.bidpa.bw">www.bidpa.bw</a>	Conduct policy analysis and capacity building on developmental policy issues of relevance to	Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of "Competition Policy & Consumer Protection" (CPCP)

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		Botswana and the Southern African region	project  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of “South-South Trade Cooperation” (SSTC) project
9.	<b>The Centre for Social Research, Zomba, Malawi</b> <a href="http://www.csr.org.mw">www.csr.org.mw</a>	Appraise, monitor and evaluate development activities in Malawi  Undertake policy research to advocate with policymakers and planners	Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the CPCP project  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project
10.	<b>The Centre for Trade Policy and Development (CTPD)</b> <a href="http://www.ctpd.org.zm">www.ctpd.org.zm</a>	Trade policy think tank which aims to promote equitable, pro-poor trade policies and practices	Advocacy partner in the nationwide exercise to review the Commercial, Trade and Industrial (CTI) policy for Zambia
11.	<b>The Zambia Economic Advocacy Programme (ZEAP)</b> <a href="http://www.zeap-zambia.org">www.zeap-zambia.org</a>	Aimed at raising the level of informed public debate in Zambia over Economic Policy issues, with a view to influencing better policy results	Research and Advocacy partner of “Understanding the Pricing Dynamics of the Sugar Industry in Zambia” project
12.	<b>The Zambian Voice</b> <a href="http://www.thezambiavoice.org">www.thezambiavoice.org</a>	Prepares Zambian people for effective civic participation that sustains a democratic society and enhances the quality of life in both local rural and urban communities using provided evidence.	Advocacy partner of “Leveraging Consumer and Producers’ Voices in Policy Reforms (LECOP)” project
13.	<b>Trade Law Centre (Tralac) for South Africa</b> <a href="http://www.tralac.org">www.tralac.org</a>	Contribute to the integration of Southern Africa into the global trading system by creating intellectual capital in the field of trade law.	Networking and advocacy partner of the FEATS project  Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the SSTC project  Research partner of the IWOGDA project

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
14.	<b>UNECA Southern Africa Region</b> <a href="http://www.uneca.org">www.uneca.org</a>	Seeks to strengthen the capacities of member States for regional integration along specific priorities of the Southern African sub-region, the NEPAD framework and Millennium Development Goals.	Research and Advocacy partner
15.	<b>University of Cape Town</b> <a href="http://www.uct.ac.za">www.uct.ac.za</a>	Aspires to become a premier academic meeting point between South Africa, the rest of Africa and the world.	Research and Advocacy partner
16.	<b>University of Mauritius</b> <a href="http://www.uom.ac.mu">www.uom.ac.mu</a>	Provide professional consultancy services to the community at large thereby contributing to economic development of Mauritius	Proposed partner for research and advocacy work of the CPCP project
17.	<b>World Bank</b> <a href="http://www.worldbank.org">www.worldbank.org</a>	Source of financial and technical assistance to developing countries around the world	Advocacy partner of “Charter on Cross Border Traders” project
18.	<b>Zambia Institute for Policy Analysis and Research (ZIPAR)</b> <a href="http://www.zipar.org.zm">www.zipar.org.zm</a>	Mandate is to conduct research and analysis primarily, but not exclusively for policy formulation, implementation and monitoring	Research and Advocacy partner of “Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries (CREW project)”
19.	<b>Zambian Governance Foundation (ZGF)</b> <a href="http://www.zambiagovernance.org">www.zambiagovernance.org</a>	Centrally manage support to civil society organisations which work to influence policy. ZGF works across a wide range of poverty issues – land rights, health, education, equality, youth rights, small business, agriculture, and community development	Research partner of “Leveraging Consumer and Producers’ Voices in Policy Reforms (LECOP)” project

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
<b>CUTS Accra</b>			
1.	<b>Accra Metropolitan Assembly (AMA)</b> <a href="http://www.ama.gov.gh">www.ama.gov.gh</a>	The Mission Statement of the Assembly is; “To improve the Quality of Life of People Living within the City of Accra by Providing Leadership and Opportunities for Social and Economic Development Whilst Maintaining a Clean, Attractive and Secured Environment”	Partner under Cities Governance Initiative, Smart Cities Ghana Project
2.	<b>Africa Centre for Economic Transformation (ACET)</b> <a href="http://www.acetaforafrica.org">www.acetaforafrica.org</a>	The African Centre for Economic Transformation is an economic policy institute supporting Africa’s long-term growth through transformation.	ACET and CUTS collaborate on various issues ranging from trade and development, competition policy and law as economic development. ACET is part of the NRG members for the Ghana CREW project
3.	<b>AfrInvest Consult Limited</b> <a href="http://afrinvestconsult.com/aboutus.php">http://afrinvestconsult.com/aboutus.php</a>	Create a platform for bringing together all the socio-economic actors and stakeholders in development to promote trade in goods and services as well as investment in the social and economic sectors in order to facilitate reduction in poverty especially among women and the vulnerable in society	Accra is seeking for a possible collaboration with Afrinvest in the areas of trade and regional integration
4.	<b>Association of Ghana Industries (AGI)</b> <a href="http://agighana.org">http://agighana.org</a>	AGI conducts surveys, collects data and develops policy papers for a more conducive business environment in Ghana	AGI and CUTS are working in the area of promoting a functional competition policy and law in the country
5.	<b>Australian High (DAP Project)</b>	Creating productive and beneficial partnerships to address development challenges in West and	The Centre is seeking for support funding on a project entitled “Enhancing Food Security by linking women

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="http://ghana.embassy.gov.au/acra/AusAidinWestAfrica.html">http://ghana.embassy.gov.au/acra/AusAidinWestAfrica.html</a>	Central Africa	maize farmers along the value chain, market and financial services”
6.	<b>Bank of Ghana (BoG)</b> <a href="http://www.bog.gov.gh/">www.bog.gov.gh/</a>	Consumer protection in the digital financial services	Accra was part of the final stakeholder workshop on payment systems and services bill that took place in August 2017
7.	<b>Borderless Alliance</b> <a href="http://www.borderlesswa.com/initiatives/borderless-alliance">http://www.borderlesswa.com/initiatives/borderless-alliance</a>	Launched in May 2012 with support from USAID West Africa Trade Hub and its partners. Borderless works to provide an independent, sub-regional platform for leading producers, traders, transporters and financiers to propose and advocate for systemic and practical improvements to the movement of goods, transport, capital and services across West Africa. Guided by international best practices, sound research and their Code of Ethics, Borderless Alliance members work together to promote change through dialogue and action.	Partnership in the area of regional economic trade, specifically the ECOWAS region
8.	<b>Bureau of Market &amp; Social Research MSR</b>	Research and consulting in consumer behaviour and market intelligence	Accra’s proposed research partner in areas of market research, diagnostic survey and assessment of fraud
9.	<b>Centre for Financial Inclusion (CFI)</b> <a href="http://www.centerforfinancialinclusion.org/about">www.centerforfinancialinclusion.org/about</a>	Develop insights, advocate on behalf of clients and collaborate with stakeholders to achieve a comprehensive vision for financial inclusion	Accra is in talks with CFI seeking for partnership on the Smart Campaign Project in Ghana

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
10.	<b>CGAP</b> <a href="http://www.cgap.org/about">www.cgap.org/about</a>	CGAP (the Consultative Group to Assist the Poor) is a global partnership of over 30 leading organisations that seek to advance financial inclusion	Accra has held a discussion with CGAP to want to become a research and advocacy partner on consumer protection in the digital financial services
11.	<b>Consumer Protection Agency (CPA)</b> <a href="http://consumerprotection.gh.org/">http://consumerprotection.gh.org/</a>	CPA was born out of the need for Ghana's consumer to be represented. The goal of CPA is to solicit the aid of Ghana's policymakers in the enforcement, management and measurement of the basic standards	Consumer Protection Agency and CUTS are working in the area of promoting consumer welfare and awareness in the country. CUTS and CPA collaborate on CPL and consumer protection related issues
12.	<b>Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH</b> <a href="http://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/324.html">http://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/324.html</a>	GIZ implements projects and programs on behalf of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), and has had its own office in Accra since 1983.	GIZ is one of the international donors or funders for the CREW project being implemented by CUTS in Ghana.
13.	<b>Driver and Vehicle Licensing Authority (DVLA)</b> <a href="http://www.eservices.gov.gh/dvla/SitePages/DVLA-Home.aspx">http://www.eservices.gov.gh/dvla/SitePages/DVLA-Home.aspx</a>	The DVLA is responsible for setting and maintaining standards for driving as well as ensuring that roadworthy vehicles ply the roads and other public places	DVLA is part of the NRG members for the Ghana CREW project providing knowledge support in the passenger transport sector
14.	<b>Food and Agriculture Organization (Africa Region)</b> <a href="http://www.fao.org/africa/en/">www.fao.org/africa/en/</a>	Their goal is to achieve food security for all and make sure that people have regular access to enough high-quality food to lead active, healthy lives. With over 194 member states, FAO works in over 130 countries worldwide	Cross border trade Gender Food security
15.	<b>Forum for Agricultural</b>	FARA works through	FARA is part of the NRG



No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<b>Research in Africa (FARA)</b> <a href="http://faraafrica.org">http://faraafrica.org</a>	collaboration with its partners, an approach driven by the principle of Subsidiarity, which devolves the implementation of programmes to the sub-regional organisations and the National Agricultural Research Institutes	members for the Ghana CREW project, providing knowledge support in the Staple Food sector
16.	<b>Friedrich Ebert Stiftung (FES), Ghana</b> <a href="http://www.fesghana.org/index.php?page=fes-in-ghana">www.fesghana.org/index.php?page=fes-in-ghana</a>	cooperation with the Ghana Trades Union Congress, support for cooperative movements to improve the livelihoods of people living in the rural communities in Ghana and cooperation	The Centre participated in the International conference on the political economy of economic transformation in Accra, organised by FES
17.	Ghana Institute of Freight Forwarders (GIFF) <a href="http://www.ghanafreightforwarders.org/">www.ghanafreightforwarders.org/</a>	The Ghana Institute of Freight Forwarders thrives to provide the highest standard of Consultancy and Services to our members and their customers, for the benefit and enhancement of Ghana's Trade activities, by providing the most reliable resource pool for freight forwarding services in the country and for its members to be recognized as a model of excellence	Collaboration on competition policy and law advocacy project under the COMPAD Project
18.	Ghana Investment Promotion Council <a href="http://www.gipcghana.com">www.gipcghana.com</a>	GIPC co-ordinates and monitors all investment activities and assists domestic and foreign investors	Enhancing business climate for private sector growth
19.	Ghana Standard Authority <a href="http://www.gsa.gov.gh">www.gsa.gov.gh</a>	The Ghana Standards Authority formerly Ghana Standards Board	Collaboration on consumer safety and consumer protection

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		is a Government of Ghana agency responsible for the maintenance of acceptable standards for product and services and sound management practices in industries and public institutions in Ghana	
20.	<b>IFPRI</b> <a href="http://www.ifpri.org">www.ifpri.org</a>	Food policy and research	The centre participated in the Regional Workshop on Tracking Agricultural Trade held in Dakar Senegal
21.	<b>Institute of Financial and Economic Journalists (IFEJ)</b> <a href="http://ifejghana.org">http://ifejghana.org</a>	The IFEJ has been active in using the media in the area of advocacy work, specifically in the area of governance and public expenditure	CUTS is collaborating with IFEJ on creating awareness in the media on the need for a functional competition policy and law in the country. CUTS is scheduled to provide training on CPL to IFEJ journalists, to ensure that they are all abreast with the subject
22.	<b>Institute of Statistical, Social and Economic Research, University of Ghana, Legon (ISSER, UG)</b> <a href="http://isser.edu.gh/">http://isser.edu.gh/</a>	ISSER serves as the research wing of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ghana and engages in a number of policy relevant researches whose findings are intended to help policy makers on the best policy decisions to make for national development	CUTS primary research partner in Ghana for the CREW
23.	<b>ISSER/Ablin Consult Engineering</b> <a href="http://ablinconsult.com">http://ablinconsult.com</a>	Carries out quantitative research in the social and economic field	CUTS primary research partner in Ghana for the CREW project
24.	<b>Ministry of Trade and Industry- Ghana (MoTI)</b> <a href="http://www.ghana.gov.gh/index.php/2012-02-08-08-18-09/ministries/270-">http://www.ghana.gov.gh/index.php/2012-02-08-08-18-09/ministries/270-</a>	The <i>Ministry of Trade and Industry</i> has overall responsibility for the formulation, implementation and monitoring of Ghana's	CUTS is a knowledge partner for the MOTI on the issue of Competition Law and Policy and Consumer Protection

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="#">ministry-of-trade-and-industry</a>	internal and external trade	
25.	<b>Ministry of Transport (MoT)</b> <a href="http://www.mot.gov.gh">http://www.mot.gov.gh</a>	The Ministry of Transport has the responsibility to create an accessible, affordable, reliable, effective and efficient transport system that meets user needs in the country	MoT is part of the NRG members for the Ghana CREW project, providing knowledge support in the transport sector
26.	<b>Nielsen Ghana</b> <a href="http://www.nielsen.com/gh/en.html">www.nielsen.com/gh/en.html</a>	Nielsen is a global measurement and data analytics company that provides the most complete and trusted view available of consumers and markets worldwide	A consortium partner in the GIZ Consultancy partner on: Market Research and Diagnostic Surveys on Information Disclosure and Transparency, Fraud, Customer Recourse, and Client Needs Assessments in the Mobile Insurance Sector in Ghana
27.	Office of the Head of Local Government Service <a href="http://lgs.gov.gh/">http://lgs.gov.gh/</a>	The OHLGS aims to support Local Government to deliver value for money services through the mobilization, harmonization and utilization of quality human capacity and material resources to promote local and national development'	Partner under the Fiscal Policies to address inequalities
28.	<b>OSIWA</b> <a href="http://www.osiwa.org/about-us/what-we-do/">www.osiwa.org/about-us/what-we-do/</a>	OSIWA plays a dual role in the region as both an advocate and grant-maker by enabling itself to be agenda-setters both within and alongside other organisations working on the ground	Accra is still in talks with OSIWA to seek for a possible collaboration on climate change and food security
29.	<b>Oxfam, Ghana</b> <a href="http://www.oxfam.org/en/countries/ghana">www.oxfam.org/en/countries/ghana</a>	Aims to reduce poverty and inequality by supporting influencing and advocacy around	The Centre is presently in talks with Oxfam Ghana to undertake advocacy project on fiscal policy and inequality

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		three interconnected pillars; Agriculture, Essential Services and Extractive Industry Governance	
30.	<b>Participatory Development Associate (PDA)</b> <a href="http://www.pdaghana.com/">http://www.pdaghana.com/</a>	Established in 2001 to provide consulting services to development projects. Works with government and communities to facilitate the participation of all people towards taking greater control over their own lives and determining their own destiny	CUTS works with PDA in the area of grassroots advocacy and mobilisation
31.	<b>Private Enterprise Federation (PEF)</b> <a href="http://pef.org.gh">http://pef.org.gh</a>	The PEF was established in 1994 as the apex institution to forge consensus and provide the leadership voice for advocacy, on the initiative of the Association of Ghana Industries, Ghana National Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Ghana Employers' Association, and the Federation of Associations of Ghanaian Exporters; with the support of the United States Agency for International Development (USAID)	PEF and CUTS are working in the area of promoting a functional competition policy and law in the country
32.	<b>Rite FM</b> <a href="http://ritefmonline.org/">http://ritefmonline.org/</a>	Media Advocacy focussing on agriculture sector	Invited on various shows to discuss how best farmers could engage with market queens and consumers to ensure that they get value for money on their farm produce
33.	Send Ghana <a href="http://sendwestafrica.org/index.p">sendwestafrica.org/index.p</a>	A Social Enterprise Development	Collaboration on SDGs

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
	<a href="#">hp</a>	Foundation of West Africa. The organisation has evolved into a reputable and credible national NGO with specialty in: a: Policy research and advocacy focussing on pro-poor policy and development programme monitoring in Ghana; and b: Service delivery through the promotion of livelihoods security	
34.	<b>SNV- Ghana</b> <a href="http://www.snv.org/country/ghana">www.snv.org/country/ghana</a>	Climate Change, Water and Sanitation, Renewable Energy, Governance	Participated in a three days residential training session for CSOs as part of their Voice for Change project being implemented in the country
35.	<b>Social Enterprise Development Foundation of West Africa (SEND GHANA)</b> <a href="http://www.sendwestafrica.org">http://www.sendwestafrica.org</a>	SEND Ghana is a reputable and credible national Non-Governmental Organisation with specialty in; Policy research and advocacy focusing on pro-poor policy and development programme monitoring in Ghana and Service delivery through the promotion of livelihoods security	SEND Ghana and CUTS perceive collaboration between the two organisations in the area of staff capacity trainings
36.	<b>Solidaridad West Africa</b> <a href="http://www.solidaridadnetwork.org/regions/west-africa">www.solidaridadnetwork.org/regions/west-africa</a>	Solidaridad West Africa focuses on stimulating sustainable supply chains through innovations in production, marketing and trade relations, landscape management and policy enabling. In these efforts, Solidaridad simultaneously addresses	Accra held a meeting with Solidarid to seek for a possible collaboration on trade and food security

No.	Institute	Thrust Areas	Involvement with CUTS
		food security, nutrition and community development	
37.	<b>The Judicial Service</b>	Law, Legislature	Partnered with the Judicial Service to organise a capacity building workshop to sensitise the nation's High Court and Appeal Court judges and parliamentarians on the importance of a competition law in the country
38.	<b>The Business Advocacy Challenge (BUSAC Fund)</b> <a href="http://www.busac.org/">www.busac.org/</a>	Conducive business environment advocacy, public policy, dialogue	Supported the project entitled, 'Advocating for a Functional Competition Regime in Ghana' (COMPAD)
39.	<b>The Ghana Commodity Exchange</b>	Agricultural sector, consumer advocacy	Provided inputs using the project's findings from the staple food sector to help develop the Commodity Exchange program in Ghana
40.	<b>The Law and Development Associates (LADA)</b> <a href="http://www.ladagroupgh.com/">www.ladagroupgh.com/</a>	Legal engagements with Civil Society Engagements, Capacity Building, Litigation and Legal Services, Legislative and Legal Reforms, Public Policy Development	LADA consulted CUTS for expert advice when same was contracted to develop the Competition Policy Document for Ghana by the Ministry of Trade & Industry
41.	<b>The Netherlands Embassy</b> <a href="http://ghana.nlembassy.org/">http://ghana.nlembassy.org/</a>	Regional Integration and Trade, Climate Change and Women Empowerment	The Centre has been engaging the embassy in areas involving trade and regional integration for their expert advice
42.	<b>World Bank Washington, DC</b> <a href="http://www.worldbank.org">www.worldbank.org</a>	With 189 member countries, the <b>World Bank</b> Group is a unique global partnership fighting poverty worldwide through sustainable solutions	Trade facilitation, cross border trade, public policy, consultancy work on the West Africa Trade Facilitation Project