

Quiz for Stakeholder Forum

Name: _____

Number of correct answers: _____ out of **6**

Choose only one answer from the listed four choices.

	Question	Choices	Answer
1	Which one of the following statements is the main objectives of the Stakeholder Forum?	1. To start contract farming. 2. To encourage the market stakeholders to buy horticultural produce through government. 3. To establish direct sale stores for smallholder farmers. 4. To help the target farmers understand where and what business opportunities exist in their local areas.	
2	Who should be invited to the Stakeholder Forum?	1. Only those buyers who are already trading with smallholder farmers. 2. A wide variety of buyers in the formal market such as supermarket chains and international traders. 3. A variety of market stakeholders including buyers, middlemen, seed companies/stores, microfinance institutions and so on. 4. Market stakeholders such as buyers and middlemen in the capital city.	
3	Which one of the arrangements is recommended for smooth implementation of Stakeholder Forum?	1. All the members of the target farmer groups participate in the Forum. 2. The invitation letter will be sent to the market stakeholders well beforehand. 3. The extension staff do not need to attend the Forum. 4. The largest conference room at a hotel in the capital city should be booked as a venue of the Forum.	
4	Which one of the following statements is an effective tip for the success of Stakeholder	1. The number of participants should be restricted. 2. Only buyers of horticultural crops are invited.	

	Forum?	<p>3. The staff from the central government should be the main facilitators of the Forum.</p> <p>4. The Forum should be three days long.</p>	
5	What arrangement needs to be made to cut down the cost of organizing the Stakeholder Forum without damaging the effectiveness of the Forum?	<p>1. Invite only one representative from each farmer group.</p> <p>2. Do not arrange tables and chairs.</p> <p>3. Organize the forum at a government building, rather than at a hotel.</p> <p>4. Do not send invitation letters to the market stakeholders.</p>	
6	Which of the following comments from the market stakeholders should you experience after the Stakeholder Forum?	<p>1. A vegetable trader says, "If I buy vegetables from the SHEP farmers, the government will give me some financial support."</p> <p>2. A microfinance institute says, "I am willing to give loans to SHEP farmers because if they cannot repay their debt, the government will pay instead."</p> <p>3. An NGO says, "We do not want to support SHEP farmers because we want to do our project independently without any interference from the government or other projects."</p> <p>4. A middleman says, "I do not mind trading in kilograms rather than in bags if SHEP farmers prefer that way."</p>	