WORKSHEET – PROBLEM TREE ANALYSIS

Problem Statement (Use a human rights framework*):

Root Cause 1:

Root Cause 2a:

Root Cause 2b:

Root Cause 2:

Root Cause 3:

Root Cause 3.a:

Root Cause 3.b:

Root Cause 3.c:

Root Cause 4:

Root Cause 5:

Effect 1:

Effect 2:

Effect 3:

Effect 4:

BRANCHES

TRUNK

ROOTS

NOTE: There are a wide variety of “Problem Tree” examples available on the internet. Here are two sources for instructions: The Change Agency - http://goo.gl/VwwTBP and Community Sustainability Engagement - http://goo.gl/6dPKC5

* The Universal Declaration of Human Rights provides the framework and the articles can be a good starting point (http://www.un.org/en/documents/udhr/). The UDHR is also available in plain English language (http://www.un.org/cyberschoolbus/humanrights/resources/plain.asp). 

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