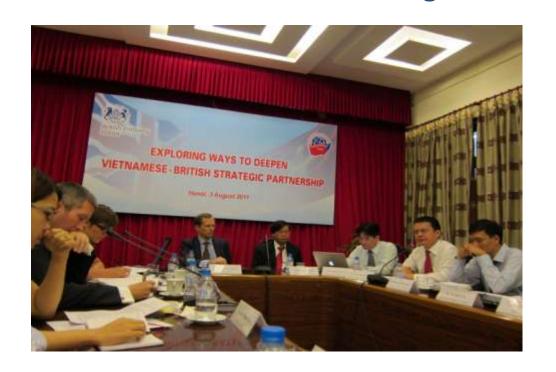


# 2011- 2012 BRITISH EMBASSY-FUNDED PROJECTS IN VIETNAM

# Round Table with Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam Exploring Ways to Deepen Vietnam – UK Strategic Partnership Aug 2011





- •enhanced relationship between the Embassy and DAV - think tank of Vietnamese foreign policy
- •following this success, the round table will be organised on annual basis, hence deeper mutual understanding

## Minister of State Jeremy Browne speaks on the Role of the Media Apr 2011





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### Round Table Seminar on Parliamentary Oversight Nov 2011





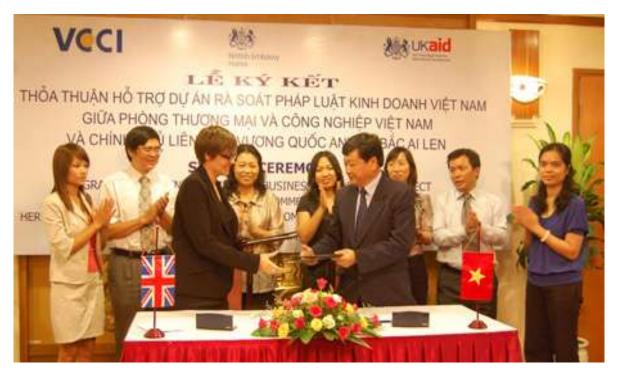
•enhanced relationship between the Members of Parliaments of the two countries.

 UK parliamentary oversight function was shared with Vietnam counterpart



#### **Review of 16 Vietnamese Business Laws**



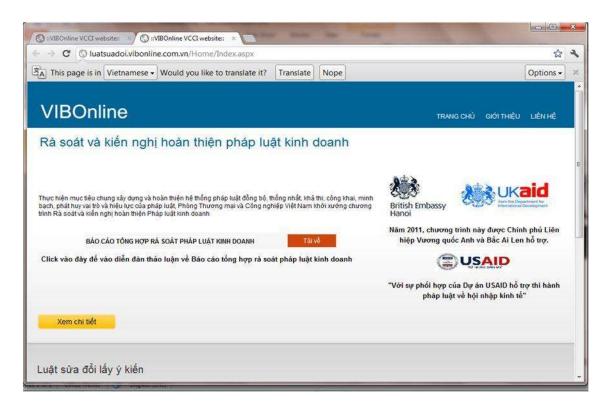


 project facilitated a bottomup approach in law making and legislative review, championing private sector involvement



#### **Review of 16 Vietnamese Business Laws**





#### From Sept-Dec 2011

- **16** consultation workshops
- 582 articles about the project
- 14,261,523 website hits with feedback on the 16 business laws





#### **Review of 16 Vietnamese Business Laws**





•16 reports reviewing 16 laws with a series of recommendations submitted to the National Assembly and relevant ministries for revising laws aimed at more favourable environment for business



## Training course on Economic Diplomacy for Economic Officials from 17 central provinces Nov 2011



enhanced relationsbetween Embassy andcentral provinces

### British Embassy Hanoi

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participants equippedwith skills to betterpromote their provinces

### The City UK and UKTI - International Financial Services Training course in HCMC in Nov 2011





 increased brand awareness of UKTI and The City UK - leading world financial centre

•closer links between Vietnamese and British financial institutions

#### **Workshop on Arms Trade Treaty Nov 2011**





•workshop built a consensus on the Arms Trade Treaty within the United Nations framework held by the Vietnamese Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the British Embassy



#### **Workshop on Arms Trade Treaty Nov 2011**



•it emphasised the significance of the UK's commitment to the **Strategic Partnership** signed by the UK and Vietnam in Sept 2010

### Effective use of Agricultural waste for Improving soil fertility, Increasing crop yield and Reducing GHG emissions





•a simple way of burning straw: reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in agriculture

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•biochar (burned straw) is used to fertilise the rice fields

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project results shared widely for application in the provinces

## Workshop sharing the BBC's experience in Covering Global news and Major events Mar 2012





enhanced skills and knowledge forVietnamese journalists

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raise high profile of UK expertise and practical experience in media

 elevated our relationship with the Ministry of Information and Communication and its Media Training Centre

### **Developing a Code of Practice for Vietnam Television Journalists**





- •code of Practice isued promoting ethical standards and performance of Vietnamese journalists
- •strong commitment from VTV for applying and promoting this code

#### **Commercial Diplomacy Fund**

### British Embassy Hanoi

#### **Sustainable Design and Architecture Conference Mar 2012**



•showcasing UK knowledge and experience of sustainable architecture

#### **Commercial Diplomacy Fund**

#### **Sustainable Design and Architecture Conference Mar 2012**





#### **Human Rights and Democracy Fund**

## Tackling the Obstruction of Journalists Apr 2011- Mar 2012





- 400 journalists interviewed
- 12 most common forms of obstruction against journalist identified
- 72,000 readers engaged

#### **Human Rights and Democracy Fund**

### Tackling the Obstruction of Journalists Apr 2011- Mar 2012





Final report with recommendations shared with Ministry of Information and Communications and relevant agencies



### Research for Green GDP Index Methodology Framework Vietnam Apr 2011 – Mar 2012



 methodology successfully produced enabling Vietnam to develop a green GDP Index by 2014

#### The Returns and Reintegration Fund

### Supporting the Rehabilitation & Reintegration of Vietnamese migrant





vocational training for a returnee now working as a water puppet performer

### Thank you!

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