Laos Legislative Drafting Programme

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Handbook = to help drafters learn what to do

Research report = guide for draft

1. Method: whose & what behaviors = diff (since law only addresses behaviors)
2. Exec summary: emphasizes why R&R = nec. → what & nec'd o why
3. Diff: a) Primary RRs = behave problematically/society
   i. require chg: who makes main decs - eg fact mgr, dept head, etc. = must define clearly so can show why/exps.
   note: RRs = diff/urban-rural, wealthy-poor
   b) identify complex orgs - specific ones; diff ratos w/them - empir

b. History: what = prob/past?

c. Who benefits/hurts: for soc, eg in electricity dept
   who behave/stop use of elect. & juniors
   and: some use/own proposes eg pollution = selfish behav.

d. Empirical warrant: research to supr
   b) good suggestion to deal w/ prots -
   didn't have syst = ground in facts
   2 aspects @ resume alloc
   3 behaviors

Thus: rev history: stress not just collection of facts, but relate to expl =
1. Conditions cannot → chgd easily. Shd put this before use of ROCP?

2. 4.1 Explanation: = causes, not conditions. Good Th. + ROCP.

3. Emph look at each RO separately. ROCP:
   - Emp = Hypothesis = MAP to a grade research facility.

4. 4.2 Causes & Conditions: Need to know why behavior causes rule of law. Rule/implement. ag. Need to discuss rules as effect behavior = signif. pt. of rule, rept.

5. Note: Op = Cap = close only. (Incl.): O = wrong or right way; C = wrong or right. Process = emph, EA.
5. Solutions/legislation:
   - Alternatives:
     - Criteria: 2-3 poss. solts, select 1: cost/benefit
       1. Cost/benefit analysis
       2. Pros and cons of each
       3. Show how it addresses Root P
          - each time
   - Implement agency
     - Conformity inducing means:
       - Direct (penalty, incentive)
       - Indirect (education, info, tech)

5. Soc costs/benefits:
   - Note: issues = social
     - conscience, vulnerable = poor, minorities, women, kids, environment

6. Monitoring & Evaluation:
   - Intro:
     - Inadeq. rest
     - Why = nec to world chg (incl. impact of law itself)
     - panic of those affected (feedback)
     - Incl. task of NA (2)
   - Possible