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<b>Project Name:</b>	<i>Profile on Environmental and Social Considerations in Brazil and Mongolia</i>		
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<b>Assignment Description</b>			
<p>In 2010, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) announced its new JICA guidelines for environmental and social considerations. The guidelines present JICA's objectives and goals related to environmental and social considerations. The new guidelines address some key points, including the strengthening of requirements for resettlement, consideration for indigenous peoples and information disclosure.</p> <p>Recently, country profiles (hereinafter referred to as 'profile') of several countries such as Nepal and Bangladesh were created in order to implement comprehensive environmental and social considerations in future JICA-funded development projects, using the new guidelines. These profiles expect to serve as a source of information that can be used to integrate environmental and social considerations in future development projects.</p> <p>Profiles for Brazil and Mongolia will be based on literature reviews of relevant regulations in both countries, revisions of historical projects, interviews with local experts and consultations with relevant agencies and other data collection works.</p>			