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Viet Nam's Experience in Promoting Gender Equality and Gender Mainstreaming in NDC Review and Update process

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NDC Revision Roadmap 2017-2018



NDC Revision Roadmap 2019-2020



Governance/ Institutional Coordination

Process: Participatory approach

All technical report and assessment will be coordinated /reviewed by the Viet Nam panel for Climate Change (VPCC) – Policy Advisory to the National Committee on Climate Change of Viet Nam (NCCC)

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1. **Mitigation:** Experts/Consultants from Ministries MOIT, MONRE, MOT, MOC, MARD, MPI & private sector (*co-chairs underlined*)
2. **Adaptation:** Experts from Ministries MARD, MONRE, MOH, MOLISA, MOC, MOT, MOET, MPI & private sector,
3. **Finance:** Experts from Ministries MOF, MPI, MONRE, & private sector
4. **Co-benefits & Synergies:** MPI, MONRE, MARD (Socio economic Macro Impacts, SEDP/SEDS and SDG alignment)
5. **Transparency - MRV:** Experts from MONRE, MPI, and all line ministries (Database and reporting, MRV for sectors,)
6. **Systems/ Governance:** Experts from MONRE and all ministries – policies work embedded throughout the 5 working groups above

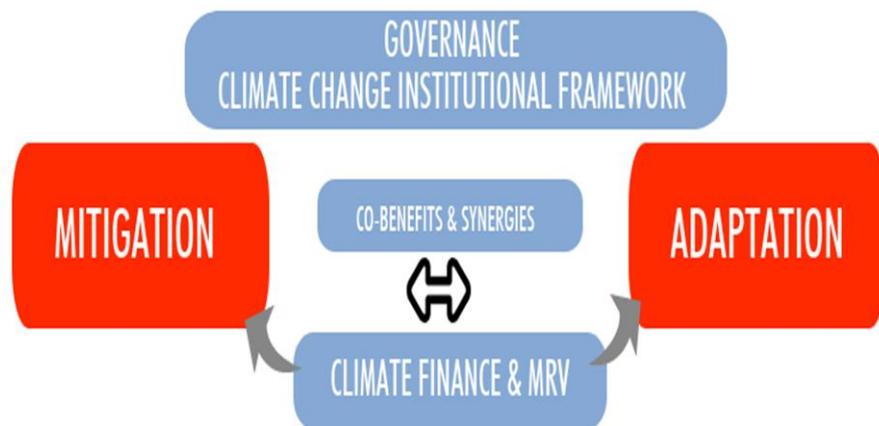
Outreach and independent consultation with Experts of UNDP/UN, GIZ, JICA, WB, etc and other Platform such as CCWG, Viet Nam Women Union, Private Sector, Academies and Cities

New elements in NDC Review and Update



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VIET NAM NDC BUILDING BLOCKS



Adopting a participatory approach

Collaboration with Ministries, civil society and the private sector.



Recognizing Co-Benefits

Emphasizing synergies between Adaptation/Mitigation options and the SDGs to effectively support the country's development plans.



Building modelling tools

Assessing the socio-economic impacts of mitigation activities, in collaboration with national and international experts.



Strengthening Loss & Damage Accounting

An improved monitoring system will allow tailored risks management strategies.

Roles in NDC review and update



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UNDP

- Leading development partner in providing TA to GoV in climate change
- In NDC revision, supports GoV in NDC technical reports on Adaptation, Co-benefits and synergies with SDGs, transparency, L&D, finance, etc.
- Supports the strengthening of gender analysis as part of the support processes in the Technical reports and in Co-benefits.

Viet Nam Women's Union (VWU)

- Key actor to implement gender actions for the NDC in close collaboration with Line Ministries (MONRE, MARD, MOLISA) and DPs (UNDP, GIZ, UNWOMEN, NGOs-CCWG)
- Facilitator and implementer of the NDC on the ground, with focus on gender in DRR and CCA,
- Member of the UN-CCWG & Gender
- Member of the Central Committee for Natural Disaster Prevention and Control (GoV focal point for DRR)
- Present at Central, Provincial, District, commune levels

Other key actors in the process:

1. **GIZ**: provide TA, mainly for Mitigation component of the NDC review in close collaboration with UNDP
2. **Others active DPs**: World Bank, EU, JICA, AFD
3. **UN-NGO Working Group on Gender and CC**: UN WOMEN, UNDP, GIZ, CCWG (climate change working groups – e.g. CARE, SNV, Green ID, WWF, Oxfam, etc) and Viet Nam Women Union, MONRE and MARD

Status and Next steps - Adaptation

Status (UNDP TA):

- Completed reviews for all Adaptation Sectors and regions, incl:
 - *Agriculture, Water Resources, Environment, Construction, Transportation, Health, Tourism, Industry*
 - *Coastal, Mountainous, Delta regions*
- Technical Consultation and Draft Policy Brief on Adaptation in NDC

Next steps:

- Summary for Policy Makers on Adaptation
- Strengthen adaptation indicators and metrics including gender sensitive
- More robust reviews of Adaptation as a part of NDC process
- Improve prioritization tool (linking with CBA or finance)
- Suggest an integrated framework across NDC 'pillars' targets that also includes clear co-benefits and SDG links
- Promote transparency web-based platform



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Status and Next steps - Mitigation

→ **Status (GIZ TA):**

- Completed review of Energy, Waste, Agriculture, LULUCF, and Industrial Process
- Technical Consultations

→ **Next step:**

- GIZ continue to improved analysis with new requirements on ICTU guidance by Rule book on mitigation components
- UNDP's expansion of support on inclusion, accounting for progress of non-mitigation components as part of NAP (GCF) and CBIT (GEF)

Status and Next steps - Transparency

→ **Status (UNDP TA):**

- Completed a review of practices and draft MRV framework,
- Proposed system of transparency prepared by National Experts by end 2018

→ **UNDP's next step**

- Support to ensure consistency, coordination and synergies for reporting
- Include approach for centralized e-reporting system for large point emitter
- Multi-stakeholder consultation on a future participatory national transparency system of all sectors
- Ensure financial support tracked as part of the transparency framework (domestic and international) + gender differentiated impacts of climate investments & expenditures in M&E system
- Include capacity building plan for transparency framework in Viet Nam (via CBIT)

Status and Next steps - Co-benefits and Synergies

→ Status (UNDP TA):

- Completed full review and Technical report chapters on co-benefits, including assessment of gender and socio inclusion of targeted mitigation and adaptation measures
- Assess the synergies of NDC actions with SDGs, including SDG5

→ UNDP's next step

- Needs to understand and update the calculation for Mitigation co-benefits resulting from adaptation and/or economic diversification from Rule Book
- Summary for Policy Makers on Co-benefits
- Refine with clearer metrics, analysis and communication of co-benefits consistently throughout the consultation and full technical reports, including synergies with SDGs

Status and Next steps – Finance & L&D

→ **Finance:**

- Completed the technical review on Finance for all key Sectors, base on CPEIR and PCEIR
- Next steps: UNDP's support to:
 - *Support Private Sector Engagement Plan for NDC, including transparency on-line platform for participation of private sectors*
 - *Policy recommendations for financing framework for NDC, built on CPEIR and PCIER for private sector*
 - *Summary for Policy Makers on NDC Financial Framework Prepared*
 - *Continuation of support to access vertical funding (GCF, GEF, AF etc.) and multilateral support*
 - *Ensure consistency and coordination to track NDC finance transparency & report*

→ **L&D:**

- Completed the technical review report
- Next steps: improve methods to track and report on L&D experiences, resources needed for L&D; assist in assessing insurance schemes, providing risk analyses, improve EWSs, cohesion of DRR policies and NDCs; Policy brief on L&D to be prepared

Mainstreaming Gender in NDC Revision Process

- UNDP's support to include gender analysis as part of the support to UNDP review and update processes: Gender analysis were requested/updated in review methodologies and technical reports of Adaptation, Co-benefit, Social-Economic impact modelling,
- Continue coordination of support with UN-CCWG Gender Working group on CC and DRR to strengthen gender analysis in the NDC technical reports and draft NDC consultation, particularly in the Co-benefits Chapter and assessment of alignments with SDG5
- 02 case studies and recommendations on most potential targeted gender interventions with indicators for NDC mitigation and adaptation chapters (linked to high priority measures

Mitigation

Gender equality at the center of rural electrification and renewable energy

Adaptation

Empowering women with access to Climate Information Services (agriculture sector)

Mainstreaming Gender in NDC Revision Process, (cont)



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- Suggest targets on gender co-benefits & gender mainstream approach for reporting, as part of transparency framework
- Organize high-level policy dialogues to realize the most potential co-benefit gender-targeted actions in the NDC measures
- Continue capacity building on gender mainstreaming and women leadership in NDC for key experts/stakeholders as part of NDC Global Support Program & E-training

UNDP coordination with NGOs, CSOs, working group on Gender for Gender Mainstreaming in NDC Review and Update

UN-Climate Change Working Group (Gender)

- Existing working group working on CCA and DRR with representatives from UNDP, UNWOMEN, GIZ, CARE International, WWF, SNV, VWU
- Share best practices on gender and climate change
- Coordinated policy advocacy messages, TA and capacity building, & on policy consultation

Activities of the UN-CCWG on Gender for NDC Revision Process

- Engaged consultant to conduct technical briefing paper and gender analysis on Integrating Gender and Social Inclusion into NDC Development and Implementation
 - Review of Gender Integration in Draft Technical report for NDC Review
 - Review of early drafts of Technical chapters on Mitigation, Adaptation, and Co-benefits to find entry points for integration of gender and social inclusion
- Consultations and workshops on gender



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Next Steps for Integrating Gender in the process of Finalization of NDC Review and Update

- Finalization of 2 case studies and recommendations on most potential targeted gender interventions with indicators for NDC mitigation and adaptation chapters.
- UNDP continue support in integrating gender in NDC technical reports, specifically on adaption and co-benefits
- Build capacity of line ministries on gender (link NDC focal points with Gender Focal Point)
- Consultations with stakeholders
- Conduct specific workshops on gender integration prior to each NDC sectoral consultative meetings for NDC writing team and stakeholders
- Provide inputs for inclusion in gender at consultative meetings organized on specific NDC chapters and sectors (gender will be included in each consultative meeting rather than have standalone gender consultative meeting)
- Review final draft of NDC and contribute inputs to the text for integration of gender



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Thank you!