

Ministry of Water and Environment Joint Technical Review 2018

Undertaking no. 1

Continue with the implementation of the on-going undertaking of mainstreaming ENR and Climate Change into agriculture, infrastructure, lands, energy and water sectors in order to achieve reduced contributions to degradation by these 5 sectors by the end of FY 2017/18.

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Detail of Undertaking no. 1

The MWE-JSR 2015 first proposed the undertaking as -

Address the drivers of environmental degradation by mainstreaming ENR considerations across government sectors by focusing mainstreaming actions on the high profile/high impact sectors of agriculture, infrastructure, lands, energy and water in order to achieve reduced contributions to degradation by these sectors by the end of FY 2015 / 16

The JSR 2017 revised the undertaking as -

Continue with the implementation of the on-going undertaking of mainstreaming ENR and Climate Change into agriculture, infrastructure, lands, energy and water sectors in order to achieve reduced contributions to degradation by these 5 sectors by the end of FY 2017/18

Detail of Undertaking Contn.

Purpose of this undertaking:

The Undertaking is intended to critically review the drivers of environmental degradation in the high profile/high impact sectors, prepare and implement an appropriate strategy to ensure mainstreaming of ENR and climate change issues in government sectors and programmes

Detail of Undertaking Contn.

Intended Outcomes

- 1) Improved capacities for mainstreaming and integration of environmental and climate change issues and values into sectoral planning processes, and implementation;
- 2) Increased consensus on an approach to mainstreaming and integration of environmental and climate change issues and values appropriate to each sector;
- 3) Increased finance availability (e.g., scaled-up investment commitment) to environmental and climate change mainstreaming and integration at sectoral level;
- 4) Enhanced learning and knowledge sharing on mainstreaming and integration of environmental and climate change issues and values into developments at sectoral levels

Detail of Undertaking Contn.

Scheduled Deliverables

- 1) Situation analysis Report Status of environmental and climate change mainstreaming in sectors of agriculture, infrastructure, lands, energy and water
- Sector Specific environment and climate change mainstreaming guidelines (for sectors of agriculture, infrastructure, lands, energy and water)
- 3) Checklist of sectoral environmental and climate change issues and possible impacts
- **4) Framework for monitoring and impact evaluation** of Environmental Mainstreaming in Sectors BFPs
- 5) Environmental and climate change sustainability Proposals for amendment in the Public Finance Management Act, 2015
- 6) Sectoral Partnership protocols / MOUs on Environmental sustainability mainstreaming

Progress in achieving outputs

Planned Activity	Status
Preparation of TORs with a Roadmap for implementation of the undertaking	i i i
Preparation of sectoral status report covering sectoral specific drivers and gaps; and a Checklist of sectoral environmental issues	Prepared Situational analysis report Completed (FY 2016 / 2017)
Prepare sectoral specific environment and climate change mainstreaming guidelines	 Constituted Thematic technical task teams for the various sectors supervised by the Director Environment Affairs. Held an inception meeting for the Technical task teams and developed and adopted their TORs Prepared Roadmap for engaging the sectors Drafted and shared TORs for the FACILITATOR to coordinate the thematic teams (Under

Progress in achieving outputs Contn.

Planned Activity	Status
Prepare sectoral monitoring, impact evaluation framework for Environmental and Climate change Mainstreaming	Not yet Targeted for (FY2017/18)
Draft Sectoral Partnership protocols / MOUs on Environmental and climate change mainstreaming	Not yet Targeted for (FY2017/18)
Supporting and training sectors in the Environmental and climate change mainstreaming into sectoral planning and budgeting process	Not yet Targeted for (FY2017/18)

Next Planned Actions

- 1. Engage a facilitator to support the drafting of the guidelines together with the task teams
- 2. Write to sectors to nominate focal persons
- 3. Undertake entry meetings with the 5 high impact sectors
- 4. Undertake the different stakeholder category meetings
- 5. Prepare sector level actions for mainstreaming
- Conduct validation meetings with wide stakeholder categories
- 7. Finalize Sector specific mainstreaming Guidelines
- 8. Draft Environmental and climate change sustainability Proposals for amendment in the Public Finance Management Act, 2015
- Draft Sectoral Partnership protocols / MOUs on Environmental sustainability mainstreaming

Key Challenges

- The multi-sectoral nature of Stakeholder -Institutions requires a lot of time and lengthy discussions
- Lack of sufficient funds to carry out the Institutional consultations
- Undertaking needs fulltime staff to follow-up implementation which is not possible