

PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVE

<p>Name of the Partnership/Initiative</p> <p>Good Governance in Sustainable Development</p> <p>Expected date of initiation : July 2002</p> <p>Expected date of completion : Continuous, phase by phase First phase: 2002-2007</p>
<p>Existing Partners : The World Bank and UNDP</p> <p>Proposed Partners</p> <p>Governments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- International and Regional<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Japan- USA- Australia- Thailand- Netherlands- Nordic Countries- National and Local<ul style="list-style-type: none">- The Department of Home Affairs- Related Sectoral Department- Local Governments <p>Intergovernmental Organization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ ASEAN▪ UNEP▪ ADB <p>Major Groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Local Governments (partnership participants)▪ Association of City Mayor▪ Association of Local Parliament▪ Universities, such as Padjajaran University, Parahyangan University, and Havard University (JFK School of Government)▪ Professional/Community Groups, such as Chambers of Commerce Association, Fishermen Association, Farmers Association, Hotels and Restaurant Association▪ NGOs, such as Indonesian Law Institute <p>Others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">CEO Forum/Business GroupsWorld Business Council for Sustainable Development
<p>Leading Partner</p>

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Main objective of the Partnership/Initiative

Please provide a brief description:

To enhance local implementation actions of the Rio Resolutions and Agenda 21 for real progress towards sustainable development

To assist societies to develop an effective government within a democratic system and to implement sustainable development principles through global partnerships by way of:

1. Empowering the public to enable them to effectively participate in decision making for public interest and to undertake local initiatives;
2. Developing and strengthening good governance at the local level;
3. Developing the capacity of public and the government at the local level to cooperate in increasing welfare of the people.

Please also provide a brief description of the relationship of the Partnership/Initiative with the objective of agenda 21 as well as relevant goals and objectives of the United Nation Millennium Declaration:

Objective of agenda 21 as stipulated in:

- Section I (Chapter 2 and 8)
- Section III (Chapter 23-32), and
- Section IV (Chapter 33, 34, 36 and 37)

Expected Results

Please provide a brief description:

1. Network on good governance in sustainable development a national (Indonesia), ASEAN countries, and other regions to accelerate and promote concrete, implement able, and time-bound actions by local government respstively
2. The framework of the common elements of good governance implantation in sustainable development as a guideline for stakeholders at any level
3. The framework of the common system of monitoring and evaluation of good governance implementation
4. The performance criteria on the implementation of good governance at local levels
5. Better performance in 150 pioneer cities (local level) as mentioned above
6. Report of the success story (lesson learnt purpose

Specific targets of the partnership/initiative and time frame for their achievement:

A. Public Empowerment

The main objective are to encourage people to demand the local government for better governance as well as environment and to initiative as follows:

- ◆ To increase the awareness of the public and society on the importance of understanding the main public concerns in their own area (for example: environment, slum dwellers, sanitation, etc);
- ◆ To inform the public and society that their well-being depends on the level of public participation
- ◆ To inform the public and society that participation will not expose them to risks; informing the public on the process of public participation, and to make available the latest and relevant information on the state of public concerns

The activities may involve:

1. Development of public communication objective through the media dialogs
2. Involvement of political parties to ensure their members in the local parliament are sensitive to public demands
3. Continuing dialogs with members of local parliaments
4. Creating an effective Parliament Watch for Sustainable Development by involving the civil society
5. Providing incentives for public participation

B. Good Government

The objective are to build a more sensitive and capable local governments to response their public needs. The activities include:

1. Development of parameters for good governance (institution, reaction to civil society, ability to identify and deal with local issues, etc)
2. Baseline studies on the state of governance in local area
3. Capacity building based on the criteria mentioned above
4. Create competition based on performance in achieving the criteria

5. Development of other incentives to encourage good governance
The time frame of implementation is attached

Coordination and Implantation Mechanism

Please provide a brief description of expected coordination/implementation mechanism of the partnership/initiative

- Level of implementation will consists of:
 - Local city network at national level;
 - National network at regional level, such as ASEAN and other countries
- Each level will establish coordination mechanism respectively
- Implementation agenda at national level (local city network) refers to the particular partnership objective (and expected results) as mentioned above

Arrangements for Funding

Please describe and/or expected sources of funding for the implementation of the partnership/initiative (e.g. donor government (s); international organization (s)/financial institution (s); foundation (s), private sector; and other major group, etc.)

Available sources:

- UNDP: Indonesian Decentralized Environmental and Natural Resources Management (IDEN)
- World Bank: Global Strategy for Sustainable Development (GSSD) Program (involving 59 local governments)

Expected sources:

- Japan Government: MoU arrangement in progress
- World Bank: expanding GSSD Program (become 150 local government)
- Other sources, such as ADB, UNEP, etc.

Estimated Cost for Implementation

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| - Public empowerment | US\$ 22,500,000 |
| - Good governance | US\$ 12,500,000 |
| - Partnership | US\$ 2,500,000 |
| - Media house | <u>US\$ 15,00,000</u> |
| - Total Costs | US\$ 39,000,000 |

Arrangements for Capacity Building and Technology Transfer

Please include information if partnership/initiative provides for training, information support, institutional strengthening and/or other capacity building measures:

Please also provide here a brief description of expected arrangements for technology transfer (if applicable)

This partnership provides training, information support, institutional strengthening and /or capacity building

Those mentioned above will be assessed at any level

Stakeholders will involve in need assessment process

Links of Partnership/Initiative with on-going sustainable development activities at the international and/or regional level (if any):

Please provide a brief description:

The links of partnership/initiative will be established by the network respectively. At the

moment the network has nor been established yet. Establishment of the link will be arranged with the relevant partnership/initiative, such as:

- International Council for Local Environmental Initiative (ICLEI)
- World Association of Cities and Local Authorities (WACLAC)
- The Access Initiative (TAI)

Monitoring Arrangements

Please describe expected arrangement for monitoring of progress in the implementation of Partnership/Initiative after it will be launched at WSSD:

(e.g. frequency/modalities of preparation of progress reports; electronics updates, news-letter ,etc)

- According to the level of network, the report consists of:
 - local government report
 - national report
- According to the frequency:
 - mid report
 - annual report
- Modality:
 - hard copy report
 - web-site

Other relevant information:

Web-site (if available)

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Good Governance in Sustainable Development

INTRODUCTION

For a society to be able to survive and prosper, it must be able to adapt to continuing changes in its environment. The global environmental has changed dramatically in the last ten years. Yet, the adaptability of societies to change is different from one to another. In societies where there is an effective government (governments that govern) within a democratic system, the government is better equipped in adapting to new situations. However, others may be less prepared. Basically, what is required by societies at present time is:

- Effective government (good governance)
- Meaningful public participation (democratic system) and
- Adherence to sustainable development principles

In a global village where we live at present, it is in everyone's interest that any society ideally meets the above-mentioned conditions. However, some societies have difficulties achieving those conditions, despite their best effort to actively seek and work towards these goals. On the other hand, some societies have the capability and means to assist other because of their experience, working knowledge, as well as available resources. Therefore, a proactive effort to achieve such conditions should become prime vehicle for global cooperation. The objective of Good Governance in Sustainable Development (GGSD) Program is to assist societies to develop on effective government within a democratic system, and to implement sustainable development principles through global partnership

BACKGROUND

The implementing unit for the GGSD Program is at the local government level. At this level (municipality, prefecture, city, or regency) the public should be able to participate most directly with the government. When the local government within a particular nation achieve effective governance, true public participation and adherence to sustainable

development principles, the entire nation can be expected to follow suit. The reverse direction has proven to be unsustainable. The basic assumption is that at a minimum the country must politically practice a democratic system, the people at grass root level has to *effectively demand* for better governance and effective implementation of sustainable development principles (for example, better public health and poverty eradication development programs). This demand must be balanced with good governance (sensitivity and ability to meet the demand). The process would be sustainable only if the concerned society benefit directly from the changes in short and medium term. To rephrase the objective of the program:

The objective of the program is to assist societies to develop an effectively government within a democratic system and to implement sustainable development principles through global partnership by way of:

1. Empowering the public to enable them to effectively
2. Developing and strengthening good governance at the local level
3. Developing the capacity of the public and the government at the local level to cooperate in increasing welfare of the people.

PROGRAM ACTION

The Good Governance in Sustainable Development Program consists of three groups of activities:

B. Public Empowerment

The main objective of public empowerment are to encourage people to demand the local government for better governance and to initiate local initiatives as follows:

- ◆ To increase the awareness of the public and society on the importance of understanding the main public concerns in their own area (for example: environment, slum dwellers, sanitation, etc);
- ◆ To inform the public and society that their well-being depends on the level of public participation
- ◆ To inform the public and society that participation will not expose them to risks; informing the public on the process of public participation, and to make available the latest and relevant information on the state of public concerns.

The activities may involve:

1. Development of public communication objective through the media dialogs
2. Involvement of political parties to ensure their members in the local parliament are sensitive to public demands
3. Continuing dialogs with members of local parliaments

4. Creating an effective Parliament Watch for Sustainable Development by involving the civil society
5. Providing incentives for public participation

C. Good Governance

The objective of this set of activities are to create local governments that are sensitive to demands of their public and to build the capacity to supply the demands. The activities would include the following:

1. Development of parameters for good governance (institution, reaction to civil society, ability to identify and deal with local issues, etc)
2. Baseline studies on the state of governance in local area
3. Capacity building based on the criteria mentioned above
4. Create competition based on performance in achieving the criteria
5. Development of other incentives to encourage good governance.

D. Local Partnership

Objective of this group of activities is to encourage multi-stakeholders partnership to increase the welfare of the people at the local level. The activities would involve the creation of a local institute for sustainable Development to organize activities that may increase public welfare through the assistance of business corporations. Some Chief Executive Officers of business corporations in Jakarta, Indonesia, are developing such activities. They are forming a “CEO Roundtable” that would establish an institute for implementing their corporate social responsibility (CSR) projects, together with the public sector and the civil society. The institute forges a cooperation with the association of fishermen to develop a “poverty eradication and sustainable fishery project”. Another project with a local community near Yogyakarta is to develop a “sustainable forest project”.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAM

With the assistance of the world bank the GSSD Program is being implemented in a smaller scale (involving 59 local governments) with rather limited scope in Indonesia. The main implementing agency is The Ministry of the Environment. There is already a suggestion that with additional funding and assistance the program could be expanded to include 150 local governments with a much wider scope of work. Additional stakeholders in this multi-stakeholders partnership would include:

2. The Department of Home Affairs, Republic Indonesia
3. Sectoral departments of the Republic Indonesia, such as Department of Health, Department of Public Works, Department of Industry and Trade, etc.
4. Local governments (cities, regencies, municipalities)
5. Universities such as Pajajaran University, Parahyangan University, and Harvard University (JFK School of Government) for research
6. NGOs and other civil society organizations

RECOMMENDATION

The present program in Indonesia needs to be expanded up to 150-200 local governments at full scale with a comprehensive scope of work. Further assistance for the expanded program is needed in the immediate future

Other countries that are interested in a similar program might want to adapt the GSSD Program to meet their own specific local conditions. These countries would most likely need assistance to implement such a program

The implementation be executed using a multi-phase approach, considering the capacity of each stakeholder

ESTIMATED COST FOR IMPLEMENTATION

As mentioned above, presently the Indonesian government has already started the GSSD Program with a limited scope and size using local funding. To expand the program into full scale and size with assistance from foreign partners, the estimated cost will be as follows:

A. Public Empowerment Cost for public communication, capacity building participation is estimated at US\$ 30,000 per locale (city organized by the regency) per year. For 150 locations during 5 years of implementation, the cost will be	US \$ 22,500,000
B. Good Governance Costs for implementation of good governance activities	US \$ 12, 500, 000
C. Partnership Cost for partnership (bulk of funding to come from the private sector)	US \$ 2, 500, 000
D. Media House Cost for establishing and operating the media host	US\$ 1,500,000
Total Costs (150 cities/regencies for 5 years)	US\$ 39, 000, 000