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B: THEMES

(I) COMMON ISSUES

- Training and awareness at community level particularly with crop and livestock husbandry are underway and well on track. Training on land development community responses to drought require more capacity and resources;
- Capacity building at technical and ministerial level suffers from resource and capacity constraints. Clearer Government policy directive and more donor support and focus required, particularly in terms of institutional strengthening for government agencies responsible for Agriculture, Fisheries and Land Development;
- National legal frameworks need to be reviewed and updated but suffers from resource and capacity constraints. This is largely the reason for slow or no mobilization of resources for private sector development, etc. As a result technology development, transfer and dissemination through extension services is not occurring;
- Participation of major groups promoted through regular updates and reviews of Nutrition Committees by Department of Commerce Industry and Resources. Women are encouraged to be more actively involved and make decisions in implementing community initiatives at household level;
- Whilst the basic structures of cooperative frameworks and partnerships are there, these are mainly constrained by the lack of resource mobilization and technology transfer. Strong leadership from the Government could be improved.