Status of SDG and NDS1 implementation in Zimbabwe

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC SERVICE, LABOUR AND SOCIAL WELFARE
Presentation Outline

The National Development Strategy 1

IRBM

Stakeholder roles

SDGs and NDS1 Implementation progress
NDS1 is aligned and mainstreamed SDGs towards the realisation of the country’s Vision 2030, 2030 Agenda and Agenda 2063.

NDS1 contains strategies and pathways that will ensure sustainable inclusive growth and development towards 2030.

Some of the reasons why previous policies failed

- Lack of consultation and buy in from various critical stakeholders; and
- Lack of co-ordination between the private sector and Government;
IRBM Key Components

1. Integrated Development Planning
   - Systematic & Structured approach to Development Planning with full vertical-horizontal integration and focus on outcomes and impacts

2. Results Based Budgeting
   - Provides an integrated Outcome-Based Programme Budgeting system for planning and management of financial resources to turn policies to reality

3. Personnel Performance System
   - Ensures personnel performance at every level is linked systematically with substantive programme performance

4. Monitoring and Evaluation
   - Mandates structured monitoring and evaluation to support systematic programme performance management

5. Management Information Systems
   - Provides critical information to support informed decision making for programme improvement and adjustments to strategies and policies
Stakeholder roles

SDGs & NDS1 Stakeholders

Local governments

Communities

CSOs

Development partners

Diaspora

Academia

Private sector

National Government

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Progress in the Implementation of SDGs & NDS1
SDGs and NDS1 Implementation Progress

Monitoring and Evaluation
- SDGs Domesticated M&E framework in 2019
- NDS1 Monitoring and Evaluation Framework which is a key feature in the implementation of the Strategy and Mid-Term Reviews
  - UN General Assembly -SDGs Summit in September to reaffirmed on global commitments and the transformative actions.
  - The NDS1 Mid-Term Implementation Review Report was conducted and awaiting Cabinet presentation.

Prioritized of SDGs
2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 13; 16; 17
Implementation Progress Con’t

• Ministries, Government Departments and Agencies have aligned their plans to NDS1 and SDGs, Development partners and other stakeholders too.

• Alignment of National Budget to the NDS1.

• Ministries, Government Departments and Agencies adopted the Whole of Government Performance Management Approach- interrelatedness of National Priorities and SDGs.

• The country’s has produced 2 VNRs- 2017 and 2021
• Preparing 3rd to be presented in 2024.
Other Key Milestones

- NDS1 has been translated into all the 14 official languages (Chewa, Chibarwe, Kalanga, Koisan, Nambya, Ndau, Ndebele, Shangani, Shona, Sotho, Tonga, Tswana, Venda, and Xhosa) Plus braille, sign language and audios to cater for everyone in the country.

- Aggressive NDS1 Dissemination has already began, using a number of methods and platforms.
VNR and VLR

- The country’s has produced 2 VNRs- 2017 and 2021
- Preparing 3rd to be presented in 2024.
- 2021 Cabinet decision to cascade VLRs to all Local Authorities across the country.
- We have started supporting Capacity Building of LAs and to date 6 VLRs have been produced. (Vic Falls, Harare, Bikita, Mutasa, Bulawayo, Zvishavane)
- 12 LAs are in this workshop
In line with Devolution and Decentralization thrust Provinces were also assisted to come up with their respective Provincial Economic Development Plans which are aligned to NDS1.

Treasury allocates and releases funds through IGFTs.
Thank you