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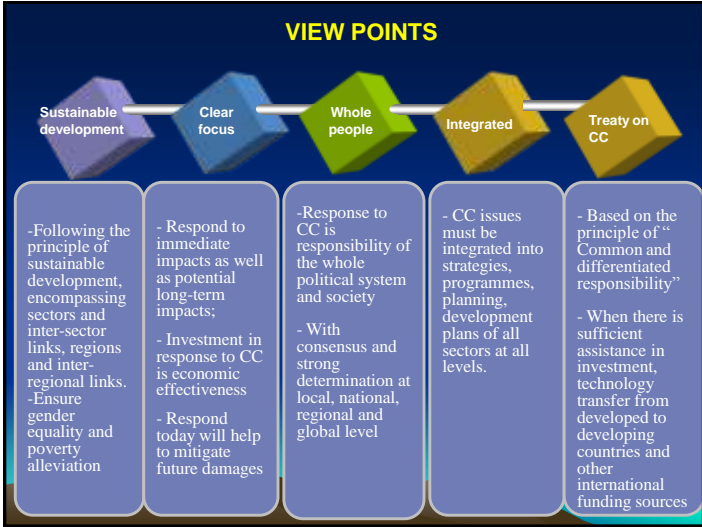
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### DETERMINATIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT

- In Nov. 2007, the Government made Decision No 60/2007/NQ-CP to assign MoNRE to convene development of NTP to Respond to Climate Change (NTP-RCC)
- On 02 Dec. 2008, PM issued Decision No 158/2008/QĐ-TTg on the approval of NTP-RCC

### Situation of Climate Change in Vietnam

- According to the assessment of IPCC, Vietnam is considered one of five countries to be seriously impacted by climate change and sea-level rise.
- Red River delta and Mekong one will probably be the most seriously inundated.
- If sea-level rises by 1 m, there will be around 10% of population to be directly affected with the GDP loss around 10%.



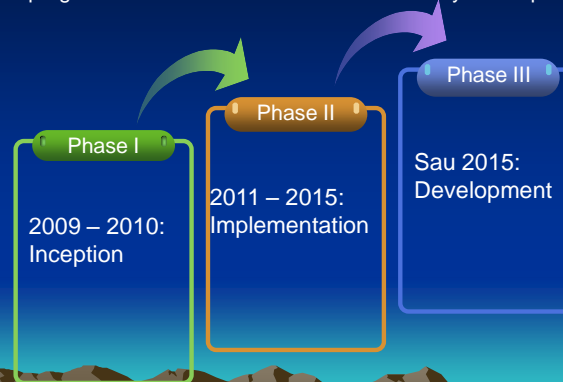
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## STEERING PRINCIPLES

- 1) - The Gov has consensus on policy and steering principles on implementation of activities to respond to CC;
  - MoNRE is standing agency, co-ordinating with related agencies to assist the Gov in steering the implementation.
- 2) - Make sure to follow policy, laws and regulations of the Gov., to protect sustainable development of the country, cultural and material values for today and future.
- 3) - Strengthen effects, effectiveness of the state management and raise responsibility of all organizations, individuals in responses to CC.
  - Gradually improve institutional and organizational systems from central to local levels, raise awareness and disseminate experience in responses to CC.

## SCOPE OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

The programme is carried out in the whole country with 3 phases:



## STEERING PRINCIPLES

- 4) Programme shall be conducted synchronously, in phases with focuses, both immediate and long-term features, active, timely, sharp and effective to ensure sustainable development of each area and each sector.
- 5) - The Gov ensures to provide necessary resources
  - Mobilize contribution of international and national communities to invest in activities to respond to CC ;
  - Develop and implement response measures to CC to provide integrated exploitation, ensuring harmonization with natural condition and synchronization with economic development.
- 6) Ensure to carry out international commitment on responses to CC.

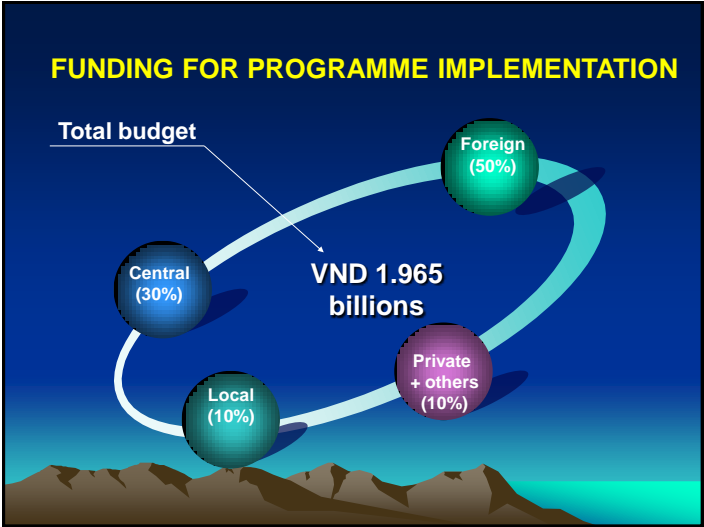
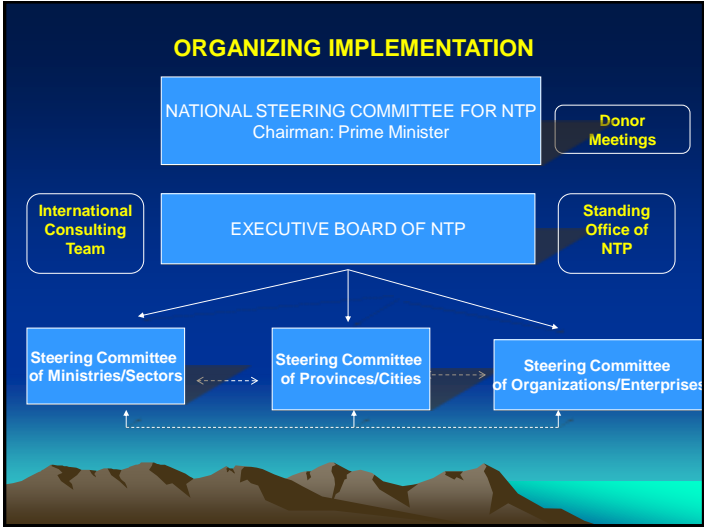
## OBJECTIVES OF NTP

- 1. Assess extent of impacts of CC to sectors, areas and localities in each phase;
- 2. Develop action plans feasible to respond effectively to CC in each phase to ensure sustainable development of the country;
- 3. Maximize the use of opportunities to develop the economy toward low carbon production;
- 4. Join international community in the efforts to mitigate CC to protect global climate system.

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### RESPONSIBILITIES AND MEASURES

1. Assess extent of impacts of climate change in Vietnam
2. Identify response measures to CC
3. Develop science-technology programme on CC
4. Strengthen institutional, organizational and policy making capacity on CC
5. Raise awareness and develop human resources
6. Promote international co-operation
7. Integrate CC issues into strategies, programmes, planning and socio-economic development plans, sectoral and local development plans.
8. Develop action plans for sectors, ministries and localities to respond to CC.
9. Develop and implement projects of the programme.



### RESPONSIBILITIES OF MINISTRIES, SECTORS, LOCALITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

MoNRE	MPI	Ministries, agencies	PPC/CPC	Social organizations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Management mechanism, policy</li> <li>- Budget calculation</li> <li>- Guide development of action plans</li> <li>-Supervising, checking</li> <li>-Overall co-ordination</li> <li>-Mechanism of supervision and evaluation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Setting up standard framework and guiding integration of CC</li> <li>- Mechanism of supervision and evaluation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Develop and implement NAP for each ministry and sector.</li> <li>- Implement projects</li> <li>- Join common activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Develop and implement action plans</li> <li>-Implement projects</li> <li>-Use funding effectively</li> <li>-Mobilize extra resources and integrate activities</li> <li>-Supervising and evaluating</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encourage social organizations, unions, NGOs, enterprises to take part in activities to respond to CC</li> </ul>

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### SEVERAL CORE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NTP IN 2009

1. Establish NTP Office; Issue operational mechanism of the NTP office.
2. Form NTP Executive Board consisting of 17 members chaired by Minister of MoNRE.
3. National Steering Committee consists of 6 members chaired by Prime Minister
4. Develop Draft of Inter-Circular to instruct mechanism of management and use of funding for NTP implementation.
5. Completed development of climate change scenarios for Vietnam.
6. Organize workshops to disseminate, raise awareness for all groups of people on CC
7. Organize press meeting to introduce scenarios of CC for Vietnam.

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### SEVERAL CORE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NTP IN 2009

8. Develop guideline framework for action plan to respond to CC for ministries, sectors and localities to tentatively issue in October 2009.
9. Summarized and reviewed the list of responsibilities in 2010 of the NTP proposed by ministries, sectors and localities.
10. Worked with MoF on the budget of 2010 for the NTP – VND 67.5 billion.
11. Organized the meeting of NTP Executive Board to discuss the Draft of Operational mechanism of the Executive Board and National Steering Committee; Collected opinions on the list of responsibilities of the NTP in 2010. Executive Board has agreed on the formation of Working Group to mobilize fund from international sources to the NTP with participation of representatives from related ministries.