



NATIONAL WORKSHOP TO ADVANCE GREEN DEVELOPMENT AND PAGE IMPLEMENTATION IN MONGOLIA

STATUS OF PAGE IMPLEMENTATION IN MONGOLIA

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PAGE IMPLEMENTATION IN MONGOLIA



2013



- **PAGE lead ministry:**
 - Ministry of Environment, Green Development and Tourism
- **Focal point:** T. Bulgan, Director of Department of GDSP
- **Technical inter-ministerial PAGE Committee**
 - Recently renewed with 14 members from 11 ministries
 - Chair: Mr. M. Khurelsukh, Deputy Minister of MEGDT
 - Deputy Chair: Mr. G. Batkhurel, Director of Department of Economic Policy, MOF
 - Secretary: Kh. Tuvshinbayar, Head, Division of Clean Technology, GDSP, MEGDT
 - Members: 11 ministrie and agencies inlcuding MEGDT, MFA, MRT, MHDSW, MM, ME, MOF, MHS, ML, NSO, MESC
- **National PAGE Coordinator in Mongolia**
 - Posted at the MEGDT

PAGE SUPPORT IN MONGOLIA: 2014-2015



Green Economy Modelling and Policy Assessment (EPCRC)



Green Economy Indicators (NSO)



Sustainable Public Procurement (MOF)



Green School Building (MEGDT)



Waste Management



Green Economy Learning (MNU)



Green Economy Modelling and Policy Assessment (EPCRC)



Actions to complete

Draft green economy policy assessment report

Finalise green economy policy assessment report

High level launch event

Support of green development strategic goal

Forecasting of potential green growth and its impacts

Green Economy Indicators (NSO):



Actions to complete

Draft green indicators document related to GDS

Study tour on green economy indicators

National workshop on green economy indicators

Support for green development strategic goals

Information based policy making and evaluation of progress towards green economy

Assess interactions between environment, economy and society

Sustainable Public Procurement (MOF)



Actions to complete

Improvement of cross cutting activities to build the foundation of SPP

Situational analysis (participatory research and consultation)

Review of legal framework to integrate sustainable procurement in national policy and legislation

SPP and sectors: Identification and prioritisation of sectors for SPP

Analysis of market readiness and identification of gaps in the supply side

Development of national action plan on SPP

Support for green development strategic goals

Public investment, fiscal policy, green expenditure policy

Sustainable Public Procurement



Activities up to date

Improvement of cross cutting activities to build the foundation of SPP

Inception workshop on SPP

National focal organisation designated

Establishment of Steering Committee

Workshop report and implementation plan

Situational analysis (participatory research and consultation)

National consultant hired

Questionnaire translated, edited and distributed to key stakeholders

Interviews conducted

Drafting the Status analysis report

Green School Building



Actions planned

Compilation of guidelines for the greening of design, construction, operation and maintenance of public schools in Mongolia

Development of a prototype design for a specific typology of a green school in Mongolia

Improving capacity of professionals for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of buildings in Mongolia

Analysis of the economic, social and environmental benefits of green schools in Mongolia

Compilation of a roadmap for greening schools in Mongolia

Green School Building



Support of green development strategic goals:

Efficient, effective and rationale use of resources

Sectoral policies and planning consistent with green development concepts

Promotion of clean and advanced technologies

Green investment

Green Economy Learning



Actions planned

Training manual “Introduction to green economy” in Mongolian

Workshop for national decision makers , journalists and the press

Study tour on green economy for decision makers

National green economy learning strategy/action plan

Support of green development strategic goals

Ensure citizens’ participation in the creation of green economic growth

Engrain environmentally friendly attitudes, habits and competencies

CONCLUSION



Strengths

- ✓ Actions meeting country's circumstances-social, economic and environmental challenges and institutional capacity.
- ✓ Country ownership of success
- ✓ Leverage policy implementation and ease the transition to a green economy.
- ✓ Gain experience and make other countries from own experience.
- ✓ Cooperation across different parts of government
- ✓ Building relevant administrative capacity
- ✓ Substantial international cooperation



Challenges

Some activities have been delayed requesting special attention, clear actions and efforts.



WAY FORWARD 2015



Work streams	Remaining activities	Date
Green Economy Modelling and Policy Assessment	Report and high level event	Sep 2015
Green Economy Indicators (NSO)	Finalise indicators, submit report and organise workshop	July 2015
Sustainable Public Procurement	Act.3-6	Jan 2016
Green School Building	Act. 7 Act. 8-11	Jun 2015 Dec 2015
Green Economy Learning	Manual Workshop & study tour National GELS	June 30 Sep-Oct Oct 2015

Raise awareness about PAGE activities in Mongolia

Through the website of MEGDT

Media and press

Printed materials

At the events including workshops and meetings



Development of medium term objectives and actions

Reflect global perspective

Reflect local contexts and priorities

Based on available funding

Development of workplan for 2016

Workplan for identified workstream to be developed

Terms of reference for activities to be developed



PAGE PARTNERS



UN SYSTEM ORGANISATIONS



The United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) is the lead organization on the global environment in the UN system and plays a key role in facilitating all aspects of PAGE. UNEP will focus on ensuring environmental sustainability in policy advice under PAGE.



The International Labour Organization (ILO) brings its knowledge and experience on employment, the greening of enterprises, green jobs, gender equality and skills building to PAGE.



The United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) is the UN's expert in promoting sustainable industrial development. UNIDO's contribution to PAGE will focus on industrial policy advice, and its implementation through industry engagement, industry-related training and its building of public-private partnership.



The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) is a strategic UN partner dedicated to environmental training and strengthening capacities of research and training institutions in partner countries. Under PAGE, UNITAR will support and contribute to the development of international training programmes, including those hosted by the ILO's International Training Centre. UNITAR will also lead on national training and competency development in support of green economy policy and action plan development, as well as contribute to other specialized training, capacity building and high-level dialogues.



The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) helps eradicate poverty, reduce inequalities, and advance sustainable development in more than 170 countries and territories. UNDP contributes to PAGE through multi-disciplinary expertise in environment, poverty, gender and governance; innovative financing; country-owned capacity development and programmatic mainstreaming approaches; engagement with key government, private sector and civil society partners; and South-South knowledge sharing.

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INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI)

Tongji University

Millennium Institute (MI)

Sustain Labour

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