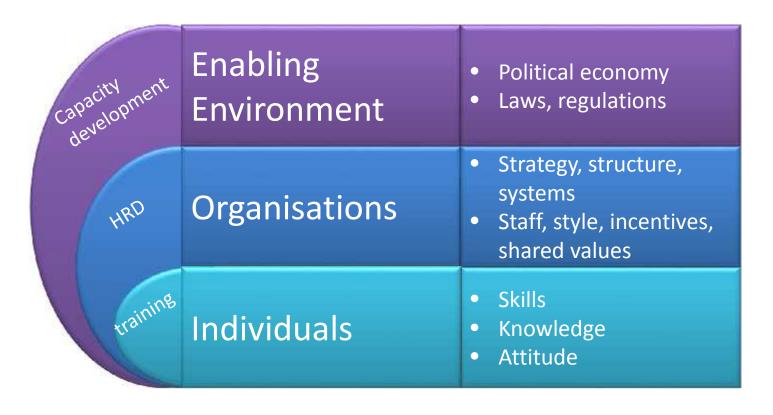
# SECTOR CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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# 3 levels of capacity



Capacity in the public sector is often slow and incremental as it depends many factors at all levels

# Ministry of Water and Environment Joint Technical Review 2017

Undertaking 11: Finalise the development of costed CD plans for the departments of the MWE + agencies and embark on implementation by end of FY 2016/17. Continue with Implementation into 2018

Undertaking 12: Develop a strategy to systematically build the capacity of middle and lower level sector personnel in leadership and managerial skills to address emerging sector demands by the end of FY 2016/17.

### Intended Outcomes

- 3 year Costed CD plan for W+E sector (2013/18)
- Improve capacity to implement CD interventions in a coordinated manner
- Mobilisation of funds for CD activities in the W+E sector
- Alignment to sector goals (JWESSP)
- Succession plans developed & well coordinated.

# Scheduled Deliverables (U- 11)

- Finalise the costed CD plans for UWSSD, Regulation and Water Resources Management.
- Implement training plans 5 Departments of MWE and UNMA
- Sub Sector Thematic Committee meetings Convened Quarterly to review the progress of Undertakings + issues related to Sector CD

### **Progress: Where are we?**

- Capacity Needs Assessment completed and a draft report presented(DWRM)
- Findings categorized under
- a) Authority to implement DWRM mandate
- b) Organizational structure
- c) Performance management
- d) Leadership and management
- e) Technical skills
- f) Communication & stakeholder engagement
- g) Implementation of catchment plans
- h) Knowledge management



### **Next steps**

- Final Capacity Needs Assessment report
- ✓ Feed back from the steering committee
- ✓ Stakeholder validation meeting
- ✓ Prioritization of the capacity needs
- Capacity Development Strategy (CDS)
- ✓ Consultations & identification of interventions, approaches & monitoring indicators
- Capacity Developing Plan (CDP)
- ✓ Identification of short term, intermediate & long term interventions and costing them
- Implementation of the CDP



# SUPPORT TO DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES (SDHR)

#### Overview progress in the Environment Sector

- 6 selected Beneficiary Organisations: MoWE Wetlands Management Department, MoWE - Forestry Support Services Department, MoWE - Climate Change Department, MoWE - Uganda National Meteorological Authority, MoWE - Policy and Planning department, MoWE - Finance and Administration Department.
- Phase 1 Organizational readiness for change Key Achievements 2015:
  - 6 organisations have fully owned goals for organisational improvement.
  - Memorandum of Understanding signed with 6 organisations.
  - Organisations are satisfied with the relevance of their improvement areas (average score of 4,23 on a scale of 5).
- Phase 2 Planning for change focusing on Development of Human Resources Key Achievements 2016:
  - 6 organisations have a fully-owned HRD/ training plan and budget that is.
  - Organisations are satisfied with the quality and comprehensiveness of their plan (average score of 3,91 on a scale of 5).
- Phase 3 Action focusing on Development of Human Resources and transfer of learning - Key Achievements Q4 2016-Q1 2017):
  - 7 staff members of UNMA and 1 staff member of FSSD started long term training.
  - Short course for UNMA (weather prediction), FSSD and CCD (GIS) in preparation stage.

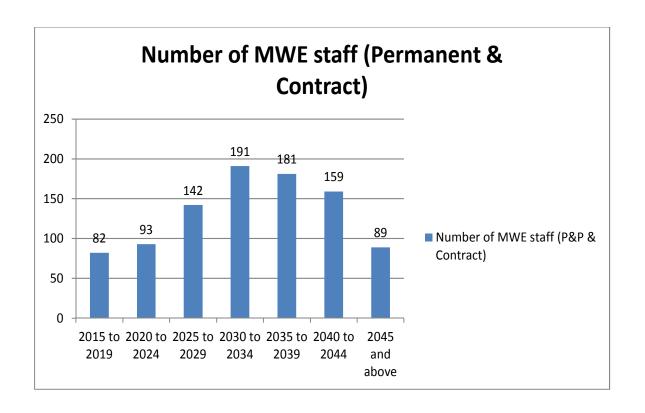
# Scheduled Deliverables (U- 12)

- Analyse staff database for retirement in next 5 yrs
- Identify future leaders for Career Planning.
- Principal Officers & Assistant Commissioners
- Design Systematic CD programme for future Leaders
- Finalise collaboration mechanisms with Makerere University (WaSo Project) for CD support to middle level managers in the sector.

## Progress

- Analysis of HR data base finalised for MWE, NWSC + on-going for the UNMA, LGs + other agencies
- Future leaders for career planning mapped out + analysis of JDs on going(using JAT)
- Draft MoU with Makerere
   University(WaSo) prepared/to be finalised

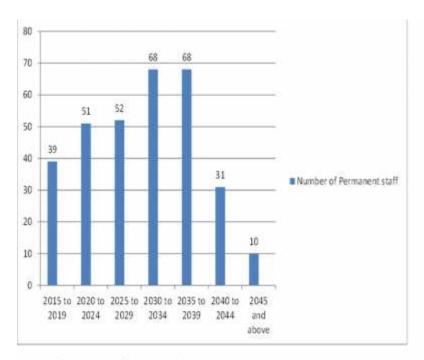
# Career/Succession Planning



Number of staff to retire in the year ranges

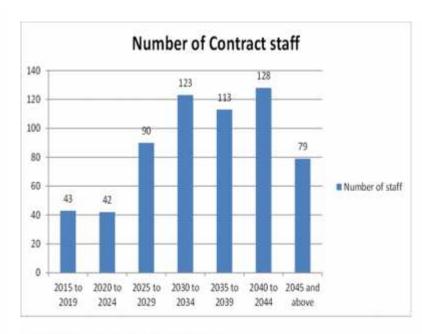
# Succession/Career Planning

#### **MWE Permanent Staff**



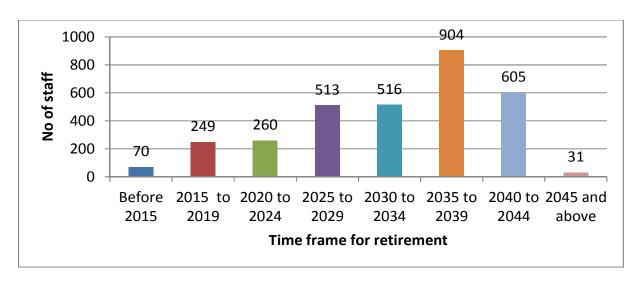
Number of Permanent staff to retire in the year ranges

#### **MWE Contract Staff**



Number of contract staff to retire in the year ranges

# Career/Succession Planning - NWSC

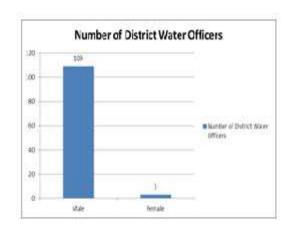


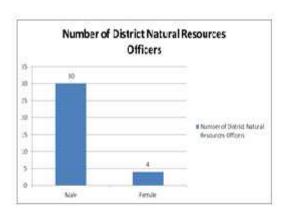
Timeframe for retirement of the current NWSC staff

# Career/Succession Planning

#### **District Water Officers**

#### **District ENR Officers**





# Key Challenges

- Desk Officers Understand CD, But HR Managers
   & Senior Management yet to be fully engaged
- Enabling Environment & Organization Structure are Key Influencers of Performance, but are Outside the Ambit of CD Thematic WG
- Many Vacant positions & Reliance on Contract Staffing.

# Key Challenges

### No Funding for:

- Water for Production,
- Water and Environment Sector Liaison,
- Environment,
- Rural Water Supply.

### Public Services Regulations Restrict

- pre-selection of future leaders and
- structured training for contract staff

