

# Ministry of Water and Environment Joint Technical Review 2017

#### **Undertaking #2**

Operationalise the proposed coordination, implementation and funding mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM by end of FY16/17

# **Establishment of Water Management Zones**

Piloting catchment based IWRM undertaken from 2006 to 2008

Framework for CBIWRM developed in 2010

WMZ offices established in July 2011



#### Levels of deconcentration

- Water Management Zones
- Catchments
  - National catchments e.g. Ruizi, L. George, Katonga, etc.
  - Transboundary catchments e.g. Kagera River, Sio-Malaba-Malakisi basins
- Districts

### **Background**

# Existing and proposed coordination and implementation mechanisms for catchment based IWRM

#### **National level**

- Policy Committee on Environment: Policy level coordination/oversight (opt)
- Water Policy Committee: Policy, Strategic Advice & Inter-sectoral coordination
- Stakeholder Forum: Joint Sector Review (JSR) and Joint Technical Review (JTR)
- Water and Environment Sector Working Group (WESWG) and Water and Sanitation Sub-sector Sub-group: SWAp, planning, budgeting, monitoring, coordination and reporting
- IWRM Thematic Team

#### Key implementation Actors/Partners to DWRM:

 Line Ministries & organisations and institutions working across the Water & Environment sector – DEA, DWD, NFA, NEMA, NWSC, UWA, UWASNET, private sector, DPs, NGOs etc

#### **WMZ** Level

#### WMZ structures:

- WMZ Advisory Committee (WAC)
- WMZ Technical Committee (WTC)

#### **Catchment Level**

#### **Catchment Structures**

- Catchment stakeholder Forum (SF)
- Catchment Management Committees (CMC)
- Catchment Technical Committees (CTC)
- CMO Secretariats

#### **District Structures**

#### **District Structures:**

- inter-district coordination forum
- inter-district technical committee
- local government statutory committees district & local environment committees, DWSCC, DDC, Urban Councils.....

# **Community Level**

- Need to have measures to enable local communities to directly contribute to planning at the catchment, sub-catchment and microcatchment level
- Propose to utilise structures as LC courts, networks of women & youth, local user associations – fishermen, car washers, water users, farmers

# Proposed funding sources and mechanisms for catchment based IWRM

# **Proposed funding sources**

- 1. Non-tax revenues (payments by polluters and water users through Water Permit System)
- 2. Payment for WRM services (sales of data, laboratory services etc)
- 3. Payment for water source protection (3% of water related investment costs based on Water Source Protection Guidelines)
- 4. Leveraging local government Conditional Grants and area specific funds (NUSAF, NUREP, NAADS, PRDP, LRDP)
- Project financing from donors, NGOs, Government, private sector etc
- 6. Voluntary contributions for catchment management and protection by stakeholders in the catchment
- Contributions by business entities under corporate social responsibility

# Proposed funding mechanisms

- 1. Integration of WRM activities at various levels into MTEF
- 2. Integration of WRM activities in various catchments into District Development Plans & District Environment Action Plans
- 3. Disbursement of funds for regional activities directly to WMZ accounts with WMZ Coordinators as accounting officers
- 4. Funds for activities in district plans channelled as conditional grants through CMOs and later distribute them to districts to implement various interventions in the CMP
- Pooling financing from various sources into a Catchment Management Fund at either national level or in specific catchments
- 6. Direct or in-kind funding for activities from various sources

# **Expected Output of the undertaking**

- Operationalization of the proposed coordination and implementation mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM at various levels initiated
- Operationalization of the proposed funding options and mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM initiated
- Brochure and documentary on experiences in implementing CbIWRM in the 4 WMZs prepared and disseminated

#### **Scheduled Deliverables**

- Key proposed coordination mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM at the national level (WPC, IWRM Thematic team, task team on CbIWRM) operationalized - April 2017
- A brochure and documentary on experiences in implementing CbIWRM from the 4 WMZs prepared –April 2017
- Collaboration with key implementation actors/partners to DWRM (DEA, DWD, NEMA etc) in implementation of CbIWRM initiated- May 2017
- Proposed coordination mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM at WMZ level (WMZ Advisory and Technical Committees) operationalized - June 2017
- Key proposed coordination and implementation mechanisms for catchmentbased IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ (SF, CMC, CTC, micro catchment committees) operationalized - June 2017
- Proposed coordination mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM at district level (inter-district coordination forum, inter-district technical committee, local government statutory committees) operationalized - June 2017

#### **Scheduled Deliverables**

- Proposed coordination mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM at community level (networks of women & youth, local user associations – fishermen, car washers, water users, farmers) operationalized- June 2017
- Key proposed funding sources for catchment-based IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ (Project financing, payment for water source protection (3%), leveraging local government Conditional Grants and area specific funds (NUSAF, NAADS, PRDP), Voluntary contributions, Contributions by business entities) operationalized- June 2017
- Key proposed funding mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ (Integration of WRM activities into MTEF, Integration of WRM activities in various catchments into District Development Plans, Disbursement of funds for regional activities directly to WMZ accounts, Direct or in-kind funding) operationalized- June 2017
- Awareness raised and information on experiences in implementing CbIWRM disseminated— June 2017

#### Planned activities

- Operationalize key proposed coordination mechanisms for catchmentbased IWRM at the national level
- Prepare a brochure and documentary on experiences in implementing CbIWRM from the 4 WMZs
- Initiate collaboration with key implementation actors/partners to DWRM in implementation of CbIWRM
- Operationalize the proposed coordination mechanisms for catchmentbased IWRM at WMZ level
- Operationalize key proposed coordination and implementation mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ
- Operationalize the proposed coordination mechanisms for catchmentbased IWRM at district level

#### Planned activities

- Operationalize the proposed coordination mechanisms for catchmentbased IWRM at community level
- Operationalize the key proposed funding sources for catchment-based IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ
- Operationalize key proposed funding mechanisms for catchment-based IWRM in atleast one catchment per WMZ
- Raise awareness and disseminate information on experiences in implementing CbIWRM

# **Key Challenges**

No major challenges

#### **Main Stakeholders**

- Central government ministries and agencies
- Local governments
- Civil Society Organisations
- Private sector
- Development Partners
- Academic institutions
- Faith based organisations
- Cultural institutions