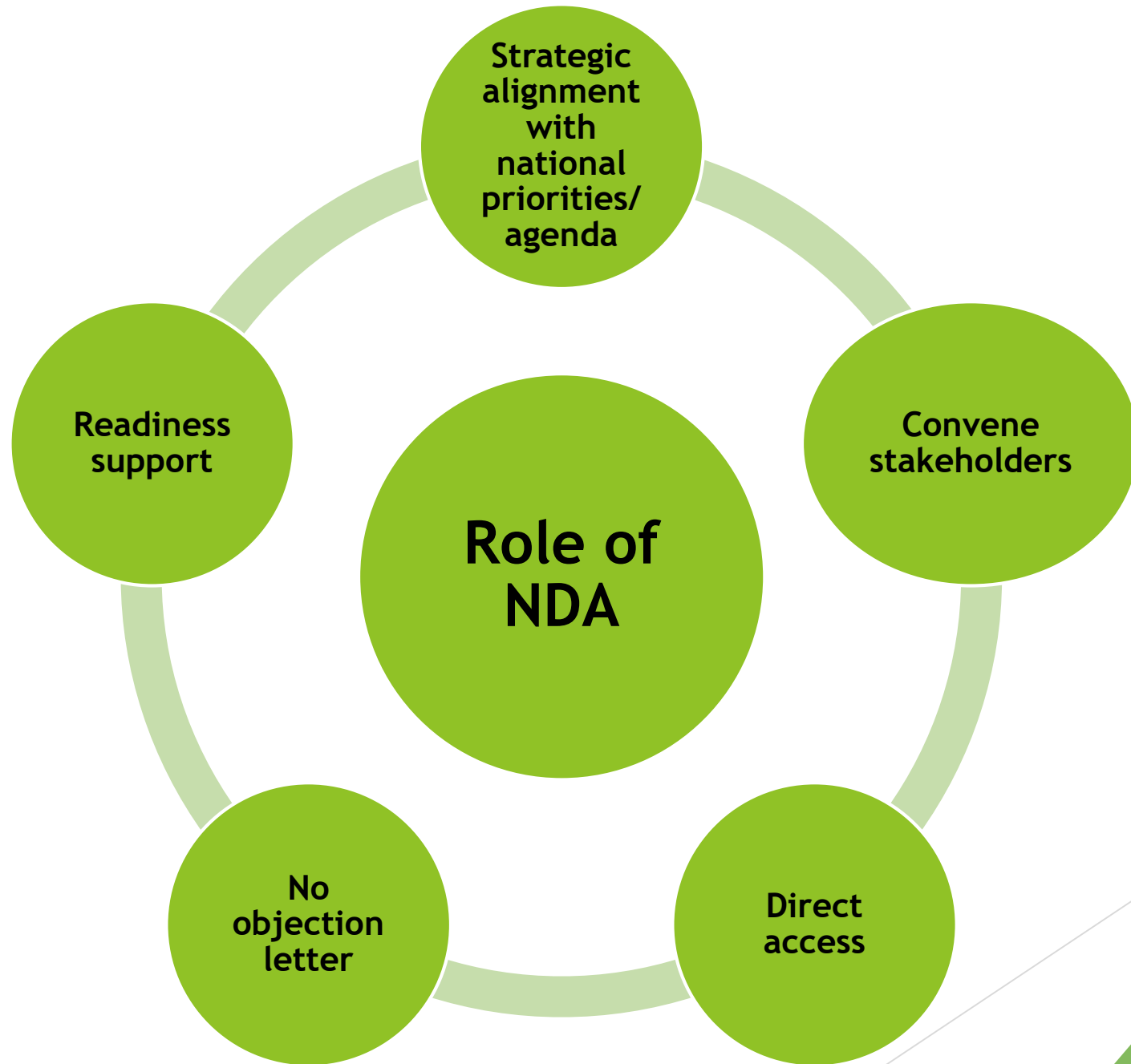


IN COUNTRY COORDINATION FOR IMPROVED CONCEPT NOTES & PROPOSALS

TECHNICAL WORKSHOP ON PROJECT PREPARATION FOR
TRANSFORMATIONAL CLIMATE RESILIENCE WATER PROJECTS IN ASIA

15 - 16 OCTOBER 2018



In Country Coordination for GCF: Possible Structure

Cabinet (final project decision)

NDA (lead ministry, secretariat, link to GCF, link to AEs)

National committee/ council (decides on project finalization)

Technical committee (on various sector, vetting the proposals, advice national committee, delivery partner)

Stakeholders (consultations with: states, local government, private sector)

Enhancing coordination: Top-down & bottom up approaches

- ▶ Enhancing coordination need both balanced **top-down & bottom-up** approaches
- ▶ Top-down: **(policy makers)** political will - federal ministry - scientific/technical data - **(users)**
- ▶ Bottom-up: **(users)** community/ private sectors / local government - scientific/technical data - **(policy makers)**
- ▶ Balance approach = win-win situation for both **policy makers & users**

Consultation & Involvement of Key Stakeholders

- ▶ Key ministries/agencies - crucial since the beginning (finance ministry, planning ministry)
- ▶ Research institutions - provide policy back-up for climate rationale (technical advise, scientific data)
- ▶ Accredited entity - align with international standards
- ▶ Implementing agencies/local government - implement both policy & technical
- ▶ Community/private sectors/NGOs - convey the need of people

Coordination of GCF proposal in Malaysia

Cabinet

Green Technology & Climate Change Council (Ministerial level) - NDA as secretariat

National Steering Committee on Climate Change (NSCCC) - NDA as secretariat

Green Climate Fund Technical Committee (under NSCCC) - NDA chair with involvement with key stakeholders

National stakeholder consultations (based on topics, include states, local government, private sector, NGOs) - NDA coordinates

Key Messages

► For considering GCF proposals:

1. Country ownership
2. Align with national development agenda
3. Meet the needs of the stakeholders & constantly engaged with them
4. No one left behind - consultations/ top down & bottom-up
5. Transformation agenda/paradigm shift - economic, social, increase resilience, reducing impacts, vulnerabilities
6. Contributes to international agenda (SDGs, Paris Agreement)

SELF-REMINDER:

This workshop is just the beginning of a long and great journey ahead!

“The proper use of science is not to conquer nature but to live in it.”

—Barry Commoner

“The Earth is a fine place and worth fighting for.”

—Ernest Hemingway

“One of the first conditions of happiness is that the link between man and nature shall not be broken.”

—Leo Tolstoy