

Accelerating Access to Sanitation

INSTITUTIONAL CHALLENGES

**Challenges in the regulation of sanitation
– clear responsibilities,
accountability and cooperation
as preconditions for up-scaling sanitation**

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CHALLENGES IN REGULATING SANITATION

Missing Regulatory Framework

Fragmented, dysfunctional & Inadequate for Sanitation

Basic minimum standards nationally agreed



Missing Concepts for Large Scale Implementation

Not aligned to situation on ground

Not streamlined to pro-poor systematic national concept



Insufficient Usage and Coordination of Contributions

Diffuse efforts NO synergy

INADEQUATE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

**TOOLS NOT ADEQUATE: LAW, STANDARD & G/LINES
DO NOT MEET DEMAND REQUIREMENTS**

**DEPLORABLE PUBLIC HEALTH
ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE**

**MUST MEET MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR DESIGN,
CONSTRUCTION AND MANAGEMENT**

ENFORCEMENT HEAVILY COMPROMISED

REGULATORY INSTITUTIONS SETUP –NOT DEVELOPED

STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES FOR SECTOR PLAYERS

SYSTEMATIC CONCEPTS AND ALIGNMENT FOR UP-SCALING



Weak Institutions
Low investment

Major sanitation
related problem
-cholera

Low coverage,
Low priority &
enforcement



SANITATION MUST BE EVERYONES AGENDA

SYSTEMATIC CONCEPTS AND ALIGNMENT FOR UP-SCALING

Rapid urbanisation and Growth of informal or formalised settlements of poor

VS

Infrastructure Investment

Need hasten -investments for biggest leverage

-Enforcement & marketing

**LOW INCOME &
PERI-URBAN AREAS**

**Sanitation
Improvement**

**BIGGEST IMPACT
& QUICK RESULTS**

**IN SANITATION NEED FOR
LOW COST TECHNOLOGY: ACCEPTABLE**

Orienting the stakeholders to a pro-poor and National systematic concept and Investment program

Different situations and conditions prevailing in rural and urban areas

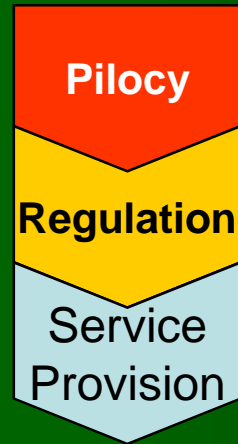
Different Technologies & Approaches

Comprehensive systematic Concept

- ◆ **technology &**
- ◆ **financing mechanism**

PROFESSIONAL UTILITIES TO LEAD SANITATION PROVISION

CONTRIBUTION OF STAKEHOLDERS IN THE WATER SECTOR



Government

coordination, planning, resource mobilisation

**Autonomous Govt Agency/
Govt Departments**

**Service provision to lower govt organs
–delegated to autonomous institutions & private**

More effective and responsive, present on the ground

**Precondition for efficient and effective
provision of sanitation services**

- ◆ Improved management of institutions
- ◆ Attract skilled personnel to sector &
- ◆ Investment in Infrastructure

COOPERATION WORKS FOR SANITATION

CONTRIBUTION OF STAKEHOLDERS IN THE WATER SECTOR

Exploit the comparative advantages of each stakeholder

▶▶ Accelerated sanitation coverage

Distributing functions and responsibilities

-Move away from outdated dogmatic approaches

Involve professional institutions –not on technology lines

Environmental protection in sanitation core

Protect water bodies –both surface and ground

Sanitation Standards to protect water resources

-design, construction and operation of sanitation facilities

**For large scale improvement urgent need for
cooperation of all sector actors**

CONCLUSION



Regulatory Framework Must respond to environment & needs on the ground



Orienting key stakeholders in concepts, technologies & approaches helps with buy-in



Inadequate Sanitation Regulatory Framework harms public health & environment



Cooperation of all actors for accelerated and Large Scale improvement in sanitation

Sanitation Must be everyones Agenda

THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION!



