

The UN-REDD Programme

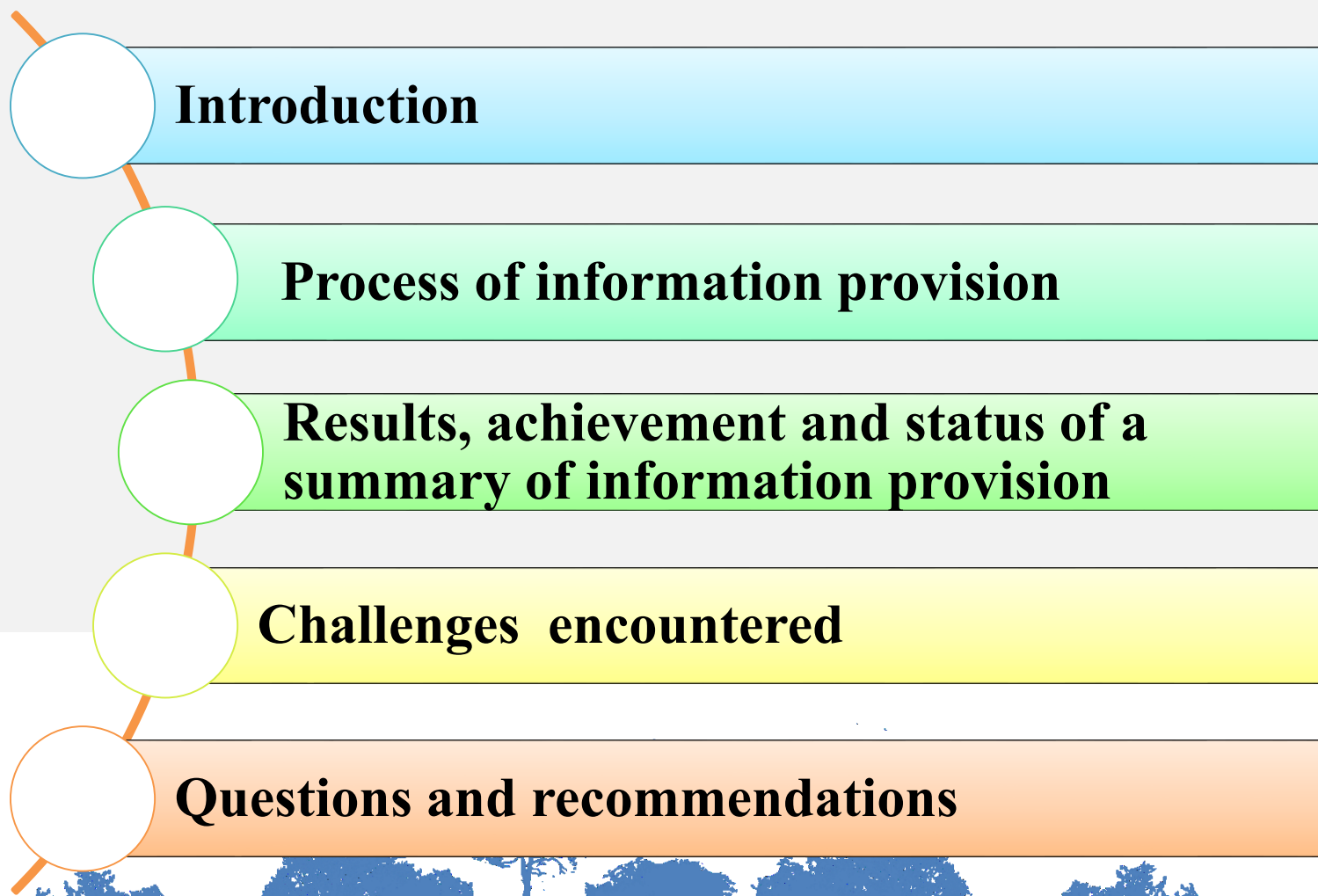
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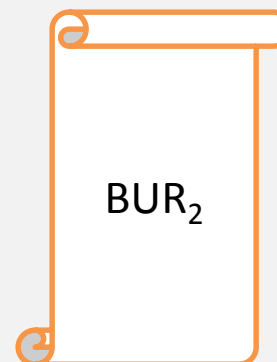
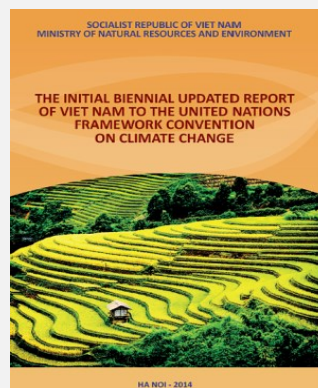
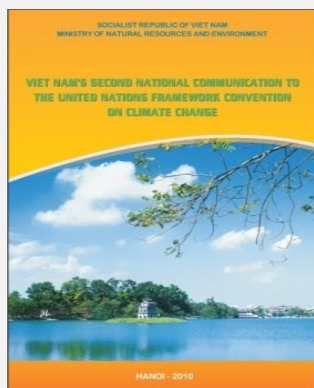
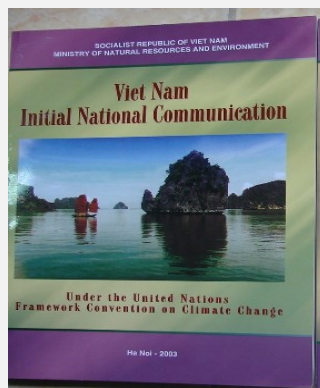
Background to the Process of Providing a Summary of Information in Vietnam

- Vietnam signed the UNFCCC 1992, ratified in 1994 and the signed Kyoto Protocol 1998 and ratified in 2002, a Non-Annex I Party under UNFCCC;
- The Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment is assigned as National Focal Point to implement UNFCCC and KP;
- Ministry of Agricultural and Rural Development is focal point for REDD+ Implementation – REDD+ National Steering Committee.



Institutional Arrangement for NCs





2003



2010



2014



2016



2018

Initial National
Communication
(INC)

Second National
Communication
(SNC)

Biennial Update
Report
(BUR1)

Biennial Update
Report
(BUR2)

Third National
Communication
(TNC)

UNFCCC Reporting Requirement from REDD+ under (Decision 9/19, para 3)



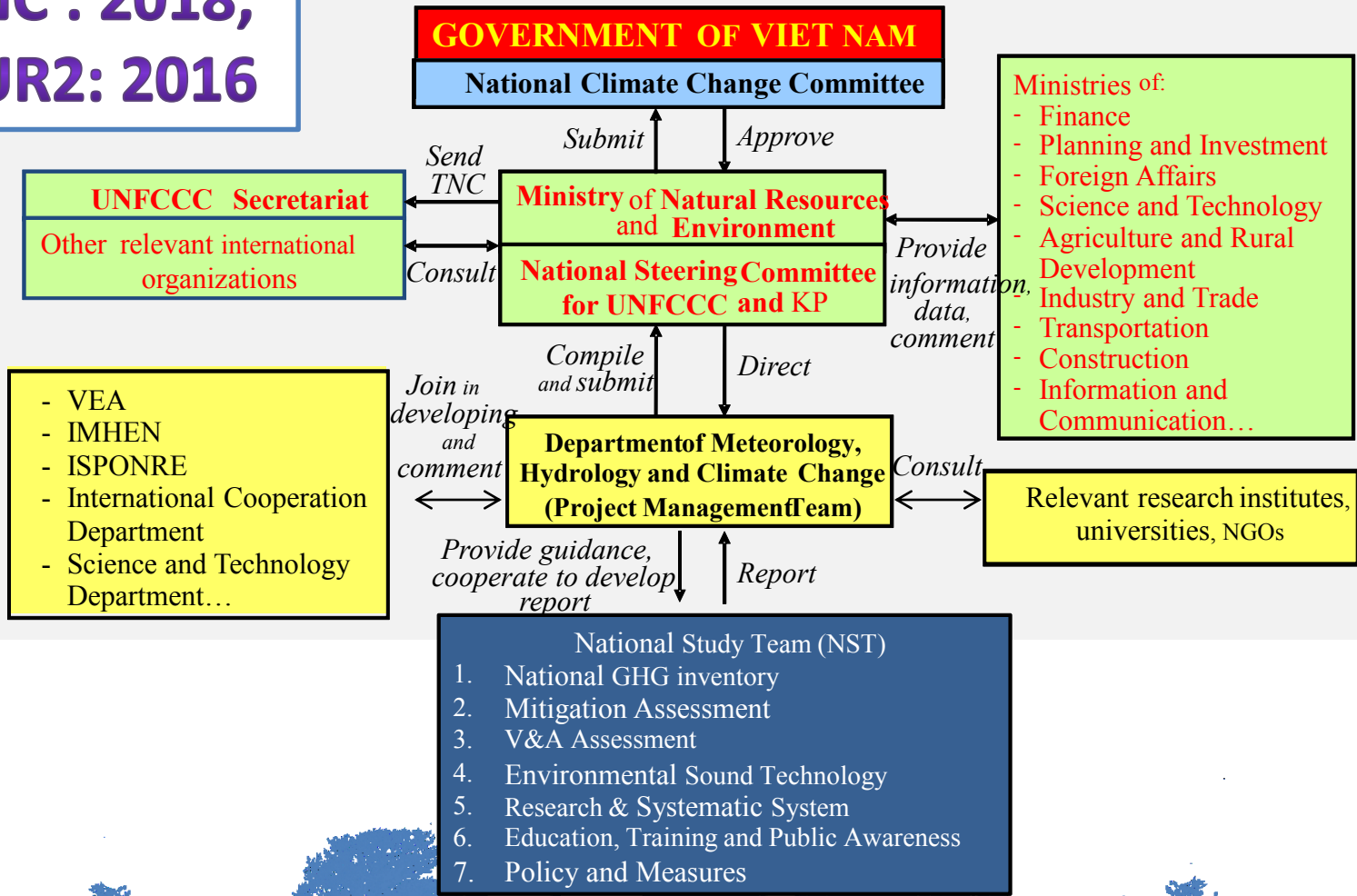
Process of Providing a Summary of Information in Vietnam

- Four WF elements will be prepared and provided by VNForest/MARD;
- Other Non – REDD+ information will be provided by related institutions, agencies



Process of Providing a Summary of Information in Vietnam

TNC : 2018;
BUR2: 2016



Results, Achievement and Status of Providing a Summary of Information

- The National Action Plan of REDD+ (Decision No. 799/QD-TTg in 2012);
- Institutional arrangement for REDD+ implementation set up;
- Safeguards Roadmap for Vietnam's National REDD+ Action Programme drafted;
- The gap analysis of legal framework against Cancun Safeguard has completed in June 2014;
- REL/FREL drafted;
- NFMS (M&MRV) being proceeded (SLMS; NFI; NGHGI);
- International Supports for REDD+ implementation.

Challenges Encountered

- No SIS developed; No FREL/REL available; NFMS available to integrate into SNC and BUR1;
- Strengthen the coordination and communication;
- Capacity building, education and awareness;
- Guideline revision

Third National Communication (TNC) is based on the recommended guidelines adopted at COP 8 (decision 17/CP.8) and the format recommended by the GEF in 2003. Through the process, Viet Nam will further build its institutional, scientific, technical, informational and human capacity at all levels so as to facilitate the country's effective implementation of the Convention in a sustainable manner.



Questions/Advice to the UN-REDD Programme:

- More support and engagement with the National Focal Point to UNFCCC in the implementation of UNFCCC;
- Strengthen the communication, coordination, awareness raising and education (functional);
- Carry out capacity building and information sharing to related stakeholders from central to locals;
- Support the resources to speed up the development and completion of SIS, FREL/REL, etc.
- What is the supporting Plan of UN-REDD in the future?



Thank you for your attention

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