IMPLEMENTING THE 2030 AGENDA IN COUNTRIES AND REGIONS: SHARING FOR LEARNING



3rd ESDN Peer Learning Platform & Visit

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THE NATIONAL SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY: ELABORATION AND IMPLEMENTATION PROCESSES



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Per un cambiamento sostenibile









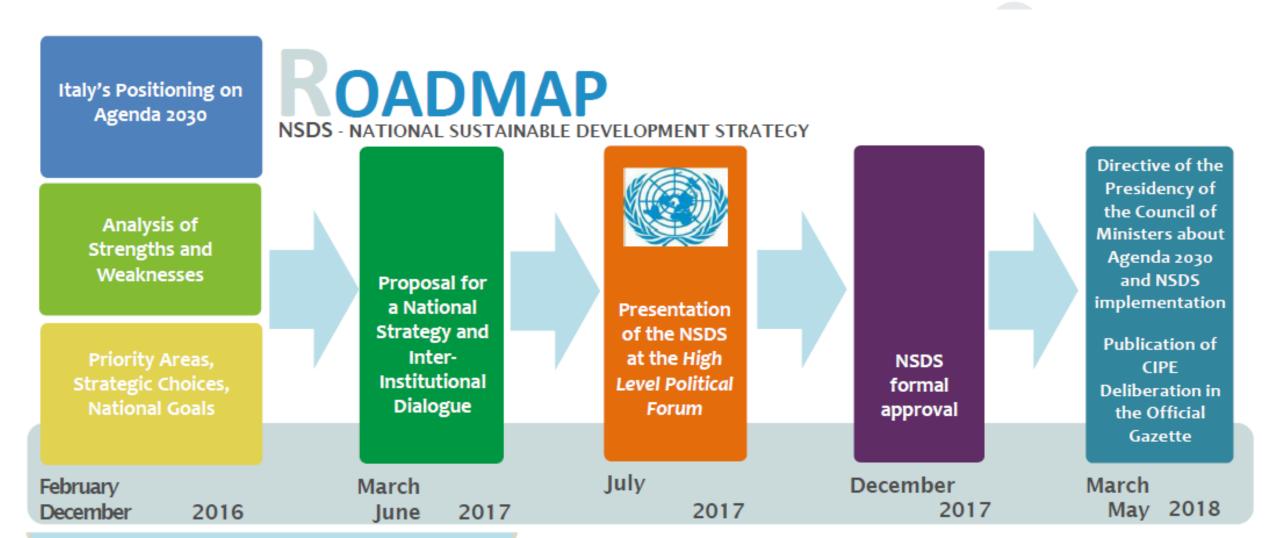




FOREWORD

- Law 221/2015, Art. 3, committed the Italian Government, on the proposal of the Ministry for the Environment, to the definition of the NSDS and to its update, every three years, in close cooperation with other ministries, relevant institutions and stakeholders.
- The NSDS represents an update of the former *Environmental action strategy for sustainable development* (2002-2010), widened to define broad guidelines for economic, social and environmental policies, aimed at achieving the sustainable development goals of the **2030 Agenda** in Italy.
- The NSDS was approved by the Inter-ministerial Committee for Economic Planning (CIPE) in December 2017, in accordance with the provisions of Law 221/2015.
- Art.34, of the Legislative Decree n.152/2006 (as amended), foresees that Regions adopt the regional strategies for sustainable development within twelve months from the approval of the NSDS by the Inter-ministerial Committee for Economic Planning (CIPE), defining the contribution to the achievement of the national strategic objectives.





multilevel consultation



MULTILEVEL CONSULTATION PROCESS

National and Regional institutions

2016 April May August September October June January March July November 2017 Preliminary platform draft 03 draft 01 NSDS Activities basis for consultation draft 02 **NSDS Proposal** NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS Positioning Italy /SDGs sharing NSDS sharing draft 01 working groups kick off sharing draft 02 proposal and 02 feedback Interministerial and interministerial coordination interministerial meeting positioning meetings bilateral meetings meetings REGIONAL INSTITUTIONS opinion sharing draft 02 State-Regions Conference 11 Ministries, 3 Departments of the Presidency of the Council of Ministers, State/Regions Conference



MULTILEVEL CONSULTATION PROCESS

Research and knowledge community

2016 2017

Activities

RESEARCH AND KNOWLEDGE COMMUNITY March May

"Positioning" Italy and SDGs June July

September

August

Preliminary platform consultations basis

Involvement of ENEA¹, CNR², ISPRA³ ISTAT⁴

Positioning

October November

draft 01 draft 02

sharing with Universities and research centres

comprehensive Feedback

> Positioning + draft 01

draft 03

NSDS proposa

contribution to monitoring and assessment system

Involved ENEA, CNR, ISPRA, ISTAT, universities and research centres



² National Research Centre

4 National Institute of Statistics



³ Italian National Institute for Environmental Protection and Research

MULTILEVEL CONSULTATION PROCESS

Civil society

2016 2017 Activities

CIVIL SOCIETY

March May

"Positioning" Italy and SDGs

public involvement first stage

Kick off meeting

June July August September

Preliminary platform consultations basis

feedback

Discussion on Positioning (SDG groups)

October November

draft 01 draft 02

Sharing + feedback draft 01

Comments-> draft 02

January MArch

draft 03

NSDS proposal

public involvement – second stage

> Second meeting + consultation

More 200 NGOs Involved; public consultation (april 2017)



NSDN and AGENDA 2030

The **NSDS** is the cornerstone towards the implementation of the 2030 Agenda guiding principles

People Planet Prosperity Peace **Partnership** AREAS



document)

Integration

Universality

Inclusion

Transformation







PLANET





HALT THE LOSS OF BIODIVERSITY

ENSURE THE
SUSTAINABLE
MANAGEMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES





CREATE RESILIENT
COMMUNITIES AND
TERRITORIES, PROTECT
LANDSCAPES AND
CULTURAL HERITAGE





PEOPLE





FIGHT POVERTY AND SOCIAL EXCLUSION, ELIMINATING TERRITORIAL GAPS

GUARANTEE THE
CONDITIONS FOR THE
DEVELOPMENT OF
HUMAN POTENTIAL





PROMOTE HEALTH AND WELLBEING





PROSPERITÀ





ENSURE FULL EMPLOYMENT AND HIGH QUALITY TRAINING





ENSURE SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION PATTERNS

DECARBONIZE THE ECONOMY







PACE





PROMOTE A NON-VIOLENT AND INCLUSIVE SOCIETY



END DISCRIMINATION
IN ALL ITS FORMS

ENSURE LEGALITY
AND JUSTICE







PARTNERSHIP



The Three-year Strategic and Planning Document of the Italian Development Cooperation (which was reformed just before the adoption of the 2030 Agenda) related to the 2016-2018 period already adopts both content and structure of the 2030 Agenda. The macro-areas for action are reflected in the Partnership Area of the NSDS. They have been re-arranged to take into account the integrated nature and the structure of the 17 SDGs.



PARTNERSHIP









SUSTAINABILITY VECTORS

The sustainability vectors are cross-cutting fields of action of the NSDS.

They are considered as crucial levers to launch, guide, manage and monitor the mainstreaming of sustainability issues into policies, plans and projects, in line with the reform process triggered at the international level by the 2030 Agenda.

Institutions, participation and partnerships

Education, awareness and communication

Monitoring and evaluating policies, plans and projects

Modernising public administration and restructuring public expenditure

Common Knowledge



NSDS and 2030 Agenda

PLANET

The "Planet" area intends to approach many challenges. Primarily, it is necessary to ensure the sustainable management of both land and maritime natural resources, to protect and strengthen the ecosystem services they provide, for present and future generations. Furthermore, it is necessary to properly assess the value of the Natural Capital within economic processes; promote the sustainability of cities and invert the depopulation trend in marginal areas; enhance the sustainability and resilience of communities and territories; protect landscapes as well as natural cultural heritage.

Italy will have to increase effort to preserve half of the species and more than half of the habitats of European interest, as well as all

endangered species. It also must tackle invasive alien species, soil degradation and desertification and the negative impacts of human activities on water resources and the atmosphere.

To make this challenge possible, an integrated and inclusive approach geared towards the sustainability of decision-making, planning and implementation processes must be adopted. Such an approach is instrumental for building sustainable and efficient cities, more resilient and safe communities and more interconnected territories enhancing green infrastructures. It would reduce natural and anthropic risk levels and allow the preservation of identity features and landscapes through the appropriate management of territories and natural resources.

The National strategic goals are the result of a synthesis and abstraction procedure of the most relevant issues emerged in the multilevel consultation process.

The National strategic goals are integrated and balance the three environmental, economic and social pillars of sustainable development, in line with the 2030 Agenda.

II.3 Minimize pollutant loads in soils, water bodies and aquifers, taking into consideration the good ecological status of natural systems

impacts on human health and the environment

2030 Agenda: related targets and degree of consistency

6.3 By 2030, improve water quality by reducing pollution, eliminating dumping

12.4 By 2020, achieve the environmentally sound management of chemicals and all

15.3 By 2030, combat desertification, restore degraded land and soil, including land

and minimizing release of hazardous chemicals and materials, halving the proportion of

wastes throughout their life cycle, in accordance with agreed international frameworks, and

significantly reduce their release to air, water and soil in order to minimize their adverse

affected by desertification, drought and floods, and strive to achieve a land degradation-

untreated wastewater and substantially increasing recycling and safe reuse globally











- I. Halt the loss of biodiversity
- II. Ensure the sustainable management of natural resources III. Create resilient communities and territories, protect landscapes and cultural

2030 Agenda: related goals



heritage















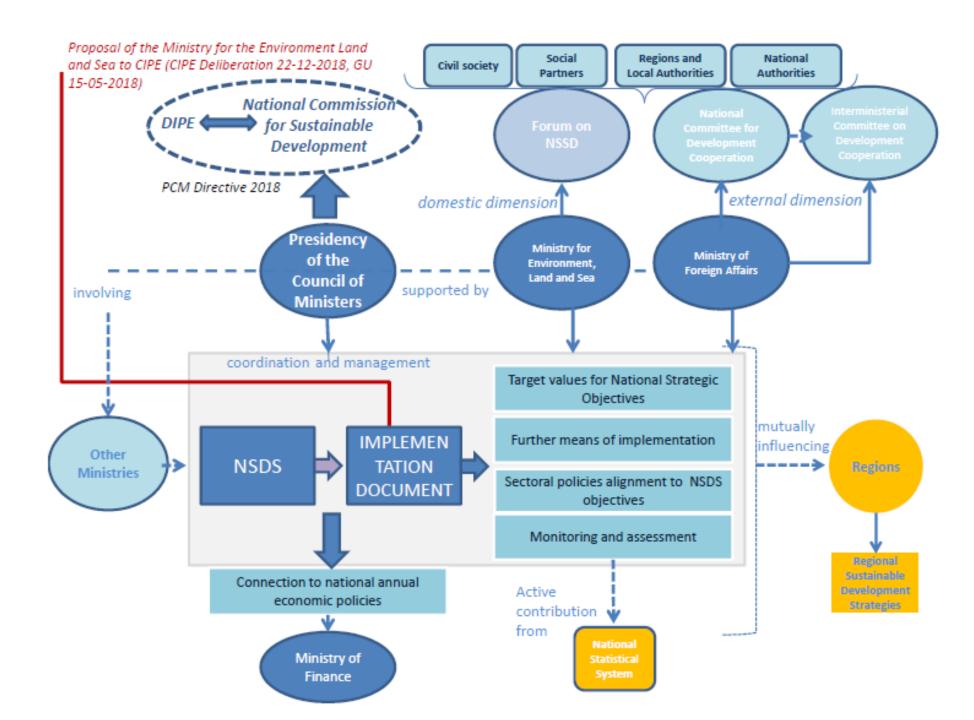




Strategic choices

neutral world

GOVERNANCE OF THE NSDS





IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2030 AGENDA AT REGIONAL LEVEL

- Art.34 of the Legislative Decree n.152/2006 (as amended) foresees that Regions adopt the regional strategies for sustainable development within twelve months from the approval of the NSDS by the Inter-ministerial Committee for Economic Planning (CIPE).
- The Ministry for the Environment, Land and Sea has developed and launched a set of actions, to foster a more effective integration and governance of the principle of sustainability in public policies, both in the context of the programming period 2014-2020 of the European Structural and Investment Fund and through national financial resources.



IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2030 AGENDA AT REGIONAL LEVEL - Initiatives of the Ministry for the Environment

1. NATIONAL FUNDS

PUBLIC NOTICE addressed to Regions and Autonomous Provinces to support the implementation of the regional strategies for sustainable development.

2 Call for tender (addressed to foundations, universities and research centers + associations and companies) for the development of activities towards the implementation of the National Sustainable Development Strategy at territorial level.

2. PON GOVERNANCE - CREIAMO PA Project

Line 2 - Support for the integration of environmental sustainability objectives into administrative actions for the implementation of national strategies

Work Package 1 - Implementation and monitoring of the 2030 Agenda



MAIN STEPS TOWARDS THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NSDS

- Further governance mechanisms are expected to be put in place in the next months, clarifying roles and competences of all the involved institutions.
- The **Regional working table** will be fully operational and will provide a methodological support for the development of the regional sustainable development strategies.
- An implementation document will be developed and will include objectives at 2030, linked to quantitative targets, as well as monitoring and review mechanisms and analytical models capable of measuring the impacts of policies on the NSDS objectives.
- The NSDS foresees an **annual monitoring of its implementation status** also based on the indicators provided by the National Institute of Statistics and by institutions belonging to SISTAN.
- The Forum on sustainable development will be launched in the second half of 2018 providing a wide role of the civil society in implementing the NSDS and the 2030 Agenda in Italy.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

For more information

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