



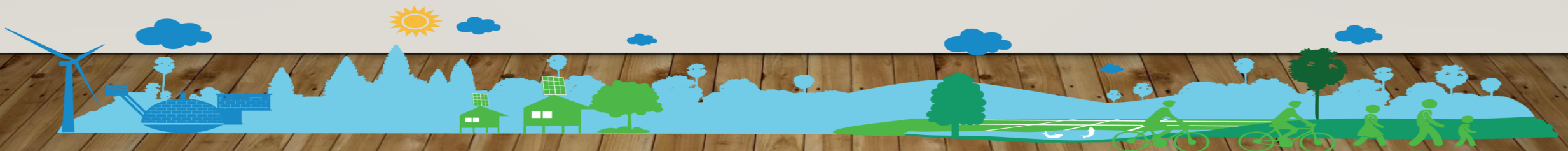
GREEN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND ACTION PLAN

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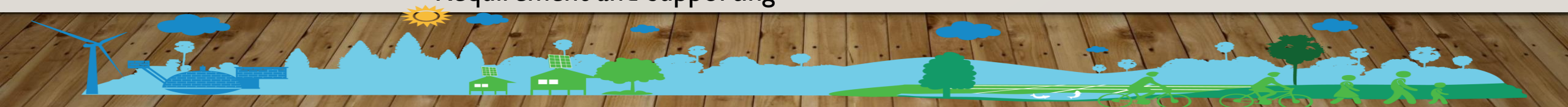
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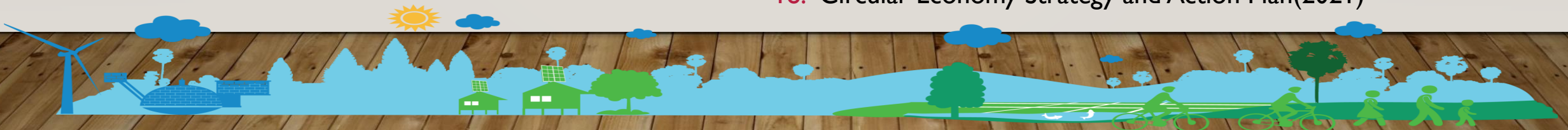


POLICY/STRATEGY

(THERE ARE SOME POLICY AND STRATEGY RELATE TO THE SCP IN CAMBODIA)



1. Rectangular Strategy Phase IV of Cambodia
2. National Strategic Development Plan 2019-2023
3. National Environmental Strategy and Action Plan 2016-2023
4. Cambodia Climate Change Strategy Plan 2014-2023
5. Cambodia's First (2002) and Second (2015) National Communication to the UNFCCC
6. Cambodia's First NDC and Second NDC (2020)
7. Cambodia National Strategic Plan on Green Growth 2013-2030
8. Cambodia National REDD+ Strategy 2017-2026
9. National Protected Area Strategic Management Plan 2017-2031
10. National Forest Programme 2009-2029
11. Production Forest Strategic Plan (draft)
12. National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (2016)
13. Cambodia Industrial Development Policy 2015 – 2025
14. National Sustainable Consumption and Production Roadmap (in preparation)
15. National Energy Efficiency Policy (draft).
16. The Intermodal Transport Master Plan (2021-2030, draft),
17. CODE of Natural Resource and Environment (draft)
18. Circular Economy Strategy and Action Plan(2021)

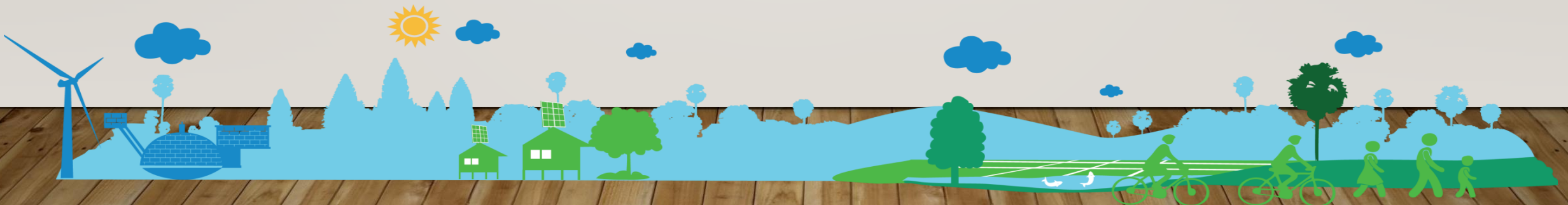
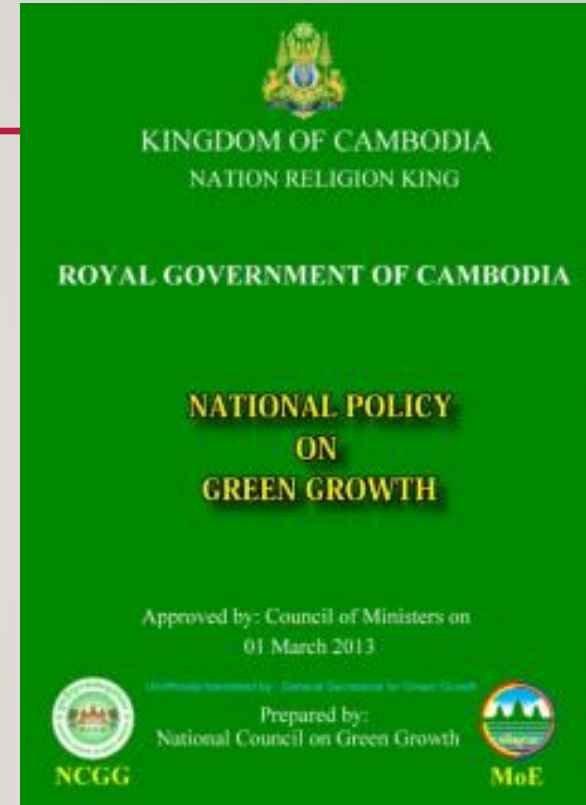


IMPORTANT POLICY FOR GPP

I. GREEN GROWTH ROADMAP

- **National Strategy Plan on Green Growth 2013-2030**

- to promote a national economy with growth stability, reduction and prevention of environmental pollution, safe ecosystem, poverty reduction, promotion of public health service, education quality, national resource management, and sustainable land use and water resources management to increase energy efficiency, ensuring food safety and glorify the national culture.

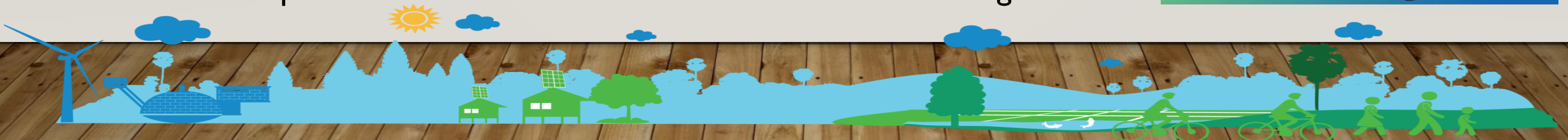


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II. CIRCULAR ECONOMY STRATEGY AND ACTION PLAN

The objective to this strategy as;

- Increase sustainable production and energy use
- Increase sustainable consumption
- Reduce waste generation at source
- Improve effectiveness of waste collection, management, segregation and transport
- Promote product reuse and repair
- Increase recycling, composting and energy recovery
- Ensure environmental controls at all waste management sites
- Promote widespread environmental education and awareness raising



NATURAL RESOURCE AND ENVIRONMENT'S CODE (DRAFT)

CHAPTER 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 1 PROMOTION OF SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION

ARTICLE 198 SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION

The ministry or institution responsible for environment, with the endorsement of the National Council for Sustainable Development, shall coordinate with other relevant ministries or institutions to develop relevant policy documents on sustainable consumption. Such policy documents shall include but not be limited to:

- a) Programs to improve environmental performance of consumption patterns, including through the increased supply and demand for more environmentally friendly products, services, and technologies; and
- b) Policies to engage the private sector, civil society organizations, the relevant ministries or institutions, and citizens and promote more resource-efficient and less environmentally damaging consumption, including but not limited to areas of water and energy consumption, hazardous waste generation, waste management, tourism, and infrastructure development.



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ARTICLE 199 SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTION

The ministry or institution responsible for environment, with the endorsement of the National Council for Sustainable Development, shall coordinate with other relevant government ministries or institutions, including the ministry or institution responsible for industry, to develop relevant policy documents on sustainable production. Such policy documents shall include but not be limited to:

- a) Programs to improve environmental performance of products and production practices; and
- b) Policies to engage the private sector, civil society organizations, the relevant ministries or institutions, and citizens and promote more resource-efficient and less environmentally damaging production.



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SECTION 2 SUSTAINABLE PROCUREMENT

ARTICLE 202 LEGAL INSTRUMENT ON SUSTAINABLE PROCUREMENT

The National Council for Sustainable Development, in cooperation with the ministry responsible for economy and finance, shall develop a legal instrument on sustainable procurement focusing on the inclusion of environmental criteria during the process of procuring goods, services, works, and utilities while achieving value for money on a whole life-cycle basis to minimize the environmental burden from consumption and facilitate demand for environmentally friendly products and services.

Such legal instrument shall be based on relevant international standards.



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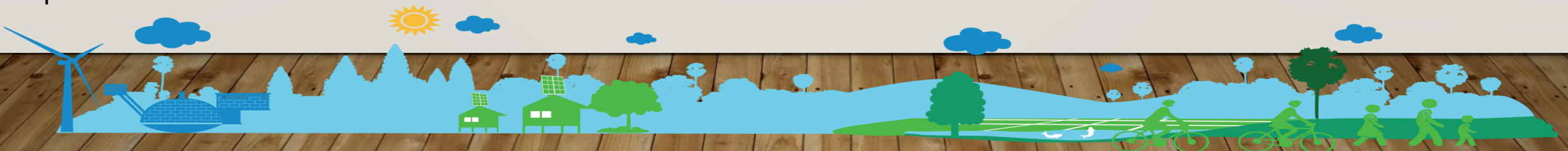
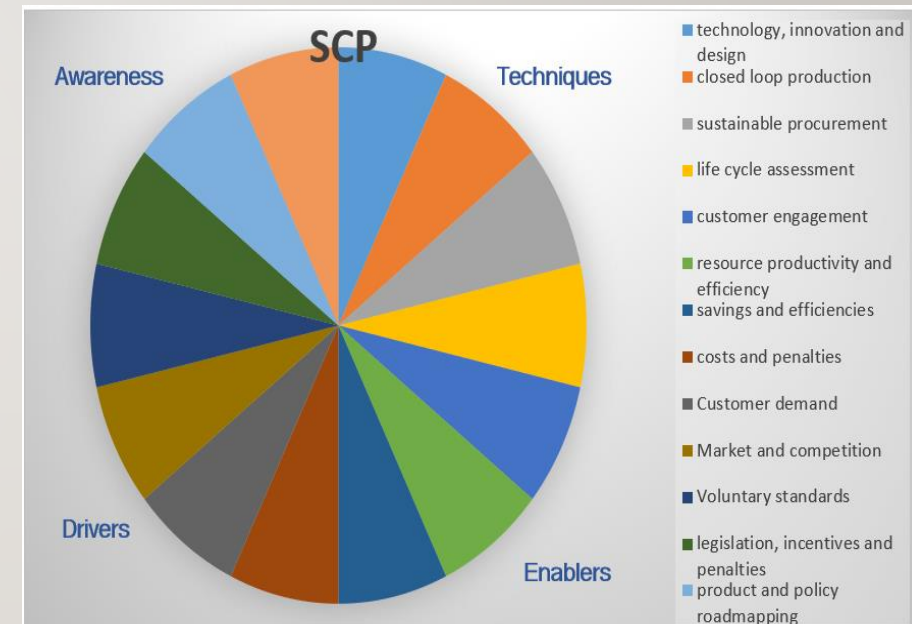
III. SCP ROAD MAP (DRAFT)

Vision

- To develop all social and economic sectors in Cambodia towards the harmonized and sustainable future for every citizen, good environment, and strong ecosystem
- To promote sustainable consumption and production for products and services which protect the environment and social welfare while improving business competition and innovation.

Mission

- To create a guidance and direction for the public sector, private sector, academic, civil society, and development partners to consider the economic, social, and environmental development with the new way of living required to realize sustainable consumption and production in Cambodia.

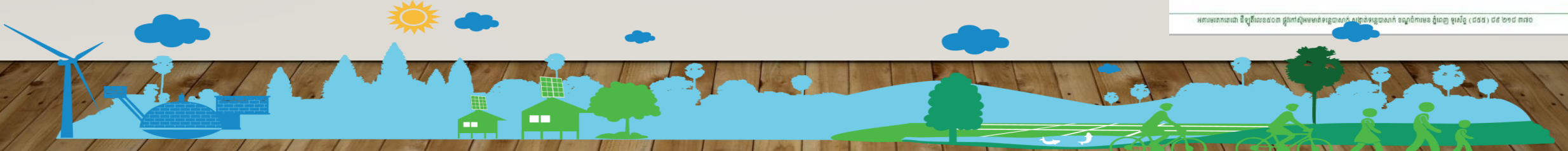
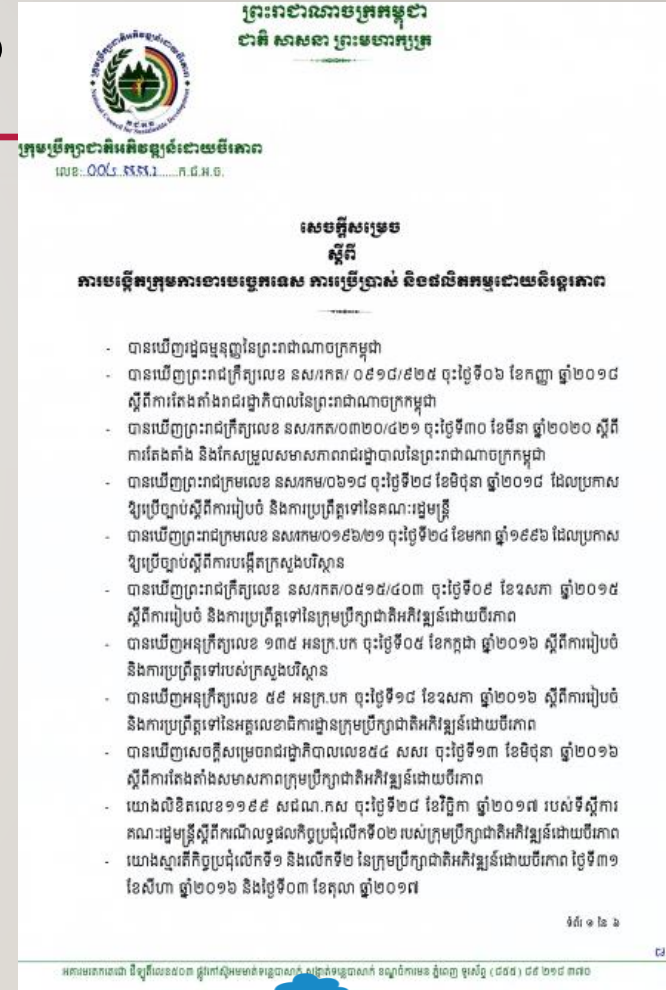


IMPORTANT LEGISLATION OR GPP

I. TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP OF SCP

Roles and Responsibilities

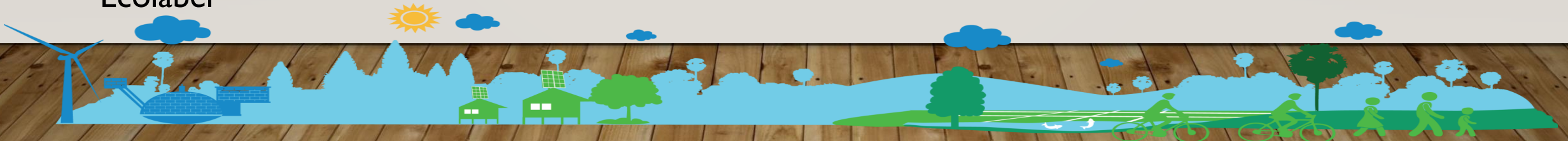
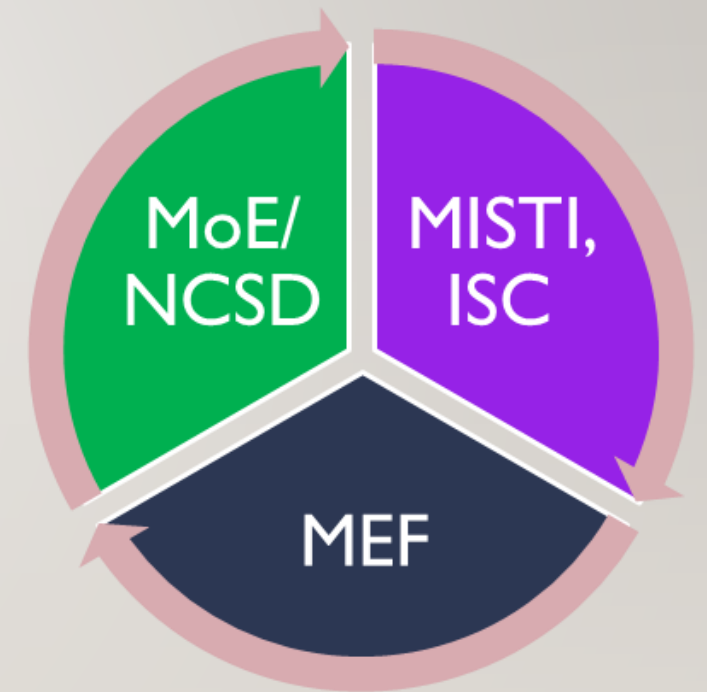
- Within 13 Line ministries and institutions and 24 members
- Coordinate and participate in the consultation for development of roadmaps, policies, guidelines and methods, strategy and action plan for sustainable consumption and production
 - ✓ Develop a national development plan and guidelines on SCP
 - ✓ Prepare and promote the implementation of public procurement on SCP in order to be sustainable and align with national policies and action plans.
 - ✓ Develop relevant legal standards and action plans for relevant sectors to implement national plans for SCP



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II. PROJECT IMPLEMENT UNIT

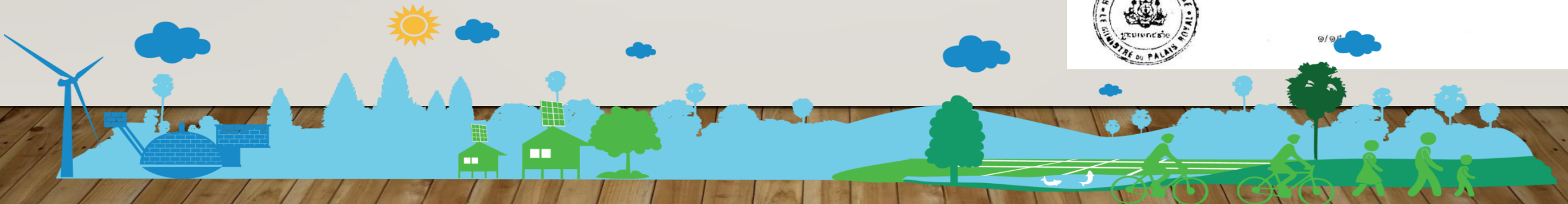
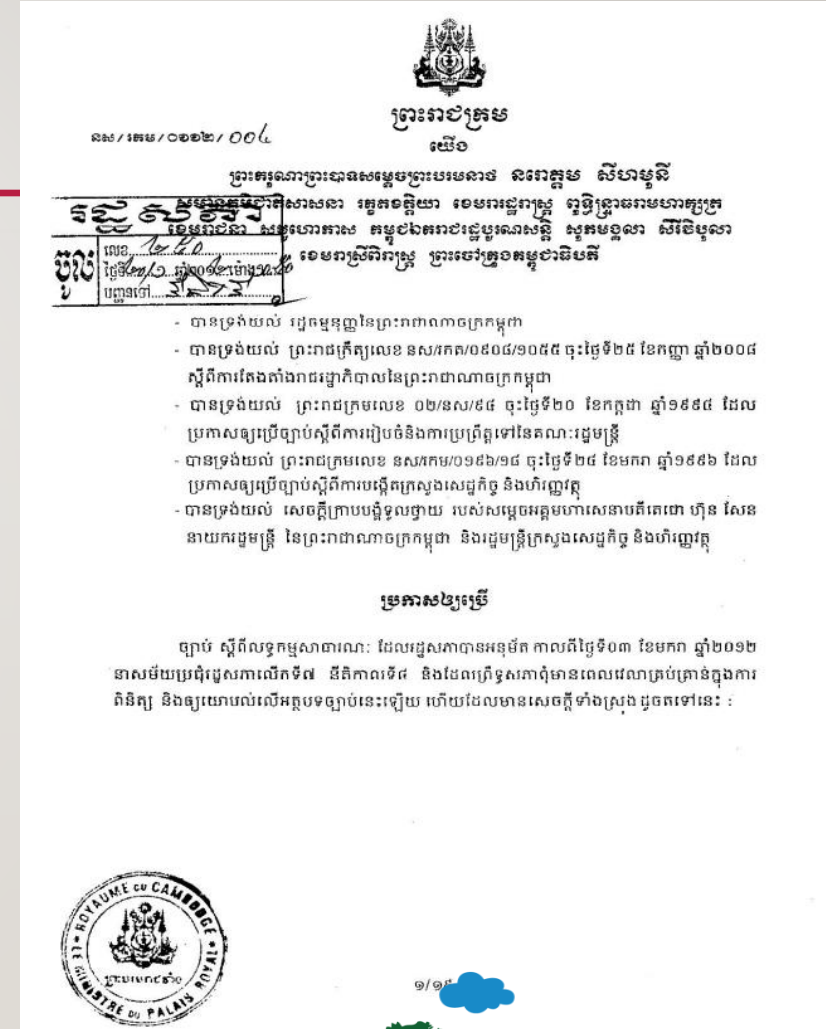
- Line ministries, MoE/NCSD, MISTI,ISC and MEF (Decision)
 - ✓ Prepare annual action plan to implement the project on green public procurement and environmental labels.
 - ✓ Study and evaluate priority areas for implementation on SCP which focus on green public procurement mechanisms and Eco-labels
 - ✓ Consult and policy advice related to regulations and legal standards on green public procurement and Ecolabel
 - ✓ Coordinate and cooperate with relevant sectors to strengthen the successful implementation of green public procurement projects and Ecolabel



IMPORTANT LEGISLATION OR GPP

III. LAW ON PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

- This law aims to ensure that the public procurement process for purchasing, construction, repairing and leasing of consulting services with transparent, accountability, fair, efficiency, quality, equitable, economical and timely, as well as ensuring the procurement system which is a unit in the Kingdom of Cambodia.
- This law objectives to define the rules, methods and structures for the management and implementation of public procurement in the Kingdom of Cambodia.



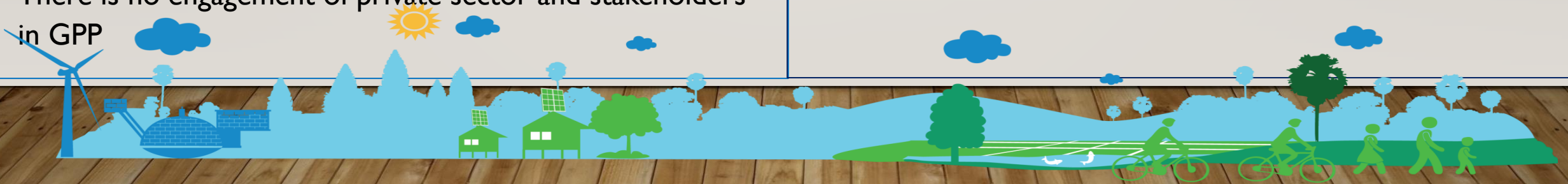
CHALLENGE AND FORWARD ACTIVITY

➤ Challenges

- The GPP is a new concept in Cambodia which is not easy to implement
- Do not have any policy, legislation and guideline align with GPP in Cambodia
- Cambodia as other countries are effected by the Covid-19 pandemic then the GPP implementation will be difficult in proceeding
- Lacking of expert and technical staff for GPP implementation
- There is no engagement of private sector and stakeholders in GPP

➤ Forward Activity

- PIU member will consult for GPP implementation in Cambodia
- Working with national consultant for baselined study on GPP in Cambodia
- Pilot study for GPP implementation in Cambodia
- Review procurement law, relevant legislation and consultation with line ministries on how to develop GPP in Cambodia



REQUIREMENTS AND SUPPORT

- We have a technical support from GIZ to implement GPP and Ecolabel in Cambodia as in the MoU in 4, Feb-2021 but, either financial and technical support are the most essential factor for MoE/NCSD to implement activities for GPP such as;
 - Dissemination with all stakeholders and TWG's SCP as well for an engagement on GPP
 - Supporting for the consultation meeting/workshop of TWG's SCP
 - Assisting on National training for the GPP implementation with stakeholders
 - Supporting the seminar or national forum with lined ministry leader for the decision on GPP implementation in Cambodia
 - Develop GPP framework in Cambodia

