Sustainable Development Strategy: Egypt's vision 2030 And Planning Reform

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MAIN GOALS OF SDS

1. Economy
2. Competitive Market
3. Happy Citizen
4. Human Capital
5. Anti Corruption
SDS PILLARS

- Education and Training
- Knowledge, Innovation and Scientific Research
- Heath
- Economy
- Energy
- Transparency and Efficiency of Governmental Institutions
- Social Justice
- Culture
- Environment
- Urban Development
- Domestic Policy
- Foreign Policy and National Security
ECONOMIC KPIs (2013/14 – 2030)

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<td>GDP growth Rate</td>
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<td>Investment Rate</td>
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<td>Contribution of services to GDP</td>
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<td>Unemployment Rate</td>
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Goal (8.1) Sustain per capita economic growth in accordance with national circumstances, and in particular at least 7% per annum GDP growth in the least-developed countries

Goal (8.6) by 2020 substantially reduce the proportion of youth not in employment, education or training
ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS

Vision

- An efficient and effective government administrative body, characterized by professionalism, transparency, justice and responsiveness, offers quality services, and can be held accountable, able to increase citizen satisfaction, and strongly contributes in the achievement of Egypt’s development goals and in improving the status of the Egyptian people.

New Civil Service Law

- To improve the working conditions of civil employees and enhance transparency of government services and strengthen citizens' confidence in the state administration
  - Improve working conditions and income for civil employees
  - A New wage system
  - Effective, neutral and accurate evaluation system
  - An early retirement system
  - A new Code of conduct
ENERGY REFORM MEASURES

- **Subsidies**
  - The government put in place measures to rationalize all subsidies during 2014/15 as part of a gradual plan in the medium term to reduce these subsidies.

- **Feed-in-Tariff**
  - The government issued the renewables feed in tariff law to encourage private investments in this sector.

- **Electricity law**
  - The new law will help in gradually deregulating the market.
Goal (7.1) by 2030 ensure universal access to affordable, reliable, and modern energy services

Goal (7.2) increase substantially the share of renewable energy in the global energy mix by 2030

Goal (7.3) double the global rate of improvement in energy efficiency by 2030
One of the top 30 countries in the quality of basic education index

Gross enrollment ratio for children at the age of 4-6 reaches 80%

At least ten Egyptian universities are among the top 500 universities

Egyptian universities among the best 20 higher education institutions publishing in international periodicals

Egypt to become one of the top 10 countries in the TIMMS assessment
Goal (4.1) by 2030, ensure that all girls and boys complete free, equitable and quality primary and secondary education leading to relevant and effective learning outcomes

Goal (4.6) by 2030 ensure that all youth and at least x% of adults, both men and women, achieve literacy and numeracy
Egypt among the top 40 countries in the field of innovation

Egypt among the top 20 countries for the number of patents

Egypt among the top 40 countries of quality of scientific research institutions

Egypt one of the top 40 countries in retaining innovative talents and capabilities

Egypt one of the top 20 countries in Intellectual Property Rights
Goal (9.5) enhance scientific research, upgrade the technological capabilities of industrial sectors in all countries, particularly developing countries, including by 2030 encouraging innovation and increasing the number of R&D workers per one million people by x% and public and private R&D spending.
Ensure 100% coverage for each vaccination and expand national immunization schedule

Government spending on health reaches to 5% of the total GDP

Achieve equitable access to 80% of essential health interventions

Reduce maternal mortality by 60%

Reduce neonatal, infant and under 5 mortality rate by 50%
Goal (3.2) by 2030 end preventable deaths of newborns and under-five children

Goal (3.8) achieve universal health coverage (UHC), including financial risk protection, access to quality essential health care services, and access to safe, effective, quality, and affordable essential medicines and vaccines for all
SOCIAL JUSTICE – CURRENT ACHIEVEMENTS

1. Increasing the Social Security Pension

2. Launching a cash-transfer program and increase the number of beneficiaries to 3 million poor families

3. Establishing logistics hubs for grain trade and storage to contribute to food security

4. Launching a social protection- targeting program using smart cards

5. Amending the Social Insurance Law to provide self-employed social insurance to farmers with more than one faddan acquisitions

6. Extending Medical Insurance to farmers and agriculture workers who do not have access to public health- insurance program

7. Implementing Takaful and Karama Programs

8. Launching a comprehensive action plan to develop poorest villages
Goal (5c) adopt and strengthen sound policies and enforceable legislation for the promotion of gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls at all levels
National Population Strategy

New Population Ministry

Invest economic surplus in human development

Rights-based approach to improve wellbeing
CONCLUSION

1. The Egyptian economy is recovering.

2. The GoE is aware of challenges it is facing and undertaking required reforms.

3. Stakeholders commitment is key to supporting fast and steady recovery.

Diagram:
- Retail
- Agriculture
- Housing & Utilities
- Industry
- Tourism
- Oil, Gas & Mining
- ICT
- Transportation & Logistics

EGYPT
MEGA PROJECTS

1. Suez Canal (Including the New International City)
2. Reclamation of One Million Feddan
3. One Million social housing units
4. Creating a new 4,800 km of roads network
5. Developing the golden Mining Triangle
6. North west coast development project
REFORMS OF PLANNING PROCESS: INTEGRATION

1. A unified planning law (national, regional and local planning) (economic, social and spatial).

2. A unified database (new base map, unified registry, zip codes, etc...).

3. Electronic unified monitoring and evaluation system adopted by all government institutions.

4. Result Based Management (RBM).

5. Administrative reform: new civil service law.


7. Governance, transparency, and accountability.
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