GEIPP-VIETNAM Policy milestones 2018-2022







As of June 2022



The objective of the project Eco-industrial Park Intervention in Viet Nam is to demonstrate the viability and benefits of the eco-industrial parks (EIP) approach in scaling up resource productivity, improving the economic, environmental and social performances of the businesses and thereby contribute to inclusive and sustainable industrial development. Policy development plays an important role in support of EIPs. UNIDO and other institutions have contributed to the development of EIP in Decree 82/2018/ND-CP on industrial parks in Viet Nam approved in May 2018 and Decree No 35/2022/ND-CP dated 28 May 2022. The decree provides guidelines for the transition towards eco-industrial parks in the country and constitutes an important milestone that needs to be operationalized.

PROGRESS IN POLICY DEVELOPMENT AS OF JUNE 2022

Issuance of Decree 82 on management of **Industrial Parks and economic zones** May 2018

> **Draft social indicators to monitor EIP** development in the country March 2019

Development of a EIP Roadmap and workplan

March 2019

Project launch November 2020

Establishment of the inter-ministerial working group on EIP November 2020

Support to the development of a Decree for implementation of the Law on Environmental **Protection**

January 2022

Issuance of Decree 35/2022/ND-CP on management of industrial parks and economic zones May 2022

> Testing of a set of national EIP indicators at target industrial parks June 2022

Expected

Development of technical guidelines to support industrial symbiosis and circular economy (reuse of wastewater and waste in industrial zones) 2023

Expected

Upgrade the existing legal framework to Law on industrial parks 2024

Key stakeholders for the implementation of EIP policies in Viet Nam



MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE

Ministry of Industry and Trade (MOIT) directs and orients the development of industries in these zones according to the national industrial development strategies and plans. MOIT performs state management of industry, import and export activities and commercial activities in industrial parks/EIPs. MOIT is interested in the development and implementation of energy efficient and clean production, which EIPs are supposed to achieve.



MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND INVESTMENT

Ministry of Planning and Investment (MPI). According to the Decree No. 82/2018/ND-CP and Decree 35/2022/ND-CP, MPI is an authorized entity for developing the master plan on development of industrial zones and economic zones. The ministry is responsible for reviewing the results and socio-economic efficiency of industrial parks and economic zones and coordinating with other ministries and sectors. The ministry has introduced the EIP concept into the National Green Growth Strategy (2021-2030), contributed to encourage the implementation of industrial symbiosis and transition to EIP in the Decree for implementation of the Law on Environmental Protection (2020) and is leading the inter-ministerial working group for EIP policy development. The Department for Economic Zones Management (DZEM) under MPI is commissioned to execute the above mentioned functions.



MINISTRY OF CONSTRUCTION

Ministry of Construction (MOC) is in charge of state management of construction for technical infrastructure works and construction works in industrial parks and economic zones, construction and development of houses, cultural and sports works for workers of industrial parks and economic zones; urban management and development in economic zones. MOC approves and adjusts planning, issues construction permits of industrial parks and EIPs.



MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment (MONRE)

issues guidance on environmental management and protection, the reuse of waste, scrap and redundant energy in industrial parks and economic zones including EIPs.



IP MANAGEMENT AUTHORITIES IN PROVINCES

IP Management Authorities in provinces support and provide information for tenants to facilitate the implementation of industrial symbiosis and cleaner production measures to promote the development of EIPs as well as the transformation into the EIPs.



MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) leads, coordinates and guides localities to organize technology appraisal and assessment, technology level assessment, appraisal of technology transfer contracts in industrial parks and EIPs.



PROVINCIAL PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES

Provincial People's Committees are responsible for the general management and administration of the activities of industrial parks and EIPs in their provinces i.e the planning and development of industrial parks (IPs), land planning, directing the implementation of investment procedures of infrastructure of IPs and functional zones; promulgating specific preferential and incentive policies; supervising the implementation of the regulation on coordination between the Management Board and agencies.



PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES OF DISTRICTS AND COMMUNES

People's Committees of districts and communes coordinate with inter-agency organization, such as the Management Authorities, provincial departments, and Provincial police in inspecting and examining enterprises, collaborating to ensure security and social order, managing safety on environment and labour of all activities, including with IP Management Authorities.

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Resources and Environment, Industry
and Trade, Labour, Invalid and Social
Affairs similar functions to the central
government in planning development,
licensing, environmental management,
labor management, and security; also
providing comments on certification of
eco-enterprises in each province.
Depending on the level of
decentralization, the responsibilities of
each department are slightly different.