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Urban legislation, land and governance
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- Urban legislation
- Land and Global land tool network (GLTN)
- Local government and decentralization (including Safer Cities)
- An integrated concept
Value addition through enabling urban legislation

1. Overhaul urban regulatory environment and enable cities keep pace with the demands of rapid urbanization / manage urbanization at scale
2. Facilitate orderly and proactive supply of serviced land through LR
3. Improve local governance, decentralization, transparency, etc
4. Rationalize and unify fragmented legislation
5. Promote innovations in land management, planning, municipal finance, housing tools development
Local Government and decentralization

• Focus on strengthening sub-national, public sector institutions and management capacity

• Introducing new service lines in areas of inter-municipal cooperation, strengthening metropolitan governance (related to city expansion and extension)

• Guidelines on Decentralization and Access to Basic Services for All to be promoted in a manner sensitive and responsive to local conditions

• Member states to be engaged by the Secretariat in the development of UN Guidelines on Safer Cities
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Land Partners: The Global Land Tool Network

1. AGRA
2. BMGF
3. CASLE
4. Cities Alliance
5. COHRE
6. FAO
7. FGF
8. FIAN
9. FIDA
10. FIG
11. GRET
12. GTZ
13. Hakijamii Trust
14. Huairou Commission
15. HIC
16. IFAD
17. IHS
18. IIED
19. IIUM
20. ILC
21. IRGLUS
22. ITC
23. IU
24. Landmateriet
25. Lincoln Institute
26. MCC
27. N-AERUS
28. Norway (MFA)
29. RDI
30. RICS
31. SDI
32. SIDA
33. Statens kartverk
34. Terra Institute
35. TUM
36. UEL
37. UNECA
38. UNEP
39. UN-HABITAT
40. UNIFEM
41. UWI
42. World Bank
Country Level Work and Tools
Harmonization, Alignment and Coordination (HAC)

Development Partners
Group on Land in Kenya

Working together with National Partners
- Ministry of Lands, Kenya
- Non state actors

Working together with Development partners
- Japan, Sweden, UK, US, EC, Italian, Belgian
- Sweden (Funding Habitat staff for Kenya)
- UN-HABITAT through GLTN
Challenges

• Urban legislation new area globally + in agency – develop capacity
• Increasing demand for support in land - internal, countries & partners
• Increased focus on institution strengthening requires new tools and partners
Success Stories

• Land readjustment getting traction on global stage – Iraq
• In Brazil, Work with Grassroots Women Prevented Eviction of 8,500 families
• 15 years of implementation of the Safer Cities Programme
Thank You!

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