Elements for the Second Generation C-NAP FY2017-22

GENERAL ELEMENTS

Objectives

- Enhanced gender-responsive and gender equitable Canadian responses to fragility and conflict; and
- Enhanced gender-sensitive responses to fragility and conflict by local, regional, national and international actors.

Strategies

- Partners to implement programs to take a gender-sensitive approach to C-NAP implementation and conflict analysis, prevention, resolution and peacekeeping based on GBA+ standards including, as needed, gender training, staffing of Gender Advisor positions, and appointment of gender focal point officers.
- Develop the evidence base for WPS;
- Develop WPS policies and advocate for them both multilaterally and bilaterally;
- Engage men and boys along with women and girls as agents of change;
- Support local women’s rights organizations and movements;
- Support the building of international capacity to advance the WPS agenda;
- Support the empowerment and meaningful participation of women in peace and security processes and structures; and,
- Support the prevention and response to sexual violence and SEA in FCAS.

Improvements – New Elements

- C-NAP to be a high level policy directive by Ministers to include:
  - Partners to reflect WPS and C-NAP in corporate planning and reporting regimes such as the DPP and DPR, and the results and delivery process;
  - Partners to publish an “evergreen” implementation directive with the C-NAP launched to be refreshed on an annual basis;
  - Partners to champion C-NAP implementation in accordance with their respective policies and processes.
- The scope of WPS definition includes:
  - GE, WE, women’s human rights, and the feminist approach to foreign policy applied to interventions in and with respect to FCAS
  - SGBV, CEFM and trafficking in women and girls in FCAS; and
  - CVE in FCAS.
- C-NAP to be bi-structured with:
  - An overarching implementation framework with a logic and accountability regime;
  - Separate constituent C-NAP partner annexes for baseline data, targets, actions, indicators and reporting by program; and
  - An annual report which reflects the bi-structural C-NAP framework.
- C-NAP to establish baselines for both the overarching framework and the partner annexes.
- C-NAP to describe the Canadian domestic environment for the status of women with respect to how we account internationally on our obligations. C-NAP activities to remain firmly focused on FCAS abroad.
• C-NAP to be developed for the five year period FYs 2017/18 to 21/22 in close cooperation with CSO stakeholders;
• C-NAP to be subject to formal and independent mid-term and summative evaluations.
• Possible new C-NAP partners:
  o SWC for the promotion of GE and WE internationally including in the annual CSW process.
  o IRCC for a gender-sensitive approach to refugee policies and programs
  o INAC for drawing on the Canadian indigenous peoples experience to promote the human rights and empowerment indigenous populations in FCAS.
  o Public Safety Canada - The role of PS in the new C-NAP is under consideration.
  o Justice for its capacity building for developing legal systems.

Continuity -- Building on Past Experience

• Strong record of Canadian leadership on GE, WE and WPS and the human rights of women and girls around the world;
• Consider lessons from the implementation C-NAP as well as from foreign NAPs;
• Continue to integrate (“mainstream”) WPS into all Canadian international and humanitarian assistance and other interventions with respect to FCAS, and support the multilateral system to do the same;
• Annual C-NAP report of FY2016-17 (between the sunset and launch of new Plan) will be a narrative report with a project annex;
• GAC to coordinate C-NAP implementation including the preparation of the annual C-NAP report based on partner reports for recommendation to the Minister of Foreign Affairs for tabling in Parliament within a year of the end of each annual reporting period;
• Continued close, formal and regular consultation with CSOs on C-NAP design and implementation. The report of the FY2016-17 between the old and new C-NAP will be a reduced report based on a narrative and programming data.
• C-NAP partners to continue to be responsible for C-NAP implementation within their respective mandates, resources and accountability frameworks.
• Core C-NAP partners remain:
  o GAC:
    ▪ I Branch for peace operations, non-proliferation, threat reduction, human rights, freedoms and inclusion.
    ▪ M Branch for multilateral programming and humanitarian assistance;
    ▪ Geographic programs;
    ▪ Canadian missions to the UN and diplomatic missions in FCAS
  o National Defence: DND and CAF;
  o RCMP: international police capacity building;

SPECIFIC TO EACH PARTNER

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