DISASTER RISK REDUCTION ROADMAP (2015-2030),
Government of Bihar

ROADMAP DEVELOPMENT PROCESS, STRUCTURE & CONTENT

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Presentation Outline:

1. Sendai to Bihar DRR Roadmap 2015-2030
2. Process of Roadmap Development
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4. Disaster Risk Profile of Bihar
5. Foundational Element of the Roadmap
6. Targets & Milestone
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9. Roadmap Implementation Arrangements
10. Monitoring and evaluation
Sendai to Bihar DRR Roadmap 2015-2030

- The third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (WCDRR) held in Sendai on 14-18 March, 2015 adopted the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction (SFDRR)
- SFDRR identified 7 Targets and 4 Priorities.
- Decision was taken to convert “Words into Action” in the last week of March, 2015 to develop Bihar’s DRR Roadmap through the Bihar Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (BCDRR)
Constitution of an Organising Core Committee (OCC) and preparations for BCDRR

To ensure that DRR Roadmap provide a clear direction and specific action areas

SFDRR’s 4 Priority Areas and action areas were interpreted and contextualised in accordance with local realities and priorities of Bihar

The Department of Disaster Management (DMD) co-led the process along with NDMA, NIDM, BSDMA and UNICEF (Convener) in partnership with Save the Children, Oxfam India and Bihar based CSOs
Process of Roadmap development:

- 3rd World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction, Sendai
- Adaptation of Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction
- Decision for Bihar Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (BCDRR)
- Constitution of Organising Committee
- First BCDRR
- Drafting of DRR Roadmap
- DRR Roadmap Validation workshop
- DRR Roadmap approved by the Cabinet, GoB

Dates:
- 14th-18th Mar 2015
- Mar-Apr-May, 2015
- 13th-14th May, 2015
- May-Dec 2015
- 8th-9th Jan, 2016
- 28th Apr, 2016
Sendai Framework For DRR (2015-30)

Four targets (1-4) has been adapted in Bihar DRR Roadmap

1. Substantially reduce global disaster mortality by 2030, aiming to lower average per 100,000 global mortality between 2020-2030 compared to 2006-2015.

2. Substantially reduce the number of affected people globally by 2030, aiming to lower the average global figure per 100,000 between 2020-2030 compared to 2006-2015.

3. Reduce direct disaster economic loss in relation to global gross domestic product (GDP) by 2030.

4. Substantially reduce disaster damage to critical infrastructure and disruption of basic services, among them health and educational facilities, including through developing their resilience by 2030.

5. Substantially increase the number of countries with national and local disaster risk reduction strategies by 2020.

6. Substantially enhance international cooperation to developing countries through adequate and sustainable support to complement their national actions for implementation of this framework by 2030.

7. Substantially increase the availability of and access to multi-hazard early warning systems and disaster risk information and assessments to the people by 2030.

Priority Area 1
Understanding disaster risks

Priority Area 2
Strengthening disaster risk governance to manage disaster risk

Priority Area 3
Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience

Priority Area 4
Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective response, and to “Build Back Better” in recovery, rehabilitation and reconstruction
Hon. Chief Minister of Bihar inaugurated the conference and released a ‘Status Paper’ on DM in Bihar.

84 panellists and 550 participants discussed the issues and specific actions for Roadmap in 17 thematic sessions, which were anchored by 10 agencies from Bihar.

18 papers submitted by experts and compiled as a compendium.

‘Patna Declaration’ released by the Hon. Minister for Disaster Management.
“राज्य के खजाने पर आपदा-प्रभावितों का पहला हक है…”
(The disaster affected people have the first right on the state’s treasury...)

Shri Nitish Kumar, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Bihar in his inaugural address of the Bihar Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (BCDRR), Patna, Bihar, 13th - 14th May 2015.
Patna Declaration (14 May, 2015):

As endorsed by the delegates at the 1st BCDRR, Patna (13-14 May 2015), the Government of Bihar adopts the Bihar Disaster Risk Reduction Framework (BDRRF) to achieve the vision of a Disaster Resilient Bihar. This framework for the period 2015 to 2030 comprises the following 10 commitments:

1. Disaster Risk Reduction will be institutionalised by launching a state-wide campaign in 2015 through collaborative partnerships by involving all stakeholders.

2. Disaster prone communities and regions will be guaranteed inalienable right to the state’s resources for safety, prompt relief and protection.
3. Disaster Risk Reduction will be mainstreamed across Government of Bihar’s planning processes addressing the requirements for strengthening preparedness, emergency response, rehabilitation, reconstruction and recovery.

4. All development planning initiatives will factor in risk avoidance, risk transfer, risk sharing and residual risk management.

5. PanchayatiRaj Institutions (PRIs) and Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) will be empowered with financial and regulatory roles for Disaster Risk Reduction.

6. Community skills, knowledge and capacities will inform decision making about Disaster Risk Reduction at all levels through inclusive and participatory processes, with special emphasis on context-specific differential needs of social groups.

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Patna Declaration (14 May, 2015):

7. Resilience of critical infrastructure and delivery of essential services will be ensured, including restoration of functionality and continuity, in case of disruptions.

8. Mechanisms for gathering, analysing and disseminating targeted early warning information to key stakeholders will be established in line with the national framework.

9. Lives, livestock and livelihoods will be protected from disruption due to natural and human-induced disasters and extreme events.

10. Requisite financial and human resources will be committed for fulfilling the vision of Disaster Resilient Bihar through the creation of a corpus fund.
Drafting Committee, comprising members from DMD, BSDMA, UNICEF and Civil Society, met several times for deliberations on the Roadmap structure, framework and content.

Contributions were solicited and received from:
- Panellists and Experts from BCDRR,
- All the line departments, DMs & other government officers,
- CSOs working in Bihar,
- 18 Thematic Papers, and
- Village Communities
- Disaster Risk Management Solutions Exchange community,
- Newspaper advertisements,

Drawing out learning from BCDRR sessions through analysis of session videos, session notes, and workshop report

Review of pertinent policy documents of Bihar (MMV, Agriculture and Health Roadmaps, SDMP amongst others) and other relevant documents (such as Sri Lanka DRM Roadmap amongst others)
Validation Workshop: 8th & 9th Jan, 2016

- Inaugurated by Hon’ble Chief Minister.
- All the experts and panellists of BCDRR participated.
- 8 Technical and Plenary session.
- Reviewed and provided specific changes/recommendations.
- Following chapters were reviewed:
  - Resilient Villages, Resilient Livelihoods, Resilient Basic Services,
    Resilient Critical Infrastructure, Resilient Cities,
  - Enabling Policy Architecture,
  - Roadmap Implementation Arrangements, and
  - Monitoring and Evaluation Mechanisms.
Approval of DRR Roadmap:

• Draft DRR Roadmap revised incorporating suggestions/inputs received during the validation workshop
• Revised draft further shared with line departments for their review
• DRR Roadmap presented before Principal Secretaries/Secretaries/senior officers of various line departments in a meeting chaired by the Chief Secretary
• The DRR Roadmap approved by the finance department
• Finally the State Cabinet approved Bihar DRR Roadmap on 28th of April, 2016
DRR Roadmap Structure:

1. INTRODUCTION
2. EVOLUTION OF DISASTER MANAGEMENT LANDSCAPE IN BIHAR
3. DISASTER RISK PROFILE OF BIHAR: A SNAPSHOT
4. FOUNDATIONAL ELEMENTS OF THE ROADMAP
5. TARGETS AND MILESTONES
6. SPECIFIC ACTIONS
7. ENABLING POLICY ARCHITECTURE
8. ROADMAP IMPLEMENTATION ARRANGEMENTS
9. MONITORING AND EVALUATION ASPECTS
10. BUDGETARY IMPLICATIONS OF THE ROADMAP
11. ANNEXURES

Principles, Approach and Framework
## Disaster Profile of Bihar:

**Bihar is prone to multi-hazards like:**

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<td>28 districts out of 38 are prone to floods, Bihar accounts for 17% of the flood-prone area and 22% of the flood-affected population in India.</td>
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<td>Earthquake</td>
<td>07 dist. in Seismic zone V (Highest), 21 dist in zone IV (High). Faced EQ in 1934, 1988 &amp; 2015. 63 people lost their life in April, 2015 EQ in Bihar.</td>
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<td>High Speed Winds/ Cyclonic storms</td>
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<td>Road Accidents</td>
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<td>Village fires in summer</td>
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## District grouping as per hazard profile:

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<td>Mainly Flood Prone and Earthquake Zone IV</td>
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<td>Mainly Drought Prone and Earthquake Zone III</td>
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All Districts in Groups A, B and C prone to fire, hail storm, heat wave, cold wave, lightning, road accidents and stampede etc.
1. 15 Guiding Principles:
   - Primacy of rights of at-risk communities
   - Partnerships
   - Participation, Inclusion
   - Resilience in Development

2. Approach of Implementation:
   - Multi-hazard focus
   - Phasing

3. Framework:
   - Resilience as the organising principle, goal and means
   - FIVE components – communities and systems
1. Lives lost due to natural disasters in Bihar would be reduced by 75% of the baseline level by 2030.

2. Lives lost due to transportation related disasters (viz. road, rail and boat accidents) in Bihar would be substantially reduced over baseline level by 2030.

3. People affected by disasters in Bihar would be reduced by 50% of the baseline level by 2030.

4. Economic loss due to disasters in Bihar would be reduced by 50% of the baseline level by 2030.
Bihar DRR milestones:

**BY 2020:**
1. Baseline status for each of the four targets is developed.
2. Training of Engineers, Architects, Masons etc. for safe construction of projects and buildings completed.
3. Structural safety audits of all government offices/ buildings and infrastructure (such as Secretariat, Collectorates, SDO/Block/Anchal Offices, Police Offices and Stations, Schools, Hospitals, Panchayat Bhawans, Anganwadi centres etc.) is completed and corrective measures initiated.
4. Safe construction of all major Government projects and building is initiated.
5. Emergency Support Functions are notified and made operational with fully-functional Emergency Operations Centres (EOCs) at state and district levels.
6. Structural safety of all commercial buildings (such as malls, cinema halls and other public places of mass gathering) is ensured.
7. Comprehensive multi-hazard risk analysis (current and emerging disaster risks) and incorporating in annual plans and PIPs of all line departments and annual plans of PRIs and ULBs.
Bihar DRR milestones:

**BY 2020:**

8. Service Delivery Continuity Plans (SDCPs) and Infrastructure Continuity Plans (ICPs) for all basic services & critical infrastructures - to ensure department functions return to ‘business as usual’ in the quickest time.

9. An effective Early Warning System (EWS) is established, wherein all villages and cities in Bihar have systems for early warning information reception, dissemination and taking up immediate good enough pertinent action.

10. DDMAs strengthened with resources, mandates and capacities for playing an integral role in disaster risk reduction decision making at the district level.

11. Communities understand and practice ‘do’s and don’ts’ during disaster situations as a result of a state-wide public awareness and education campaign launched at all levels.

12. Building bye-laws incorporating safe construction in all urban areas are approved.

13. Communities are encouraged and a policy regime is developed to enforce safe construction in rural areas.
Bihar DRR milestones:

BY 2025:
1. Corrective measures, including retrofitting, for ensuring structural resilience of all government offices and social infrastructure are completed.
2. A system for Risk Informed Development Planning (RIDP) is adopted and operational in the state at all levels of planning.
3. All PRIs and ULBs are adequately empowered through funds, functions and functionaries to ensure resilience.
4. Communities in all villages and cities regularly monitor current and emerging disaster risks, including underlying risks, and assert for measures to be taken to address the same.
5. Platforms and mechanisms are institutionalized across Bihar for effective learning and sharing on DRR planning, implementing and drawing learning.
BY 2030:

1. Policies and practices for agriculture and other livelihood related risk transfer, sharing, and compensation are adopted by agriculture and small industry based livelihoods systems in Bihar.

2. Rural and urban habitat planning processes like land zoning, town and city development planning take into account existing and emerging disaster risks.

3. All existing and new public and private buildings in Bihar are structurally safe from a multi-hazard perspective.
SPECIFIC ACTIONS FOR DEPARTMENTS
General points for all departments/ agencies:

- Specific Actions has been arranged department/ agency wise.
- Nodal department/ agency will lead the activities whereas supporting departments would provide requisite support to nodal department.
- Level of action (State, District, Block, and Gram Panchayat or Urban area) and the timeline (short-term, medium term and long- term) for each specific activity has been identified.
- Each department/ agency has to make budgetary provisions for the assigned activities in their annual budget; DMD can supplement funds if some of the activities can’t be budgeted by the departments/ agency.
Line Departments listed for DRR actions:

1. Disaster Management Department
2. Bihar State Disaster Management Authority
3. District Disaster Management Authority
4. Health Department
5. Agriculture Department
6. Animal Husbandry & Fisheries Department
7. Cooperative Department
8. Food & Consumer Protection Department
9. Education Department
10. Public Health Engineering Department
11. Bihar Institute of Public Administration
12. Industries Department
13. Labour Resource Department
14. Building Construction Department
15. Water Resource Department
16. Department of Environment & Forest
17. Finance Department
18. Information & Public Relation Department
19. Urban Development Department
20. Rural Development Department
21. Jeevika
22. Panchayati Raj Department
23. Home Department (Fire Services & Traffic)
24. Transport Department
25. Road Construction & Rural Works Department
26. Social Welfare Department
27. Energy Department
Enabling Policy Architecture
1. Review of disaster management related policy architecture of Bihar,
2. Legal Amendments required: PRI act & ULB Act (by Urban Development and Housing Department)
4. Notify the Emergency Support Functions (ESF)
5. Guidelines/ manuals/ directives
6. SOPs on Earthquakes, Cyclonic Storms, Crowd Management, Debris clearance, dignified disposal of dead bodies and animal carcasses, Functioning of State and District Emergency Operation Centres (EOCs)
7. Programmes: Resilient Village programme, Resilient City programme and Chief Minister School Safety programme.
ROADMAP IMPLEMENTATION
ARRANGEMENTS
1. Review of disaster management institutional framework of Bihar,

2. Proposed institutional arrangement
   - **Roadmap Implementation Support Unit (RISU)** will be established in DMD, with a dedicated full-time team of technical experts and appropriate supportive staff. The RISU will support the planning, implementation and monitoring functions of the DRR Roadmap.
   - **State Institute for Disaster Management (SIDM)** will be established to function as the nodal state level capacity building, research, study cum resource centre on disaster management and risk reduction.
   - **State Platform for DRR (SPDRR)** — on the lines of NPDRR. For stocktaking on the implementation of the DRR Roadmap.
   - **State Level Task Force**
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