

# GROUP-B

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# **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**What should be done in order  
to increase people's  
participation in decisions and  
actions about River Basin  
Management?**

# Identification of stakeholders

- Farmers
- Fisher folks
- GOs / NGSs / CBOs
- Youth groups
- Women groups
- Forest users' group
- Environment protection groups

# Levels of decision making

- Policy level
- Implementation level

# Presentation Scenario

- Policy level
  - Government Organizations
  - Political intervention / influential people
  - Stakeholders participation (very little or indirect role)

# Presentation Scenario

- Implementation level
  - Government Organizations
  - Local institutions (CBOs / NGOs)
  - Stakeholder's group

# What should be done to increase peoples participation?

- Policy level

- Need based policy/planning approach
- Bottom up approach
- Consultation with stakeholders  
(mandatory)
- Representation from RBO network

# What should be done to increase peoples participation?

- Implementation level

- Awareness raising program among all stakeholders (different programs for different target groups through various medium)
- Capacity building (need based)
- Increase ownership (feeling and act accordingly)
- Encourage social balance in participation (gender, ethnic groups, traditional/indigenous groups, youth and school children)



**THANK YOU**