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**PARTNERSHIPS TO IMPLEMENT THE FAO VOLUNTARY GUIDELINES
(NAMIBIA)**

What A Government Can Do To Improve Governance Of Tenure - Lesson Learnt From
Namibia

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Introduction

POLICY FRAMEWORK

VISION 2030

NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The Namibian government is committed to run the state on principles of good governance to eradicate poverty and make Namibia a self-sustaining nation by the year 2030.

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Policy Framework

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Legal Framework

Namibian Constitution
Statutes
Compliance and Enforcement

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Stakeholders involvement

Development of multi sectoral instrument to monitor implementation and compliance to policies

- Buy in by all government agencies
- Coordination and collaboration
- Transparency
- Information sharing
- PPP to own up to the national development processes
- Involvement of civil society
- Involvement of the target communities
- Academia

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Partnership with FAO on VGs

- Hosting Africa Regional Consultation on the introduction of VGs
- Validation of VGs
- Implementation framework of VGs
- Prepared to pilot implementation of VGs
- Hosted Africa Land Policy framework
 - Development of valuation standards
 - Consolidation of land reform law

Collaboration between two initiatives i.e. land policy framework and VGs is highly recommended

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Conclusion

Lessons from Namibia

- 1991 – National Conference on the Land and Land Question
- 2011 – National Conference on Education
- 2011 – National Land consultation on the Land Bill
- Registration of communal land
- Processes of law making

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The End

THANK YOU!