

ConOps

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Future Operations

Hydrology & Meteorology

- Use of FFG products
- More capacity building until the system is well understood
- Continuous Training for disaster managers, meteorologists and hydrologists
- Opportunity to have access to model configurations.
- Operations between the meteorologists and hydrologists (Unit that will use the SWFDG-FFG)

Future Operations (cont)

- Radar acquisition
- Production of bulletins in local languages
- Legislation to ensure everyone reacts in situations of disasters.
- Development for phone applications e.g. android based software
- Teach focal people on outreach methods

Future Operations (cont)

- Cut down on bureaucracy (within the country and between countries) during disaster situations.
- MOUs in case of disasters that affect more than 1 countries e.g. River Basin Agreements, bi-lateral agreements
- Outreach should be joint between meteorology, disaster management, and hydrology

Outreach

- Public Awareness – campaigns (responsibility of disaster management, meteorology services and hydrology)
 - Training of high level delegations e.g. MPs, Ministers
- Training to the media, district & village disaster management teams.
- Take advantage of gatherings to relay the message. E.g. church gatherings

Outreach (Cont)

- Media releases – press, tv, radio
- Web pages are used
- Community radios e.g. Radio and Internet Technology (RANET)
- SMSes to focal people e.g. community leaders, teachers
- Social media e.g. whatsapp etc
- Co-ordination by meeting (Inter-departmental) regularly