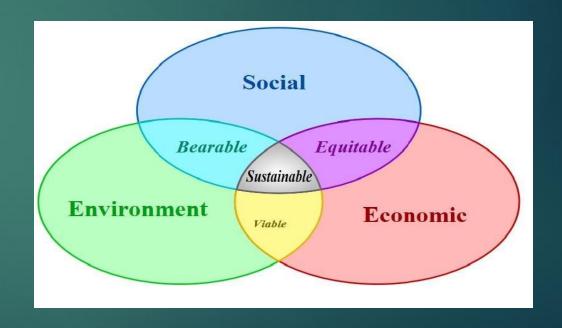
DEVELOPMENT: CONCEPT AND DIMENSIONS

MEANING AND DEFINITION

- ▶ Development seems to be a simple term but it is a complex phenomenon. The basic viewpoint relates Development with economic growth which means an average increase in per capita income or increase in total value of goods and services produced.
- According to Prof. Meier and Baldwin , Economic development is a process whereby an economy real national income increases over a long period of time. He emphasizes three factors of economic development.
- 1. Process
- 2. Real national income
- 3. long period.

DIMENSIONS OR ASPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT

- ► ECONOMIC DIMENSIONS
- SOCIAL DIMENSIONS
- ▶ POLITICAL DIMENSIONS
- ► ADMINISTRATIVE DIMENSIONS
- ► ENVIRONMENTAL DIMENSIONS



ADVANTAGES OF DEVELOPMENT

- Increase in productivity
- Reduction in poverty
- Increase in per capita income
- Increase in capital investment
- Increase of employment opportunities
- Higher wages
- Technological improvements
- Improvement in living standards
- ▶ Healthy lifestyles
- ▶ Improvements in social status.

DISADVANTAGES OF DEVELOPMENT

- ► Economic concerns:
- 1. Rise in inflation
- 2. Widening a gap between the poor and the rich
- 3. Market failure
- 4. Overexploitation of natural resources
- 5. Leads to privatization of services.
- Social concerns:
- 1. Damage social structure and social welfare
- 2. Results in growth of slums.

• Environment concerns:

- 1. Loss of natural habitat and biodiversity
- 2. Leads to air pollution
- 3. Leads to noise pollution
- 4. Leads to water pollution
- 5. Huge increase in industrial waste
- 6. Destruction of rain forest due to deforestation.

FACTORS THAT AFFECTS DEVELOPMENT

- Lack of political stability
- Lack of transparency
- Lack of sincere efforts
- Lack of technology
- Lack of emotional satisfaction
- ▶ Lack of capital

THANK YOU