

Individual Exercise: Policy Process

Policy Consequences (adapted from Reich'94 and Montgomery'74) – (distribution of benefits and costs in terms of stakeholders, scale, characteristics, intensity and timing, etc)

<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>Identity (defining characteristics)</i>	<i>Intensity (Extent of the effect)</i>	<i>Timing (Duration of the effect)</i>
Effects				
Financial (eg. Long term costs)	Total budget required for decision	Source of budget to implement	Operating costs to implement	Programme start, duration and stages
Administrative	Size of bureaucratic staff; type	Location of staff (central, provincial, district)	Frequency of administrative action	Sequence & duration of supervision and control
Beneficial (e.g., which groups benefit)	Number of beneficiaries	Defining characteristics of beneficiaries	Degree of benefit per beneficiary	Sequence and duration of benefits
Harmful (e.g., which groups lose)	Number injured	Defining characteristics of those injured	Degree of injury per beneficiary	Sequence and duration of injury
Indirect	Number of intermediate and "third parties"	Relative power & position of interested "third parties"	Nature and extent of interests	Sequence and duration of second order effects
Geographical	Area covered	Location of benefits and injuries	Extent of benefits and injuries per beneficiary	Geographic timing of changes
Symbolic	Number who regard policy as symbolic	Groups affected by the symbol	Relative power of symbol	Temporary or enduring

Exercise 1: Policy consequences of selected policy

Description of policy being analyzed:

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Beneficial				
Harmful				
Indirect				
Geographical				
Symbolic				