

UNDP/S2S Project Team and SOYDEN Meeting Mogadishu on 31st January 2017

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Venue: UNCC-Mogadishu, Somalia

Date: 31st January 2017

Duration: 10: 00 AM - 12:30 PM

Objectives: MoIFA/SOYDEN Project Activities and Financial Status

Participants:

A. SOYDEN Team

1. Osman Moallim- Director
2. Abdirahman Hussein Hassan- Finance Assistant

B. UNDP/S2S Project Team

1. Abdullahi Hudow Osman- Project Officer
2. Mohamed Khalif Salad- Project Associate

Agenda:

- Adelle Validation workshop
- Final DBPS lists for Hudur, Warshikh, Adelle and Barawe
- Kulmiye FM Radio
- Training of DPSCs/ Community volunteer facilitators training
- Financial Report

Meeting Proceedings...,

UNDP/S2S project team welcomed SOYDEN team to the meeting room in UNCC Mogadishu. And with exchange of warm greeting, UNDP/SOYDEN project team shared the meeting agenda which SOYDEN utterly agreed with...,		
Agenda	UNDP/S2S Project Team	SOYDEN Team
Adelle Validation workshop	UNDP/S2S Project team demanded explanations for why SOYDEN did not conduct Adelle Validation Workshop to date?	Mr. Osman Moallim, SOYDEN director explained the reasons why SOYDEN did not do the Validation Workshop for Adelle. He started by saying that there was clan clash involved by two dominant clans from Adelle district community. It was conflict started with a misunderstanding between two individuals over the boundary of two adjacent farms, but trigger unresolved

		<p>historic conflicts between the two rivals. Traditional Conflict resolution efforts led mainly by the chiefs and Local Authority ultimately succeeded to sooth differing situation downs and created an atmosphere allowed both parts to discuss their differences peacefully. The reconciliation process ended with both conflicting parts agreements to preserve peace in a ceremony held at Hotel in Mogadishu. Mr. Osman mentioned that SOYDEN played facilitator role as well as offered logistical supports.</p>
<p>Final DBPS lists for Hudur, Warshikh, Adelle and Barawe</p>	<p>UNDP/S2S Project team asked SOYDEN director why it does not submit the final DBPS lists for Hudur, Warshikh, Adelle, and Barawe..., understanding the implementation of second project delivery (Provision of the Community Reconciliation based on social under QN/TICE based approach to foster renewed trust, social cohesion and reconciliation) highly depend upon?</p>	<p>Mr. Osman said that combination of factors delayed the final submission of DPSC lists. In general, it happened on causes of wider community participation in DPSC discussions during the Validation workshop on the essence of the committee and what it stands for in roles and responsibilities, the community asked a fundamental change in regards to DPSC members and an increase in number. They said these additional numbers would allow the inclusion of segregated community members like minority groups, women and youth. In particular, Barawe community politicalized the qualification of DPSC membership. They claimed that the traditional settlers of Barawe town are misrepresented in DPSC members, they only got seven members in total, while others got share disproportional to numbers. The last, not least, the SWA/Mol concern on MoIFA/SOYDEN project discouraged SOYDEN to go on willingly.</p> <p>Mr. Osman told us that despite all efforts to reach as well as convince SWA/Mol, it ended in vain. He also mentioned that on accounts of the limited time SOYDEN has to finish the job, he approached to SWA President, Mr. Sharif Hassan. I explained everything to the president, and the president in return gave me positive response/gesture that hopefully will eventually finalize the issues once for all.</p>

Kulmiye FM Radio	Despite SOYDEN's fulfillment of procedural requirements for Kulmiye FM Radio selection, UNDP/S2S Project Team asserted that credible sources should confirm the timing to deliver the peace and stability messages as well audibility/ antenna power of contracted FM radio to reach destinations.	Mr. Osman mentioned that MoIFA/SOYDEN project information officer assured both that Kulmiye FM radio is doing its assigned jobs well and good in terms of numbers of times the message delivery per day and its coverage to selected districts' people. In addition to that, SOYDEN will present the verifications obtained from reliable sources within destined locations sooner than later.
Training of DPSCs/ Community volunteer facilitators training	UNDP/S2S project team asked SOYDEN director the status of project activities implementation.	Mr. Osman confirmed that two different teams departed to Warshikh on 29 th January 2017 and Hudur town on 30 th January 2017. The teams are going to conduct both DPSC and Facilitators training before they come back to Mogadishu. Warshikh team started training on 31 st January 2017 while Hudur team started the workshop on 1 st February 2017.
Financial Report		financial reporting, SOYDEN will submit the expenditure reports upon the finalization of the ongoing DPCs training.
The meeting ended on 12:30 Pm with good spirit, each part hoping to do their best to reach project end goals successfully.		

SOYDEN Report

The baseline and end line surveys were carried out approximately 8 weeks apart. In that time, the respondents showed a positive change in perceptions and attitudes. Additionally, in the description of the beneficial aspects of the program, a significant percentage of participants describe the positive impact on their community.

- Thirty-seven percent reported reconciliation within their community or people coming together. Thirty-five percent reported increased community and clan interaction.
- Ninety-one percent of respondents reported that the way they interact with the community had positively changed a lot.

Most respondents requested for the program to be continued or expanded. The survey used self-reporting to assess levels of knowledge acquired. Eighty-three percent they learned a lot and of the most cited lesson learned was types of trauma at 47%. In the future, SOYDEN can develop monitoring tools to check on participant assimilation of materials.

June 2017

The following report provides an overview of the findings of the evaluation of the Quraca Nabada (QN) 6-week program carried out in Warshiikh, Adale, Hudur and Barawe. QN takes trauma as a critical variable for building social cohesion and reconciling communities. Through trauma awareness, sharing stories of peace and conflict and the deconstruction of the cycle of violence, QN participants are meant to undergo a process of healing and a shift in attitudes and perceptions. The program is designed so that the impact is experienced at individual, group and community levels.

The table below shows a summary of how the radio talk shows and debates were conducted:

S/N	Description	Date	location
	Community perception on QN/TICE approach of conflict resolution and trauma healing; Pre-existing trauma cases in the area; Importance of Trauma healing and social reconciliation.	12th April 2017	Warshiikh
	Community perception on QN/TICE approach of conflict resolution and trauma healing Pre-existing trauma cases in the area.; Importance of Trauma healing and social reconciliation.	13th April 2017	Adale
	Community perception on QN/TICE approach of conflict resolution and trauma healing Pre-existing trauma cases in the area.; Importance of Trauma healing and social reconciliation.	14th April 2017	Hudur
	Community perception on QN/TICE approach of conflict resolution and trauma healing Pre-existing trauma cases in	15th April	Barawe

	the area.; Importance of Trauma healing and social reconciliation.	2017	
	Cases of trauma and conflict peace workers that arose since the inception of the project activities and how the approach helped resolving; Importance of trauma healing and social reconciliation	2nd May 2017	Warshiikh
	Impact of the project on the community Cases of trauma and conflict that arose since the inception of the project activities and how the approach helped resolving. Importance of trauma healing and social reconciliation	3rd May 2017	Adale
	Impact of the project on the community Cases of trauma and conflict that arose since the inception of the project activities and how the approach helped resolving. Importance of trauma healing and social reconciliation	4th May 2017	Hudur
	Impact of the project on the community Cases of trauma and conflict that arose since the inception of the project activities and how the approach helped resolving. Importance of trauma healing and social reconciliation	5th May 2017	Barawe
	Impact of the project on the community Cases of trauma and conflict that arose since the inception of the project activities and how the approach helped resolving. Importance of trauma healing and social reconciliation		Warshiikh
	Experience/ notes sharing; The relevance of the QN approach; Impact of the sessions on the community members	26th May 2017	Warshiikh
	Experience/ notes sharing; The relevance of the QN approach; Impact of the sessions on the community members	27th May 2017	Adale
	Experience/ notes sharing; The relevance of the QN approach; Impact of the sessions on the community members	29th May 2017	Barawe

SOYDEN implemented Community Based Reconciliation and Trauma Healing Project in supports of MoIFAR, with objective(s): To pilot community based social reconciliation and trauma healing as well as the formation and training of the DPSCs in the target districts also to assist the various levels of Government in Somalia to rebuild their relationship with the citizens, through the re-establishment of administrative structures and capacities in the newly recovered areas of Southern Somalia while also building reconciliation between communities.

Six project staff got recruited as early as September 2016 for the posts of the project manager; technical advisers; logistic and finance officer; communication officer and monitoring and evaluation officer. And reconciliation and trauma healing coordinators, one in each respective district, was also completed in March 2017.

Adale: A one day validation workshop in Adale District was held on 5th February 2017 at District Centre.

SOYDEN hired the international consultant firms of Belkys Lopez and Bridge consultancy in an agreement signed by both firms with SOYDEN. Bridge Consultancy Firm was tasked with the roles of setting up a call center, IT help desk, recruiting and training call center enumerators, conducting calls, data collection and recording as well as software development and data unites for the platform.

DPSC members

S/N	Location	Description	Gender		Total
			Male	female	
	Hudur	DPSC	20	5	25
	Barawe		17	4	21
	Warshiikh		19	8	27
	Adale		18	6	24
Total			74	23	97

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