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# **PROGRESS REPORT ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE 10<sup>TH</sup> PSC MEETING**

**PRESENTED AT THE 11<sup>TH</sup> PLATFORM STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING  
23 JULY 2020**

## NO. 10/1: BUILD A ROBUST M&E AND IMPACT ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORK FOR CPPS AND RPP WHICH ALIGNS WITH REGIONAL, CONTINENTAL AND GLOBAL RESULT FRAMEWORKS.

- **National Expert Panels (NEPs)** were set up, but not inaugurated, because the on-going lockdown measures. The NEPs will spear-head the process of finalising the CPP result framework in alignment with the NDPs, and will collect data from their respective sectors, analyse and prepare six monthly reports.
- Consensus for development of a **resilience measurement framework for application at IGAD region** to guide investments at national level. An initial proposal of the high level indicators was made.

## **NO. 10/2: ENSURE CONTINUITY OF TECHNICAL STAFF UNTIL THE END OF PROJECTS TO AVOID DELAYS AND RELATED INEFFICIENCIES**

- SCII project supports 16 staff who coordinate and provide technical support to the Platform - supplemented by GIZ and the Member States.
- Issues related to staffing at the national level will be reported in the country progress reports.

## **NO. 10/3: MAINSTREAM THE CPPS IN TO NATIONAL LONG TERM PLANS (VISIONS) AND MEDIUM TERM PLANS**

- Refinement of the CPPs occurred at the same time as the countries were preparing their next National Development Midterm Plans. Member States will report on progress in their presentations.

## **NO. 10/4: INTENSIFY RESOURCE MOBILISATION TO SUPPORT BOTH HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTIONS AND RESILIENCE PROJECTS IN “HOT SPOT” AREAS IN ASALS**

- Resilience investment conference postponed.
- The ‘Enhanced Resilience of Communities in the IGAD Cluster 1 to Drought and Related Disasters’ programme was adopted at a ministerial meeting on 11th March 2020 in Entebbe. The development of investment programmes for the Dikhil, Borena and Ethio-Sudan Clusters is underway.
- Target communities in IGAD Cluster 3 were supported to develop Community Action Plans and Community Investment Plans and participate fully in their implementation.
- The feasibility study for the next phase of the Drought Resilience and Sustainable Livelihoods Program (DRSLP) was initiated

## **NO. 10/5 STRENGTHEN THE REGIONAL, NATIONAL, SUB-NATIONAL AND CROSS-BORDER RESILIENCE COORDINATION**

- NICs are supporting Member States to revitalise National CPP Steering Committees, and establish or strengthen sub-national committees.
- There's a Cluster Coordinator for the Cross-Border Facilitation Unit in Moroto and four coordinators under the Support for Effective Cooperation and Coordination of Cross-border Initiatives in Southwest Ethiopia-Northwest Kenya, Marsabit-Borana and Dawa, and Kenya-Somalia-Ethiopia (SECCCI) Project.
- Other projects contributing to cross-border coordination include: IGAD-FAO Partnerships project; Regional Pastoral Livelihoods Resilience Project (RPLRP), Strengthening IGAD's capacity to enhance drought resilience in the Horn of Africa (SCIDA-II) etc.

## **NO. 10/6: PROMOTE RESEARCH, DISSEMINATION AND ADOPTION OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGIES**

- ICPALD identified and assessed technologies and innovations in (i) livestock value chains, (ii) fodder and animal feed and (iii) trade in African-grown staple grains and horticultural products in cross-border markets in IGAD Cluster 1.
- Senior researchers from public national universities and national agricultural/livestock research institutions from IGAD Member States participated in a workshop in February 2020 to discuss a common research agenda.

## **NO. 10/7: SHARE DATA AND INFORMATION & FACILITATE EXPANSION OF 3W DATABASE; WITH SUPPORT FROM DPS**

- The Karamoja Cross-Border Development Facilitation Unit mapped 80 investment projects.
- Hands-on training was done on 3W mapping for the Ministry of Agriculture in Djibouti (33 investment projects mapped) and for the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) in Kenya (53 investment projects reviewed and published)

## **NO. 10/8: ADOPT AND LAUNCH REVISED IDDRSI PROGRAMMING FRAMEWORKS**

- The frameworks were presented, approved and launched in the 10th Meeting of the IDDRSI Platform Steering Committee.
- It was recommended that they be introduced into the different sectors in IGAD Member States for different stakeholders to facilitate the process of mainstreaming into national development plans or inclusion into project proposals.
- Details of the progress made at national level will be provided by the Member States.



## **NO. 10/9: PAY SPECIAL ATTENTION TO ISSUES OF MIGRATION AND DISPLACEMENT; CONFLICT SENSITIVITY; YOUTH; WOMEN AND CHILDREN; AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITY.**

- IGAD in collaboration with the GP20 organised a regional exchange on experiences in supporting resilience and durable solutions to internal displacement in the IGAD region in October 2019.
- In December 2019, IGAD Member States agreed to establish the IGAD Support Platform for the implementation of the Nairobi Plan of Action on durable solution for refugees, returnees and host communities in the IGAD region.
- IGAD is operationalising the Regional Migration Fund (RMF) to improve the living conditions and economic opportunities for migrants, refugees and host communities and to strengthen social cohesion.

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- First meeting of the GRWG was held in July 2020 to build linkages with national drought resilience coordination mechanisms and experts from national ministries responsible for women/gender affairs, and develop a work programme.
- IGAD Secretariat is in the process of implementing a radio programme to encourage community dialogues around exclusion and gender inequalities that increase vulnerability to drought shocks, including age (children, elderly) and people with disabilities in two cross-border clusters (Karamoja and Mandera).
- Production of policy briefs covering all eight Priority Intervention Areas and video documentary on gender and resilience in the Karamoja Cluster have commenced.

## **NO.10/10 PAY SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE IGAD MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE DIFFICULTIES IN IMPLEMENTING IDDRSI TO ENSURE A HARMONISED PROGRESS**

- National IDDRSI Coordinators worked with their Member State counterparts on various aspects. Details about the performance of these projects is contained in the country progress reports.

## **10/11: PROMOTE THE ENGAGEMENT OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR, DEVELOPMENT AND APPLICATION OF THE RISK TRANSFER MECHANISMS, INCLUDING LIVESTOCK AND CROP INSURANCE.**

- ICPALD is organising a regional private sector forum to present business cases and priority areas of investment in livestock value chains, fodder and animal feed and African-grown staple grains and horticultural products.
- The International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI), with funding support from DfID, has launched a new project called Drought Index-insurance for Resilience in the Sahel and Horn of Africa (DIRISHA). IGAD will be involved in some of the Working Groups.



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