



PEACE, PROSPERITY AND REGIONAL INTEGRATION

#### **12<sup>TH</sup> IDDRSI PLATFORM STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING**

## SOUTH SUDAN IDDRSI IMPLEMENTATION PROGRESS REPORT

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## OUTLINE

- > UPDATE ON IMPLEMENTATION OF LAST PSC RECOMMENDATIONS
- KEY UPDATES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECTS
- KEY LESSONS LEARNT (SUCCESSES AND SHORT-COMINGS)

## RECOMMENDATIONS AND WAY FORWARD



#### **UPDATE ON LAST PSC RECOMMENDATIONS**

- □ South Sudan (SS) has strengthened its coordination mechanism at national level by establishing National Experts Panel (NEP +M&E), composed of 21 Senior Technical Staff from IDDRSI Line Ministries.
- ❑ National Technical Committee workshop was conducted in Juba, on 9th Nov., 2020, and was attended by (59) technical staff from IDDRSI line ministries and UN-Agencies, Academia, Research Institutes and Private Sector.



## **UPDATE ON LAST PSC RECOMMENDATIONS**

- ❑SS confirmed her willingness to commit resources from allocation of ADB-15, which will be co-financed from ADB regional window, to finance the implementation of DRSLP (II) in Juba, on 21st Jun. 2019.
- □ The Consultancy on the Feasibility Study on the Program to Build Resilience for Food and Nutrition Security in the HoA has started in Juba, scoring significant achievements in partnership with the Gove't IDDRSI Line Ministries.



#### □ PIA 1: Environment and Natural Resources Management:

- 1. Project name: Strengthening the capacity of Government and Communities in SS to Adapt to Climate Change Project.
- Main objective: To support key National Adaptation Program of Action to Climate Change (NAPA) priority areas for South Sudan.
- Start date: June 2021
- > End date: December 2027
- Location: Terekeka in CES and Kapoeta in EES
- Beneficiaries: Population of two counties
- > Total cost: \$ USD 10 million.
- Funding source: GEF Project Financing



#### **PIA 2:** Market Access, Trade and Financial Services:

#### 1. **Project name: Construction and development of Major Roads in South Sudan Program.**

- Main objective: To construct and develop roads and bridges that are safe for mobility of goods and services all over South Sudan.
- Start date: March 2019
- End date: Feb.2022
- Location: SS
- Beneficiaries: South Sudanese
- Total cost: \$ 20.33 Billion USD
- Funding source: SS Oil Revenue
- Status: Ongoing



#### PIA 3: Enhanced Production and Livelihoods Diversification:

1. Project name: Fawligen Pilot Project in South Sudan for combating the Fall Armyworm (FAW).

- Main objective: To apply fawligens (Bio pesticides) for the control and management of Fall Armyworm in South Sudan.
- Start date: April, 2019
- End date: August, 2021
- > Location: Wau, Yambio, Aweil, Bor, Juba.
- > Beneficiaries: Farmers and Farmer Groups
- > Total cost: \$ USD 430,327.00
- Funding source: USAID
- Status: Ongoing



#### PIA 5: Research, Knowledge Management and Technology Transfer:

# 1. Project name: National Strategy for Development of Statistics (NSDS) Project:

- Main objective: To strengthen the capacity of Statistics Producers in South Sudan to produce and disseminate official statistics.
- Start date: February 2015
- End date: June 2020
- Location: RSS
- Beneficiaries: Government, SS Development Plan Monitoring System, Researchers and Academia, Business Community & DPs.
- > Total cost: \$ 4,533,922.00 USD
- Funding source: The World Bank



#### □ PIA 8: Human Capital, Gender and Social Development:

1. The Ministry of General Education and Instruction, with DPs developed a Pastoralist Education Program [PEP] Strategy Framework for 2018-2022.

- > PEP's priorities include:
- ✓ To increase equitable access to general education.
- $\checkmark$  To improve the quality of general education.
- ✓ To enhance the management capacity of the education personnel.
- To integrate other issues that have a direct bearing in the promotion of education.

PEP (2018-2022) aims to provide alternative basic education as a practical solution to major challenges of providing education to the pastoralists through solely school based systems.



#### **KEY LESSONS LEARNT: SUCCESSES & SHORT-COMINGS**

#### **Successes:**

- ✓ Strengthening of coordination mechanism at national level by establishing National Experts Panel (NEP +M&E), composed of 21 Senior Technical Staff from IDDRSI Line Ministries.
- ✓ Establishment of IDDRSI National Technical Committee.
- Establishment of IDDRSI PIA Lead and Co-lead Agencies at national level.

#### **Short-comings:**

✓ COVID-19 pandemic prevalence, Political and Inter-communal conflicts pose a challenge to devolution, coordination and physical implementation of IDDRSI programs and projects in RSS.



## **RECOMMENDATIONS AND WAY FORWARD**

- The IDDRSI platform coordination mechanism needs to have a wider participation of both development and humanitarian partners, to adjust for the fluid borders between development and humanitarian in the current South Sudan context.
- IDDRSI PCU staffing, equipping and facilitation is crucial for effectiveness, efficiency and outstanding performances and quality services delivery.



## THANK YOU FOR YOUR LISTENING (THE SUDD REGION IN SS)





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