

**SIERRA LEONE
PEACEBUILDING FUND
PROJECT STATUS REPORT
31 DECEMBER 2009**

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| Project No & Title: | PBF/SLE/B-7 Support to the Office of National Security | | | | |
| Recipient UN Organization: | UNDP | Priority Sector: | Justice and Security | | |
| National Authority: | Office of National Security | | | | |
| Location: | Country wide | | | | |
| Project Cost: | USD 1,576,538 | | | | |
| SC Approval Date: | 15 July 2008 | Starting Date: | August 2008 | Completion Date: | Dec 2009-Delayed |
| PBF Outcome and Priority area | Priority 4. Rebuilding essential government capacities Outcome 14: Repaired essential infrastructure | | | | |
| Project Description: | The main goal of the project is to establish Chiefdom Security Committees and strengthen security coordination and early warning systems within the framework of the national security architecture by strengthening capacities of local structures especially in the boarder areas. | | | | |
| Immediate Objectives: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhanced logistics and communication capability of SL security coordination system by through strengthening of the ONS and equipping its central MIS and other infrastructures • Establishment of early warning system by recruitment and training of Chiefdom Security Coordinators (CHISECs) and procurement of security and ICT equipment. Enhance capacity of NPA and the Ministry through provision of support personnel and equipment. | | | | |
| Project Progress as at December 2009 | | | | | |
| Funds disbursed: | USD 1,176,538 | | | | |
| Delivery rate: | 74.6% | | | | |
| Outputs delivered: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All furniture have been sourced and delivered. • With the employment of the personnel and provision of the requisite logistics, the national security architecture has now been fully extended to the proposed 22 pilot Chiefdoms. • 13 (4X4) vehicles procured and delivered. • ICT installation completed to ensure effective MIS system. • Logistics and operational capability of the CHISECs, DISECs and ONS enhanced for improved response and monitoring of security • CHISECs have been trained and are fully operational with Communication and ICT equipment including laptop computers, mobile phones, and modem procured and installed. • Recruitment of additional 7 CHISECs has been completed and training for total of 22 CHISECs conducted. • Air conditioners and overhead projectors been installed. | | | | |
| Achievements and challenges | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The operational capacity including coordination of the ONS both at HQ and district level have been enhanced • Procurement of Bus and Generator iwhich was delayed have now been tendered using NEX. • Construction of the new building is delaying and it will not be completed by the end of the project period. Most of the remaining budget allocation is tied to the completion of the building. | | | | |