

PEACEBUILDING FUND
ANNEX I
PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Number & Title:	PBF/Peace Consolidation through Increased Participation of Women in Decision Making in Sierra Leone			
Recipient UN Organization:	UN Women, UNDP and UNFPA			
Implementing Partner(s):	Ministry of Social Welfare Gender and Children's Affairs, Family support Unit, Prisons and Ministries and Departments (MDAs)			
Location:	Countrywide: North, South, East and Western Area			
Approved Project Budget:	\$331,648			
Duration:	Planned Start Date: August, 2012 Planned Completion: January, 2014			
SC Approval Date: (Actual Dates)	August , 2012	MDTF Funds Transfer		Project Activities Start Date October
Project Description:	The project seeks to address the need for the active participation of women in decision-making process on issues of peace and security; as well as to ensure an enabling environment by curbing sexual violence in a bid to consolidate sustainable peace in Sierra Leone.			
PBF Priority Area:	Promotion of Co-existence and peaceful resolution of conflict.			
PBF Outcome:	Increased participation and representation of women in decision making processes on peace and security issues.			
Key Project Activities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Rebuilding and strengthening women's network at all levels to create a referral system to follow up on violence against women in decision making and to strengthen initiatives through dialogue on early warning and conflict prevention and security. ➤ Enhance capacity of female councilors (CWCs) in processes and policies that promote women's participation in decision making ➤ Equipping the office of the female councilors. ➤ An information exchange visit or learning of best practices to Ghana for 8 people- MPs and Councilors ➤ Development of policy and implementation plan for the 30% quota for women in decision making positions at national and community levels ➤ Conduct TOT on gender equality, gender mainstreaming concepts and gender analysis techniques and reproductive health rights for decision makers, opinion leaders, policy implementers, tribal authorities at national and local levels. ➤ Review of the gender strategy for Security Service Institutions (SSI)- Sierra Leone Army, Police, prisons, and fire force to enhance recruitment and promotion of women in decision making. 			
Procurement:	Provide Equipment for female prison wards Equipping office of Female Councilors			

QUARTERLY PROJECT UPDATE

Period covered:	
Project Number & Title	PBF/
Recipient UN Organization:	
Implementing Partner(s):	
JSC Approval Date:	

Funds Committed¹:		% of Approved:	
Funds Disbursed²:		% of Approved:	
Forecast Final Date:		Delay (Months):	

Outcome/Indicators:	Achievements/Results:	Challenges (incl. expected effect on project results):

¹ Project commitment is defined as legally binding contracts signed for goods, works, and services as permissible by the respective agency's financial rules and regulations.

² Actual payments (for goods, works, and services) made against signed contract commitments. In most cases, total reported disbursements should not exceed total commitments, except in cases where disbursements are made against non-committed project funds (such as small scale payments, indirect programme costs etc, where no commitments are raised prior to payment).

