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Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Programme



XC in his carpentry shop in Kadugli, SKS July 2012

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ACRONYMS

AWP	Annual Work Plan
BCPR	Bureau for Crisis Prevention and Recovery
BICC	Bonn International Center for Conversion
CBO	Community Based Organization
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
CORD	Charitable Organization for Rehabilitation and Development
СРА	Comprehensive Peace Agreement
CPAP	Country Programme Action Plan
CSAC	Community Security and Arms Control
DDR	Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration
DREAM	Demobilization, Reintegration and Arms Management (The UNDP DDR Management.
	Information System)
DFID	Department for International Development
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization
GHO	Global Health Foundation
GOS	Government of Sudan
HAD	Humanitarian Aid and Development
HIV/AIDS	Human Imuno-Deficiency Virus/Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
ILO	International Labour Organization
IOM	International Organization for Migration
IPDO	International Peace and Development Organization
IRD	International Relief and Development
ISRA	Islamic Relief Agency
IUNDDRU	Integrated United Nations Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Unit
JDDRC	Joint DDR Commission
JICA	Japan International Cooperation Agency
JOP	Joint Operations Plans
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MDTF	Multi Donor Trust Fund
МоН	Ministry of Health
NDDRCC	National Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Coordination Council
NEF	Near East Foundation
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
NISS	National Intelligence Security Services
NMIAD	Nuba Mountains International Association for Development
NRRDO	Nuba Relief Rehabilitation and Development
PBF/IRF	Peace Building Fund/Immediate Response Facility
PEB	Project Executive Board
PDF	Public Defence Forces
PWD	People with Disabilities
REFLECT	Regenerated Freirean Literacy through Empowering Community Techniques
RFP	Request for Proposals
SAF	Sudan Armed Forces
SALW	Small Arms and Light Weapons

SCS	Save the Children Sweden
SDDRC	Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Commission
SDDRP	Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Programme
SHO	Sawaid Health Organization
SNG	Special Needs Group
SOP	Standard Operating Procedures
SOLO	Sudan Open Learning Organization
SPLA	Sudan People's Liberation Army
SPLM	Sudan People's Liberation Movement
SSDDRC	Southern Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Commission
TCC	Technical Coordination Committee
UN	United Nations
UNDAF	United Nations Development Assistance Framework
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
UNMIS	United Nations Mission in Sudan
WAAF	Women Associated with Armed Forces
XC	Ex-Combatant

I. Executive Summary

The Sudan Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Programme (SDDRP) was granted an extension by the Project Executive Board till December 2012 in its meeting on 2 February 2012. This progress report covers the achievements, progress towards goals, issues and challenges encountered during project implementation during the first half of 2012.

Key Developments

In spite of the immense challenges witnessed in 2011 in the region formerly known as the "Three Protocol Areas", the programme regained its momentum at the beginning of 2012. In addition to the continued operations of Implementing Partners on the ground beginning in the last quarter of 2011¹, UNDP staff was granted clearance from UN New York to conduct field monitoring activities in Southern Kordofan State (SKS) and Blue Nile State (BNS) in early 2012. By May 2012, UNDP DDR Blue Nile State (BNS) staffs were redeployed to Damazin permanently and have resumed their functions in support of project activities.

From January to June this year, a total of 10,472 XCs were provided with training services and another 8,279 XCs received their reintegration packages. Currently, more than 21,000 former combatants completed their trainings and approximately 17,000 XCs have received reintegration packages and started their own livelihoods activities since the start of the programme. This year, twelve implementing partners signed contracts to implement reintegration support activities in SKS and BNS, covering 6,325 XCs. Two Contract Management Workshops was conducted for the newly contracted IPs to bolster their capacity to successfully implement reintegration services, while adhering to the standard monitoring and reporting requirements of the programme. Most significantly, project activities were monitored periodically with field missions, telephonic verification of reports and interviews with DDR participants and community leaders.

Several community security and arms control projects in Blue Nile State and the Central Sector were rolled out during the first half of the year. These initiatives aim to address security concerns and to strengthen the social cohesion between XCs and community members and to restore communities' faith in state authorities. Following consultations with community members, XCs and state authorities, some of the projects implemented this year included: the construction of a health clinic in Zindia in Roseries locality (BNS) which had no health facility at all; construction of water points for human and animal consumption in Menza (BNS) and the construction of school/community centre in Mazmoom (Sennar State). These projects are complemented by community sensitization and capacity development efforts, known as the soft component, to promote social cohesion at the community level and to ensure communities can effectively run the micro infrastructure projects constructed. Social reintegration activities also picked up pace in quarter two, with the rolling out of civic education and women community projects in SKS and Khartoum.

Recognizing the continued positive impact made by the project on the ground, on 2 February 2012 the Project Executive Board approved the extension of the overall project duration until 31 December 2012 to enable UNDP to complete outstanding activities and to bring the project to a successful completion in line with the approved project document and workplan.

Key challenges

Insecurity and limited access to certain parts of SKS and BNS continue to pose a challenge for implementing project activities in accordance with the targets enshrined in the workplan. As mitigation in quarter two, UNDP redeployed its BNS field staff to Damazin and resumed direct monitoring of activities in BNS. Periodic monitoring missions to SKS by UNDP staff members also commenced in quarter two.

¹ In October 2011, implementing partners were permitted by national authorities to resume operations in SKS and BNS.

Sudan and South Sudan continue to grapple with challenges in addressing the remaining issues post-separation. The outbreak of hostilities in Heglig in April 2011 prompted the UN Security Council to adopt resolution 2046 (also adopting the African Union (AU) roadmap), which urges both sides to come to an agreement on outstanding issues such as oil transit fees, border demarcation, among other key issues. Tensions have subsided towards the last months of quarter two and peace negotiations resumed in Addis Ababa. The UN SC 2046 also includes a provision urging the Government of Sudan (GoS) and SPLM-N to also reach an agreement to end the disputes in South Kordofan and Blue Nile.

II. Introduction

The Sudan DDR Commission and UNDP are in the process of completing reintegration support for fighters demobilized until July 2011. This support is part of the commitment and obligation to ex-combatants who have voluntarily registered with the DDR programme. Donors have likewise indicated that these XCs need to be targeted for support as part of a "moral obligation" and also to meet the expectations of demobilised excombatants. Current reintegration efforts are an offshoot from previous agreements and frameworks, but are expected to be winded down this year as agreed in the Project Board meeting on 2nd February 2012. A new approach for the DDR programme, which was recommended by donors, is being deliberated on by various stakeholders.

Below is a quick recast of key developments that influenced the current status of the programme.

- 1) An independent review in December 2010 sanctioned by donors recommended changes to the DDR programme in Sudan. Key among the recommendations were the verification of DDR participants, shifting towards a community-based approach with a stronger linkage with the CSAC component and improving sustainability through a variety of interventions and partnerships (i.e. improved trainings by linking with local institutions and establishing partnerships with the private sector). Subsequently, a series of consultations began in January 2011 which culminated in the "Way forward" and "Lessons learned" workshops held in July and August 2011, respectively. The key achievement of the workshops was the consensus reached among stakeholders, importantly with the Sudan DDR Commission, on the need to shift the approach of the programme review as well as feedback from different stakeholders was presented to donors for review. Technical inputs were then received from donors and were incorporated in the project document in the first quarter of 2012. Generally, the approach was welcomed by international partners. The main concerns raised were the context and timing of the new phase.
- 2) In March 2011, the SDDRP audit report was finalized and had cast a shadow on UNDP in the first quarter of 2011. UNDP's audit reports are shared with UN Member States at UNDP HQ at their written request and under conditions established by the UNDP Executive Board (including the requester's obligation to maintain confidentiality of the information disclosed). Overall, UNDP has worked throughout 2011 to comply with all of the audit recommendations. Most of the recommendations are now implemented. In response also to the audit, the UNDP DDR team made significant efforts in 2011 and in 2012 to show stakeholders, particularly donors, the positive changes made by the programme. This included the project team presenting achievements to donors in a Project Board meeting held in February 2012 and organizing a donor visit to Blue Nile State in March 2012. The visit was the first one accomplished by international stakeholders in the current context in Blue Nile State, and it has clearly demonstrated UNDP's ability to network and partner with national counterparts to ensure continuous delivery of services. Additionally, an external audit

by Price Waterhouse Coopers took place in June 2012. The audit report was positive on both the operational and programmatic dimensions of the programme with no major observations made.

- 3) The secession of South Sudan resulted in the separation of the DDR Programme into two programmes, one for South Sudan and one for Sudan, now called the "Sudan DDR Programme or SDDRP". This also meant the end of UNMIS' mandate on 9th July, which resulted in revising the programme's organizational structure in a manner that strengthens the UNDP Country Office's oversight on the programme, and in setting up new offices for the DDR Programme in Khartoum and at the field level². The UNDP DDR had already been preparing contingency plans since January 2011, so there was relative ease in transitioning to a post-UNMIS and post-separation situation. A new office location for the UNDP DDR was established, and there is now a regular forum between the UNDP DDR and UNDP Country Office senior management to discuss the direction of the programme. Another offshoot of such changes is that opportunities for synergies with other UNDP programmes are now more easily identified. The key goal is to improve UNDP's effectiveness in responding to development needs of Sudan.
- 4) Conflict broke out in the state of Southern Kordofan in June 2011 and in Blue Nile State in September 2011, which has led to a temporary suspension of activities by most of the national and international agencies dealing with development and recovery. However, activities finally resumed in October 2011 on account of the confidence and trust given to the programme by stakeholders, including DDR beneficiaries who received reintegration support Due to the challenging context in South Kordofan and Blue Nile, the programme requested donors in a Project Board meeting to extend the timeframe of the project, in order to allow for the successful reintegration of XCs already demobilized and to provide space for transitioning to a new approach based on the inputs from donors, the programme review, and the consultations with stakeholders. The Project Board agreed to the extension of the timeframe of the programme until 31 December 2012.
- 5) As mitigation to the current context, an interim Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) framework had also been put in place in the latter half of 2011 to ensure the credibility of the delivery of reintegration services. Some of the monitoring tools used include the DDR Arms Management (DREAM) database which is basically an information database of all ex-combatants demobilized, State level Technical Reintegration Committee (TRC), field visit monitoring and reporting, phone interviews with beneficiaries and community leaders, and review of progress reports with photographs of delivery of support, among others. Overall, the UNDP is working closely with the SDDRC in monitoring project activities and IPs' service delivery. Therefore, UNDP has been consistently providing capacity building trainings and support, especially to state DDR offices to help ensure proper implementation and monitoring of project activities until December 2012. For instance, field staff at the state DDR commission were trained in the implementation of the DDR programme including DREAM data management and were provided with vehicles, generator, internet modems, computers, printers and photocopiers in order to enhance monitoring and reporting at the field level. Additionally, telephone verification with XCs and community leaders were completed for eight IPs in SKS and BNS. Although there were shortcomings with two of the IPs, the majority of IPs delivered services within the expected standards, and beneficiaries expressed their satisfaction with the quality of services received from IPs. Finally, UNDP resumed direct monitoring by sending mobile teams to the field.

² UNDP DDR was co-located in UNMIS premises (both at Khartoum and at the state level).

The DDR programme recognizes that the prevailing context, especially the escalation of violence in the border areas between Sudan and South Sudan, is the most significant challenge currently affecting implementation³. However, the programme continues to monitor developments, and importantly identifying positive outcomes that the programme is able to generate despite the current context. Overall, the DDR is seen by the Sudan DDR Commission as a potential "peace-driver". The DDR programme, through UNDP and the SDDRC, envisions continuous dialogue with international partners and other stakeholders to chart an appropriate way forward especially under the current context of on-going peace negotiations in Addis Ababa.

³ Conflict broke out between Sudan and South Sudan in Heglig last April 2012. The international community has condemned this violence and urged both countries to resolve their disputes. UN resolution 2046 was adopted and has given a deadline of August for both parties to come to an agreement on the remaining issues under the CPA (i.e. border demarcation, oil fees, among others).

III. Progress Review: 1 January-30 June 2012

Expected Outputs and Indicators	Planned Activity	Budget (USD)	Expenditure (USD)	Results of Activities	Progress towards achieving outputs
Output 1: Economic reintegration support provided for demobilized ex-combatants in Blue Nile, South Kordofan and Central Sector States. <u>Indicators:</u> (1) Number of ex- combatants and special needs groups participating in reintegration activities in Blue Nile , South Kordofan and Central Sector States including Khartoum State. (2) % of male and female participants that report successful individual reintegration support in client-satisfaction surveys.	Activity Result 1: Reintegration process for 4,665 participants in BNS and SKS brought forward from 2011 is completed. 1.1 Provision of reintegration support and recommended follow-up services to participants. Activity Result 2: Reintegration process for 4,450 participants in the Central Sector completed: 2.1 Delivery referral, registration, training and reintegration packages (agriculture tools, livestock, small business items, etc,) to participants.	18,790,764.00	13,618,558.03	Activity Result 1: The reintegration process of 4,665 XCs which was brought forward form 2011 was completed during the period under review including kits distribution, follow-up and advisory services. These XCs have now established their own livelihood means. Activity Result 2: The reintegration process for 2,586 XCs in the CS was completed by June 2012. The reintegrated participants have established their own enterprises in their respective communities whilst IPs continue to provide follow-up and advisory services to them.	During the reporting period, 10,472 XCs were provided with training services and 8,279 XC received reintegration packages in SKS, BNS and the Central Sector. Overall, by the end of June 2012 a total of 16,934 XCs (2,862 women and 14, 072 men) out of 36,251 demobilized XCs received their reintegration packages in small business or agriculture and livestock in SKS, BNS and the Central Sector. 21,069 XCs have completed their reintegration training.
 Baseline: (1) By end of 2011, 36,254 combatants were demobilized in the protocol areas of which 10,954 have been reintegrated and living civilian lives in the communities. (2) Client satisfaction survey conducted in six localities in Blue 	 2.2. Provide required follow-up services to support the reintegration process of DDR participants Activity Result 3. Reintegration support for 7,234 additional participants in SKS and BNS completed 3.1 Sign contracts with IPs for the provision of reintegration 			Activity Result 3: The provision of reintegration support to 4,587 additional participants in SKS and BNS commenced in the beginning of 2012 with the contracting of eleven IPs to provide reintegration services to XCs (including 1,818 XCs with disabilities) in SKS. To date, 3,365 XCs were registered, 2,896 trained and 1,028 were provided	In Q3, Client Satisfaction and community perception surveys will be carried out to assess the level of satisfaction among DDR beneficiaries with respect to the reintegration support they received.

NUL state and fine	a success to a final solution of	
Nile state and five	support services including	with material kits support. The
localities in Southern	PWDs.	reintegration process is still on-
Kordofan state by		going and will be completed in
independent field	3.2. Deliver referral,	the next quarter.
monitors found on	registration, training and	
average over 70 % of	packages in the form of tools,	By the end of Q1, Mubadiroon
participants satisfied	livestock, small business	and Save the Children Sweden
with their	items etc. to participants.	
reintegration		(SCS), concluded their activities
support.	3.3. Provide required	in Blue Nile State, including the
	follow-up services to support	provision of follow-up services to
2012 Targets	the reintegration process of	20% of their total caseload.
(1) 20,501 ex-	DDR participants	
combatants		UNDP also awarded a contract to
participating in	Activity Result 4.	ISRA in February to support 493
reintegration	Reintegration process for the	PWDs with reintegration and
activities ⁴ :	new caseload of 4,162 XCs in	rehabilitation services in Blue
a. 16,051 ex-	accessible and inaccessible	
combatants in SKS	areas in South Kordofan	Nile State, and up until the end of
and BNS	initiated	June 2012, 155 PWDs were
b. 4,450 ex-		medically screened by ISRA and
combattants in the	4.1 Select implementing	94 had received reintegration
Central Sector	partners to provide	kits.
	reintegration support for	
	4,162 XCs	Activity Result 4: While
At least 70 % of DDR		significant efforts are made to
participants in the client	4.2. Provide reintegration	trace as many demobilized XCs as
satisfaction survey	support services.	possible, there were some
administered in the in		
protocol/transitional areas	4.3 Deliver referral,	challenges in locating XCs in SKS.
are successful reintegrated	registration, training and	In this regard, management felt it
and satisfied with the	start -up capital in the form	prudent to postpone initiating
services provided by the	of tools, sheep, grocery etc.	any new contracts until all of the
programme.	to participants.	signed contracts in 2012 had
		made substantial progress. A
	4.4. Provide required	status on this issue will be
	follow-up services to support	

⁴ A balance caseload of 4 799 ex-combatants is unfunded and not included in this AWP. Of that number 2 268 XCs are in the Central Sector, while the remaining 2 531 are mostly in inaccessible areas in Southern Kordofan State. Discussions with funding partners and government counterparts are ongoing how to address the issue.

the reintegration process of	updated in guarter 3.
DDR participants in Kordofan;	
	Activity Result 5: Public
4.5. Organize two training	
workshops for SDDRC and IPs	Information messages and
how to provide sustainable	sensitization on reintegration
livelihoods support	have been disseminated,
	reaching approximately 42,000
	individuals in both BNS and the
Public Information	CS. Outreach activities were
Activity Result 5 : Public	implemented by local IPs, Labena
Information messages and	and Sudia and included radio
sensitization on economic	programmes, community leaders'
reintegration disseminated	training and awareness,
5.1: Produce public	community mobilization, face-to
information products	face events, musical and sporting
(posters, fact sheets, video	events.
materials, TV & radios PSAs,	Both IPs developed and
etc)	disseminated messages that
5.2: Organize outreach	addressed themes such as DDR,
activities to better inform and	
manage expectations of DDR	CSAC, gender and peace. The
participants in BN, SK and CS	production of Public Information
States.	materials was done by both IPs
	and UNDP PI Unit. These included
Monitoring and Evaluation	leaflets, pamphlets, posters, t-
Activity Result 6: Individual	shirts, hats for both CSAC and
economic reintegration and	DDR activities as well as
IP performance during	additional materials for the
different stage of	Gender Unit's outreach work
reintegration of male female	
DDR participants monitored.	Another contract was signed with
	Sudia in June to execute <i>the</i>
6.1. Ensure the monitoring	Mobilize Efforts for Peace
mechanism at place and	campaign in SKS and Khartoum.
functioning at the state and	Activities consisting of an
regional levels	intensive public outreach and
6.2 Organize regular field	radio campaign in the two states
visits, spot check visits and	to sensitize communities on
regular updates on IPs project	
regular upuales off ins project	peace-building, reconciliation,

performance	the repudiation of violence and
	the dangers of small arms and
Activity Result 7: One client	light weapons (SALW) are being
satisfaction survey each in	executed. This project is done in
BN and SK states conducted. 7.1 Prepare guestionnaires	close collaboration with the
7.1 Prepare questionnaires 7.2. Conduct client	SDDRC and UNDP's Joint Conflict
perception surveys in	and Reduction Programme
accessible areas in South	(JCRP).
Kordofan and Blue Nile States	
	Activity Result 6: Individual
	economic reintegration and IP
	performance during the different
	stages of reintegration were
	monitored by UNDP. For instance
	during this reporting period,
	UNDP was granted security
	clearance to physically monitor
	reintegration activities in SKS.
	Three missions were carried out
	by SKS field staff in April, May
	and June, supported by the M&E,
	Gender and CSAC units. The
	monitoring teams visited
	implementation sites in Kadugli,
	Dilling, Lagawa and Rashad
	localities and have also
	undertaken CSAC and gender
	assessments in these localities.
	Further, with the redeployment
	of UNDP staff to Blue Nile State
	in May 2012, regular spot checks
	and monitoring visits were
	carried out to beneficiaries of
	Mubadiroon and SCS, as well as
	to the ISRA's implementation
	sites, and to Zindia Health Clinic,
	in order to ensure that activities

are running smoothly and
effectively.
The DDR programme also
continued to monitor activities
through telephone interviews
with beneficiaries, TRC meeting
updates and regular reports,
tracking sheets and photos
submitted by IPs. The
performance of eight IPs were
verified by the M&E unit during
the reporting period.
Activity Result 7: Preparations
for the Client satisfaction and
community perceptions surveys
continued in Q1 and Q2.
The client satisfaction survey's
template has been reviewed, and
surveys will be conducted in BN
and SK states in Q3.
UNDP, jointly with SDDRC,
revised the questionnaire to
ensure it reflects the impact of
the recent conflicts in the
Transitional Areas on the
programme's beneficiaries.
Additional questions were
included to address social and
psychosocial reintegration as
well. By the end of Q2, proposals
for the provision of monitoring
services in SKS and BNS were
evaluated by UNDP and SDDRC
and the selected IP will
undertake the surveys in Q3.

Output 2: Social	CSAC Activities	1,356,581.00	529,962.43	Activity 1: Two gender	Two CSAC projects have
reintegration support and	Activity result 1: 7 gender	,	-,	responsive CSAC projects were	been completed in 2012,
community security and	responsive CSAC projects in			completed in 2012 and two are	two are under
small arms control	prioritized areas of the Blue			under implementation in target	implementation and 4 more
projects in prioritized	Nile, Southern Kordofan and			areas in BNS and the CS.	projects are in the pipeline
areas of SK, BN and CS	Central Sector States				in target communities in
States implemented.	identified and implemented.			CCAC and conder accordinate	_
				CSAC and gender assessments	BNS, SKS and CS.Below is
Indicators:	1.1. Organize participatory			were conducted in 2012 to help	the list of these projects:
(1) At least 5 Community	meetings with community			identify areas for CSAC	1. A health clinic was
Security and Small Arms	members and leaders to			interventions, In February, a	completed in Roseires,
Control projects are	identify and select			needs assessment was conducted	BNS. The clinic is
implemented (1 Sennar	community security projects			through participatory meetings	expected to function as
(Mazmum), 1 White Nile	in target communities in BNS,			with community members,	a reconciliation point
(Wad Abkaraia), 1 North	SKS and Central Sector.			women, youths and XCs in Wad	between ex-
Kordofan (Wad Banda), 2	4.2. Identify and a system of IDe			Banda (North Kordofan, CS). The	combatants and
Blue Nile (Tadamon and	1.2. Identify and contract IPs			project identified a community	community members,
Roseires) and 2 South	to implement 7 CSAC projects with soft& hard components			centre/ school for CSAC	as well as among
Kordofan (Lagawa and	in BNS, SKS, CS ⁵			intervention.	neighbouring
Abujubeiha)	III BN3, 3K3, C3				communities. It will
(2) At 50 % of WAAFG ,	Social Reintegration and				
PWDs and other special	Psychosocial Support			In Q2 UNDP DDR CSAC team	also serve the health
needs groups provided with psychosocial and	Activity Result 2: Social			undertook situation assessments	needs of approximately
	reintegration and			in Dilling (SKS) and Tadamon	40,000 people.
other social reintegration support	psychosocial support for			(BNS) to identify the main threats	2. A 1.5 km long water
(3) At least 3 best	special needs groups			to peace, security and stability in	pipeline was
practices and lessons	including WAAFG and			the community. Appropriate	constructed in Menza,
learnt as the result of	Women participants			CSAC responses will follow in Q3.	BNS. This pipeline will
implementation of Social	identified and implemented.				help mitigate tensions
Reintegration and CSAC	•			BNS	between Menza
projects documented.	2.1 -Training of trainers on 10			One CSAC project was completed	community members,
	topic civic education package			in Zindia (BNS) in March 2012.	including XCs and
Baseline:	in SKS			The project, which consisted of	nomads over water
1) 4 CSAC field projects				establishing a health clinic, had	resources.
were initiated (2 in South	2.2 Training of 2200 DDR			_	
Korodan (Julud and	participants and female			its soft component finished by	3. A school/community
	civilians using community			SUDIA in September 2011.	centre is currently

⁵ Soft component activities are mainly related to trainings of peace committees, capacity development, awareness raising and sensitization etc. whereas hard component mainly relates to the construction of physical infrastructure and civil works that benefits large community members aimed at addressing the root causes of arms proliferation and conflict.

Alhamra) and 2 in Blue	based approach on civic		under construction in
Nile (Kurmuk and	education package, value	Following the assessments	Mazmoom, Sennar. This
Roseires), Three CSAC	chain and private sector		·
projects were suspended	development in SKS and	carried out in 2011 in Menza, a	facility will prevent
due to conflicts.	Central Sector.	water pipeline was installed with	potential conflict over
		several water distribution points	basic and limited
2012 Targets:	2.3 Training of Trainers on	in the village, animal drinking	services as XCs slowly
(1) 7 CSAC projects	Literacy Reflect method	points and other points including	begin to return to the
implemented in target	,	for the school, police centre and	area.
communities in BNS. SKS	2.4 Training of 400 women in	health clinic.	
and CS. (1 Sennar	literacy skills using REFLECT		400 women in Southern
(Mazmum), 1 White Nile	method	<u>s</u>	Kordofan benefited from
(Wad Abkaraia), 1 North		A school/community centre is	training in food processing
Kordofan (Wad Banda), 2	2.5 Training of Trainers in	under construction in Mazmoom	skills. Once all activities are
Blue Nile (Tadamon and	food processing	locality (Sennar) and will help	completed, peace-building
Roseires) and 2 South			
Kordofan (Lagawa and	2.6 Training of 400 women in	address potential conflicts	days will be launched in
Abujubeiha).	food processing skills	between farmers and pastoralists	certain areas in SKS to
		as well as XCs over the limited	showcase the success of the
(2) At least 5 communities	2.7 Peace building days in	services available, especially in	trainings received in a bid to
and 300 DDR participants	selected communities for	the area of education.	overcome social stigmas
benefitted from various	women to showcase skills		and foster social cohesion.
social reintegration and	gained and support social	National NGO, Al Nasaiem, was	
psychosocial projects in	cohesion building and stigma	selected to implement the soft	
South Kordofan and	alleviation	component of CSAC interventions	The best practices and
Central Sector including		in Menza and Mazmoom. The	lessons learned will be
North Kordofan and	2.8 Women's Community	soft component entails training	collected in Q4 after
Khartoum States.	Projects in Central Sector:	community members on	implementation of all the
	-Training of 60 One Man Can	human rights, literacy and	projects of 2012 is
(3) At least 5 best	peer educators (GBV/RH/HIV)		
practices and lessons	 Supporting GBV prevention outreach through discussion 	numeracy, peace building and	completed.
learnt reported and	groups, community action	conflict resolution, sensitization	
documented.	plans, open days, radio	sessions on the dangers of	
	programmes, drama, skit,	small arms and light weapons as	
	folklore	well as the rolling out of the One	
	-Training women in civic	Man Can project. ⁶	

⁶ A campaign encouraging men and women to work together to take action in their communities to combat harmful traditional gender norms and gender based violence.

education topics -Supporting organization of 3 women's committees and providing them with capacity development and organization skill Monitoring and Public Information Activity Result 3: Monitoring and Public Information Campaign on CSAC and Social Reintegration	Moreover, a small grant was signed with national NGO, Alam, to undertake the soft component of CSAC interventions in White Nile State.Activity 2: Social reintegration and psychosocial support for special needs groups including WAAFG and Women participants have been identified and are being implemented. The civic
implemented. 3.1 Organize monitoring visits to target communities to measure impact of social reintegration and CSAC interventions to ensure 'do no harm' principle 3.2 Produce of information products (posters, fact sheets, video materials, TV & radios, PSA etc.) and outreach activities to better inform communities about DDR and CSAC	education package for SKS was revised to ensure the manuals are standardized, gender is mainstreamed, and images are suitable for low-literacy female DDR population. UNDP's IP Near East Foundation (NEF) started conducting sensitization workshops with community leaders in Kadugli, Dilling, Rashad and Lagawa localities in Southern Kordofan State. The training of 2,200 DDR participants and female civilians will follow in Q3.
 3.3 Organize 1-2 field visits and 1 training on DDR and National Action Plan Arms and Community Security for better visibility of results for Government counterparts in the Ministry of Interior and Sudan DDR Commission. 3.4 Organize Nuba Wrestling 2-3 day event in SKS and BNS. These will be large-scale, 	Additionally, the Training of Trainers on Literacy utilizing the "Regenerated Freirean Literacy through Empowering Community Techniques" (REFLECT) method, designed specifically for adult literacy education, started in May with nine REFLECT circles established in Kadugli, Dilling, Lagawa and Abujibiha in SKS. On this regard, the manual

		
	sensitization opportunities to	submitted by the implementing
	bring together tens of	partner SOLO was previously
	thousands of people to	revised and endorsed by UNDP
	disseminate community	and SDDRC.
	security and small arms	
	proliferation messages in	The training of trainers in food
	post-conflict zones.	processing was conducted in June
	Activity result 4: Lessons	2012, and 400 women have also
	learnt and best practices on	been trained in food processing
	SR and CSAC documented	skills. Also in June a refresher ToT
	and disseminated	
	4.1. Discuss and disseminate	was conducted in Khartoum for
	best practices and lessons	the REFLECT facilitators and
	learnt on social reintegration	supervisors in Khartoum.
	and CSAC among the	
	community and traditional	In June, UNDP signed a contract
	leaders, Government	with Zenab, the Sudanese
	authorities and other	Organization for Women
	counterparts to get feedback	Development (ZWD) to
	for future initiates and to	implement social reintegration
	ensure buy-in from all	services and implement
	engaged counterparts	community-based women's
		project in Khartoum State. The
	4.2 Organize 3 workshops	project aims to reduce potential
	CSAC/Social Reintegration	threats to women and girls'
	workshops for State and	
	Community Leaders (1	security and facilitate the
	Central Sector, 1 Blue Nile	reintegration of ex-combatants
	and 1 South Kordofan on	back into their community. It also
	lessons learned from CSAC	aims to increase the knowledge
	field project and disseminate	on civic topics such as HIV/STIs,
	manual and five lessons	human rights, leadership and
	learned reports on	conflict resolution. Activities will
	implementation of CSAC	also help
	strategy and Small Arms	strengthen women's groups by
	Control National Action Plan at the national and state	promoting their communication
	levels	and articulation skills. A final
		component will work
		towards promoting positive
		masculinities through the 'One

Man Can' training and towards
the development of respective
community action plans.
In Q2 Zenab carried out
sensitization activities at the
community level and also
implemented the OMC training,
broadcasted sensitization
messages on national radio and
carried out drama shows
promoting OMC messages. Zenab
will complete all activities by the
end of October 2012.
Activity Result 3: Monitoring
visits to measure the impact of
social reintegration and CSAC
interventions were conducted
during the reporting period. For
instance, on March 14 th , donor
representatives from six
countries (Norway, Japan,
Canada, Germany, Spain and
DFID), accompanied with UNDP
and SDDRC senior management,
visited the Zindia clinic under the
CSAC intervention. Despite the
logistic and security challenges in
BNS, this visit was conducted
successfully, and donors
expressed their appreciation of
the organization and the
collaboration observed between
community members, UNDP,
SDDRC and the State Ministry of
Health.
Furthermore, UNDP Civil

Engineer and CSAC Officer continued to monitor the progress of CSAC projects across the Central Sector and BNS in Q1
and Q2. Information products and
outreach activities continue to be developed to inform
communities about DDR and
CSAC, with a particular focus on
gender issues. Two IPs (SUDIA in BNS and Labena in CS) have
broadcasted a radio programme
about DDR, and CSAC, in their
respective areas. They have also
implemented multiple outreach
activities (see output 1, activity
5). Finally, the 16 Days of
Activism Campaign, which started in November 2011, was
concluded on 8 March, 2012.
Messages on gender have been
disseminated within the
campaign, through public events,
and the production of posters
and leaflets.
In BNS, due to tenuous security
situation as well as cultural
sensitivities regarding Nuban
practices in the current context,
the project was postponed and funds were diverted for the SKS
and Khartoum outreach
campaign.
Activity Result 4: Best practices
and lessons learnt were discussed

among the community,
traditional leaders, Government
authorities and other
counterparts during the planning,
the implementation and after the
completion of the CSAC project in
Zindia (health clinic) in March
2012 for the sense of ownership
of the project by the community
and the local authorities that
have been agreed to contribute
jointly with UNDP and that will
take over the project eventually.
Such discussions with
stakeholders will continue to take
place after the implementation of
each project. Once most of the
CSAC/Social Reintegration
projects are either finalized or
well-advanced lessons learned
workshops will be conducted in
order to fully capture lessons
learned and best practices.
The Regional Conference on
SALW Control was held in
Khartoum on 22-23 May 2012
and included participants from
Sudan's neighbouring countries:
the Central African Republic,
Chad, the Democratic Republic of
Congo and Libya. Participants
agreed to improve their
cooperation through the creation
of a regional mechanism to
control the proliferation of small
arms and light weapons. UNDP
played a significant role by
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				providing technical and financial support to the conference, and is also a member of the follow-up committee.	
Output 3: Capacity of national partners of the DDR programme to implement nationally- owned DDR programme strengthened. <u>Indicators:</u> 1. Number of manuals, guidance notes and SOPs institutionalized within the SDDRC and revised; 2. Number of reports generated through DREAM/MIS by SDDRC. 3. Number of national NGOs implementing DDR activities trained and contracted. <u>Baseline:</u> 1.Reintegration SoP, M&E guidelines and IP guidance note , CSAC Strategy available to implement the DDR programme. DREAM SOP	Capacity Development Support to SDDRC and Implementing Partners Activity result 1: Technical and management capacities of SDDRC and State DDRC's strengthened 1.1Conduct at least one training for the SDDRC HQ and State DDRC staff to improve the use of the developed tools/manuals(gender, HIV, RH, GBV, PWD)1.2. Provide skills training on financial and contract management practices for national implementation.1.3. Conduct workshops on programme management, HR management and organizational development for senior management of the SDDRC (including State Level Management Staff)	1,019,985.00	281,270.86	Activity Result 1: Technical and management capacities of SDDRC and State DDRC's are being strengthened through different activities, including: MIS project management training was provided to SDDRC staff at the Khartoum and state levels. There was also a joint workshop held between UNDP and SDDRC to prioritize and harmonize activities of the 2012 Annual Workplan. Technical Reintegration Coordination meetings continued to be held during the reporting period between UNDP, SDDRC and IPs. Contract management and tracking of DDR participants also continued on a weekly basis. Fifty representatives from civil society organizations attended the contract management	By the end of June, 2012, 21 NGOs were implementing reintegration activities in SKS, BNS and the Central Sector. IPs were offered training in financial management, reporting, monitoring and evaluation, reintegration and gender prior to implementing activities on the ground and their capacities continues to be monitored and strengthened with the technical support by UNDP on a regular basis to ensure effective and efficient delivery. National counterparts at the Commission continued to be supported with capacity building trainings in reintegration, gender, PI,

2. 10 reports produced	1.4. Conduct workshops on	work	shop introduced IPs to	monitoring and reporting
annually	contract management and		P's implementation	and information
3. 30 national NGOs	establish NGO Net work to		•	
engaged directly with	enhance their delivery,	•	elines, foreseen challenges	management during the
UNDP DDR programme	monitoring and reporting	and t	the way forward.	reporting period. Further,
	capacities and exchange a			SDDRC staff have displayed
2012 targets	lesson learnt with regard to		her contract management	leadership role, particularly
1. Programme	CSAC, Social Reintegration,		shop was held in Q2 for 14	at the state level with
operational	Gender and HIV.	orgar	nization, where 55 staff	respect to their active
guidelines, MIS SoP,		mem	bers participated including	engagement with IPs,
Knowledge	Activity Result 2: Improve	SDDR	RC field staff members.	monitoring of activities,
management	state office connectivity and			liaising with UNDP and state
guidelines. M&E	harmonize Management	A pro	oposal writing workshop was	authorities in order to
guidelines,	Information System (MIS).	held	on 28 June at SDDRC and	facilitate the donor visit to
psychosocial		includ	ded participants from ten	BNS in March, as well as
reintegration SOP etc.	2.1. Support data		pective NGOs for the North	other monitoring missions
revised	management and		ofan CSAC soft component.	that took place in Q2 in SKS.
2. At least 50 reports	connectivity of the SDDRC through streamlining the MIS			
generated annually	and provision of trainings (10)		P facilitated a project	Project management
3. At least 35 national	on information management		agement training for SDDRC	training was provided to
NGOs contracted and	on mornation management		in April 2012.	selected SDDRC Staff
engaged in	2.1 Support data		-	
reintegration	management connectivity of		vity Result 2: IT equipment	members in Khartoum .
activities in the	the SDDRC through		ding computers,	7 sessions on SharePoint
protocol areas and Central Sector States	streamlining the MIS and		printers, MDSL and one	trainings and document
Central Sector States	provision of training (10) on		rator were provided to	archiving trainings were
	information management		h Kordofan State office in	provided to enhance the
	and knowledge management		r to enhance the	knowledge management
	tools to SDDRC staff	comn	munication between SDDRC	tools . Also 10 sessions on
	members.	at the	e field level and Khartoum.	Joomla content
				management system were
	Activity Result 3: Technical	The d	design and contents of the	conducted to customize
	capacity provided to central	SDDR	RC website were discussed	and maintain the SDDRC
	and state Offices as well as	durin	ng the reporting period and	joint website .
	to NGO Implementing		P's seconded staff continued	-
	Partners		pport the commission with	Customized training were
	3.1. Based on capacity assessment conducted (2011)		compiling and uploading of	held for SKS and CS_MIS
	of the State DDR		erials for the website. This	staff to support verifying IP
	commissions, develop		site will serve as a forum to	tracking sheets and the
	staffing plan for Commission			DREAM database.
	staring plan for commission	snow	case achievements of the	

	Offices of BNS, SKS and Central Sector states 3.2. Provide three national support staff on secondment to the State DDR Commissions. 3.3 .Provide training to IPs (M&E and reporting) to ensure timely delivery of services to DDR participants 3.4 Conduct assessments and at least 2 training workshops (contract management and lessons learned) for 45 Implementing Partners			DDR programme to a larger audience. UNDP supported IPs with further guidance on how to update their tracking sheets. Moreover, MIS unit verified the referral and replacement of absentees lists and shared them with respective IPs in the Central Sector and Southern Kordofan. Activity Result 3: the staff capacity assessment findings were shared with SDDRC senior staff for review and comments and the report is now finalized. Meanwhile, to support the SDDRC with reintegration and resources mobilization, two staff: Donor Relations Officer and Reintegration Officer, were seconded to the Sudan DDR Commission in the first quarter.	At least six MIS reports were generated in quarter two. Further, three specialized reports were provided to assist the Gender, M&E and planning unit. Review of IP tracking sheets .
Project output 4: Operational, technical and management support for UNDP and SDDRC State offices for programme implementation provided <u>Baseline:</u> 1. By the end of 2011, UNDP DDR project office is fully functional. 2. Funds secured for 31 455 XCs out of 36 254 demobilized.	Operational Support for Programme Implementation at the National and State Level Activity Result 1: Programme Implementation and Office Operational support 1.1. Administrative and operational support to project staff to implement the project at the national and state level	2,949,834.00	876,328.77	Activity Result 1: Administrative and operational support continues to be offered to project staff. The project staff, 100 people in total, are daily supported in the development of their functions. Also, support in terms of security clearance procedures, transport, logistic organization, etc, is offered and has helped facilitate monitoring missions to BNS and SKS during Q1 and Q2	UNDP DDR staff as well as SDDRC state offices were supported logistically, technically and financially during the reporting period, all of which facilitated the implementation and monitoring of project activities at the field level.

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	caseload in State offices	2011 Annual Progress Report for
	completed.	SDDRP was disseminated to the
	compicted.	programme donors. Bi-monthly
	2.1 Prepare and announce	DDR Dispatch issues were also
	for RFPs/CFPs and selection	produced and disseminated,
	of IPs	including highlights of the
		programme's achievements.
	Activity Result 3: New project	
	document developed	Also noteworthy, is the
		DDR Project Executive Board
		meeting held on 2 February, 2012
		in Khartoum to discuss the
		timeframe for the completion of
		the reintegration of all
		demobilized ex-combatants.
		Considering the delay in
		implementation caused by
		instabilities in SKS and BNS, the
		Executive Board agreed to extend
		the overall project duration until
		31 December 2012. To this end,
		no-cost extensions requests were
		prepared and sent to donors.
		Spain, Japan, Norway and PBF
		have all agreed to extend their
		agreements until 31 December
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		Activity Result 2: Request for
		Proposals (RFPs) and Call for
		Proposals (CFPs) continue to be
		prepared and announced as
		needed, and thanks to this
		process a total of 27 contracts
		have been signed with IPs in this
		period.

24,117,164	15,306,120.09	Activity Result 3. Discussions regarding the transition to a new approach of the programme are currently ongoing. The draft project document, which focuses on community based reintegration and incorporates concerns raised by donors throughout 2011 as well as recommendations of the programme review, was shared with donors in January 2012. Donors submitted some comments on the draft, which were incorporated by SDDRC and UNDP and will be discussed again at a technical coordination meeting.

N.B. Figures quoted in 'Output 2' include Public Information budget and expenditure for this period.

IV. Challenges and Lessons Learned

Challenges

The outbreak of conflict in Southern Kordofan State and Blue Nile State resulted in a temporary suspension of project activities in the second half of 2011. These conflicts continue to impact project implementation in 2012. Nonetheless, implementing partners continued to operate in secure areas in Southern Kordofan and Blue Nile State. Further, in Q2, UNDP was granted security clearance to redeploy its field staff to Damazin (BNS). A team consisting of three programme staff and two operations staff are currently redeployed in Damazin and are carrying out regular meetings with IPs and the State DDR Commission, as well as monitoring reintegration and CSAC activities. Also significant, is the deployment of UNDP's Regional Coordinator for the Three Areas to Southern Kordofan State and the permission granted to the DDR programme in Q2 to directly monitor project activities. During the reporting period three monitoring and assessment missions took place in SKS and by Q3 SKS field staff are expected to be fully redeployed to Kadugli.

Some Implementing Partners reported a difficulty in tracing some of the XCs in their referral lists, most of which are SPLA affiliated and/or have moved out in the midst of the conflicts in SKS and BNS. The MIS Unit continues to work closely with IPs and SDDRC in order to replace absentees and update the IPs tracking sheets for SKS while BNS has exhausted the caseload already.

The rising Inflation and the increasing dollar exchange rate caused variation in package contents and delivery delays. Through the weekly TRC meetings, IPs are encouraged by SDDRC and UNDP to plan and procure reintegration materials well in advance.

A funding shortfall for 1,793 participants from the CS is another challenge faced by the programme. The SDDR Commission is committed to support this caseload. In fact, SDDRC is preparing for a fundraising conference scheduled to take place in Q4 in London, where it will show stakeholders the achievements of the DDR programme to date and its significance and potential to promote peace and stability in Sudan.

Best Practices

Emerging challenges encountered in the implementation are jointly addressed by UNDP and the SDDRC. Importantly, the SDDRC has been crucial in garnering support from other national government bodies to allow for the programme to be continuously implemented at the field level. In general, stronger coordination meetings have been crucial during the reporting period. Moreover, maintaining regular TRC meetings with IPs and the Commission has allowed for stakeholders to share knowledge, experiences and best practices, therefore improving the quality of reintegration services to the targeted beneficiaries. In this sense, the programme is continuously adjusting and adapting to the evolving situation.

Overall, the social reintegration component of the programme has shown to be crucial to support sustainable reintegration of XCs, by complementing economic reintegration and addressing the social and psychosocial needs of DDR participants. Already the social reintegration component is adopting a community based approach which better addresses ex-combatants' acceptance in communities, and supports peace-building and social cohesion-building at the community level. The SDDRP has proved that a holistic approach enables the programme to effectively contribute to the reintegration continuum of former fighters. In view of the accumulated experiences and lessons learnt, the programme aims to continue moving towards a "community-based approach" for the next phase.

V. Partnerships and Sustainability

Implementing Partners

In 2012, UNDP DDR continued to work closely with various national and international NGOs and CBOs in the implementation of the programme and the provision of reintegration and CSAC services throughout the Central Sector, Southern Kordofan and Blue Nile. These included the Charitable Organization for Rehabilitation and Development (CORD), the Humanitarian Aid and Development (HAD), the Nuba Mountains International Association for Development (NMIAD), Friends for Peace and Development (FPDO), Islamic Relief Agency (ISRA), the Near East Foundation (NEF) the International Relief and Development (IRD), Save the Children Sweden (SCS), Abrar, Sudia, etc. Implementing partners were also provided with training on monitoring and evaluation guidelines, proposal writing, reporting, psychosocial support, counselling, reintegration and in cross cutting issues such as gender and HIV. Further, contracted NGOs participated in contract management workshops, which helped enhance their capacity in the provision of reintegration services, procurement, monitoring and evaluation and financial management.

Donors

On 2nd February, 2012, SDDRC in coordination with UNDP organized a Project Executive Board meeting to provide an update to donors on reintegration and CSAC progress under the Sudan DDR Programme and to also seek project board members approval to extend the project's timeframe beyond 30 June 2012. Representatives from Japan, Norway, Spain, the Netherlands, DFID, Canada and Germany attended the meeting. In view of the instabilities experienced in the transitional areas, which significantly affected progress of activities, donors have agreed to extend the duration of the project until the end of December 2012. Based on this extension, new contracts with Implementing Partners were signed and activities are now progressing in BNS, SKS and the Central Sector. This extension will also help facilitate the transition to a new approach (community based approach) which is currently under discussion with stakeholders. No-cost extensions of individual donor agreements were pursued in the second quarter as a follow-up to the Project Board decision on 2nd February 2012.

Another key event during the first quarter was the donor visit to Blue Nile State organized by UNDP and SDDRC on 14th March 2012. This was a hallmark achievement as it was the first time diplomatic personnel allowed to enter Blue Nile State since the outbreak of conflict in September 2011. Participants including the Ambassador of Norway, as well as senior diplomats from the Embassies of Japan, Spain, Canada, DFID and Germany. The visit was successful in showcasing success stories of individual XCs and also included a visit to Roseries locality to inaugurate the health clinic constructed in Zindia village as part of a social reintegration component. The clinic will be jointly managed by the State Ministry of Health and the community. There was also a photo exhibition displaying the work and achievements of the Sudan DDR Programme in Blue Nile State. The achievements were result of the strong collaboration of 14 implementing partners, the state DDR commission, and the UNDP DDR in Blue Nile State.

Government Bodies

In BNS, partnership with the State Ministry of Health was strengthened as a result of the continuous collaboration with the DDR Programme in support for PWDs, psychosocial support under the BCPR project (completed in 2011) and the Zindia health clinic project. In all instances, support from the State Ministry of Health with respect to the provision of personnel, medical equipment and psychological

screening services, was significant in ensuring sustainability and national ownership of activities. Another collaboration continued with the state Ministry of Social Welfare and Zakat Chamber for the facilitation of various services for PWDs including the provision of health insurance for free in BNS.

In relation to the assessment to Tadamon Locality in BNS, UNDP also started information exchange with Water and Environmental Sanitation (WES) BNS.

UNDP also signed memorandums of understanding (MoU) with the Ministry of Infrastructure in White Nile State for collaboration on the water filtration project to be implemented in Q3.

UNDP also continued to work closely with SDDRC and has held several meetings with SDDRC senior management and specialized staff to discuss activities pertinent to MIS, Gender, CSAC, PI, reintegration, monitoring and fundraising. This also includes a meeting held between SDDRC Commissioner, Dr. Sualfeldeen Saleh and the UN Resident Coordinator, Mr. Ali Al Za'tari, to discuss the direction of the DDR programme and fundraising opportunities.

Through the Regional Conference on SALW, UNDP enhanced partnership with SDDRC and the Ministry of Interior (MoI) and will continue its engagement in the follow-up activities.

Private Sector

One of the key recommendations of the Programme Review in December 2010 and which the Sudan DDR programme strived to achieve in 2011 and 2012, is enhancing partnership with the private sector in order to promote sustainable reintegration and ensure that the economic packages offered to XCs are responsive to the market dynamics in Sudan. In particular, the programme is pursuing pilot initiatives on value chains, business development services, and micro-finance support within the existing project framework. Value chain implementation consultancy is ongoing with PACT to implement two value chain projects. In Khartoum there is a dairy production value chain and in North Kordofan a sheep rearing value chain, both of which are currently being pursued through Vet-Care organization (responsible party contracted by UNDP). The initiative is being supported by PACT and the programme has managed to create, organize and link two groups of XCs working in sheep rearing in North Kordofan to micro-financing company (Sudan Rural Development Finance Company - SRDC). The two groups are also linked with livestock routs company (LRC) for logistical support, water services and marketing support. The two groups once successeed in accessing micro financing, will establish a new era of group financing in Sudan as it will be the first time for the use insurance of the financing as a collateral together with the group guarantees.

On the other hand PACT has finalized a Business Development Services study, that helped identify and train potential service providers who can act sustainably to facilitate access of small businesses and enterprises to financing services. Vet care and Sudia are the local actors with capacity, interest and went through the rigorous process of evaluation and capacity building to prepare them to adopt and put BDS concept into practice.

UN Agencies

UNDP DDR and the Joint Conflict Reduction Programme (JCRP) alongside SDDRC and local NGO, Sudia, are joining efforts to implement an intensive public outreach and radio campaign in Southern Kordofan state and Khartoum in Q3 to sensitise communities on peace-building, reconciliation, the repudiation of violence and the dangers of small arms and light weapons (SALW).

Regional Partners

On 22-23 May 2012, a regional conference on small arms and light weapons' control was held, including participants from Sudan's neighbouring countries: the Central African Republic, Chad, the Democratic Republic of Congo and Libya. Participants have agreed to improve their cooperation through the creation of a regional mechanism to control the proliferation of small arms and light weapons. UNDP played a significant role by providing technical and financial support to the conference, and is also a member of the follow-up committee. UNDP's Bureau for Crisis Prevention and Recovery (BCPR) supported the conference by sending a SALW Specialist to assist with drafting of the declaration and concept papers on follow-up activities. As a result of this initiative, UNDP was recognized in the Khartoum Declaration as the first supporter of the follow-up mechanism and SALW control activities as entrusted by government of Sudan and partners, thereby strategically positioning UNDP in the regional SALW control landscape.

National Media

Establishing synergies with national media was also pursued in quarter one, where in March the first annual *Public Information Best Practices and Lessons Learned Workshop* was held by SDDRC and UNDP DDR's Public Information teams. The workshop brought together some of the most prominent media representatives in Sudan including public information focal points from different NGOs, television, radio, newspaper, and non-traditional forms of media. Participants collaborated on constructing new synergies for better interaction and coverage of the DDR Programme activities and have jointly agreed on plotting the way forward. Discussions at the workshop also helped identify and address strengths and weaknesses in both SDDRC and UNDP public information programming, while gaining support from the media on the common goal of promoting appropriate messages and sensitization in Sudan. Questions on how to best achieve a robust relationship between the DDR programme and the many different types of media and communications houses in the country led to some very positive responses, with the conclusion that maintaining a joint forum that meets regularly to disseminate information and clarify programmatic changes is a necessity.

VI. Financial Summary

1. Overview of available resources

Funds received from Donors since start of the project

Donor	In US\$
Italy	\$3,873,263
Japan	\$26,804,294
DFID	\$9,943,394
Norway *	\$7,808,481
Sida	\$5,404,886
Netherlands	\$3,000,000
CIDA	\$9,030,342
Peace Building Fund (PBF)	\$4,680,010
Spain	\$5,538,606
Total Funds Received:	\$76,083,277

* This includes funds from Norway (NOK 4.5 million; or USD 759,109) that are meant specifically for CSAC

Available Resources for 2012

	Amount
Overall Allocation	\$76,083,277
Expenditures 2009	\$9,580,754
Expenditures 2010	\$22,115,819
Expenditure 2011	\$20,876,470
Available Resources for 2012	\$23,510,234

2. Overview of allocations and expenditures per output/activity

Budget	Total Expenses*
1,019,985.00	281,271
2,949,834.00	876,329
89,180.00	108,505
18,790,764.00	4,645,463
1,267,401.00	250,647
-	6,162,215
-	8,973,095
-	170,810
24,117,164	15,306,120
	1,019,985.00 2,949,834.00 89,180.00 18,790,764.00 1,267,401.00 - - - -

*Provisional figures

3. Overview of Expenditures

Peace Building Fund Contribution Status as of 30 June 2012

Description	Receipts US \$	Expenses US \$
	4,680,010	
Less: Expenses		
2011 Expenses		4,254,749
Jan - June 2012 Expenses (Provisional)		
CAPACITY DEVLP	46,969	
MANAGEMENT	7,095	
PUBLIC AWARENES	927	
REINTEGRATION	77,740	
Total Expenses		132,732
Total Commitments up to June 2012		3,127
Total Expenses		4,390,607
Balance:		289,403

Annex I: Annual Workplan for 2012

Project output and project #	Key Activities	Time	eframe			Budget	2012			
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Resp. party	Donor	Account Code	Budget Description	Amount
Output 1: Economic reintegration support provided for demobilized ex-combatants in Blue Nile, South Kordofan and Central Sector States. Indicators: (1) Number of ex-combatants and special needs groups participating in reintegration activities in Blue Nile , South Kordofan and Central Sector States including Khartoum State. (2) % of male and female participants that report successful	 BNS and SKS brought forward from 2011 is completed. 1.2 Provision of reintegration support and recommended follow-up services to participants. ful 		x	×		DDRC		72100	POs raised in the system in 2011	-
 individual reintegration support in client-satisfaction surveys. Baseline: Baseline: By end of 2011, 36,254 combatants were demobilized in the protocol areas of which 10,954 have been reintegrated and living civilian lives in the communities (4) Client satisfaction survey conducted in six localities in Blue Nile state and five 	Activity Result 2: Reintegration process for 4,450 participants in the Central Sector completed: 2.1 Deliver referral, registration, training and reintegration packages (agriculture tools,livestock, small business items etc to participants. 2.2. Provide required follow-up services to support the reintegration process of DDR participants	x	x	x		DDRC		72100	POs for Central Sector raised in the system in December 2011	-
localities in Southern Kordofan state by independent field monitors found on average over 70 % of participants satisfied with	Activity Result 3. Reintegration support for 7,234 additional participants in SKS and BNS completed 3.1 Sign contracts with IPs for the provision of reintegration support	x	x	x		DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	72100	Contracts for Xcs and PWDs	8, 234,836

 their reintegration support. 2012 Targets (2) 20,501 ex-combatants participating in reintegration activities⁷: a. 16,051 ex-combatants in SKS and BNS b. 4,450 ex-combattants in the Central Sector 	services including PWDs. 3.2. Deliver referral, registration, training and packages in the form of tools, livestock, small business items etc. to participants. 3.3. Provide required follow-up services to support the reintegration process of DDR participants								
(3) At least 70 % of DDR participants in the client satisfaction survey administered in the in protocol/transitional areas are successful reintegrated and satisfied with the services provided by the programme.	Activity Result 4. Reintegration process for the new caseload of 4,162 in accessible and inaccessible areas in South Kordofan initiated 4.1 Select implementing partners to provide reintegration support for 4,162 XCs 4.2. Provide reintegration support services. 4.3 Deliver referral, registration, training and start -up capital in the form of tools, sheep, grocery etc. to participants. 4.4. Provide required follow-up services to support the reintegration process of DDR participants in Kordofan; 4.5. Organize two training workshops for SDDRC and IPs how to provide sustainable livelihoods support	x	x	x	SDDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	72100	Contracts for new caseload in SKS & two workshops (USD 5,000 each) for SDDRC, IPs,	6, 243,000

⁷ A balance caseload of 4 799 ex-combatants is unfunded and not included in this AWP. Of that number 2 268 XCs are in the Central Sector, while the remaining 2 531 are mostly in inaccessible areas in Southern Kordofan State. Discussions with funding partners and government counterparts are ongoing how to address the issue.

Activit Inform sensiti: reinteg 5.1: Pr produc video r etc) 5.2: Or better expect:	Information ty Result 5 : Public nation messages and ization on economic gration disseminated roduce public information cts (posters, fact sheets, materials, TV & radios PSAs, rganize outreach activities to inform and manage tations of DDR participants in c and CS States.	x	x	x		DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	75700	Production of Media Materials and workshops(PI)	2,000
Activity econor	oring and Evaluation ty Result 6: Individual mic reintegration and IP mance during different stage	x	х				Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	61300	Technical Support including contracts	1,850, 528
DDR pa 6.1. En mecha functio regiona 6.2 Org spot ch	ategration of male female articipants monitored. Insure the monitoring anism at place and oning at the state and al levels ganize regular field visits, heck visits and regular es on IPs project performance	x	x	x	x	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway,	71400	Technical Support	480, 097
satisfa SK stat	ty Result 7: One client action survey each in BN and tes conducted. repare questionnaires			x	x		Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	71600	Travel	50,000
surveys	onduct client perception rs in accessible areas in South fan and Blue Nile States		x	Х			Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway	74500	Insurance, Bank charges and Sundry	10,000
							Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	73500	Stationery and Publications	40,000
							Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	73400	Vehicle maintenance & fuel	12,000

						Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	74100	Capacity Assessment 7 % GMS	4,000
	Subtotal for project output 1								18,111,313
Output 2: Social reintegration support and community security and small arms control projects in prioritized areas of SK, BN and CS States implemented.	CSAC Activities Activity result 1: 7 gender responsive CSAC projects in prioritized areas of the Blue Nile, Southern Kordofan and Central Sector States identified and	x	x	x	DDRC, MOI				
Indicators: (1) At least 5 Community Security and Small Arms Control projects are implemented (1 Sennar (Mazmum), 1 White Nile (Wad Abkaraia), 1 North Kordofan (Wad Banda), 2 Blue Nile (Tadamon and	implemented. 1.1. Organize participatory meetings with community members and leaders to identify and select community security projects in target communities in BNS, SKS and Central Sector.								
Roseires) and 2 South Kordofan (Lagawa and Abujubeiha) (2) At 50 % of WAAFG , PWDs and other special needs groups	1.2. Identify and contract IPs to implement 7 CSAC projects with soft& hard components in BNS, SKS, CS ⁸	x	x		DDRC, M0I	Japan, Norway	72100,74200	Contracts with IPs on CSAC and PI materials, outreach and sensitization.	940, 000
provided with psychosocial and other social reintegration support (3) At least 3 best practices and lessons learnt as the result of implementation of Social Reintegration and CSAC projects documented.	Social Reintegration and Psychosocial Support Activity Result 2: Social reintegration and psychosocial support for special needs groups including WAAFG and Women participants identified and implemented.	x	x		DDRC, MOI		72100	IP Contracts	575, 000

⁸ Soft component activities are mainly related to trainings of peace committees, capacity development, awareness raising and sensitization etc. whereas hard component mainly relates to the construction of physical infrastructure and civil works that benefits large community members aimed at addressing the root causes of arms proliferation and conflict.

	2.1. Training of training of the	1 1	1 1	I	I	l	
Baseline:	2.1 -Training of trainers on 10 topic						
1) 4 CSAC field projects were	civic education package in SKS						
initiated (2 in South Korodan	2.2 Training of 2200 DDR						
(Julud and Alhamra) and 2 in Blue	participants and female civilians						
Nile (Kurmuk and Roseires), Three	using community based approach						
CSAC projects were suspended	on civic education package, value						
due to conflicts.	chain and private sector						
	development in SKS and Central						
2012 Targets:	Sector.						
(1) 7 CSAC projects implemented	2.3 Training of Trainers on Literacy						
in target communities in BNS. SKS	Reflect method						
and CS. (1 Sennar (Mazmum), 1	2.4 Training of 400 women in						
White Nile (Wad Abkaraia), 1	literacy skills using REFLECT method						
North Kordofan (Wad Abkarala), 1	2.5 Training of Trainers in food						
Blue Nile (Tadamon and Roseires)	processing						
and 2 South Kordofan (Lagawa	2.6 Training of 400 women in food						
and Abujubeiha).	processing skills						
	2.7 Peace building days in selected						
(2) At least 5 communities and	communities for women to						
300 DDR participants benefitted	showcase skills gained and support						
from various social reintegration	social cohesion building and stigma						
and psychosocial projects in	alleviation						
South Kordofaan and Central	2.8 Women's Community Projects						
Sector including North Kordofan	in Central Sector:						
and Khartoum States.	-Training of 60 One Man Can peer						
(3) At least 5 best practices and	educators (GBV/RH/HIV)						
lessons learnt reported and	- Supporting GBV prevention						
documented.	outreach through discussion						
	groups, community action plans,						
	open days, radio programmes,						
	drama, skit, folklore						
	-Training women in civic education						
	topics						
	-Supporting organization of 3						
	women's committees and providing						
	them with capacity development						
ļ	and organization skill						

Monitoring and PublicInformationActivity Result 3: Monitoring andPublic Information Campaign onCSAC and Social Reintegrationimplemented.3.1 Organize monitoring visits totarget communities to measureimpact of social reintegration andCSAC interventions to ensure 'dono harm' principle3.2 Produce of informationproducts (posters, fact sheets,video materials, TV & radios, PSAetc.) and outreach activities tobetter inform communities aboutDDR and CSAC	x	x	x	x	DDRC, MOI	Japan, Norway	74200	IP Contracts	105, 000
3.3 Organize 1-2 field visits and 1 training on DDR and National Action Plan Arms and Community Security for better visibility of results for Government counterparts in the Ministry of Interior and Sudan DDR Commission.	x	x			DDRC, MOI	Japan, Norway	75700	NAP (three) workshops	30, 000
3.4 Organize Nuba Wrestling 2-3 day event in SKS and BNS. These will be large-scale, sensitization opportunities to bring together tens of thousands of people to disseminate community security and small arms proliferation messages in post-conflict zones.	x	x				Netherlands	72100	One event	50, 000
Activity result 4: Lessons learnt and best practices on SR and CSAC documented and disseminated	x	x			DDRC, MOI	Japan, Norway	71600	Media events and trips	10,000
4.1. Discuss and disseminate best practices and lessons learnt on social reintegration and CSAC among the community and traditional leaders, Government							71400 71300	National staff , Local consultants for civil engineering	54, 527

	authorities and other counterparts to get feedback for future initiates and to ensure buy-in from all engaged counterparts								
	4.2 Organize 3 workshops CSAC/Social Reintegration workshops for State and Community Leaders (1 Central Sector, 1 Blue Nile and 1 South Kordofan on lessons learned from CSAC field project and disseminate manual and five lessons learned reports on implementation of CSAC strategy and Small Arms Control National Action Plan at the national and state levels	x	x		DDRC, M0I	Japan, Norway	71600	Travel	15,000
							75100	GMS	124,567
	Subtotal for project output 2								1,904,094
Output 3: Capacity of national partners of the DDR programme to implement nationally-owned DDR programme strengthened. <u>Indicators:</u> 1. Number of manuals, guidance notes and SOPs institutionalized within the SDDRC and revised; 2. Number of reports generated through DREAM/MIS by SDDRC.	Capacity Development Support to SDDRC and Implementing Partners Activity result 1: Technical and management capacities of SDDRC and State DDRCs strengthened 1.1Conduct at least one training for the SDDRC HQ and State DDRC staff to improve the use of the developed tools/manuals(gender, HIV, RH, GBV, PWD)	x	x	x	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	75700	Training workshops	18,000
3. Number of national NGOs implementing DDR activities trained and contracted.	1.2. Provide skills training on financial and contract management practices for national implementation.	x	x		DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	75700	Two Review workshops	10, 000
Baseline: 1.Reintegration SoP, M&E guidelines and IP guidance note , CSAC Strategy available to implement the DDR programme. DREAM SoP institutionalized at	1.3. Conduct workshops on programme management, HR management and organizational development for senior management of the SDDRC (including State Level Management Staff0	x	x	×	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	71600	1 programme mgmt. training, consultant, contracts, and Travel	40,000

SDDRC. 2. 10 reports produced annually 3. 30 national NGOs engaged directly with UNDP DDR programme <u>2013 targets</u>	1.4. Conduct workshops on contract management and establish NGO Net work to enhance their delivery, monitoring and reporting capacities and exchange a lesson learnt with regard to CSAC, Social Reintegration, Gender and HIV.	x	x	X	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	75700	IP staff training conduct (2)Workshops and surveys	30,000
 Programme operational guidelines, MIS SoP, Knowledge management guidelines. M&E guidelines, psychosocial reintegration SOP etc. revised At least 50 reports generated annually At least 35 national NGOs contracted and engaged in reintegration activities in the protocol areas and Central Sector States 	Activity Result 2: Improvise state office connectivity and harmonize Management Information System (MIS). 2.1. Support data management and connectivity of the SDDRC through streamlining the MIS and provision of trainings (10) on information management and knowledge management tools to SDDRC staff members.	x	x	x	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	72100	10 MIS , trainings, Contracts for Communication equipment	30, 000 20, 000
	Activity Result 3: Technical capacity provided to central and state Offices as well as to NGO Implementing Partners 3.1. Based on capacity assessment conducted (2011) of the State DDR commissions, develop staffing plan for Commission Offices of BNS, SKS and Central Sector states 3.2. Provide three national support staff on secondment to the State DDR Commissions.	x	x	x	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PB	61300, 71500 71400	 1) Trainings, Assessments etc. 2) International staff and UNVs (3) National staff 	700, 000 100, 256
	3.3 .Provide training to IPs (M&E and reporting) to ensure timely delivery of services to DDR participants	x	x	x	DDRC	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	72200	Equipment and furniture, travel	5,000
	3.4 Conduct assessments and at least 2 training workshops (contract management and lessons learned)		Х	x		Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway,	71400	Training workshops National Staff	24,000

	for 45 Implementing Partners					PBF			
						Canada, Spain, Neth, Japan, Norway, PBF	72400	Pl Materials	50,000
								GMS 7 %	71,908
	Subtotal for project output 3								1,099,165
Project output 4: Operational, technical and management support for UNDP and SDDRC	Operational Support for Programme Implementation at the National and State Level	x	x	x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway,	62300 71500,71400	International staff and UNVs	1,070, 000
State offices for programme implementation provided <u>Baseline:</u>	Activity Result 1: Programme Implementation and Office Operational support					PBF		National staff	600, 000
 By the end of 2011, UNDP DDR project office is fully functional. Funds secured for 31 455 XCs out of 36 254 demobilized. 	1.1. Administrative and operational support to project staff to implement the project at the national and state level								
2012 Targets (1) Effective and efficient Staff administration and operational support guaranteed. (2) Procurement contracts approved according to agreed	1.2. Provide operational supports to project implementation at the state level: cash, transport, security, ITC and MIS, finance and administration up to 7 field and mobile offices in the North (Damazin, Kadugli, Khartoum)	x	x	x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	73100	Rent and other related to rent utilities	120,000
approved according to agreed deadlines 3) Preparations and initiation of at least one pilot project completed	1.3. Implement procurement plan for 2012 in a timely manner, through among others establishement of a contract management group to ensure close collaboration between the programme and operations units	x	×	x		Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway,	72400	Communication and IT equipment	40,000
	1.4. Provide logistic supports for audit and independent evaluation	x	x	x		Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	72500	Stationery and Publications	40,000

1.5. Inform donors and other key partners about the programme progress engaging them into solution of issues/challenges	x	x	x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	75700	Two Workshops and trainings	20,000
1.6. Continue implementation of the resource mobilization strategy, ensuring timely submission of the donor reports and identifying and approaching perspective funding sources	x	x	x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	72800	Reporting and IT Equipment	20,000
1.7. Conduct SDDR Programme Evaluation			x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	71300	Travel and Consultancy	30, 000
Activity Result 2: Procurement arrangements for completion of remaining caseload in State offices completed.	x	x			Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	72200	Equipment and furniture	20,000
2.1 Prepare and announce for RFPs/CFPs and selection of IPs	x	x			Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	73400	Contracts, Vehicle maintenance & fuel	120,000
Activity Result 3: New project document developed		x	x	x	Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	71600	Travel & DSA	40,000
					Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	73500	Operational field support	100,000
					Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	74100	Audit	6,000
					Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	74300	Contribution to CS(cost sharing)	500,000
					Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	71300	LTA for translation	30,000

				Canada, Spain, Netherlands, Japan, Norway, PBF	74500	Insurance, Bank charges and Sundry	10,200
						7% GMS	193, 635
	Subtotal for project output 4						\$2,959,835
TOTAL DIRECT COSTS							\$22,499,445
TOTAL INDIRECT COSTS							\$1,574,962
GRAND TOTAL							\$24,074,407