

United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office (PBSO)/ Peacebuilding Fund (PBF)

<p>Project Title: Rehabilitation Pilot Project for High Risk Prisoners in the Baidoa Prison</p>	<p>Recipient UN Organization(s): UNOPS</p>
<p>Project Contact: Francis A.K.Benon Address: Joint Justice and Corrections Section Rule of Law and Security Institutions Group (ROLSIG) United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia (UNSOM) Mogadishu, Somalia Telephone: cell: +252 (0) 699 390 295 Somalia +252 (0) 619 988 109 Somalia E-mail: benonf@un.org</p>	<p>Implementing Partner(s)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finn Church Aid (NGO) • Center for Research and Dialogue (NGO) • ISWA Ministry of Justice <p>Project Location: Baidoa, Somalia</p>
<p>Project Description: <i>One sentence describing the project's scope and focus.</i> The Baidoa Rehabilitation project is a pilot project to design and test in Somalia a broadly acceptable</p>	<p>Total Project Cost: \$331,789 Peacebuilding Fund: \$331,789 Government Contribution: N/A Other: N/A</p>

<p>rehabilitation programme for convicted Al Shabaab prisoners in the Baidoa prison. The project will build on lessons learnt to review and devise appropriate approaches to counter violent extremism among convicted offenders. The proposed project approach will target the underlying causes of Al Shabaab extremism through religious counseling in order to provide a more positive understanding of Islam, civic education, and psychosocial healing in order to enhance a sense of citizenship, generate a greater understanding of the Federal Government of Somalia state building processes, and address feelings such as low self-esteem that may have contributed to violent extremism among offenders. An evaluation of the project will be done to assess the scope for scaling-up as a national rehabilitation programme for Somalia.</p>	<p>Proposed Project Start Date: September 2015 Proposed Project End Date: April 2016 Total duration (in months)¹: 8 months</p>
<p>Gender Marker Score²: 2 <i>Score 3 for projects that have gender equality as a principal objective.</i> <i>Score 2 for projects that have gender equality as a significant objective.</i> <i>Score 1 for projects that will contribute in some way to gender equality, but not significantly.</i> <i>Score 0 for projects that are not expected to contribute noticeably to gender equality.</i></p>	
<p>Project Outcomes: Delivery of an evidence based approach for the handling of convicted Al-Shabaab members in the Baidoa prison to inform the design of a potential scaled up National Rehabilitation programme.</p>	
<p>PBF Focus Areas³ which best summarizes the focus of the project (<i>select one</i>): 1.2 Rule of Law</p>	

¹ The maximum duration of an IRF project is 18 months.

² PBSO monitors the inclusion of gender equality and women's empowerment all PBF projects, in line with SC Resolutions 1325, 1888, 1889, 1960 and 2122, and as mandated by the Secretary-General in his Seven-Point Action Plan on Gender Responsive Peacebuilding.

³ PBF Focus Areas are:

1: Support the implementation of peace agreements and political dialogue (Priority Area 1):

(1.1) SSR, (1.2) RoL; (1.3) DDR; (1.4) Political Dialogue;

2: Promote coexistence and peaceful resolution of conflicts (Priority Area 2):

(2.1) National reconciliation; (2.2) Democratic Governance; (2.3) Conflict prevention/management;

3: Revitalise the economy and generate immediate peace dividends (Priority Area 3);

(3.1) Employment; (3.2) Equitable access to social services




4) (Re)-establish essential administrative services (Priority Area 4)

(4.1) Strengthening of essential national state capacity; (4.2) extension of state authority/local administration; (4.3) Governance of peacebuilding resources (including JSC/ PBF Secretariats)

Acronyms

AMISOM	African Union Mission in Somalia
CRD	Center for Research and Dialogue
FCA	Finn Church Aid
FGS	Federal Government of Somalia
IDLO	International Development Law Organisation
IOM	International Organization for Migration
ISWA	Interim South West Administration
JJCS	Joint Justice and Corrections Section
NISA	National Intelligence and Security Agency
ROLSIG	Rule of Law and Security Institutions Group
SWISA	South West Intelligence and Security Agency
SNA	Somali National Army
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Rights & Emergency Relief Organisation
UNMPTF	United Nations Multi-Partner Trust Fund
UNOPS	United Nations Office for Project Services
UNSOM	United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia

IRF PROJECT DOCUMENT

<i>(for IRF-funded projects)</i>	
<p>Recipient UN Organization(s)⁴</p> <p></p> <p>Rainer Frauenfeld Country Director UNOPS Date & Seal 8 Oct. 2015.</p>	<p>Representative of National Authorities</p> <p>-----</p> <p>H.E. Abdullahi Ahmed Jama Minister of Justice, Federal Government of Somalia Date & Seal</p>
<p>Peacebuilding Support Office (PBSO)</p> <p></p> <p>-----</p> <p>Oscar Fernandez-Toranzo Assistant Secretary-General for Peacebuilding Support Peacebuilding Support Office, UN, New York Date & Seal</p>	<p>Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary General (DSRSG)</p> <p></p> <p>-----</p> <p>Peter de Clercq DSRSG, RC, HC Mogadishu, Somalia Date & Seal</p>

⁴ Please include signature block for each RUNO receiving funds under this IRF.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL,
RESIDENT AND HUMANITARIAN COORDINATOR FOR SOMALIA

DATE: 10 August 2015

REFERENCE: RCHC/LT/015/051

Oscar

Dear Mr Fernández-Taranco,

In support of the two funding proposals to the Immediate Response Facility (IRF) of the Peacebuilding Fund, one to co-fund the *Somalia Joint Rule of Law Programme* and the other for the *Baidoa Rehabilitation Project*, please find enclosed the signature page of the Joint Rule of Law Programme document, which is co-funded through the UN Multi-Partner Trust Fund for Somalia (UN MPTF). This document attests to an endorsement by the Federal Government of Somalia for both programmes.

The UN MPTF is the mechanism through which donors channel their funding for UN programmes that have been endorsed by the Steering Committee of the Somalia Development and Reconstruction Facility (SDRF). In August 2014, the Committee endorsed the Joint Rule of Law Programme in principle. It approved the full programme document, covering both sets of activities contained in the aforementioned IRF proposals, in March 2015. This culminated in a signing ceremony held in Mogadishu on 17 June 2015, in the presence of the Minister of Justice, H.E. Abdullahi Ahmed Jama, the heads of UN implementing agencies (FAO, ILO, UNDP, UN-Habitat, UNICEF, UNODC, UNOPS, UNSOM and UN Women), and my predecessor, DSRSG Philippe Lazzarini, each of whom signed the programme document.

I am pleased that the Peacebuilding Fund is considering support to these two rule of law interventions in Somalia, a sector that is the cornerstone for our collective efforts to rebuild peace and foster stability. Both programmes are key components of UN support to Peacebuilding and State-building Goals 2 and 3 (on security and justice, respectively), of the New Deal Compact for Somalia.

I look forward to a positive response from the Peacebuilding Fund. In the meantime, my office is available to answer questions on either funding proposal.

Yours sincerely,



Peter de Clercq

Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary-General
Resident and Humanitarian Coordinator for Somalia



Mr Oscar Fernández-Taranco
Assistant Secretary-General for Peacebuilding Support

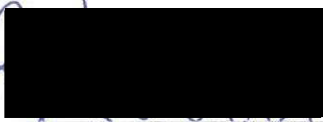




Short description of the Somalia Joint Rule of Law Programme

The Somalia Joint Rule of Law Programme is designed to support the Federal Government of Somalia (FGS) in achieving the Somali Compact Peace-building and State-building Goals (PSGs) 2 Security (Policing component) and 3 Justice. The Programme is founded on the Somalia Rule of Law Programme Priorities which were developed by the PSG 2 and 3 Working Groups and endorsed by the Somali Development and Reconstruction Facility (SDRF) Steering Committee on 31 August 2014 as a thematic priority for part of the initial funding pipeline for the UN Multi Partner Trust Fund (UN MPTF). The Programme adopts the thematic approach of rule of law support to police, justice and corrections and builds on previous support provided to rule of law, including the ongoing support to the payment of police stipends. In accordance with the United Nations Somalia Integrated Strategic Framework 2014 – 2016 signed on 29 October 2014 the programme also represents a joint approach by the United Nations Mission in Somalia (UNSOM) and the UN Country Team to strengthen collaboration, focus and coherence to support the implementation of the Somalia Rule of Law Programme Priorities. The Programme involves nine UN partners, four participating UN Agencies in the Programme directly receiving funds (UNDP, UNICEF, UNODC, UNOPS); UNSOM involved in joint implementation and management, and joint implementation for specific activities (UNWOMEN, IOM, UNFPA and UN-HCR). In accordance with the Compact’s Special Arrangement for Somaliland separate work-plans for Police and Justice & Corrections and the associated results framework are included.

Programme Duration: 18 months Start Date: 1 July 2015 End Date: 31 December 2016	Total amount: USD 66,716,763 (including stipends) Sources of funding: 1. Somalia UN MPTF USD 39,751,700
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Names and signatures of national counterparts and Participating UN Organizations

Participating UN Organizations: UN Philippe Lazzarini, Deputy SRSG / UN Resident Coordinator / UNDP Resident Representative  Signature: _____ Date and Seal 17/06/15	National Coordinating Authorities: Ministry of Justice Abdullahi Ahmed Jama, Minister  Signature: _____ Date and Seal 17/06/15
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<p>UNSOM <i>Raisedon Zenenga, Deputy SRSG</i></p> <p>Signature:  Date and Seal: <u>17/6/2015</u></p>	<p>Ministry of Internal Security <i>Abdirisak Omar Mohamed, Minister</i></p> <p>Signature:  Date and Seal: <u>17/06/2015</u></p>
<p>UNICEF <i>Steven Lauwerier, Representative</i></p> <p>Signature:  Date and Seal: <u>2/7/2015</u></p>	
<p>UNODC <i>José Vila del Castillo, Regional Representative</i></p> <p>Signature:  Date and Seal: <u>21/7/15</u></p>	
<p>UNOPS <i>Rainer Frauenfeld, Director</i></p> <p>Signature:  Date and Seal: <u>17/6/15</u></p>	

