



## JOINT PROGRAMME<sup>1</sup> DOCUMENT - AMENDED

**Programme Title:** Joint Programme on Enablers

PSG No and title: n/a

PSG priority:Compact widePSG milestone:Compact wide

Overall strategic objective of the JP:

To enable safe, coordinated, transparent and gender sensitive delivery of international assistance throughout Somalia , in support of all PSG priorities and milestones,

Joint Programme Outcome:

Coordinated, transparent, gender sensitive and safe delivery of international assistance throughout Somalia

Programme Duration:12 months	Total amount: USD 5,969,708
Start Date: September 2015 End Date: August 2016	Sources of funding: 1.Somalia UN MPTF USD 5,969,708 2. Other sources of funding:
	Government USD     UN Organization USD     UN Organization USD

## Short description of the Joint Programme

The Joint Programme on Enablers brings together activities implemented by the Resident Coordinator Office (RCO), the Risk Management Unit (RMU), the UN Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS) and UN Women, to enable the UN system and the international community to implement their respective mandates throughout Somalia. Through the provision of coordination, risk management, security services, and gender focused analytical support, these three Enabling units facilitate the delivery of humanitarian, development, and peacebuilding assistance across all 5 PSGs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The term "Joint Programme" also refers to Projects.

# Names and signatures of national counterparts and Participating UN Organizations

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## Joint Programme Document

## 1. Executive Summary

This Joint Programme presents the objectives, services, and resource requirements of three UN offices (the Resident Coordinator's Office (RCO), the Risk Management Unit (RMU), and the Department for Safety and Security (DSS) and UN Women(hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Enablers") that provide enabling services to the entire UN family and the international community working in and on Somalia.

This Joint Programme is a \$6.1 million bridging programme covering a period of one year, so as to ensure that the services provided by the Enablers are allowed to continue, as discussions continue on more predictable and sustainable funding streams for a number of services mentioned in this Joint Programme.

The Joint Programme has been developed on the basis of consultations within the UN and with donors. The Joint Programme is based on detailed business plans that have been respectively developed for each enabling office and UN Women's Strategic Note.

The main imperatives that have informed the content of this programme document are:

- 1. The need to retain key common services to the UN in Somalia and the international community.
- 2. The need to ensure a coherent and coordinated international community engagement across all of Somalia.
- 3. The need to **ensure safety and security** of staff in Somalia is preserved
- 4. The need to **ensure robust risk management** for effective and accountable assistance.
- 5. The need to ensure gender sensitive interventions across all PSGs in Somalia

The Joint Programme is implemented by UNDP for DSS projects and the RCO, by UN Women, and by UNOPS for the RMU.

#### 2. Situation Analysis

The UN in Somalia has decades of experience delivering assistance in one of the world's most complex and challenging environments. The UN has adapted its systems to support the political and socio-economic transition the country is currently undertaking.

This transition is on-going and the positive narrative in the making remains fraught with challenges. Over the coming years, Somalia will need to reach several key milestones, on political, security and socio-economic fronts. More than ever, during this pivotal phase, the country needs the concerted efforts of the international community to strengthen its capacity, deliver basic services to all its citizens, re-establish countrywide security, solidify the rule of law and governance structures and respond to any emerging humanitarian crises. And in light of the many obstacles faced by Somali women, a gender lens must be genuinely and consistently applied across all political, security, and socio-economic efforts, if Somalia's transition is to be inclusive, and therefore sustainable.

In this context and in light of the Federal Government of Somalia's (FGS) expectations for coherent and comprehensive development, humanitarian and political support, the UN has to deliver its programmes in an increasingly cost effective, flexible and coordinated manner, whilst ensuring the safety and security of staff and maximizing opportunities that services and support reach intended beneficiaries. A coordinated and coherent UN approach across states and regions is an imperative, including in Somaliland where the political dynamics and operational environment require a range of UN entities to engage directly with the authorities.

To support and strengthen the delivery of UN services and ensure that such support has the requisite gender focus, the UN has, globally, instituted several agencies and offices to support the UN – and the international community, in achieving concrete results to support countries in conflict, post-conflict, and development stages. UN Women, the RCO, UNDSS, the RMU comprise four of these enabling agencies or offices. Across the world, they are instrumental in ensuring a coherent and results-focused UN. In Somalia, given the present security, access, and political challenges, which, to this day, remain unique, these enabling offices are fundamental to any UN Somalia programme that wishes to operate effectively outside of Nairobi, and in manner that is coordinated, transparent, gender focused and safe. In addition to providing support to the UN, these offices, to a large extent, enable member states and international NGOs to access and work effectively in Somalia.

## 3. Strategies, including lessons learned, and the proposed joint programme

The Joint Programme includes four components:

- Activities implemented by the UN Resident Coordinator's Office (RCO)
- Activities implemented by the UN Risk Management Unit (RMU)
- Projects implemented by the UN Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS)
- Activities implemented by UN Women

The following section presents the three units and UN Women, their functions and the strategies.

#### UN Resident Coordinator's Office

The RCO is a coordination service provider, designed to enable greater effectiveness, efficiency and transparency of international development interventions in Somalia.

The clients for the RCO's services are diverse, ranging from UN agencies and Government partners to donors and NGOs.

#### **RCO** Clients

- The RCO assists the **Resident Coordinator** by supporting and coordinating the development work of 23 UN entities, developing joint resource mobilization efforts, facilitating joint programming and providing administrative and financial services;
- The RCO provides a secretariat to the **UN Country Team (UNCT)**, support to its working groups and provides a link between UN Agencies and **UNSOM** on policy, planning and operational issues;
- The RCO provides the **Federal Government of Somalia** with technical expertise on aid coordination and cross cutting issues, arranging meetings and providing general information on the UN system;
- At a local level, the RCO supports the **Hargeisa and Garowe administrations** by providing UN representation, supporting aid coordination, and acting as single entry point for UN discussions;
- The RCO provides a coordination and information-sharing platform for **donors** and **government ministries and entities** on a range of development and Compact related issues; the Development Partners Forum (DPF), brings together UN entities, the IFIs, the Donors, and INGOs;
- The RCO works with the **World Bank** and the **African Development Bank** to support the common SDRF architecture, and design its key elements including the joint operations manual, the risk management strategy (with the RMU) and the M&E framework.

Through this Joint Programme, the RCO's strategic goal is to accelerate the translation of plans and ideas into concrete results on the ground. To achieve this strategic goal, the RCO will deliver the following four outputs:

- 1. Ensure the effective implementation of the New Deal Somali Compact;
- 2. Improve the coherence and impact of UN development interventions in Somalia;
- 3. Support effective international engagement in Somalia.
- 4. Strengthen programme management

As such, the RCO will provide the following services to the UN in Somalia and the wider international community:

Outputs	Service lines		
1. Ensure the effective implementation of the New Deal Somali Compact	<ul> <li>1.1 ISF policy and technical advice (including engagement with partners)</li> <li>1.2 MPTF administration</li> <li>1.3 Donor and NGO stewardship</li> <li>1.4 Coordination support and technical advice on cross cutting themes: Youth and Gender, M&amp;E, Aid Coordination etc.</li> </ul>		
2. Improve the coherence and the impact of the UN system in Somalia	<ul> <li>2.1 RC support/advice and representation</li> <li>2.2 UNCT support/secretariat</li> <li>2.3 Strategic Planning for the UN development agenda</li> <li>2.4 Coordination support to inter-agency initiatives and UNCT sub-groups</li> <li>2.5 Support to Joint Programming</li> <li>2.6 UN system communication</li> <li>2.7 Corporate liaison (reporting, submissions to UNSC, briefings)</li> <li>2.8 Lessons learned dissemination, including application in Somalia of global policy initiatives</li> </ul>		
3. Support effective international engagement in Somalia	<ul> <li>3.1 Support to the Development Partners Forum (DPF) for donors, International Financial Institutions (IFIs), the UN and NGOs to discuss policy issues</li> <li>3.2 Information sharing across the UN system and with donors and INGOs</li> <li>3.3 Platform for engagement by donors and INGOs with government entities, outreach, event organization, facilitation and participation in key decisions making forums across Somalia</li> <li>3.4 Conduct joint analysis to draw lessons learned from on-going engagement that can inform programming and decision-making.</li> </ul>		

#### **Risk Management Unit**

The RMU is a service provider of the UN Somalia that helps UN agencies and international partners better understand and manage the risks of operating in Somalia.

Through the development of risk management tools and services, including risk management advice and assessments, in-class training, monitoring support, and the development of the Contractor Information

*Management System (CIMS<sup>2</sup>)*, the RMU's work has resulted in greater awareness of the risks and a more open dialogue regarding risk management. Initial efforts have led to a greater level of assurance in the selection of partners, and in improved programme planning and implementation. The ability to collect and share information to identify reputable and dependable partners has reduced the scope for diversion and misappropriation. The RMU has contributed to strengthened agency due diligence processes; identified fraud and inflation of costs, uncovered undeclared links between partner entities, and led the development of approaches to collective risk identification and risk mitigation.

Through the Joint Programme, the RMU's strategic objective is to simultaneously **consolidate gains made**, and continue to **develop new and innovative service lines**, through increased engagement with partners and in response to the evolving operating environment in Somalia.

To achieve this strategic objective, the RMU will achieve the following outputs for the UN in Somalia and the wider international community:

Outputs	Service lines
Development of common approaches	The RMU will facilitate, design, and promote the adoption of common risk management standards, both within the UN, and between the UN and partners. Such standards could range from information sharing to third party monitoring and fraud reporting.
Risk assessments and analysis	The RMU's systematic approach to risk assessments allows UN agencies and other partners to request reports on contractors, which include tailored recommendations for decision-makers on managing associated risks. Such risks assessments can also be initiated directly by RMU, on the basis of developments in country, and/or information generated by the CIMS. The RMU will also introduce a new integrated risk analysis product, in collaboration with UNSOM and UNDSS, to bring together various risk factors (political, security, fiduciary/programmatic) and support a whole of UN approach to its engagement in Somalia. A dedicated integrated risk analysis position will be established, and colocated with UNSOM in Mogadishu.
Risk management advice	Upon request, the RMU will provide tailored advice on due diligence approaches and reviews of organizational processes. (including through regular travel to Somalia to engage with programmes especially delivering through LOA's to assess all risks).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The CIMS currently contains information on over 2,000 of the UN's vendors and partners and over 5,000 contracts from fourteen UN entities with a contract value of approximately USD3.6 billion. It includes lists<sup>2</sup> of designated persons and entities. It captures performance assessments, risk assessments and identifies the number and scale of contracts held by individual entities.

Monitoring	Upon request, the RMU will conduct monitoring activities on behalf of UN entities and, in some instances, donors. These activities can range from remote checks to in situ spot verifications. They are regulated by established standard operating procedures. As of 2015, RMU will seek to engage in structured, long-term agreements with interested partners, on the basis of monitoring work plans. New features will include information sharing for collaborative monitoring (e.g. mapping of monitoring activities) and the creation of a vetted roster of monitoring expertise/sources.
Training	The RMU training provides an introduction to risk management principles and practices to UN entities, donors and NGOs; in addition to class-based trainings, available upon request, an online training version will be introduced in early 2015 (following the launch of two modules as prototypes in December 2014). The RMU will also explore establishing a repository of risk management related training interventions (by whom, for whom, on what), to help with coordination and avoid duplication.
UN MPTF Risk Management support	The RMU will continue its engagement with the UN MPTF (led by the UN Resident Coordinator's Office) to design and implement a robust risk management strategy for the fund's operations. The RMU's engagement will be undertaken in collaboration with the World Bank. A dedicated UN MPTF Risk Management position will be created to deliver this service.
Database and information sharing	The CIMS will continue to be upgraded with client-driven functions and features. Partners will also be supported in customization and uploading of contractor related data. New features currently in the pipeline include the GPS mapping of contractors (location mapping), and the civil servant and ministry payment-tracking tool designed to strengthen coordination and avoid duplication in a range of financial disbursements to government entities (individual and institutional). The RMU will engage in a systematic and in-depth dialogue with partners regarding information sharing and access to the database, based on the principles of reciprocity and due regard for confidentiality.
Best practice dissemination	Over the next three years, subject to appropriate extension of the term and the funding for the RMU, the RMU will continue its collaboration with RMU Afghanistan to share features and innovations, and will provide support, as needed, to other UN offices that may establish similar units for the purposes of sharing its features, experiences and innovations. The RMU will also participate fully in a range of policy fora on risk management,

including with the UN Development Group (UNDG) inter-agency mechanism in NY and with the OECD/DAC INCAF network.

#### The UN Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS)

UNDSS is an element of the United Nations Security Management System (UNSMS), which is an UN systemwide approach to security. UNDSS provides policies, guidelines, processes, and security personnel aimed at managing security risks to the UN system in order to enable UN system activities worldwide.

UNDSS provides a range of "core services" in Somalia, which UNDSS is likely to provide in most countries including radio networks for the United Nations, security assessment and clearance, as well as ensuring MOSS<sup>3</sup> compliance. However, given the extreme security environment in Somalia, many of these core services require significantly more resources and assets than what would normally be required.

In addition to such core services, UNDSS responds to the specific needs of UN entities, bilateral partners and other actors in Somalia by providing highly specialised services and support structures including emergency medical services, a security aircraft capacity as well as a range of protected movement and static security arrangements. These services often go beyond what UNDSS would normally offer in other country contexts but reflect the very demanding and challenging security situation in Somalia.

UNDSS operates in close cooperation with AMISOM, UNSOM and UNSOA as well as with security personnel from other UN agencies and diplomatic missions.

In Somaliland and Puntland, UNDSS has established a permanent presence in major "hubs" allowing UNCT members, bilateral partners and NGOs to draw on the existing security architecture. This architecture includes radio coverage, a medical emergency response capacity, armoured cars, local security assessment and clearance capacities, liaison with local security authorities, and a critical incident stress management unit.

In the rest of Somalia, UNDSS is often first on the ground when AMISOM has liberated new areas. UNDSS undertakes the initial security assessment and clearances often utilizing UNDSS' security aircraft to fly in roving Field Security Coordination Officers. UNDSS also supports UNCT members wishing to establish themselves in these areas as well as key stakeholders wanting to visit them. When it is deemed reasonable, and always taking into account the security presence of the AMISOM, UNSOM, UNSOA as well as UN agencies, UNDSS establishes a permanent local security presence deploying international Field Security Coordination Officers who work with Local Security Assistants with a view to combine international standard and competencies with local knowledge. This presence will also include the basic security infrastructure of radio coverage, medical emergency response capacity and armoured cars.

In summary, UNDSS is a critical enabler for the activities for almost any international actor wishing to operate in Somalia. UNDSS is also often the "fall-back mechanism" meaning that if no one else is around to provide support on a security-related issue, UNDSS will step in and do so regardless of the "client" and regardless of

While a substantial amount of DSS services are covered by core funding, UN agency cost-sharing and through specific bilateral extra-budgetary support, the challenges in Somalia require for UNDSS to seek further bilateral funding for specific, much-needed, activities. The outputs (or projects) for which such extra budgetary support is required include:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Minimum Operating Security Standards

Outputs/projects	Service lines
Aircraft security	The dedicated UNDSS Security Aircraft is an asset for any remote location in Somalia for quick security response, security assessment, emergency medevac / casevac, lifesaving equipment / material/ medicines transportation including preparedness for any mandated contingencies to support staff safety and security. The flight also serves as an available asset to support the INGO and diplomatic entities if feasible and available.
Medical Emergency Response Team	UNDSS Provides emergency medical and casualty support currently in Hargeisa, Bossasso, Garowe and Galkayo in Somaliland and Puntland. The MERT team provides emergency medical services to incoming visitors until a medevac can be arranged in the absence of functioning medical facilities in these areas. The MERT team is led by a roving doctor and has nurses stationed in each location (rotating when someone is on leave) as well as high quality life-saving medical equipment and medication. The support is provided to all users at no cost and benefits all visitors to these areas. In 2015/2016, UNDSS wishes to extend this coverage to include Kismayo, Baidoa and Dollow where an increasing number of partners operate and where no alternative medical facilities of an acceptable standard are available. This will provide a much-needed emergency medical response capacity, which will significantly enhance the safety of staff deployed in these areas. The need for the Medical Emergency Response Team is reflected in the Strategic Response Plan (formerly Consolidated Appeal Process) and has been approved by the clusters as a priority for resource mobilization.
Protected Mobility	Use of Armored Vehicles (AV) is a mandatory and a key minimum operating requirement for the UN Staff travel security in whole of Somalia while most of the diplomatic partners follow through this as a minimum standard. As AVs provide the most important mitigation against most of the extant terrorist tactics, techniques and procedures, these will remain key assets for the travel security. UNDSS mobility within the country will remain highly dependent on the provisioning of AVs in short to medium terms. Annually, DSS needs to replace / add 4-6 AVs to maintain the fleet efficiency country wide.
NISA Airport Road	4 x Check Points along Mogadishu Airport Road to prevent / deter freedom of entry of AS elements on the road. Comprised of 88 NISA troops under Ministry of National Security / Interior

### UN Women

The main objective of UN Women's engagement in Somalia is to improve security for women.<sup>4</sup> It has been established that women suffer more than men from the impact of war. Given two decades of civil war and ongoing extreme fragility in Somalia, women require security in a number of areas in order to become empowered actors in society. These areas entail increased access to justice, access to political decision-making, protection from violence and abuse, as well as economic empowerment. Despite a longer period of relative stability in Somaliland, these key areas also remain a substantial challenge for women in Somaliland.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> UN Women Somalia Revised Strategic Note 2014-2016. November 2015.

As identified in its revised Strategic Note 2014-2016, UN Women Somalia focuses in particular on Political Participation and Access to Justice, given the needs as well as available funding and existing programs.

As its main approach, UN Women will focus on entering a more strategic role through increased results management related to Somalia's global commitments on gender, in particular UNSCR 1325 on Women, Peace and Security and its associated resolutions. This will take the form of increasing coordination through the Gender Theme Group (GTG), which is chaired by UN Women and UNSOM, and the establishment of a framework that allows for monitoring of results at PSG and UN MPTF level. This work has already begun through collaboration with the UN Resident Coordinators Office in the form of advice on MPTF indicators (work started in October 2015), support initiated in collaboration with UNDP/MOPIC to ensure that gender equality and women, peace and security is comprehensively addressed in the National Development Plan (work starts in January 2016) and more widely through the ongoing GTG work to establish a UN Gender Strategy and Mission Wide Action Plan as a way to enhance coordination (work started in September 2015).

UN Women has developed a framework of engagement for its enabling work, which complements UN Women's programmatic interventions, and is designed to ensure greater consideration of, and inclusion of gender focus into the work of the international community in Somalia. It consists for four related approaches:

- (i) Provide overall strategic monitoring and reporting across UN AFPs and UNSOM on global and national gender indicators, allowing Somalia to report on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Strategic monitoring will take place at PSG, MPTF and country level outcomes.
- (ii) Provide data on the State of Somali Women and Men. This aims to build capacity for data collection and analysis in Somali institutions. This work has already been initiated by UN Women and the World Bank through the UN-World Bank Trust Fund.
- (iii) Provide platforms for coordination both among UN AFPs and national partners. A platform for coordination already exists through the GTG but will be expanded by engaging closer with the humanitarian agencies and with the NGOs. A platform for Women, Peace and Security consisting of government (federal and regional), civil society and private sector partners will be established. This platform will promote the key the pillars under UNSCR 1325, in particular a focus on the promotion of women's political participation; prevention of relapse into violence through reconciliation and engagement in peace building and conflict resolution; and protection of violence against women and girls and protection of their human rights;
- (iv) Advocate for Women Peace and Security at federal and regional level through the many ongoing political process, including elections, state formation, constitutional review, and also promote attention to UNSCR 1325 and associated resolutions and CEDAW including National Gender Policies and Action Plans.

UN Women's activities under this Joint Programme are fully aligned with this framework:

Outputs	Service lines
Support to the High Level Partnership Forum (HLPF) side event on Women, Peace and Security	This side-event will be a formal kick-off for the establishment of a framework programme on Women Peace and Security with UN Women as lead and with UNSOM providing political advice and advocacy.

Support the establishment and management of strategic monitoring and results framework at PSG, MPTF and country output level on Women, Peace and Security,	These funds will go towards co-funding a P4 position and the operations of the strategic monitoring and results framework. Work here will feed into reporting on the SDGs, UNSCR 1325, and CEDAW (once it is ratified, as expected in 2016).
Establishment of a national platform for coordination on Women, Peace and Security	Consisting of civil society and private sector partners, as well as federal and regional governments (in particular security sector institutions). This platform will mainly be a civil society initiative to promote the key focus of the pillars under UNSCR 1325, in particular focus on promotion of women's political participation; prevention of relapse into violence through reconciliation and engagement in peace building and conflict resolution. The initiative will provide the basis for civil society to communicate with security institutions. The cost of the establishment and running of the platform is estimated at USD 150.000 for 2016, with additional funding required going forward. The funds will be used to facilitate women civil society, private sector and political leaders' collective action and the strengthening of social cohesion. Analytical work to shape this engagement is underway.
Support to the establishment of data collection and analytical capacity on gender issues within the Somali Government institutions, resulting in the issuing of the State of Somali Women and Men report	An options paper on this will be prepared during the 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter of 2016 with initial funding from the UN-World Bank Trust Fund. The objective of this work is to lay the ground for a process whereby data collection and analysis as well as publication of reports on gender equality, and WPS Agenda is increasingly conducted in-country by Somali institutions, thereby building capacity of Somali institutions and further supporting knowledge development and evidence-based programming. The funding, estimated at USD 150.000 as co-funding with the World Bank will go towards the establishment of this data collection and analytical capacity in Somali institutions and the production of the State of Somali Women and Men Report.
Analytical work on women's access to justice and security	This work will go toward understanding how women navigate formal and informal institutions and individuals to gain access to justice and security, as little is known about this. This work will feed into the revision of the Joint Rule of Law programme to provide a better informed basis for support to the strengthening of women's access to justice and security. The work with result in a publishable report.

#### Coordination and synergies across the Enablers

The Enablers all work to jointly support effective presence and delivery of the UN and the international community in Somalia. As such, the RCO, RMU, and UNDSS in particular operate in close coordination and have developed a number of synergies designed to enhance their individual impact and overall effectiveness in support of the UN and the international community.

At the information level, the Enablers work closely to stay abreast of risk factors, UN presence, exposure and any necessary security requirements that can inform UN programming and UN presence in given locations in Somalia. The Enablers work together on joint analytical products, including regional profiles and risk exposures.

The Enablers also collaborate closely to support events, such as delegation visits, field missions, and conferences or for a across Somalia.

From a management coordination perspective, the Enablers work jointly to support overall UN coordination in Somalia, primarily through the UN Country Team and the UN Security Management Team.

Furthermore, through this Joint Programme, the RCO and RMU, who share a management position under the DSRSG/RC/HC, are committed to creating stronger linkages through the joint management of functions related to communications and UN MPTF risk management.

The RCO, RMU and UN Women also collaborate regularly. The RMU provide risk management services to UN Women, including training for UN Women partners and technical advice on UN Women's risk management approaches. The RCO and UN Women have jointly developed gender focused analysis, and the RCO provides a number of substantive, administrative and logistics support to UN Women operations and interventions. Such collaboration is designed also to ensure that UNCT wide approaches, as well as risk management products, is informed by robust gender analysis.

Altogether, the successful services provided by one Enabler are often dependent on the successful provision of services by another Enabler, who all work to provide the necessary services and support to the UN in Somalia.

#### 4. Results Framework

See annex 1

## 5. Work plans and budgets

See annex 2

#### 6. Management and Coordination Arrangements

This Joint Programme falls under the responsibility of the DSRSG/RC/HC. The DSRSG/RC/HC is the manager of the RCO and RMU, and UNDSS falls under the management of the Chief Security Advisor. The activities implemented by UN Women will be led by the UN Women Country Director.

For the purposes of this Joint Programme, the DSRSG/RC/HC will assume **reporting** responsibility as well for the UN Women and UNDSS component of the Joint Programme.

While the DSRSG/RC/HC is the overall manager of the Joint Programme, day-to-day management of the RCO activities, the RMU activities, UN Women and UNDSS projects will be, respectively, the responsibility

of the Head of the RCO / Head of the RMU, the UN Women Country Representative, and the Chief Security Advisor.

Financial and administrative management of the Joint Programme will be undertaken by UNDP for the RCO and the UNDSS projects, by UN Women for the UN Women activities, and by UNOPS for the RMU activities.

For their respective components, UNDP, UN Women and UNOPS will be responsible for providing management support to their respective Enablers, including, amongst other issues, recruitment of staff, procurement, travel, administrative HR management, financial management, and other general administrative support.

#### Joint Programme Project Board

To ensure both programmatic and financial oversight of the Joint Programme, a Programme Board will be established, under the leadership of the DSRSG/RC/HC. The Project Board will comprise of the following members:

- DSRSG/RC/HC (Chair)
- Government representative: MoPIC (Co-Chair)
- UNDP Country Director or his/her delegate
- UN Women Country Representative or his/her delegate
- UNOPS Country Director or his/her delegate
- Head, Resident Coordinator's Office / Head, Risk Management Unit
- Chief Security Advisor or his/her delegate
- Contributing Donors

The Programme Board will meet on a **quarterly** basis starting in 2016 to review programmatic and financial progress. Staff from the Resident Coordinator's Office will act as the secretariat of the Project Board.

#### Fund management

This JP will follow the pass-through fund management modality according to the UNDG Guidelines on UN Joint Programming. The UNDP MPTF Office, serving as the Administrative Agent of the Somalia UN MPTF, as set out in the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Somalia UN MPTF will perform the following functions:

(a) Receive contributions from donors that wish to provide financial support to the Joint Programme;

(b) Administer such funds received, in accordance with this MOU;

(c) Subject to availability of funds, disburse such funds to each of the Participating UN Organizations in accordance with instructions from the Programme Board taking into account the budget set out in the Joint Programme Document, as amended in writing from time to time by the Programme Board;

(d) Consolidate financial reports, based on submissions provided to the Administrative Agent by each Participating UN Organization (PUNO), and provide these to each donor that has contributed to the Joint Programme Account, to the Programme Board, PUNOs, and the SDRF Steering Committee;

(e) Provide final reporting, including notification that the Joint Programme has been operationally completed;

(f) Disburse funds to any PUNO for any additional costs of the task that the Programme Board may decide to allocate in accordance with Joint Programme Document.

Each Participating UN Organization assumes complete programmatic and financial accountability for the funds disbursed to it by the Administrative Agent and can decide on the execution process with its partners

and counterparts following the organization's own regulations. PUNOs will establish a separate ledger account for the recipient and administration of the funds disbursed to them by the Administrative Agent. PUNOs are entitled to deduct their indirect costs (7%) on contributions received according to their own regulations and rules.

## 7. Monitoring, Evaluation and Reporting

## Monitoring

The result framework (see annex 1) includes indicators and means of verification, including sources and frequency. It will be used as the Programme's monitoring framework, and will inform the content of the quarterly and annual reports (see below)

## Reporting

The Resident Coordinator's Office will assume responsibility for coordinating overall programmatic reporting of this Joint Programme. In consultation with the RCO, UNDP, UN Women, and UNOPS will assume responsibility for financial reporting of their respective activities

The Programme Board will receive the following reports and the below stated frequency, in line with UN MPTF requirements:

- Quarterly Report (Activity Report and Financial Status), within one month of the end of each quarter (beginning with Q1 2016)
- Annual Report (Activity Report and Financial Status)
- End of Project Report (Activity Report and Financial Report)
- Any other report as may be deemed necessary by the Project Board.

#### Evaluation

This Joint Programme will conduct an end-of-project evaluation will be undertaken following the termination of this one-year joint programme. This evaluation will be undertaken under the leadership of the Programme Board and will also review proposals for continued sustainable financing of the Enablers.

## 8. Legal Context or Basis of Relationship

PUNO	Agreement
UNDP	This Joint Programme Document shall be the instrument referred to as the Project Document in Article I of the Standard Basic Assistance Agreement between the Government of Somalia and the United Nations Development Programme, signed by the parties on 16 May 1977
UNOPS	An Agreement of the Assistance was signed by the Government of Somalia and the United Nations Development Programme on 16 May 1977. This Agreement provides the foundation under which UNOPS operates in Somalia
UN Women	An Agreement of the Assistance was signed by the Government of Somalia and the United Nations Development Programme on 16 May 1977. This Agreement provides the foundation under which UN Women operates in Somalia

The Implementing Partners/Executing Agency<sup>5</sup> agree to undertake all reasonable efforts to ensure that none of the funds received pursuant to this Joint Programme are used to provide support to individuals or entities associated with terrorism and that the recipients of any amounts provided by Participating UN organizations do not appear on the list maintained by the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999). The list can be accessed via <u>http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/committees/1267/1267ListEng.htm</u>. This provision must be included in all sub-contracts or sub-agreements entered into under this programme document.

 $<sup>^{\,\</sup>rm 5}$  Executing Agency in case of UNDP in countries with no signed Country Programme Action Plans

# **Annex 1: Results Framework**

# JOINT PROGRAMME ON ENABLERS

## Outcome: Coordinated, transparent and safe delivery of international assistance throughout Somalia

Indicators	Baseline	Milestones / targets	MoV (and frequency)
1.1 # of staff fatalities	2008-2015: 13 UN fatalities	2015: none (as of May 2015) 2016: none	UNDSS (weekly/monthly)
<ul> <li>Adherence and support for New Deal approach / paradigm</li> </ul>	Baseline: n/a	2015: n/a 2016: results of New Deal review; consensus on extension of New Deal structures and approach post 2016	New Deal Compact review(s) (annual)
	RCC	MONITORING FRAMEWORK	
Indicators	Baseline	Milestones / targets	MoV (and Frequency)
Output 1: Ensure the effe	ective implementatio	n of the ISF & New Deal Somali Compact	
1.1 Increased volume of funds through the o UN MPTF	UN MPTF MOUs signed with Agencies; no capitalization; fund architecture being finalized	2015: 3 Joint Programmes funded by the UNMPTF; \$30 million capitalization; 15% of UN development funding through the UN MPTF 2016: 5 Joint Programmes funded by the UNMPTF; \$50 million capitalization; 25% of UN development funding through the UN MPTF	UN MPTF gateway website ( <u>www.unmptf.org</u> ); or going
1.2 Increased support to implementation of Compact and ISF events	2014: Puntland Roundtable; HALCF in Hargeisa; Copenhagen meeting; ISF finalised	<ul><li>2015: Support provided to the Somali authorities in the local implementation of the ISF/Compact.</li><li>2016: Conclusion of the ISF and achievement of 90% of the milestones</li></ul>	Joint UN-government coordination events
Output 2: Improve the co	herence and impact	of the UN system in Somalia	
2.1 Support to UN Joint Programming sustained	2014: 2 Joint Programmes under implementation	2015: 4 Joint Programmes under implementation; RCO consolidation of reporting to MPTF	RCO reports; Joint Programmes reports - Annual

reporting to MPTF

2016: 6 Joint Programmes under implementation; RCO consolidation of

2.2	Number of common analytical products	2014: 1 ISF conflict analysis 1 product on water irrigation	<ul><li>2015: 1 UNCT analytical piece developed that support UN system programming</li><li>2016: 3 UNCT analytical pieces developed that support UN system programming</li></ul>	RCO briefings; analytical pieces – Annual
2.3	Level of UN system wide integration (Low, Medium, High)	2014: Medium - ISF developed and signed	<ul><li>2015: Medium - Joint UN Planning and Integrated Analysis being carried out</li><li>2016: High - ISF (or UNDAF) revised, and new UN plan developed between mission and UNCT</li></ul>	RCO reports; area based ISFs; donor funding – Annual

#### Output 3: Support effective international engagement in Somalia

3.1	Effective UN-Donor forums sustained	Monthly meetings; Ad hoc survey and informal feedback only on use/value	<ul><li>2015: 6 DPF meetings; client satisfaction survey carried out and results incorporated into DPF plan</li><li>2016: DPF carried out in accordance with 2015 feedback (it may be part of government-led meetings)</li></ul>	DPF minutes - monthly; RCO reporting - Annual
3.2	Increased support to donor engagement across Somalia	2014: Donor briefings and mission support upon request	<ul><li>2015: Quarterly RC briefings; local donor briefings and mission support upon request</li><li>2016: Quarterly RC briefings; local donor briefings and mission support upon request</li></ul>	Donor feedback – on- going

# Output 4: *Effective programme management*

4.1 Increased RCO donor outreach and reporting	N/A	<ul> <li>2015: 1 donor briefings/presentation on results, activities and/or budget;</li> <li>100% on time donor reporting</li> <li>2016: 3 donor briefings/presentation on results, activities and budget; 100% on time donor reporting</li> </ul>	Donor outreach minutes and RCO reports	
	RMU MONITORING FRAMEWORK			
Indicators	Baseline	Milestones	MoV (and Frequency)	
Output 1. Enhanced colla	Output 1. Enhanced collective rick management approaches			

Output 1: Enhanced collective risk management approaches

1.1	Number of collective tools agreed and used by the UNCT	Optional internal Common due diligence standards	<ul><li>2015: two (2) Common due diligence tool agreed at UNCT and used by at least 5 agencies;</li><li>2016:two (2) additional risk management tools agreed by the UNCT</li></ul>	UNCT minutes(monthly)
1.2	Number of collective tools agreed and used between UN, donors, and NGOs	No collective tools currently agreed and used	<ul><li>2015: Fraud management standards developed by the Multi-Party Risk Forum</li><li>2016: Two risk management tools approved by Multi-Party Risk Forum</li></ul>	Minutes of the Multi- Party Forum,; RMU records

# Output 2: Increased information sharing, both within the UN and between the UN, government donors, and NGOs

2.1	Increase in contract value in CIMS (internal to UN)	2014: \$3.2 billion	2015: \$3.5 billion 2016: \$4 billion	CIMS (daily)
2.2	Number of NGO, donor, or gov request to RMU	n/a	2015: Five requests for technical assistance with RMU feedback 2016: Ten requests for technical assistance with RMU feedback	RMU narrative report (twice a year)

Ind	Indicators Baseline		rs Baseline Milestones	
Out	put 3: Organizational	risk management cap	abilities strengthened	
3.1	Number of Risk Assessments completed annually	2014: 16	2015: 15 (minimum) 2016:20	RMU narrative report (twice a year); CIMS (daily)
3.2	Number of training services provided to UN agencies, NGOs, and/or government counterparts	2014: 1 in-class training	<ul><li>2015: on-line training module launched; 30 on-line trainings completed; 1 inclass delivered</li><li>2016: 50 on-line trainings completed; 2 in-class trainings delivered</li></ul>	Training evaluations; On-line training records (daily)

3.3	Integrated Risk analysis products delivered	N/A	2015: Integrated risk analysis product designed; 1 developed for SMG 2016: 3 delivered for SMG	SMG minutes
3.4	Number of monitoring services provided to UN agencies	2014: N/A	2015: 5 monitoring missions 2016: 10 monitoring missions	Monitoring reports; RMU reporting (twice a year)
3.5	UN MPTF risk management strategy implemented	Draft strategy in place	<ul><li>2015: strategy approved by UNCT, WB and government, RM capacity in place</li><li>2016: UN-WB-Government-Donor Trust Fund risk meetings; risk management dashboard operational; UN MPTF risk management input into MPTF annual report</li></ul>	Risk Management Group (monthly)
Outp	out 4: Enhanced enga	gement for collective	risk management solutions	
4.1	Frequency of RWG meetings	2014: 4	2015: 8 2016: 8	RMU led consultations (RWG, UNCT)
4.2	Frequency of Multi- party Forum meetings	2014: 2	2015: 6 2016: 6	Mid-year review End of project evaluation
4.3	CIMS development	2014: Contractor mapping developed; Drupal migration completed; 14 participating UN agencies	<ul><li>2015: Civil Servant and Ministry Payment tool used by UN agencies and donors; 16 participating UN agencies; HACT assessment tool agreed as per agency requirements</li><li>2016: tbd</li></ul>	
4.4	Increased communication/outr each initiatives	2014: N/A	2015: RMU website launched; 3 communication products revised/launched 2016: three NGO outreach events	
Out	out 5: Effective progra	mme management		

5.1	Completion rate of Project Board recommendations	<50%	2015: 100% 2016: 100%, including project review completed by September 2016	Project Board minutes
5.2	Number of Project Board meetings	2014: 1	2015: 2 2016: 2	Project Board minutes
5.3	Project Expenditure rate	2014: 90%	2015: 25% 2016: 90%	UNOPS Financial reports
		UN	DSS MONITORING FRAMEWORK	
Ind	icators	Baseline	Milestones	MoV (and Frequency)
Out	put 1: Security Aircraft	t capacity maintained	, ,	
1.1	Security aircraft is able to respond to urgent security needs or to assess newly recovered areas	2015: Security Aircraft is available	2015: capacity maintained 2016: capacity maintained	UNDSS reporting
Out	put 2: <i>Medical Emerg</i>	ency Response Team	capacitated	
2.1	# of teams providing MERT coverage in Somalia	2015 MERT teams available in Somaliland and Puntland	2015: 1 - MERT team established in Dollow 2016: 5 - MERT teams maintained in 5 locations - Puntland (Garowe, Galkayo, and Bossasso), Somaliland (Hargeisa) and Dollow.	UNDSS reporting
Out	put 3: Enhanced Prote	ected Security		
3.1	Armored vehicles	2015: AVs available	2015 4-6 vehicles are replaced with new armored vehicles	UNDSS reporting

	transport of staff	require replacement	ment 2016: 4-6 additional vehicles are replaced and/or maintained	
Outp	out 4: Increased airpo	rt road security		
4.1	Airport road security	201: NISA airport security apparatus in place	2015: NISA security apparatus on airport road maintained 2016: NISA security apparatus on airport road maintained	UNDSS reporting
		UNW	Vomen MONITORING FRAMEWORK	
Indi	cators	Baseline	Milestones	MoV (and Frequency)
			Level Partnership Forum in Istanbul in February 2015 with the very and Security and its subsequent resolutions	iew to ensuring donor
1.1	Level of commitment of donors and Somali government to WPS in side event report	N/A	2016: Side event organized; commitments reflected in side event report	HLPF report/ communique; side event report
Outp	out 2: Strategic monite	oring and results fran	nework established at PSG, MPTF and country level output level on W	VPS
2.1	Availability of M&ER support staff engaged in support to PSG and MPTF M&E	N/A	2016: one staff in place	UN Women narrative report (quarterly)
2.2	WPS elements reflected in SPG and MPTF M&E framework	N/A for PSG; Gender indicators in draft UN MPTF M&E framework	2016: indicators in PSG and UN MPTF M&E framework developed and reported	MPTF reporting (quarterly); ACU reporting
Indi	cators	Baseline	Milestones	MoV (and Frequency)
Outp	out 3: <i>Establishment</i> o	of a national platform	for coordination on WPS supported	

3.1	Availability of an operational platform	Availability of an operational platform	2016: One platform operational and addressing WPS	UN Women reporting (quarterly)
-	out 4: Support to the estab omali Women and Men Rep	5	and analytical capacity on gender issues within the Somali government institutions, resultin	g in the issuing of the State of
4.1	Availability of State of Somali Women and Men Report	N/A	2016: One flagship report issued by a relevant Somali institution	UN Women report (quarterly)
Outŗ	<b>out 5:</b> Revision of existing	analytical work on the poli	tical economy of access to justice to include gender equality considerations and perspectives.	
5.1	Availability of report	N/A	2016: one report disseminated on the political economy of women's access to justice	UN Women report (quarterly)

# Annex 2a: Work Plan and Budget: N/A

# Annex 2b: Budget by Participating UN Organization, using UNDG Budget Categories

SOMALIA UN MPTF PROJECT BUDGET*				
CATEGORIES	UNDP - RCO	UNDP – DSS projects	UNOPS - RMU	UN Women
1. Staff and other personnel costs	250,000		412,610	150,000
2. Supplies, Commodities, Materials	10,000		2,500	
3. Equipment, Vehicles and Furniture including Depreciation				30,000
4. Contractual Services	40,000		20,000	330,000
5. Travel	50,000		16,000	15,000
6. Transfers and Grants to Counterparts:		3,961,800		
7. General Operating and Other Direct Costs: Rent/security, etc.	19,158		88,853	17,383
Sub-Total Project Costs	369,158	4,020,000	647,624	542,383
Indirect Support Costs **	25,841	281,400	45,334	37,966
TOTAL	395,000	4,301,400	692,958	580,350

\* Budgets must adhere to the UNDG Harmonised Budget Categories as approved by the High Level Committee on Management (HLCM) and Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB).

\*\*Indirect support cost should be in line with the rate of 7%, as specified in the Somalia UN MPTF TOR and MOU and SAA, Section II- Financial Matters.

# Annex 2c: Delineation of responsibilities-UNOPS UNDP for RMU Activities

The specific roles and responsibilities are defined below:

# A: Personnel

	Activity	UNDP	UNOPS
	Preparation of Terms of Reference (TOR)	X	
	Review and classification of Terms of Reference (TOR)	X	
	Define assignment, remuneration and duration	X	
Recruitment and Selection	Advertisement and short listing of candidates	X	
Selection	Interviews, selection	X	
	Approval of appointments	X	
	Submission of recruitment request to UNOPS	X	
	Processing of recruitment instructions as per partner request		X
Contracting	Issuance of ICA documentation and other administrative actions		X
Travel	Organization, where appropriate, of mission travel and provision of travel benefits/entitlements, payment of travel entitlements		X
Supervision	Technical instructions and day-to-day management and supervision of personnel	X	
	Leave management and approval	X	
Contract	Contract administration, including administration of entitlements and benefits, in accordance with UNOPS regulations and rules		X
administration	Processing payment, including remuneration, related allowances and other provisions		X
	Transfer of payments to personnel individual bank accounts		X

	Administration of applicable service-incurred injury, illness		X
	and death insurance and malicious act insurance,		Δ
	Administration of insurance (as applicable)		Χ
DC	Performance review/appraisal	X	
Performance management	Promotion/reclassification of posts (as applicable)	X	
management	Decision on (non)renewal of contracts	X	
Soparation	Decision on termination of contracts	X	
Separation	Administration of separation entitlements		Х
Dispute resolution/claims	Disputes or claims arising from or in connection with the work of the individual, including any disputes or claims from third parties	X	
	Disciplinary review and actions	X	
	Report to UNDSS of the personnel provided	X	
	Evacuation management	X	
Security	Ensure that personnel comply with all the applicable security requirements (UNOPS accepts no responsibility for any breach of security requirements by such personnel)	X	

## **B:** General and Financial Administration

UNDP	UNOPS	Activity
Х		Availability of funds
Х		Preparation of activity work plan
Х		Certification of attendance records
Х		Provision of non-expendable equipment
Х		Provision of expendable equipment