

# Peacebuilding Fund Project Progress Report (Update May 2023)



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## PROJECT OVERVIEW

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## » Report Submission

Type of report \*

- Semi-annual  
 Annual  
 Final  
 Other

Date of submission of report \*

2023-06-27

**2023-06-27**

Name and Title of Person submitting the report \*

**Michael Musili Nzau, Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist**

Name and Title of Person who approved the report \*

**Evelyn Edroma**

Have all fund recipients for this project contributed to the report? \*

- yes  
 no

Did PBF Secretariat review the report? \*

*If there is no PBF secretariat in country, please select "Not applicable". If there is a PBF secretariat, you should normally ensure that they have an opportunity to review.*

- yes  
 no  
 Not Applicable

## » Project Information and Geographical Scope

Is this a cross-border project? \*

- yes  no

Please select the geographical region in which the project is implemented

- Asia and the Pacific  Central & Southern Africa  East Africa  
 Europe and Central Asia  Global  Latin America and the Caribbean  
 Middle East and North Africa  West Africa

Country of project implementation \*

- Ethiopia  Kenya  Madagascar  
 Somalia  South Sudan  Sudan  
 Other, Specify

Project Title \*

- 00117921: Breaking the cycle of violence - rehabilitating justice and accountability mechanisms for the transformation of survivors and perpetrators of violent conflict into change agents for peace  
 00130006: Building peace through promoting inclusive and participatory transitional justice processes and mechanisms in South Sudan  
 00130571: Challenging harmful and patriarchal gender norms for better mental health and peace and security, amongst women and girls and communities in the Wunlit Triangle  
 00129661: Community Action for Peaceful Resolution of Housing, Land and Property (HLP) Disputes and Conflicts  
 00113057: Enhancing Women's Access to Land to Consolidate Peace in South Sudan  
 00120688: Gender mainstreaming in Security Sector Reform  
 00129659: Secretariat support to the PBF portfolio in South Sudan  
 00129660: Support to a people-driven and gender responsive permanent constitution making process in South Sudan  
 00118940: Youth Action for Reduced Violence and Enhanced Social Cohesion in Wau, South Sudan  
 Other, Specify

Project Start Date (Date of first transfer) \*

2022-01-06

**2022-01-06**

Project end Date \*

2024-01-06

**2024-01-06**

Has this project received an extension? \*

- YES, Cost Extension
- YES, No Cost Extension
- YES, Both Cost and No Cost extensions
- NO, No Extensions

Will this project be requesting an extension? \*

- YES, Cost Extension
- YES, No Cost Extension
- YES, Both Cost and No Cost extensions
- NO, No Extensions

Is funding disbursed either into a national or regional trust fund \*

- yes
- no

## Recipients

Is the convening agency a UN agency or a non UN entity? \*

- UN entity  
 Non-UN Entity

Please select the convening agency recipient \*

- UNDP: United Nations Development Programme     IOM: International Organization for Migration  
 UNICEF: United Nations Children's Fund  
 OHCHR: Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights  
 UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women  
 UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees     UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund  
 FAO: Food and Agriculture Organization     WFP: World Food Programme  
 UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme  
 UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization  
 UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme     ILO: International Labour Organization  
 WHO: World Health Organization     PAHO/WHO  
 UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund     UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime  
 UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services  
 UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization     ITC: International Trade Centre  
 UNDPO     Other, Specify

Are there other recipients for this project? \*

- No other recipients
- Yes, other UN recipients only
- Yes, other non-UN recipients only
- Yes, both UN and non-UN recipients

Please select other UN recipients recipients \*

Select all that apply

- UNDP: United Nations Development Programme  IOM: International Organization for Migration
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- UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme
- UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
- UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme  ILO: International Labour Organization
- WHO: World Health Organization  PAHO/WHO
- UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund  UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
- UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
- UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization  ITC: International Trade Centre
- UN Department of Peace Operations  Other, Specify

## Financial Reporting

### » Delivery by Recipient

**Please enter the total amounts in US dollars allocated to each recipient organization**

Please enter the original budget amount, amount transferred to date and estimated expenditure by recipient.

*Please make sure you enter the correct amount. All values should be entered in **US Dollars***

Recipients	Total Project Budget (in US \$)	Transfers to date (in US \$)	Expenditure to date (in US \$)	Implementation rate as a percentage of total budget (calculated automatically)
	<i>Please enter the total budget as is in the project document in US Dollars</i>	<i>Please enter the total amount transferred to each recipient to date in US Dollars</i>	<i>Please enter the approximate amount spent to date in US dollars</i>	

<b>UNDP: United Nations Development Programme</b>	2969796.51 *	2078857.56 *	883334.03 *	29.74 %
<b>UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees</b>	1028029.25 *	719620.48 *	193308.81 *	18.8 %
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3997825.76</b>	<b>2798478.04</b>	<b>1076642.84</b>	<b>26.9 3%</b>

The approximate implementation rate as percentage of total project budget based on the values entered in the above matrix is **26.93%**. Can you confirm that this is correct? \*

Correct  Incorrect

### » Gender-responsive Budgeting

Indicate what **percentage (%)** of the budget contributes to gender equality or women's empowerment (GEWE)? \*

41.68

The dollar amount of the budget contributing to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE) based on percentage entered above and total project budget is **US \$ 1666293.78**. Can you confirm that this is correct? \*

Correct  Incorrect

Amount expended to date on efforts contributing to gender equality or women's empowerment is **US \$ 448744.74**. Is this correct? \*

Correct  Incorrect

ATTACH PROJECT EXCEL BUDGET SHOWING CURRENT APPROXIMATE EXPENDITURE. \*

The templates for the budget are available [here](#)

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## ***Project Markers***

Please select the Gender Marker Associated with this project \*

- Score 1 for projects that contribute in some way to gender equality, but not significantly (less than 30% of the total budget for GEWE)
- Score 2 for projects that have gender equality as a significant objective and allocate between 30 and 79% of the total project budget to GEWE
- Score 3 for projects that have gender equality as a principal objective and allocate at least 80% of the total project budget to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE)

Please select the Risk Marker Associated with this project \*

- Risk marker 0 = low risk to achieving outcomes
- Risk marker 1 = medium risk to achieving outcomes
- Risk marker 2 = high risk to achieving outcomes

Please select the PBF Focus Area associated with this project \*

- (1.1) Security Sector Reform
- (1.2) Rule of Law
- (1.3) Demobilisation, Disarmament and Reintegration
- (1.4) Political Dialogue
- (2.1) National reconciliation
- (2.2) Democratic Governance
- (2.3) Conflict prevention/management
- (3.1) Employment
- (3.2) Equitable access to social services
- (4.1) Strengthening of essential national state capacity
- (4.2) Extension of state authority/Local Administration
- (4.3) Governance of peacebuilding resources (including PBF Secretariats)

Is the project part of one or more PBF priority windows? \*

*Select all that apply*

- Gender promotion initiative
- Youth promotion initiative
- Transition from UN or regional peacekeeping or special political missions
- Cross-border or regional project
- None

## Steering Committee and Government engagement

Does the project have an active steering committee? \*

- yes
- no

If yes, please indicate how many times the Project Steering Committee has met over the last 6 months?

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**Twice**



Please provide a brief description of any engagement that the project has had with the government over the last 6 months. Please indicate what level of government the project has been engaging with.

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

Since January 2023, the project has engaged the Government of South Sudan through the Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs in different ways. There have been several planning and strategy meetings on the finalization of the Commission on Truth Reconciliation and Healing (CTRH) and the Compensation and Reparations Authority (CRA) Bills. The meetings culminated in a National Transitional Justice Conference under the Theme "Building a Sustainable Model for Transitional Justice in South Sudan" on 15 - 17 May in Juba, during which the two Bills were reviewed and discussed. The conference was co-organized with the Ministry of Cabinet Affairs, Ministry of Peace Building, Ministry of Justice and Constitutional and the African Union. As a result of the conference, the Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs is revising the Bills considering the recommendations and will take it through the law-making process for enactment in next three months. Moreover, at the technical level, several follow-up meetings were held with the Deputy Secretary General of the Government as well as the Minister of Cabinet Affairs to fast track the endorsement of the Resolutions emanating from the Conference by the Council of Ministers as well as enactment of the CTRH and CRA Bills into law as the legal framework establishing both mechanisms.

In addition, as part of its routine work, the project has assisted the Government with technical and financial support in planning for the consultation of refugees in Kenya, Uganda and Ethiopia to inform the CTRH law. Given the ongoing crisis in Sudan, the planned refugees' consultations will be achieved through alternative means. Additionally, the project launched more grants for civil society to continue providing public awareness on the upcoming transitional justice processes and support victims to participate.

## PART I: OVERALL PROJECT PROGRESS

NOTES FOR COMPLETING THE REPORT:

- Avoid acronyms and UN jargon, use general /common language.
- Report on what has been achieved in the reporting period, not what the project aims to do.
- Be as concrete as possible. Avoid theoretical, vague or conceptual discourse.
- Ensure the analysis and project progress assessment is gender and age sensitive.

Please rate the implementation status of the following preliminary/preparatory activities

Contracting of partners \*

- Not Started       Initiated       Partially Completed  
 Completed       Not Applicable

Staff Recruitment \*

- Not Started       Initiated       Partially Completed  
 Completed       Not Applicable

Collection of baselines \*

- Not Started       Initiated       Partially Completed  
 Completed       Not Applicable

Identification of beneficiaries \*

Not Started

Initiated

Partially Completed

Completed

Not Applicable

Provide any additional descriptive information relating to the status of the project, including whether preliminary/preparatory activities have been completed (i.e. contracting of partners, staff recruitment, etc.) \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**The project has completed all preliminary activities including contracting Civil Society Organizations (CSO) as implementing partners for some activities, recruitment of all relevant staff. The project has also completed the baseline study to review key project elements and to develop a baseline for monitoring and evolution evaluation purposes.**

**Further, the project promoted civil society engagement and cultivated the political will from the Government as critical factors for success of a transitional justice process. The political leadership needed to accelerate implementation of the transitional justice process has expanded beyond the Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs to include four important ministries (Cabinet Affairs, Peacebuilding, Federalism, and Gender Child and Social Welfare). The project has catalyzed partnerships with additional three CSOs through complementary funding from the Government of Netherlands for Grants worth \$45,000 each, to continue creating awareness on the transitional justice process and provide psychosocial support to human rights abuse survivors who will then organize themselves into victim support groups to prepare them to willingly participate in the truth, reconciliation and healing processes, as well as to seek compensation and reparations. The CSOs which will cover three regions of Greater Upper Nile, Greater Bahr El Ghazal and Greater Equatoria for seven months commenced activity implementation as of 30 May. The results of the CSOs activities will be included in the next report.**

**Other activities included community platform community in Jonglei State and Parieng-Ruweng Administrative Area in Unity State to advocate for political commitment in the transitional justice process as well as creating awareness through Radio Talk shows and Round Table Discussions between the IDP community leaders and state government officials. The talk shows created an avenue for affected people to express their concerns, created awareness on ongoing reconciliation efforts and ensured ownership of the process among affected communities.**

Summarize *the main structural, institutional or societal level change* the project has contributed to. This is not anecdotal evidence or a list of individual outputs, but a description of progress made toward the main purpose of the project where evidence of contribution to outcomes is available if requested \*

*FOR PROJECTS WITHIN SIX MONTHS OF COMPLETION ONLY (550 word limit)*

**N/A**

## PART II: RESULT PROGRESS BY PROJECT OUTCOME

Describe overall progress under each Outcome made during the reporting period (for June reports: January-June; for November reports: January-November; for final reports: full project duration). Do not list individual activities. If the project is starting to make/has made a difference at the outcome level, provide specific evidence for the progress (quantitative and qualitative) and explain how it impacts the broader political and peacebuilding context.

- "On track" refers to the timely completion of outputs as indicated in the workplan.
- "On track with peacebuilding results" refers to higher-level changes in the conflict or peace factors that the project is meant to contribute to. These effects are more likely in mature projects than in newer ones.

How many OUTCOMES does this project have \*

1   2    3   4   5   6   7   8   more than 8.

Please write out the project outcomes as they are in the project results framework found in the project document

Outcome 1: \*

**The R-TGoNU establishes an inclusive, legitimate, gender responsive, and effectively functioning CTRH capable of uncovering the truth about past violations to promote national unity.**

Outcome 2: \*

**Stakeholders, including victims/survivors and affected communities, are empowered to share their views, and raise their concerns on truth, reconciliation and healing process and meaningfully participate in consultation process for the establishment of the CTRH.**

Outcome 3: \*

**Communities and the public are empowered by enhanced access to information, including through the strengthened capacity of the media to increase awareness, understanding and support for truth and reconciliation processes.**

**Outcome 1:** The R-TGoNU establishes an inclusive, legitimate, gender responsive, and effectively functioning CTRH capable of uncovering the truth about past violations to promote national unity.

Rate the current status of the outcome progress \*

1. Off Track    2. On Track    3. On Track with evidence of peacebuilding results

Progress summary \*

*Please limit your response to 3000 characters including spaces.*

**The CTRH has not yet been established. The Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs has drafted the legislation for its establishment which was informed by the views and experiences of 4,543 people made up of 1,463 female who were consulted by a 35-member multistakeholder Technical Committee set up by the MOJCA as well as good practice from The Gambia, South Africa, Kenya, Uganda and Rwanda among others. In line with the spirit of the project, the Compensation and Reparations Bill was also drafted. A national Transitional Justice Conference held in May in Juba including international experts from across Africa and England reviewed the two Bills giving useful comments on the principles of inclusivity, legitimacy, gender responsiveness and effective power and functioning of the CTRH to be considered in the law. The Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs has subsequently revised the Bill and drafted a Cabinet Memoranda outlining the process of finalizing the CTRH law as well as triggering the legislative process with the expectation for their enactment in the next three months.**

**At community level, the project facilitated the training of 24 (5F/19M) Government officials in Parieng-Ruweng Administrative Area. The training imparted knowledge on the role of the transitional justice mechanisms to be established once the two critical laws for the CTRH and CRA are enacted. It further equipped the officials with information that will enable them to participate and to contribute to the transitional justice mechanism on the setting up the legal framework for the establishment of CTRH.**

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Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured under this Outcome

*Please limit your response to 1500 characters including spaces.*

**Chapter V of the Peace Agreement require that three of the seven Commissioners of the CTRH must be women. The CTRH Bill provides for 7 commissioners, 3 of them being women. However, as part of the review during the Transitional Justice Conference, the Bill will now include eleven commissioners, 60% of whom should be females. Additionally, it was recommended that the age limit of 45 years for one to be a commissioner in the CTRH is prohibitive and should be removed to allow youth to become eligible for selection and appointment.**

**In the Call for Proposals for CSOs to sensitize the communities on the transitional justice process, one of the criteria for applicants was to demonstrate experience in implementing programmes on gender equality and youth informed initiatives with a focus on transitional justice. Priority was therefore placed on selecting women and youth led organizations. Subsequently, two of the CSOs selected are led by young women who have also benefitted from organizational, technical and financial management skills development by the project.**

**The project has continued to ensure gender equality, women's empowerment and youth inclusion as a high priority target, aiming for 50% female participation across all activities with victims/survivors of conflict and their civil society allies. Overall, at least 45% of beneficiaries reached were female.**

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**Outcome 2:** Stakeholders, including victims/survivors and affected communities, are empowered to share their views, and raise their concerns on truth, reconciliation and healing process and meaningfully participate in consultation process for the establishment of the CTRH.

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Rate the current status of the outcome progress \*

1. Off Track     2. On Track     3. On Track with evidence of peacebuilding results

Progress summary \*

*Please limit your response to 3000 characters including spaces.*

The project currently supports coordination capacity for the TJWG and ensures that the work of its members is coordinated with the Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs, and the Technical Committee that led consultations to inform the CTRH Bill. Two consultative meetings between the Technical Committee and TJWG, have been carried out in 2023 and led to sustaining its coordination capacity and maintaining the links with, building trust and sharing information between government institutions, independent bodies and mechanisms, civil society and victim and survivors' groups at a critical stage for establishing the CTRH.

As part on the ongoing efforts to prepare vulnerable groups to participate in the transitional justice process, a total of 5,133 of people (3,100 male; 2033 female, including youth) have been supported to strengthen their capacity for their meaningful participation in transitional justice mechanisms through community outreaches. Additionally, an estimated 15,250 people were reached through radio. Five networks of People with Disability, comprising 150 members, have been established and are operational to prevent violence, deal with conflict and related trauma. Two of these networks are established in the Protection of Civilians location, 2 in Bentiu Town, 1 in Rubkona. 720 victims and survivors (400 female; 320 male) from the networks received counselling and psychosocial support services to support them to meaningfully participate in the transitional justice. Twelve training sessions, bringing together 360 (200female) were conducted to sensitize relevant stakeholders, including representatives of people living with disabilities, youth and women with messages on truth, reconciliation and healing.

Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured under this Outcome

*Please limit your response to 1500 characters including spaces.*

The project ensured that engagement and dialogue with participants were conducted in safe spaces and in an environment that allows vulnerable groups like youth and women to discuss their issues a free and confident manner. Tailored dialogues were organized for participants based on their age, gender and diversity components and vulnerabilities such as people with disabilities, single mothers, survivors of GBV to facilitate dialogue in small groups ensuring that critical issues come to the fore which would otherwise remain unobserved if discussions were held in larger groups.

Additionally, in its selection of participants given the critical issues that affect women during war and in post conflict settings, the project has been intentional in aiming for at least 50% of female participation although this is not always possible as women continue to face cultural practices, restrictions and norms with most of their time taken up by household chores and child caring. In some location's women are also intimidated and unable to speak freely. A transport allowance is provided to participants to ensure that transportation costs do not hinder their participation. Persons with disabilities including women are picked from their houses and dropped to the venue to ensure their participation.

**Outcome 3:** Communities and the public are empowered by enhanced access to information, including through the strengthened capacity of the media to increase awareness, understanding and support for truth and reconciliation processes.

Rate the current status of the outcome progress \*

1. Off Track  2. On Track  3. On Track with evidence of peacebuilding results

Progress summary

*Please limit your response to 3000 characters including spaces.*

**Progress summary: (350 word limit)**

The project has facilitated the training of 60 journalists from 4 media houses and representatives from the Union of Journalists of South Sudan to increase awareness, understanding and support for truth and reconciliation processes, and build the capacity of local communities, journalists and media houses to ensure they are well informed on gender sensitive reporting on the truth, reconciliation, and healing, including their engagement with the CTRH. This will contribute to creating civic space for the media, victims, survivors, witnesses, affected communities and their representatives to participate in transitional justice processes without fear of harassment, intimidation, and threats of reprisal.

Project activities targeted conflict affected communities including IDPs, refugees and returnees as well as women youth, the elderly, and persons living with disabilities. A total of 455 individuals comprising of (230M/225F) including 15 people with disabilities were reached with tailored messages on transitional justice to enlist their participation in the mechanism once established. Several consultations to identify priorities and recommendations on issues affecting rights of displaced persons including matters related to reconciliation and healing were held for and reaching 804 IDPs and returnees in Magwi, Mangalla, Torit, Bor, Bentiu, Yei, Yambio and Malakal. 339 were female and 465 were male.

Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured under this Outcome

*Please limit your response to 1500 characters including spaces.*

The project has continued to ensure gender equality, women's empowerment, and youth inclusion as a high priority target, aiming for 50% female and youth participation across all activities with local communities, media and other stakeholders. Overall, at least 40% of beneficiaries are female. Moreover, a target of 50% media practitioners identified have women and youths. Additionally, the baseline survey had a strong focus on youth and on understanding the role played by youth groups in transitional justice processes.

Gender equality and women's empowerment, youth inclusion and responsiveness have also been promoted through ensuring that women participate in various activities and that their views are considered. The project is guided by an Age, Gender Diversity policy in its selection of participants for activities. The policy seeks to ensure inclusion of different groups of people targeted in its training, activities, meetings, roundtables and outreach programmes etc. While women media practitioners are targeted in activities their numbers within the profession are very low it is therefore not possible to achieve 50%.

**INDICATOR BASED PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT**

Using the Project Results Framework as per the approved project document or any amendments- provide an update on the achievement of key indicators at the **outcome** level in the table below

- If an outcome has more than 3 indicators , select the 3 most relevant ones with most relevant progress to highlight.
- Where it has not been possible to collect data on indicators, state this and provide any explanation. Provide gender and age disaggregated data. (300 characters max per entry)

» Outcome 1: The R-TGoNU establishes an inclusive, legitimate, gender responsive, and effectively functioning CTRH capable of uncovering the truth about past violations to promote national unity.

Outcome 1	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator Milestone	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any)
1.1	Proportion of women and youth representation among CTRH commissioners and staff.	0	35% female representation and 10% youth representation (persons between 18 and 32 years of age) among CTRH commissioners and staff.	The CTRH Bill proposes 60% female and youth representation.	0	The body is yet to be established.
1.2	1b: Public perception and proportion of groups supported through this project indicate that the CTRH is perceived as inclusive, legitimate, gender responsive, effective, and capable of uncovering the truth about past violations, thereby expressing confidence in it.	0	75% of respondents (including 50% female and persons between 18 and 32 years of age) indicate that they perceive the CTRH as inclusive, legitimate, gender responsive, effective, and capable of uncovering the truth about past violations.	0	Draft law for the establishment of the CTRH available.	The body is yet to be established.
1.3						

**» Outcome 2: Stakeholders, including victims/survivors and affected communities, are empowered to share their views, and raise their concerns on truth, reconciliation and healing process and meaningfully participate in consultation process for the establishment of the CTRH.**

Outcome 2	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator Milestone	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any)
2.1	1 (2a): Proportion of respondent satisfied with the safe spaces created for them to engage in truth, reconciliation, and healing processes.	0	70 % of respondents (50% women, 50% youth, 50% displaced persons)	18%	18%	
2.2	(2b): Number of existing/established community- based platforms empowering victims, survivors and affected communities to raise their voices and meaningfully participate in the process for establishing the CTRH.	12	46 platforms with 50% female and youth (18-32 years) representation (8 TJ Centers, 20 Victim Support Groups/networks, 18 community dialogues)	78	78	This includes 47 Victim Support Groups, 8 Transitional Justice Centers, and 23 Victim and Survivor Networks.



2.3	(2c): Number of victims, survivors and representatives of affected communities empowered to participate in truth, reconciliation, and healing processes.	0	500 (50% female and 50% aged between 18 and 32 years)	720 (50% female)	720 (50% Female)	
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» Outcome 3: Communities and the public are empowered by enhanced access to information, including through the strengthened capacity of the media to increase awareness, understanding and support for truth and reconciliation processes.

Outcome	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator Milestone	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any)
3.1	Proportion of people reached with messages who feel sufficiently informed about the CTRH and reconciliation, truth, and healing.	0	Target:75% (40% female; 50% youth)	21% the South Sudan population (2,361,305 people, 35% being Female)	21% the South Sudan population (2,361,305 people, 35% being Female)	
3.2	# of media who engage vulnerable groups/displaced persons on truth, reconciliation, and healing discussions through (talk shows, round tables etc.).	0	5 (50% reached representative of women, girls, and youths)	8 Media organizations	8 Media organizations	
3.3						

### **PART III: Cross-Cutting Issues**

Is the project planning any significant events in the next six months? (eg. national dialogues, youth congresses, film screenings, etc.)

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**If yes, please state how many, and for each, provide the approximate date of the event and a brief description, including its key objectives, target audience and location (if known)**

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**Event Description**

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**Tentative Date**

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**Location**

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**Target Audience**

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**Event Objectives**

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<b>Event 1</b> .....	Refugee consultations with IDPs, Refugees and Returnees to identify priorities and recommendations .....	November-December 2023 .....	Uganda, Kenya and Ethiopia Wau, Raja, Juba, counties hosting refugees in the region .....	South Sudanese IDPs/ Returnees/ Refugees .....	Public consultations with South Sudan refugees on the establishment of the CTRH and CRA and general issues on transitional justice issues in South Sudan. Identify key priorities and recommendations for persons we serve that will enhance their participation in the implementation of the peace agreement including the constitution making and peace agreement implementation process which should provide solutions to their critical concerns .....
<b>Event 2</b> .....	Set up Victim Support Groups in South Sudan survivors of human rights violations .....	June-August .....	Greater Bahl El Ghazal; Greater Upper Nile and Greater Equatoria .....	Victim and survivors of the past human rights violations in South Sudan .....	The setting up of VSGs will aid in preparing victims and survivors on how to engage the CTRH and CRA when they are set up .....
<b>Event 3</b> .....	Media engagement and grassroots outreach on Transitional Justice in South Sudan .....	August-December .....	Greater Bah El Ghazal; Greater Upper Nile and Greater Equatoria .....	Victims and survivors as well as the general populace of South Sudan .....	This will create more public awareness on the need for transitional justice, what steps are being taken, and how the public can be engaged in the process. .....

<b>Event 4</b>	Technical support to the finalization of the CTRH and CRA Bills	June-December		South Sudanese	The finalization and ratification of the wo laws is critical in setting up the two mechanisms for transitional justice.
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## Human Impact

This section is about the human impact of the project. Please state the number of key stakeholders (including but not limited to: Civil Society Organizations, Beneficiaries, etc.) of the project, and for each, please briefly describe:

- i. The challenges/problem they faced prior to the project implementation
- ii. The impact of the project in their lives
- iii. Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from a representative of each stakeholder group

*This is an optional question. You may leave it unanswered if not relevant*

Human Impact	Key Stakeholder	What were the challenges they faced prior to project implementation? (350 words)	What has been the impact of the project on their lives? (350 words)	Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from a representative of each stakeholder group (350 words)

1	Peace building Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation Commission in Bor and Ruweng awareness raising events	Limited involvement and participation members of Peace building Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation Commission in Bor and Ruweng and lack of trained personnel on the ground to understand conflict sensitive training.	As part of the project, members of State-based PCRR Commission Bor and Ruweng now feel empowered to engage in sensitization on the transitional justice issues including healing and reconciliation.	Hon. John Maker Kuol, the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission in Ruweng Administrative Area. The Commissions are overlooked by ministries and are not supported adequately. Ministries think that dealing with peace is only sole responsibility of the Ministry of Peace and its commission.
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In addition to the stakeholder specific impact described above, please use this space to describe any additional human impact that the project has had (650 words)

**Through the training organized for media practitioners on transitional justice mechanisms. Example from a participant includes: Manyang James is a 22 year old male journalist working with Peace FM and a beneficiary of a training conducted to build the capacity of media organization on transitional justice. He was quoted saying "I am very impressed with what the project has done by offering us a very important training that changes how negatively we had been perceiving things before. I have now become an active member of the Union of Journalist because of this training which I attended and strengthened my capacity as individual. I am now able to cope with some challenges and overcome them. This is simply because I am now applying the basic principles of ethical and objectives on media reporting. The knowledge I have received from the training has helped me to understand more about the importance of forgiveness, trauma relief, taking no side while making media reports and encouraging peaceful coexistence among the community that live with trauma".**

You can also upload upto 3 files in various formats (picture files, powerpoint, pdf, video, etc..) to illustrate the human impact of the project

**OPTIONAL**

File 1

**OPTIONAL**

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File 2

**OPTIONAL**

Click here to upload file. (< 5MB)

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File 3

**OPTIONAL**

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You can also add upto 3 links to online resources which illustrate the human impact of the project

**OPTIONAL**

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Link 1

**OPTIONAL**

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Link 2

**OPTIONAL**

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Link 3

**OPTIONAL**

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Please tick the applicable change based on above narrative.

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How we worked: \*

*Please select up to 3.*

- Enhanced digitization
- Innovative ways of working
- Mobilized additional resources
- Improved or initiated policy frameworks
- Strengthened capacities
- Partnered with Civil Society Organizations
- Expanding coalitions & galvanizing political will
- Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- Strengthened partnerships with UN Agencies

Please explain

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

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Please explain

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

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Please explain

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

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Who are we working with (in addition to the implementing partners) \*

- Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- Strengthened partnerships within UN Agencies
- Partnered with local civil society organizations
- Partnered with local academia
- Partnered with sub-national entities
- Partnered with national entities
- Partnered with local volunteers

Please explain (If IFIs)

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

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Please explain (If UN Agencies)

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

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## Leave No one Behind

Select all beneficiaries targeted with the PBF resources as evidenced by the narrative \*

### Mandatory

- Unemployed persons
- Minorities (e.g. race, ethnicity, linguistic, religion, etc.)
- Indigenous communities
- Persons with Disabilities
- Persons affected by violence (e.g. GBV)
- Women
- Youth
- Minorities related to sexual orientation and/or gender identity and expression
- People living in and around border areas
- Persons affected by natural disasters
- Persons affected by armed conflicts
- Internally displaced persons, refugees or migrants

## PART IV: Monitoring, Evaluation and Compliance

### » Monitoring

Please list monitoring activities undertaken in the reporting period \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

- **The project staff has undertaken field visits, to monitor the implementation of project activities across all 10 States and 3 Administrative Areas.**
- **Regular meetings with partners that support implementation on the progress of developed workplans, joint meetings with stakeholders to ensure quality of interventions delivered.**
- **In locations where the CSOs and media organizations are implementing sensitization activities, CSOs are producing monthly reports forming the basis for regular monitoring.**

Do outcome indicators have baselines? \*

*If only some of the outcome indicators have baselines, select 'yes'*

- yes
- no

Please provide a brief description \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

- **The project used project activity and field monitoring reports, pictures, and testimonials. Others included meeting reports and outcome documents as well as a participants list.**



Elaborate on what sources of evidence have been used to report on indicators (and are available upon request) \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**The project has launched and concluded the conduct of baseline study during the reporting period. The data has informed the baseline status of the project.**

Has the project launched outcome level data collection initiatives? e.g. perception surveys \*

yes

no

Has the project used or established community feedback mechanisms? \*

yes

no

Please provide a brief description \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**: Not specific to the project but the feedback mechanisms were embedded in the specific agencies' accountability mechanisms to the affected communities that the agencies in partnership with the project.**

## » Evaluation

Is the project on track to conduct its evaluation? \*

yes

no

Not Applicable

Evaluation budget (in USD): \*

*Response required*

120000

If project will end in next six months, and the overall project budget is above 1.5 million, is your upcoming evaluation on track? (Preparations) \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**At the Terms of reference for Evaluation.**

Please mention the focal person accountable for sharing the final evaluation report with the PBF, name and email.

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## » Catalytic Effect

Catalytic Effect (financial): Indicate funding agent and amount of additional non-PBF funding support that has been leveraged by the project since it started. (y/n) \*

- yes  
 no

Catalytic Effect (non-financial): Has the project enabled or created a larger or longer-term peacebuilding change to occur? \*

- No catalytic effect  
 Some catalytic effect  
 Significant catalytic effect  
 Very Significant catalytic effect  
 Don't Know  
 Too early to tell

## Sustainability

Does the project have an explicit exit strategy?

Please describe any steps that have been taken to ensure sustainability of peacebuilding gains beyond the duration of the project. \*

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

**No**

Are there any other issues concerning project implementation that you want to share, including any capacity needs of the recipient organizations?

*Please limit your response to 350 words.*

## Monitoring and Oversight Activities

Please describe any key event related to monitoring and oversight. Please click next if no activities have yet taken place.

**Monitoring and oversight activities**

**Name of the Event**

**Summary**

**Key Findings**

<p><b>Event 1</b></p>	<p>Data collection (Baseline Study)</p>	<p>Following standard practice, baseline study was intended to enable measurable monitoring of progress and reporting on the outcomes of project activities. To measure the results, during and at the end of the project, conducted a project baseline survey in selected areas across the country with focus on where the project is being implemented. The survey provided the project with data to (1) guide evidence-based recommendations for project implementation, inform adjustments and improvements and (2) inform the level and type of inclusive consultations, dialogues, advocacy, analysis and action/decision that would better facilitate the transitional justice. Specific objectives for the survey included: • Assess the validity and feasibility of project indicators including determination of the baseline values and targets at outcome and output levels. • Review and validate the feasibility of the project Theory of Change in guiding the implementation of the project. • Check, review and validate the project risks and assumption respective project implementation environment in South Sudan. • Assess the readiness, willingness of the people of South Sudan, focusing on vulnerable groups, to effectively participate in the Transitional Justice process. • Assesses the level of understanding and knowledge of the process, content and respective</p>	<p>Specific objectives for the survey included: • Assess the validity and feasibility of project indicators including determination of the baseline values and targets at outcome and output levels. • Review and validate the feasibility of the project Theory of Change in guiding the implementation of the project. • Check, review and validate the project risks and assumption respective project implementation environment in South Sudan. • Assess the readiness, willingness of the people of South Sudan, focusing on vulnerable groups, to effectively participate in the Transitional Justice process. • Assesses the level of understanding and knowledge of the process, content and respective roles at all various levels in the transitional justice process, focusing particularly on the vulnerable groups.</p>
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<b>Event 2</b>			
<b>Event 3</b>			
<b>Event 4</b>			
<b>Event 5</b>			
<b>Event 6</b>			
<b>Event 7</b>			
<b>Event 8</b>			

**Final Steps**

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