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GIRAF 2015 WORKSHOP

06 - 09 October 2015, Maputo Mozambique

RETURN TO WORK (RTW) PLANS FOR UNDP SPONSORED PARTICIPANTS

I. RETURN-TO-WORK PLANS

Return to Work projects are a valuable mechanism for workshop participants' personal and professional development. As part of your sponsorship, you are required to develop a return-to-work plan on a project you will undertake on your return, applying the knowledge and skills gained from this 4th GIRAF workshop to influence change.

Periodic follow-up on the progress of implementation of the plan will be undertaken by UNDP, with the first update expected at the 2-month mark, in December 2015. A subsequent follow-up in April 2016 will be undertaken and periodic follow-ups thereafter.

II. REPORTING STRUCTURE FOR RETURN-TO-WORK PLANS

To facilitate ease of reporting and follow-up on your return to work project, the structure below outlines the key project elements that need to be covered in the reporting. **Please submit a draft Return to Work Project (RWP)** using the structure provided below.

REPORTING STRUCTURE

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Brief Description of the project:	Create a business development center, identify artisanal and small scale miners of low value materials (development minerals) and work with them to enhance their work. Use their provided materials to build (with existing materials and new types of materials developed from laterite, sand, cement, plastic, sawdust.) and develop others sectors or enterprises. Search, characterization, mining and use of the raw materials (building, dimension and semi-precious stones).
Expected Outcomes:	Support the provision of solutions associated with environmental, climate change (conservation of energy), problems as well as reduction of poverty, provision of housing and tackling sustainable development problems.
Expected Outputs:	Means of creation, moving, sites acquisition, equipment (research, characterization, mining and building.).

<p>Please describe how you plan to implement the return to work project: (outline key partnerships and collaborations across sectors in your country as well as any joint collaboration with other countries)</p>	<p>Partnerships with national and university building and public work laboratories (LBTP, LGTB, etc.), others business development centers, the mining and building ministries and workers (high and small scales enterprises), civil society, and with other country like Lesotho (working in the same way), and boundary countries which have the same problems, exporting the project. We will bring them what we know and take what they have.</p>
<p>What indicators of success will you employ? (include indicators of success that go beyond activity-level implementation)</p>	<p>There are many ASMQ with women. I did it so I know it. They need help. There is only one big enterprise which works on gravel. There are many products which are not valorized. Low cost of the new materials developed.</p>
<p>What other strategic opportunities have you identified that will contribute to the success and sustainability of your project? (include opportunities linked to national level policy, strategies and programmes as well as linkage to sub-regional and regional agenda)</p>	<p>In our country and region, national policies are for the building of many houses with low cost, because there is a great problem of housing everywhere, in big towns and villages. So there are looking for opportunity for that. There are such programs in their agendas.</p>
<p>What aspects of the training will be most useful in implementing your project? Explain</p>	<p>Really I think that the most aspects of the training will be useful. First because many things we talk about in the training are about building. Also I want to include all these others aspects after.</p>
<p>What are your future plans? (include any additional capacity building needs for your professional development that you have identified during the course of the workshop).</p>	<p>As future plans I will need to perfectly master market analysis and investment promotion and relationships. Geoinformatic is also a way I have to make better and I will need to have the hand in architecture and it link with geology.</p>

III. SUBMISSION DATE OF THE DRAFT RETURN-TO-WORK PROJECT

The draft Return to Work project is due **by Friday 16th October 2015** and should be sent to: Daniel Franks (daniel.franks@undp.org)