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#### Annex I

### TERMS OF REFERENCE

#### **FOR**

Call for Proposals - Year: 2020

# For Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), Women's and Youth Organizations to implement activities towards

## Strengthening Peace, Reconciliation and Social Cohesion in South Sudan

The objective of this call for proposal is to facilitate local communities to address negative community practices towards social cohesion; strengthen community structures to facilitate trauma healing and reconciliation; and to strengthen social cohesion through social, cultural and economic initiatives for women and youth to deepen relationships and offer alternatives to violent practices.

The aim of this call is to identify CSOs, women and youth groups with operational presence and capacities in the identified conflict clusters of South Sudan to carry out the following activities in line with the above objective.

# Geographical focus of the project:

The projects will be implemented in the following conflict clusters and UNDP coordination offices:

Coordination Office/Cluster	Focus Areas under each coordination office/Cluster
Bor coordination office/Cluster	Pibor, Bor, Twic East, Duk, Ayod, Lopa/Lafon, Kapoeta,
	Fangak and Jebel Boma
Torit coordination office/Cluster	Magwi, Yei, Ikotos, Torit, Kajo-Keji and Juba
Rumbek coordination office/Cluster	Rumbek East, Wulu, Awerial, Mvolo, Terekeka, Mundri East,
	Mundri West, Yirol, Rumbek Centre, Rumbek North and
	Cueibet
Aweil coordination office/Cluster	Aweil Centre, Aweil South, Aweil North, Aweil West and
	Aweil East
Bentiu coordination office/Cluster	Ruweng, Guit, Koch and Rubkona
Kuajok coordination office/Cluster	Jur River, Tonj and Gogrial
Malakal coordination office/Cluster	Panyikang, Malakal and Kodok
Juba office	Central Equatoria state

#### Note:

- The selected CSOs will work closely with the UNDP coordination office in the selected cluster in order to harmonize their activities with the UNDP priorities and to ensure sustainability of initiatives undertaken.
- The selected CSOs will be expected to work with the established UNDP structures and infrastructures like the peace committees, youth and women centers, community markets and other ongoing UNDP projects in the respective areas to deliver the activities mention.
- Prior to the start of implementation, UNDP will hold a workshop for the selected CSOs to jointly develop a common understanding and standard approaches to the implementation of the project.
- The selected CSOs will also be subjected to UNDP micro-assessment.

# Specific outputs, activities and deliverables:

# Slot 1: To address negative community practices and strengthen social cohesion

The specific activities to be undertaken by the selected CSO are:

- 1. Advocate for development of a state specific policies on cattle migration
- 2. Initiatives to reduce cattle raiding related violence
- 3. Initiatives to reduce child abduction
- 4. Initiatives and action against child marriage

# **Deliverables per cluster:**

- 1. At least 5 community consultations and advocacy workshops with local governance and community leaders conducted on the need for a policy on <u>seasonal movement of cattle during dry season</u>, with clear strategies/action plan (not less than 200 people);
- 2. At least 5 community consultations and advocacy workshops with decision makers and community leaders conducted on need for a policy on <u>prevention of cattle raiding</u>, with clear strategies/action plan (not less than 200 people);
- 3. At least 5 community consultations and advocacy workshops with decision makers and community leaders undertaken to seek views and commitment of communities on <u>ending child abduction</u> with clear strategies/action plan (not less than 200 people);
- 4. At least 5community consultations and advocacy workshops with decision makers and community leaders undertaken to seek views and commitment of communities on <u>ending child marriage</u> with clear strategies/action plan (not less than 200 people).

# Slot 2: To facilitate trauma healing and reconciliation

The specific activities to be undertaken by the <u>selected CSO</u> are:

- 1. Public awareness and sensitization on the Commission for Truth, Reconciliation and Healing (CTHR) in the revitalized agreement
- 2. In collaboration with UNDP, establish psychosocial support groups and support community trauma healing and reconciliation (UNDP will directly train the counselors)
- 3. Promoting women as volunteer counsellors in trauma healing and reconciliation
- 4. Organise intergenerational dialogues and intercommunal learning exchanges

### **Deliverables per cluster:**

- 1. At least 5 sensitization workshops on the Commission for Truth, Reconciliation and Healing conducted reaching over 500 people;
- 2. At least 10 psychosocial support groups formed and supported through psychosocial support and empowerment initiatives reaching at least 200 trauma survivors;
- 3. At least 5 intergenerational dialogues conducted reaching over 1,000 people;
- 4. At least 5 intercommunal learning exchanges conducted reaching over 200 people;
- 5. Facilitate 180 trained women counselors who will be part of trauma healing and reconciliation women benches to support individual support to conflict related trauma victims.

# Slot 1 and 2: Up to 2 CSOs per cluster will be selected

- US\$ 70,000 per CSO for slot 1 &2;
- US\$ 35,000 per CSO for EITHER slot 1 or 2;

One CSO can apply for both slot 1 and 2 (in one proposal) for US\$ 70,000, but proposed interventions of both slots must be in one cluster.

# Slot 3: To strengthen social cohesion through social, cultural and economic initiatives

The specific activities to be undertaken by the selected CSO are:

- 1. Social and economic activities for women and girls social
- 2. Advocate for women participation in decision making
- 3. Sport, arts and culture activities for youth
- 4. Peace journalism and community media related initiatives

# Deliverables per cluster:

## • Women:

- At least 5 income generating activities initiated for groups of women and girls reaching over 100 women and girls;
- At least 5 social cultural events organised for women and girls reaching over 500 women and girls;
- At least 3 advocacy engagement meetings with decision makers on women participation in peace and governance process at the local level with clear action plans/strategy/decisions.

#### • Youth:

- At least 5 sports for peace events conducted reaching over 1,000 youth;
- Engage the youth in activities that could change the narrative of South Sudan, from war to peace including: production of at least 10 short 3-5 minutes documentary films; photo exhibitions and interactive community theatres;
- O Support the youth to organise at least 5 arts and cultural peace events reaching over 1,000 youth;
- o Engage at least 100 youth in income generating activities to give them alternative livelihoods from conflicts.

# • Media:

- At least 10 listeners club formed and operationalized reaching over 200 people;
- o One media competition conducted reaching over 50 journalists and presenters;
- One training for 70 journalists on conflict and gender sensitive reporting conducted;
- At least one national level peace conference conducted for the media fraternity including community radio.

NB: This grant in Slot 3 is specifically for the youth, women and media CSOs

Slot 3: Up to 2 CSOs per cluster will be selected (US\$ 40,000 per CSO)

CSOs should choose the activities from EITHER youth, women or media

# Slot 4: To facilitate and advocate for inclusive dialogue, reconciliation and social cohesion at national level

The specific activities to be undertaken by the <u>selected CSO</u> are:

- 1. Public awareness and sensitization on the Commission for Truth, Reconciliation and Healing (CTHR) in the revitalized agreement
- 2. Advocate for women participation in decision making
- 3. Organise intergenerational dialogues and intercommunal learning exchanges

# **Deliverables:**

- 1. At least 5 sensitization workshops on the Commission for Truth, Reconciliation and Healing conducted at the national level reaching over 200 people;
- 2. At least 8 advocacy engagement meetings with decision makers on women participation in peace and governance process at the national level with clear action plans/strategy/decisions;
- 3. At least 5 intergenerational dialogues conducted reaching over 200 people.

Slot 4: Up to 2 CSOs will be selected, US\$ 50,000 per CSO