## NAMIBIA PRRO 200061

B/R No.: 05

# **BUDGET REVISION FOR THE APPROVAL OF REGIONAL DIRECTOR**

		<u>Initials</u>	<u>In Date</u>	<u>Out Date</u>	<u>Reason</u> For Delay
<b>ORIGINATOR</b>					
Country Office or Regional Bureau on behalf of Country Office					
<u>CLEARANCE</u>					
Project Budget & Program	ming Officer, RMBP				
Chief, RMBP					
Chief, ODLT (change in LTSH and/or External Transport)					
<u>APPROVAL</u>					
Regional Director					
PROJECT Start date: 01 Jan 2010	End date: 31 Dec 2012	Extension perio	od: 4 months	New end date: 3	30 Apr 2013
	Previous Budge	t Revisio	n	New Budget	
Food cost <sup>1</sup> External transport <sup>2</sup> LTSH <sup>3</sup> ODOC <sup>4</sup> DSC <sup>5</sup> ISC (7%) <sup>6</sup> Total WFP cost (US\$)       All figures rounded to the       TYPE OF REVISION       X Additional commodia	ity 🛛 Additional	US\$ 13	2 739 39 262 8 910 36 202 ditional ODOC	US\$ 2 515 403 US\$ 108 439 US\$ 300 460 US\$ 40 578 US\$ 391 972 US\$ 234 980 US\$ 3 591 832	LTSH
Additional external transport Extension in time Other					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Food cost can comprise both commodities and cash/voucher transfers.

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  The first leg of transport for commodities: from the donor country to the recipient country port, or in cases of regional commodity purchases, from the place of purchase to the recipient country.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Landside, Transport, Storage and Handling - LTSH comprises the actions required to (a) care for and (b) physically deliver the commodities from the completion of external transport through to final distribution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Other Direct Operational Costs - ODOC include deliverable goods (non-food items), services and training to beneficiaries and/or to implementing partners.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Direct Support Costs - DSC are those costs which are incurred directly in support of projects by a WFP Country Office.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Indirect Support Costs - ISC is a fixed rate resourced from all donor contributions, which is used to cover (non-project) corporate overhead costs, i.e. PSA.

### NATURE OF THE REVISION

- 1. This fifth budget revision to Namibia's Protracted Relief and Recovery Operation (PRRO 200061) is required to extend in time the operation by four additional months beyond the current end date of 31 December 2012, in order to finalize the distribution of the remaining food commodities still available under this project
- 2. This budget revision will increase the budget plan by an additional US\$ 136,202 and reflects the following requirements:
  - Increased food commodity requirements by US\$ 75,291;
  - ▶ Increased landside transport, storage and handling (LTSH) by US\$ 12,739;
  - ▶ Increased direct support costs (DSC) by US\$ 39,262; and
  - ▶ Increased indirect support costs (ISC) by US\$ 8,910.

### JUSTIFICATION FOR BUDGET REVISION

#### Summary of existing project activities

- 3. Since 2000, WFP has provided food assistance to Angolan refugees and asylum seekers at Osire Refugee Settlement and, more recently, to those seeking refugee status due to insecurity in the Great Lakes region. WFP food assistance to refugees is an integral part of the United Nations Assistance Development Framework for Namibia and contributes towards the achievement of MDGs 1 and 4. Apart from the issuance of General Food Rations to meet their basic food needs, additional assistance in the form of Supplementary Feeding has also been provided to a relatively small number of malnourished and chronically ill children aimed at improving their nutritional status.
- 4. In May/June 2012, UNHCR and the Government of Namibia implemented a 'Cessation Clause' for Angolan refugees, which brought the 'refugee' status of the concerned camp population to an end. UNHCR subsequently organized a voluntary repatriation exercise that oversaw the repatriation of over 2,700 Angolan refugees. As a consequence, the total number of refugees and asylum seekers supported with WFP food assistance fell below the critical ceiling of 5,000. As such, and consistent with the global WFP/UNHCR Memorandum of Understanding, WFP began steps to handover to UNHCR responsibility for food assistance. This arrangement was formally addressed under the WFP/UNHCR Country Level Agreement which set a handover date of 31 December 2012.

#### **Purpose of budget revision**

- 5. WFP Namibia anticipates that there will be a balance of 235 mt of food commodities on 31 December 2012. These food commodities are intended for refugee feeding, representing enough for roughly four months supply.
- 6. To date, UNHCR has not yet fully established a system for resourcing food for distribution to the residual refugee caseload after WFP planned withdrawal at the end of December 2012. In order to avoid a break in the food commodities supplied to the former refugees, and in light of available residual food stocks for which WFP has no other use for in Namibia, WFP has

selected to process an extension in time of the PRRO to allow the distribution of existing food stocks. The food will cover needs for a period of roughly four months (January through April 2013), and be carried out under the existing distribution mechanisms. This extension in time will give UNHCR the additional time they need to put in place a system for taking over food procurement and delivery responsibilities.

7. The number of beneficiaries for this four month period will be 2,500. There will be no change in ration sizes or distribution modalities.

TABLE 1. BENEFICIARIES BY ACTIVITY TYPE					
	Beneficiaries				
Activity	Present	Decrease	Revised		
Refugees	6,000	3,500	2,500		
Total	6,000	3,500	2,500		

DISTRIBUTION: DED, OD Deputy COO & Director, ODE Chief, ODLT Country Director OD Registry Director, ERD and COO

Director, ODX Chief, RMBP Chief, ODXR Programme Officer, RMBP Programming Assistant, RMBP Liaison Officer, ODJoburg Chief, ODXP Regional Director RB Programme Advisor RB Programme Assistant RB Chrono