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## UN Supported National Development Results in 2013

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This brief highlights major national development results supported by the United Nations in Zimbabwe in 2013. The results below are summarised from *the 2013 Zimbabwe UN Development Assistance Framework (ZUNDAF) Annual Review Report* endorsed by the Government, the UN Country Team and Development Partners during the ZUNDAF High Level Annual Review Meeting.

The United Nations in Zimbabwe works in partnership with the Government of Zimbabwe and in collaboration with Development Partners. With the generous financial support of donors in 2013, the UN in Zimbabwe delivered USD 372 million in grants, contributing to the achievement of national development results.

### Good Governance for Sustainable Development

- New National Constitution finalized and adopted.
- National Peace and Reconciliation Commission established with 20 multi-stakeholder roundtable dialogues conducted.
- Junior parliamentarians and 52,000 children trained on national budgeting processes.
- Over 1,500 survivors of domestic violence accessed victim friendly courts.
- Performance management systems of 16 pilot local authorities reviewed to enhance accountability and effective public service delivery.
- Close to 2,000 newly elected local authorities' councillors trained on the administration of council.
- National platforms, including the Organ for National Healing, Reconciliation and Integration, supported to enhance people's participation in democratic governance processes.

### Pro-Poor Sustainable Growth and Economic Development

- Over 5,200 youth trained for self or wage employment with an employment rate of approximately 90%.
- Over 800 small businesses owners in the informal economy supported in various trades, with these businesses showing an average increase of 35% profit.
- National Debt Magement and Financial Analysis System upgraded.
- Over 200 accountants trained under the Public Finance Management System End-User Training.
- Seven major national surveys & studies supported, including the 2012 National Population Census and the 2011/12 Poverty, Income and Consumption Expenditure Survey.

### Food Security at Household and National Levels

- National Food and Nutrition Policy launched.
- 47,800 vulnerable households received crops and livestock input vouchers.
- 1,430,541 food insecure people assisted under seasonal targeted assistance programme.
- 405,310 people received assistance under the health and nutrition programme.
- 210,817 food insecure people received supplement foods in 22 districts; and 295,832 people in drought affected areas benefited from the food for assets programme.
- Over 87,000 livestock protected from the effects of drought.
- Agricultural infrastructure development and rehabilitation completed (dip tanks, irrigation, dams, gardens and ponds).

## Sound Management and Use of the Environment, Natural Resources and Land for Sustainable Development

- National Climate Change Response Strategy developed.
- National Early Warning Systems in place, with reports on food security, and with crop, livestock and vulnerability assessments.
- Disaster Risk Management database established.
- 29 wetlands in Harare gazetted, and 7 wetland sites in Zimbabwe recognized by the International Convention on Wetlands.

## Access and Utilization of Quality Basic Social Services For All

- Access to primary education maintained at 96.7% and an 86.3% completion rate ensured.
- 342,000 orphans and vulnerable pupils assisted to continue their education.
- 1:1 pupil to textbook ratio maintained to all primary and secondary school children.
- Immunization coverage maintained at 95%, and 90% of all health facilities have 80% of essential drugs.
- 70% of all health facilities have integrated maternal and new born services.
- Over 3 million children reached with mass drug administration.
- Over 33,000 poor households benefited from bi-monthly cash transfers.
- Over 90,000 children at risk of violence, exploitation and neglect accessed specialized child protection services.
- Over 35,000 returned migrants received assistance.
- National Water Policy launched and National Sanitation and Hygiene Strategy adopted.
- 1 million people accessed improved water supply services.
- Some 7 million people received regular hygiene messages through mobile phones.
- A five-year National Housing Delivery Programme in place.

## Universal Access to HIV Prevention, Care and Treatment

- Over 1.7 million people received voluntary HIV counselling and testing.
- Over 75,000 men voluntarily circumcised to reduce rate of exposure to HIV infection.
- Over 635,000 adults and children received free antiretroviral therapy.
- 81% of HIV infected pregnant women and 74% of infants received antiretroviral prophylaxis treatment, contributing to the reduction of mother to child transmission from 18% in 2011 to 8.8% in 2013
- 78% survival at 12 months achieved after initiation of treatment for people living with HIV.

## Women Empowerment, Gender Equality and Equity

- Women in parliament increased from 18% (55) to 35% (123) through special measure adopted in the New National Constitution
- Two shelters and a one stop centre for survivors of gender based violence established.
- 16,000 children and 700 adults (victims of gender based violence) accessed free and integrated health, psychosocial and legal services.

