SAC Update

OBJECTIVE

• Allow donors to rationally apportion funds to places of greatest human need as defined by impact on communities;
• Permit national authorities to develop national plans focusing on regions and areas of greatest impact; and
• Give implementers baseline impact data that will provide success indicators for mine action programs.

SAC Update - SWG

Survey Working Group (SWG) Members:

AAR – Japan, GICHD – Switzerland, HI - Belgium/France, LSN – USA, MI – Germany, MAG – UK, MCPA – Afghanistan, NPA – Norway UNMAS – UN, VVAF - USA
SAC Update - Donors

US Department of State  US $ 7,033,000
Canada – CIDA & DFAIT  US $ 5,271,000
European Commission  US $ 1,538,000 (Pld)
United Kingdom – DFID  US $ 842,000
United Nations Foundation  US $ 825,000

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Foundations  US $ 423,000
[Rockefeller, J & C MacArthur, Compton]

Japan  US $ 450,000
Norway – MFA  US $ 373,000
VVAF  US $ 300,000
Handicap International – Fr.  US $ 150,000
Australia  US $ 115,000
Germany  US $ 100,000
Finland  US $ 92,000
World Bank  US $ 20,000
SAC Update – Completed

Kosovo – Modified impact survey. Completed February 2000
Yemen – Completed and certified by the UN Certification Committee in August 2000. MCPA
Chad – Data collection completed May 2001. HI
Thailand – Data collection Completed April 2001. NPA

SAC - Ongoing

Mozambique – Data collections will be completed May 2001. CIDC
Cambodia – Data collection on going. Geospatial
SAC Update - **Planned**

**Vietnam** – Assessment will be conducted in May 2001 and operation will begin soon after

**Lebanon** – Assessment completed. Survey is planned to commence summer 2001

**Somalia** – Assessment completed. Survey to start as soon as funding is made available

**Azerbaijan** – Assessment completed. Survey to start as soon as funding is made available

**Afghanistan** – Assessment completed. Survey to start as soon as funding is made available

**Eritrea** – ASM will be conducted in May 2001. Planning to start survey during summer 2001

**Ethiopia** – UN has requested that an Impact Survey be conducted. ASM planned.

**Nicaragua** – OAS and government of Nicaragua have requested SAC to conduct a study of existing data
SAC Update - Possibilities

Bosnia & Hezegovenia
Angola
Senegal and
Guinea Bissau

SAC Update – 4 Yr. Plan

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Landmine Impact Survey

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SAC Update - Capabilities

Technical Advisory Team – A specialized SAC team of internationally recognized experts in social science, survey, GIS, and statistics is available to assist with surveys in the field and to help with later analysis.


Survey Information – The SAC information management office supports national surveys with map sets and GIS data.

Data Base – The SWG established the principles of Landmine Impact Survey. SAC and UNMAS developed the survey protocols and questionnaire. In cooperation from the Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining, this data set is now integrated into the UN Information Management System for Mine Action (IMSMA). The field module is available for national surveys.
SAC Update - Capabilities

**Training** – SAC has provided detailed Landmine Impact Survey training to representatives of more than 20 organizations in the donor, UN and NGO communities. SAC will continue to provide this service to organizations preparing to implement surveys.

**WorldWideWeb Site** – The Global Landmine Survey will maintain a web site allowing access to survey information referenced geographically.

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