



| 21st Anti-Personnel Mine Ban Convention - Inter-Sessional Meeting

**Senegal's Individualized Approach: Senegal's Mine
Action Programme: Overview of Remaining Challenges
and Needs**

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HAMAP-Humanitaire

Founded in 1999, HAMAP-Humanitaire is an international development aid NGO. Its mission is to **enable populations to access, recover and develop their land and water resources.**

In the face of conflict and climate change, HAMAP-Humanitaire supports **local organizations** in their various projects, promoting environmentally-friendly use.

MINE ACTION

**ACCESS TO WATER AND
SANITATION**

IRAQ

Contribute to a safer Sinjar by clearing mines and raising awareness of the risks of explosive devices, through capacity-building a local NGO SHO.



Duration

6 months (02/2023 – 08/2023)



Beneficiaries

5'280 through EORE

78'007 through clearance activities



Budget

1'117'198€



Partnership and financial support

- **Implementation:** SHO
- **Financial support:** Centre de Crise et de Soutien du ministère de l'Europe et des Affaires Etrangères

MAURITANIA

Contribute to PNDHD's mandate to ensure the safety of the civilian population of the Nouadhibou peninsula.



Duration

15 months (11/2022 – 01/2024)



Beneficiaries

140,000 people living in Nouadhibou, through mine clearance

30,000 people in the Dakhlet-Nouadhibou region through EORE



Budget

1 666 000 €



Partnership and financial support

- **Implementation :** PNDHD
- **Financial support :** Centre de Crise et de Soutien du ministère de l'Europe et des Affaires Etrangères

SYRIA

ENDED

Contribute to improving the safety of the living environment of the population and displaced persons in the NES by carrying out mine clearance operations and explosive ordnance risk education.



Duration

11 months (09/2021 - 08/2022)



Beneficiaries

79,640 people, including 9,640 through EORE and 70,000 through to mine clearance



Budget

1 930 287 €

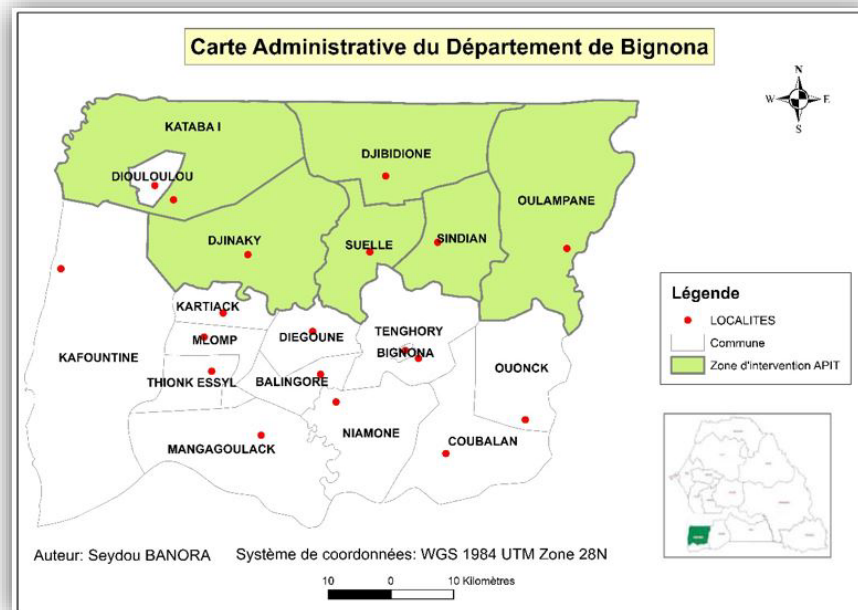


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HAMAP-Humanitaire intervention in Senegal

HAMAP-Humanitaire wishes to support and participate to the mine action dynamic in Senegal, with the aim of **providing security for vulnerable populations in the Bignona department, by supporting CNAMS mandate in line with its international commitments.**



The current situation

Today in Senegal, all demining operators are stressing the same needs: **the completion of the non-technical surveys as soon as possible in order to establish a complete baseline estimate of the remaining contamination.**

**1,593,487 m² estimated nationwide
and 1,100,000 m² in the Ziguinchor
region alone**

**118 localities not visited, including
101 in the Bignona department alone**

**9 Suspected hazardous areas in
the Ziguinchor region,
hypothetically covering 1.1 km².**

**37 Confirmed hazardous areas
in the Ziguinchor region,
covering 0.49 km².**

**A mine-free Senegal can only be
credible if its contamination is
recognized and quantified**



Our approach

HAMAP-Humanitaire's approach to this project is based on the fundamental pillar of **local capacity building**.

Support mine clearance in Senegal by strengthening the organizational and technical capacity of local civil society

- ❖ Development of local skills that can be deployed on a national or sub-regional scale;
- ❖ Implementation of the project's operational activities by **APIT-Humanitaire**, with the support of HAMAP-Humanitaire regional experts;
- ❖ **HAMAP-Humanitaire** will be responsible for project monitoring, capacity building, quality assurance, supervision and ongoing mentoring.

Ongoing coordination with international operators

- Handicap International
- Mines Advisory Group (MAG)
- HD

Phase I - Supporting the mandate of the Centre National Action Antimines in Senegal, by identifying contaminated areas in the Ziguinchor region

- ❖ **Raise awareness among vulnerable populations** in the Bignona department by promoting safe behaviour in the face of explosive risk
- ❖ **Maintain and strengthen community links** in order to perpetuate safe behavior and **identify contaminated areas** in the Bignona department.
- ❖ **Strengthening local mine action capacities** within the Senegalese NGO APIT-Humanitaire



12 months



620k €



APIT
Humanitaire

Area of intervention: Ziguinchor region, Bignona department



Thank you very much for listening !

