## **OPERATION EVALUATION**

[Ethiopia PRRO 200290, Responding to Humanitarian Crisis and Enhancing Resilience: An evaluation of WFP's Operation (2012-2015)

**Management Response** 

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## Detailed responses to evaluation recommendations

	Management	Management			
Evaluation Recommendations	Accepted, partially accepted or not accepted and COMMENT on the Recommendation, providing clear reasoning for partially accepted and not accepted	Action	Responsible CO unit	Timeframe	Further funding required (Y or N)
Strategic Recommendations Recommendation 1: WFP to design a strategy and strategic results-based framework for capacity development for its activities	Accepted	Will be done along with the preparation of the new PRRO starting July 2015	Programme Unit	By June 2015	N
Recommendation 2: Develop lowland pastoral strategy better suited to pastoralists livelihoods	Accepted	Will be done along with the preparation of the new PRRO starting July 2015	Programme Unit	By June 2015	Y
Recommendation 3: Comprehensive approach to building resilience capacity in its programme	Accepted	Working closely with FAO and UNICEF to build joint programming on resilience building activities. Linkages between relief, PSNP and TSF under the PRRO and School feeding and local purchases from small holder farmers also being explored and piloted.	Programme Unit	By June 2015	Y

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Operational Recommendations Recommendation 1: Advocate with donors who stopped funding TSF by informing them of programme improvements	Accepted	Following the Evaluation mission several donor missions have taken place and TSF-specific discussion have taken place.	Donor relations team/ Programme Unit/ Country Director	Ongoing	N
<b>Recommendation 2:</b> NNP links with M&E data on Nutrition	Accepted	This is already underway, as MAM indicators for PLW and children are included in the draft indicators list of the health management information system (HMIS) of the ministry of health (MOH).	Nutrition team in Programme unit	December 2014	N
<b>Recommendation 3:</b> Scale up TSF programming approach using monthly distribution method	Accepted	Will await TSF impact evaluation report and donors' response before action	Nutrition team in Programme unit.	December 2014	Y
<b>Recommendation 4:</b> Strengthen M&E systems for all components	Accepted	M&E systems at CO have already been revised and efforts now will be to ensure implementation	M&E team at CO	Ongoing process	N

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Operational Recommendations Recommendation 1: Strengthen Government capacity in emergency response	Accepted	Two components of FMIP will specifically address strengthening of Government capacity. The Commodity Accounting and Tracking System (CATS) will be launched and handed over to the government in July 2014. The Commodity Manual English version is ready and is being translated into Amharic. The training will start in 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter 2014 and will be completed by 2 <sup>nd</sup> qtr 2015. An amended Supply Chain Management course to be repeated in 2014.	Logistics Unit	Ongoing	Y
		Early warning system LEAP in place. This is managed by Government with WFP support. This handing over process will be continued	VAM Unit	Ongoing	Y

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		Additionally, a plan for capacity development is being worked out with MoA/DRMFSS for the roll-out to the Regions of the new DRM policy.	VAM Unit	July 2015	Y
<b>Recommendation 2:</b> Institutionalize FMIP &CATS	Accepted	There is a 'long tail' strategy to ensure that both CATS and the Commodity Manual are institutionalized	Logistics Unit	Ongoing	Y
Recommendation 3: Integrate NRM and PSNP	Accepted	Already integrated in current PRRO – NRM/MERET team is engaged in the implementation of PSNP public works activities. The team has been engaged in the technical committees for new PSNP design process.	Programme Unit – NRM/ PSNP team	Ongoing	Ν