Meeting Minutes, 09 November 2021
Nigeria, Maiduguri

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Maiduguri, Nigeria – online

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ACTION POINTS
- Organisations are recommended to release long standing cargo from the common storage warehouses.
- When making cargo movement request to UNHAS organisations are required to copy nga.mai.cargo@premiere-urgence.org (phone: 07039060032).

AGENDA
1. Road Access
2. Cargo movement updates
3. Storage Service(s) update
4. AOB and Questions

1. Road Access

- The north route to Monguno has experienced increasing challenges in cargo movement; however, new discussions with Maiduguri Theatre Command (TC) and other parties have clarified that armed escorts are not mandatory along the route, which should allow for faster movement coordination.
- NorthWest route: Armed escorts are no longer mandated for movement to Magumeri, Gubio, and Damasak.
- The west route to Damaturu is accessible without armed escorts.
- The south-west route to Damboa is still inaccessible without escort. The longer route through Damboa is the recommended alternative. Physical road conditions along the route have improved slightly.
- The southern route to Bama and Banki remains accessible without escort until the Banki Junction. The road to Banki has now been officially reopened.
- The north-eastern route is accessible with escort. Rann is now accessible for smaller trucks (10-15 MT).
- The roads from Pulka to Gwoza and Gwoza to Madagali are accessible. The military carries out regular patrols/ escorts along the route (especially between Gwoza and Pulka).

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- Adamawa: The collapsed bridge between Michika and Madagali has not yet been repaired. However, a temporary arrangement has been put in place which allows movement of vehicles.

2. Cargo Movement Update

- An escort is planned to Damasak and Monguno within the week.

3. Storage Service(s) Update

**Monguno (Managed by Intersos)**
- In the Monguno warehouse, there is 33 percent storage space available. Over the past two weeks, seven partners have been provided with storage services, consisting in 439.63 m3 of cargo received and 32 consignments processed (12 received and 20 released). Currently 303.363 mt and 836.907 m3 of cargo is stored.
- The warehouse was fumigated.
- The timber shed is full, and the outside storage of timber is currently being used. INTERSOS is continuing to appeal to partners for the release of longstanding cargo.
- Maintenance on the MSUs is needed as some shaking of the structure was observed.

**Banki (Managed by Intersos)**
- In the Banki warehouse, there is 20 percent storage space available. Over the past two weeks, four partners have been provided with storage services, consisting of 558.99 m3 of cargo received. Currently 117.45 mt and 654.61 m3 of cargo is stored.
- The warehouse fire extinguishers were serviced.
- The timber shed is full.

**Bama (Managed by Salient)**
- In the Bama warehouse, there is 13 percent storage space available. Over the past two weeks, eight partners have been provided with storage services, consisting of 291.05 m3 of cargo moved (106.80 m3 received and 184.24 m3 released).
- The fire extinguishers have been scheduled for servicing.
- The space constraint remains a challenge at the Bama warehouse.
- Appealing to partners for release of longstanding cargo to increase available space.
- A curfew is now active in the town from 21:00 until 06:00 the next day.

**Ngala (Managed by eHealth Africa)**
- In the Ngala warehouse, there is 44 percent storage space available. Over the past two weeks, three partners have been provided with storage services, consisting in 9.945 m3 of cargo received.
The generator’s broken fan-blade has been replaced and the generator is now functioning, however it has not been possible to assess the corrupt OSD memory or find a replacement.

Two timber sheds 91 percent full and open slab is 61 percent full.

Due to the recent attacks in Rann, Ngala is on alert and the local curfew remains the same, starting at 17:00 for vehicles and 18:00 for pedestrians.

**Dikwa (Managed by Acted)**

- In the Dikwa warehouse, there is 66.7 percent storage space available. Over the past two weeks, two partners have been provided with storage services, consisting in 5.83 m³ of cargo dispatched and 3 consignments addressed.
- Partners are encouraged to communicate with the storage team 24 hours prior to reception or dispatch of consignments to enable the team to plan.
- There has been discussion with partners to plan regarding any longstanding cargo at the storage site.

**Maiduguri (Managed by PUI)**

- For the past two weeks, seven partners have been provided with storage services in Maiduguri, representing 3.57 m³ stored.
- PUI has provided air cargo consolidation services to 14 partners, moving 8.19 m³ and 53 consignments of cargo to various LGAs (Local Government Areas).

**5. AOB and Questions**

- The Warehouse Management Best Practices Training held on 5 November 2021, was a success with 199 individuals registered.

The next Coordination Meeting is scheduled for 23rd November 2021

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