

Shelter and WASH Coordination Meeting

Date: 14 December 2012, 3:15 PM
Location: Development Minister's Office, Sittwe
Chair: Development Minister U HLA HAN
Participants: UNHCR, UNICEF, OCHA, Maltesa, MRCS, ICRC, CDN, SI

Updates from Chair:

- Will submit proposals to committee meeting.
- Some green tarp tents erected between Mhan Zi and KDK camp site recently for IDPs living in road sides.
- There is shortage to fill up in both shelter and WASH needs in sites of both Sittwe and other.
- Avoid double cost in providing WASH Facilities. Concentrate on existing camp sites

Updates from Agencies

SHELTER

UNHCR

- Share Progress of shelter (barrack type) in December to all participants and request clarification of shelter # planned by state government in Saythamagyi camp site and it was fixed.
- Explained calculation of household # and rooms units of shelters to participants.
- It is learnt that there is needed to fill up in some # of shelters for rural camp sites. State government and agencies will coordinate for further steps forward.

MRCS

- MRCS and Qatar Red Crescent society will construct new (60) shelters in Sittwe.
- It is learnt that in previous meeting MRCS/IFRC will construct (25) shelters in Sittwe.

IRW

- IRW proposed new (15) shelters but details are not available at present as they did not attend meeting.

WASH

UNICEF

- It will continue WASH supports in Sittwe area and other affected townships such as Pauk Taw Township.
- There is needed to catch up WASH needs in sites and affected areas as well.

MRCS

- MRCS will build (15) latrines in Dar Paing site and it will coordinate with SI which is working in that place.

CDN

- CDN raised effect of open defecation from some green tarp tents erected recently between Mhan Zi and Kaungdokekhar camp site. UNICEF responded it will seek and coordinate with DRD for proper action needed in there.