LOCATION: PESHAWAR
DATE: 12 August 2014
CHAIR: Logistics Cluster Coordinator
PARTICIPANTS: IRC, Handicap International, UN-Habitat, UNHCR, Community Research and Development Organisation, WFP, World Vision International
ACTION POINTS:  
- Cluster partners were encouraged to share logistics assessment data from its partners in Bannu, particularly any warehousing assessments.
- Cluster partners were encouraged to share any additional locations for inclusion in the recently circulated road distance matrix.
AGENDA:  
1. Introduction
2. Situation update
3. Logistics Cluster services
4. Identification of potential logistics gaps in KPK/FATA (Partner’s Briefs)

INTRODUCTION

- The previous meetings’ action points were addressed with the minutes from the previous meeting approved.

SITUATION UPDATE

- Some cluster partners have recently received their "No-Objection Certificates" NOCs to work and travel in the Displaced Persons (DPs) areas. However, several partners are still waiting for their NOCs to be issued. This is impeding partners’ ability to respond overall and is affecting the set-up of their logistics response.
- The Logistics Cluster, in cooperation with the Bannu Commissioners office, NFI and food implementing partners and UNHCR has proposed a re-design of the logistics warehousing set-up at Bannu stadium. This will improve the overall safety, optimize the available space and provide better protection to the warehouses from the elements when the monsoon season starts proper.
- Since 21 June a total of 2,388 m3 of cargo has been transported on behalf of 6 different organizations including FDMA, Assistant Commissioner’s office Bannu, World Vision International, SAFFRON, DRC, and NRC.
- Since the beginning of the operation, 1,044 m3 of relief items have been stored on behalf of the 3 different organizations including Assistant Commissioner’s office Bannu, DRC and World Vision International in Bannu and Dera Ismail Khan.
- The Logistics Cluster is currently organizing a prefabricated warehouse assembly training on 12 August 2014 at Peshawar level. 18 participants are attending the training from 11 different organizations including Government, UN agencies and International and National NGOs. The training has been welcomed by the partners and the Logistics Cluster is rolling out another training soon for the remaining registered 14 participants from 11 different organization who could not be accommodated in the first training.

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LOGISTICS CLUSTER SERVICES

- Mobile Storage Units (MSUs) have been installed in the three main logistics hubs across the area of operation Peshawar (Noswhera), Bannu, Dera Ismail Kahn (D.I.Khan) with temporary storage space made available to the humanitarian community on a no-cost to the user basis.
- Road transport services are available for urgent delivery of relief items to a partner’s area of operations. Requests for road transport services will be considered on a case by case basis.
- To access Logistics Cluster services, partners must complete and return an SRF. [http://logcluster.org/document/service-request-form-4](http://logcluster.org/document/service-request-form-4)

Information is available on the Logistics Cluster website to support partners in completing their SRFs. [http://logcluster.org/ops/pak14a](http://logcluster.org/ops/pak14a)  [http://logcluster.org/sites/default/files/documents/srf_instructions](http://logcluster.org/sites/default/files/documents/srf_instructions)

IDENTIFICATION OF LOGISTICS GAPS, PARTNER’S BRIEFS

- World Vision International thanked the Logistics Cluster for its support and informed that its implementing partner and few other organizations had a meeting with relevant authorities for potential issuance of the NOC.
- IRC and Handicap International are still waiting for issuance of NOC and both informed that they will request for Logistics Cluster’s support once NOC has been issued and there is a need.
- The Chair asked the participants about potential logistics gaps in the response and there were no new gaps highlighted by the participants.

*The next Logistics Cluster Coordination Meeting will be held in Peshawar on 19 August at 10.00 am in the WFP Office*

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