**ETHIOPIA**


Ethiopia is one of the top troops contributing countries to the United Nations with more than 8,300 peacekeepers on the ground.

The Ethiopian International Peace Support Training Institute (PSTI) provides international trainings on conflict prevention, conflict management, post conflict recovery and dialogue, negotiation and mediation courses to the local and international military, police and civilian peacekeeping practitioner.

*The Initiative is supported by the Japanese government, UNDP and the National Defense Academy of Japan.*

- **40** delegates to attend second international forum including researchers, diplomats, including from the African Union, United Nations and the European Union.
- Short-term training courses on conflict prevention, post-conflict recovery and staff capacity building.

**GHANA**


The aim of the Maritime Security Capacity Development for Safety and Security in the Gulf of Guinea is to promote effective implementation of relevant regional and international maritime protocols through research and capacity development to control maritime crime including piracy in the Gulf of Guinea.

*This project is made possible with funding from the Japanese Government and in partnership with the UNDP.*

- **90** officials from 7 countries from the maritime zone E and F within the ECOWAS will benefit from the training manual developed to strengthen capacities to prevent maritime crimes and build cooperation.
- A series of online meetings were held to improve regional mechanisms and capacities.
PEACE KEEPING OPERATIONS SUPPORT

NIGERIA

Strengthening National and Regional Capacities for Peace Support Operations Project.

22 participants (10 female and 12 male) from the Nigerian military and security forces, ECOWAS Commission, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and NGOs attended a UNDP led course on Protection of Civilians (POC) in Armed Conflicts in Abuja.

RWANDA

Strengthening the Capacities of the Rwanda Peace Academy Project.

The Rwandan Peace Academy in collaboration with the Government of Japan made this project possible, and beneficiaries from the East African Standby Force (EASF), a regional organization whose mandate is to enhance peace and security in the Eastern Africa region, will benefit.

24 military and civilian personnel, 17 men and 7 women attended the Law of Armed Conflict course.

28 persons (10 military, 5 police and 13 civilian personnel) from 6 Eastern Africa Standby Force (EASF) member states, including Comoros, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Somalia and Sudan attended the Sexual and Gender Based Violence course.

27 military, police and civilian personnel, including 13 men and 14 women attended the Protection of Civilian course.

124 peacekeeping practitioners from the military, police and civilian domains and other participants will be potential beneficiaries.
MALI

Supporting Mali Peacekeeping School-Alioune Blondin Beye to Sustain Peace in Mali and Liptako Gourma Region Project.

The project aims to support the School of Peacekeeping Alioune Blondin Beye in Mali and the Liptako Gourma region through capacity building of security actors in cross-border areas.

GUINEA

Support to the Guinean Peacekeeping Center (CEOMP) of Samoreyah, Kindia Project.

The support to the Guinean Peacekeeping Center (CEOMP) of Samoreyah, Kindia aims to strengthen the national capacity for the preparation of contingents to be deployed to UN peacekeeping missions through the creation of an official structure with required resources and capacity to fulfill its mission in conformity with UN standard procedures.

The project was funded by Government of Japan (GoJ). UNDP Target from Resource Assignment from the Core (TRAC) funding was effectively utilized to supplement GoJ funding.

30 participants including soldiers and military officers trained in crises, emergencies and disasters, peacekeeping. Renovation of the Guinean Peacekeeping Center logistics base to better prepare for UN peacekeeping deployment operations.

Handover of a sanitary kit that included soaps, disinfectants, masks, buckets, thermometers etc. to help fight the pandemic.

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72 participants of 47% were women attended 3-day workshop on conflict resolution.

Identification of 33 endogenous experiences of conflict prevention and management in the different countries.

17 military, police and civilian personnel acquired skills in the field of CIMIC.

139 military and police personnel acquired skills in the field of peacekeeping operations.

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