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Report on the MDG awareness workshop for Members of Parliament

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Garowe, Puntland

Introduction

The Minister of Planning and International Cooperation (MoPIC) held an MDGs Awareness work shop on 8th August 2010. The workshop was officially by Honorable Daud Mohamed Omar, Minister for Planning and International Cooperation. It was attended by all Puntland Members of Parliament. The workshop aimed to seek support of MPs towards the realization of MDGs.

It provided an opportunity to introduce to the MPs the importance of MDGs to Somalia, especially their contribution to development.

Discussions

The Director General of Ministry of planning and international cooperation Mr. Mohamed Ali Ismail and UNDP presented the MDG goals and suggested ways through which parliament could help to propagate MDGs to other stakeholders.

The participants discussed how the Puntland Annual development plan could be aligned with the MDGs.

Conclusion

Participants requested for additional workshops to further understand the MDGs and nurture relationships among stakeholders.

Agenda

Day	Time	Activity
10-08-2010	8:00 -8:30	registration
	8:30 – 8:45	Recitation of Koranic verses
	8:45 – 9:00	Opening Remarks
	9:00 – 9:30	Participants’ introduction
	9:30 – 10:00	Introduction to MDGs
	10:15 – 10:30	Break
	10:30 – 11:00	Presentation MDGs
	11:00 – 11:30	Discussion
	11:30-12:00	Group presentations
	12:00-01:00	Lunch and Prayer
	01:00-01:30	Wrap up
	01:30-02:00	Closing