

Sindh Rural Support Organization



FLOOD RELIEF PROJECT

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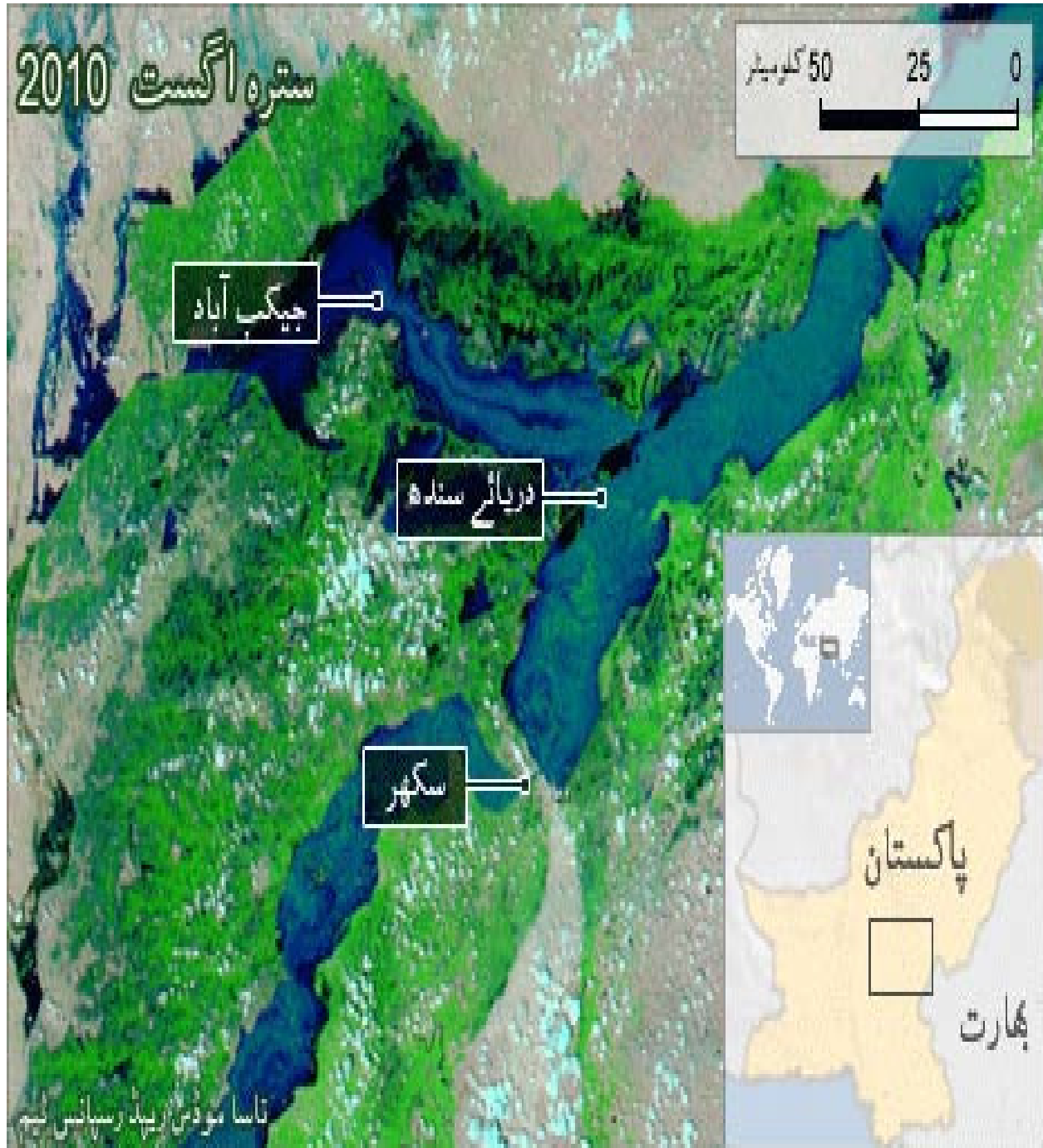
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A. Executive summary

The devastating flood in Sindh Province has badly affected human lives and properties. Torhi Bund breach inundated the vast area of Kashmore- Kandhkot, Shikarpur, Jacobabad and Qambar- Shahdadkot districts resulting in complete destruction of many towns and thousands of villages and settlements. Standing paddy crops, basic infrastructure have been washed away while displacing thousands of human as well livestock population. As a result of the catastrophic situation, the influx of IDPs is rushing to the safe places and towns/cities of Larkana, Sukkur, Khairpur, Hyderabad, and Karachi.

According to latest information the flood water, which started from Thori breach in Kashmore has now entered in the areas of Qubo saeed Khan inundating the same area, which was affected during the flash floods of 2007. Due to the present position of the water, the Shahdad Kot town is completely evacuated as it happened in the case of Jacobabad and Ghari Khairo few days before.

SRSO has been assessing the situation of the flood and watching the movement of the IDPs on daily basis. Things are changing at very rapid pace. Every single moment we have new state of affairs, which is affecting our response effectiveness. The Government is trying hard to fix the camps for the IDPs and provide them the basics. Due to its colossal scale, all hard work taken by all relief agencies appear small.

SRSO stepped in relief activities from August 09, 2010 starting from Kashmore, Ghotki, Shikarpur, Sukkur, Khairpur, and Noshero-feroz. Later our team went through helicopter organized by Relief Commissioner of Sindh and WFP to distribute food on the behalf of WFP in Jacobabad city. SRSO has been responding to the government calls, facilitating and coordinating with UN agencies and providing information to different humanitarian aid agencies through its emergency cell set up in Sukkur.

Since now the relief work has taken the momentum, however, there is still an acute shortage of food, shelter, sanitation, clean water and health and hygiene material. SRSO has started now focusing on mobilizing IDPs (90% of them are from organized Community and are members of Cos and VOs) to take care of hygiene and organize themselves to be a disciplined recipients of the relief goods. Besides, these sessions, provision of soaps, clothes, food, water and sanitation facilities have become its priority area of work. Also, the efforts are being put to generate more resources to fulfill the vast emerging need. WFP, UNICEF, PPAF, Engro Foundation, Relief Department Government of Sindh, USAID through RSPN, Jahangir Siddiqi (JS) Foundation, and individuals such as Aniq Sultan, Adeel, and many more have been continuing supporting SRSO. Till today, SRSO has the confirmed commitment/receipt of Rs.100 million in cash grants excluding SRSO own resources and has received approximately Rs 120 million goods in



the form of wheat flour, oil, sanitation material, etc. The total resources cash and in kind has reached to **Rs. 240 million** approximately (since we do not know the exact cost of the goods received, therefore, an estimates had been calculated). SRSO urgently need more resources, which it is expecting to come.

Table 1: Resource mobilization

S.No	Source of funds/donor	Amount committed in Rs Millions	Activities
01	Sindh Rural Support Org (SRSO) own resources	20.00	Food, water, sanitation & livestock fodder, logistic,
02	World Food Programme (2432.142 MT food commodities including wheat flour, oil, and High Energy biscuits) and cash support	5.20 M	42000 families support each family pack is: 50kg what flour, 4.5 kg oil, 2.25kg of HEB in five districts.
03	PPAF and Engro Foundation	20.0 M	One month dry ration for 2000 families Food, clean water, sanitation, shelter & livestock medicine and fodder for 5000 animals in Ghotki cluster
04	PPAF	20.0 M	One month dry ration for 2000 families, clean water, sanitation, shelter & livestock medicine and fodder for 5000 animals in Obavro cluster District Ghotki
05	Engro Foundation Cooked Food	In Kind	Supply of Cooked Food
06	Relief department Government of Sindh	11.00 M	Supply of Cooked Food to 39000 individuals two times a day for 6 days.
07	UNICEF- WASH (cash and Material)	1.68 M	Supply of water and sanitation facilities in camps
08	Jahangir Siddiqui Foundation	1.2 M	Water, food, and dry RATION
09	USAID (RSPN)	39.688 M	Dry Food and Kitchen sets for 7500 families
10	Individuals	.037 M	
	Total	119.0 M	



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AS of today, SRSO has provided cooked food to **56,425 individuals and** dry ration to **22,011 families (154077 individuals)** respectively, besides safe drinking water through tankers and installation of critical infrastructure (i.e. Hand pumps, pit latrines and shelters) at relief camps.

SRSO has been providing vehicles to PPHI for its mobile medical camps and the PPHI medical team has treated around **96,369 OPD**. Though the actual number of PPHI treated patients is much higher because the PPHI is organizing many more medical camps in the IDPs camps. SRSO Social Sector Services unit teams are conducting health & hygiene sessions with the affected communities in the relief camps of Sukkur, Khairpur and Shikarpur districts.

The flood has severely affected livestock along with human beings; therefore, SRSO started supporting livestock from its own resources. It has started providing vaccination, treatment, deworming, and fodder. The total number of animals provided these services up to 22 August, 2010 are **57,827**. SRSO has planned to provide **400 MT** of fodder to **10,000** animals. As of today, **38.4 MT** has gone to **5,492** animals.

For safe drinking water and sanitation SRSO has installed so far **102** hand pumps and **468** latrines in district Khairpur, Kashmore-Kandhkot and Sukkur relief camps established by the District Governments in collaboration with UNICEF, PPAF/ENGRO and from its own resources.

SRSO has signed LFA with WFP for the distribution of **2432.142 MTs** food items (wheat flour, oil, and High energy biscuits) under “food for flood affectees’ programme” to estimated **42,000** households in the **five districts** in accordance with WFP approved distribution plan. It has distributed 1426 Mt and rest will be distributed in week’s time.

SRSO in partnership with the PPAF and Engro Foundation will provide relief material to **4,000** affected families of district Ghotki and the package for these affectees consists of Food items, safe drinking water, sanitation, shelter sheets and the hygiene kits. This relief project also consists of fodder and vaccination material for **15,000** animals. This project material has been procured and the distribution will start very soon. The procurement has been completed for 2000 families and distribution will start from next Monday.

A project of UNICEF “WASH for flood affectees” has been started where CLTS, Hand Pumps, Hygiene kits will be provided and sessions of the affected communities will be conducted in order to aware those regarding health and hygiene issues.

Further that SRSO female staff has started a “clean camp campaign” and in this campaign the camp residents will be provided cleaning material along with the awareness sessions to ensure a clean home for IDPs. Initially four camps have been taken and this number is planned to be extended.



B. SRSO flood relief project progress

WFP food for flood affectees

WFP food drive is targeting to supply 42,000 household with food for thirty days comprising wheat and cooking oil (50kg 4.5 kg respectively) per household. Flood affectees of the five districts staying registered camps by the District are being provided the relief package. The distribution is being made according to the approved plan from World Food Program (WFP).

Distribution summary (District wise):

Districts	Target HH	No. of Camps Served			No. of HHs Served			Achieved in %
		As of August 21,2010	August 22,2010	cumulative	As of August 21, 2010	August 22,2010	Cumulative	
Kashmore	13,284	8	-	8	5,581	-	5,581	42
Khairpur	17,112	39	15	39	4082	1,716	5,798	34
Shikarpur	3,188	10	-	10	3370	-	3,370	106
Sukkur	3,879	27	3	27	2696	142	2,838	73
Ghotki	5,395	4	-	4	2800	-	2,800	52
Jacobabad	0	-	-	-	1624	-	1,624	-
Total	42,857	88	18	106	20,153	1,858	22,011	51

SRSO cooked food support

This drive is the supply of cooked food to families which are in camps in SRSO's operational area of nine districts and the basic aim of the drive is to provide food to those who are in remote camps and where government support, other relief work agencies or philanthropists has not yet reached. Affected families are assessed and provided a food token and then food supplies the following day. The contents of the supplies are 1 Kg cooked rice and 15 liter water per household.



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SRSO cooked food distribution summary (District wise)

As of August 21, 2010			For August 22, 2010			Cumulative			
Districts	No. of Camps	No. of HHs	No. of Individuals	No. of Camps	No. of HHs Served	No of Individuals	No. of Camps	No. of HHs	No. of Individuals
Ghotki	8	1,066	5,865	-	-	-	8	1,066	5,865
Khairpur	29	1,627	14,508	-	-	-	29	1,627	14,508
Shikarpur	13	712	5,265	-	-	-	13	712	5,265
Sukkur	7	456	3,578	-	-	-	7	456	3,578
Kashmore	22	2,224	18,595	-	-	-	22	2,224	18,595
N.Feroz	190	1,889	7,856	4	89	758	194	1,978	8,614
Total	269	7,974	55,667	4	89	758	273	8,063	56,425

District Government Food under SRSO Management (NRSP-IRM)

Sukkur	August 22, 2010	-	-		13,101	91,707	52	13,101	91,707
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SRSO-PPHI Health facilitation

SRSO and PPHI have started a mobile medical facility for the flood affectees in order to provide the medical services to the sick, injured and snake bitten including preventive vaccination for different viral, fungal, bacterial and other diseases. This facility will be extended to Kashmore-Kandhkot and Shikarpur Districts very soon.

Mobile camps facility summary (District wise)

Description	Khairpur	Sukkur	Larkana	Total
Total OPD up to August 22, 2010	48,694	31,511	16,164	96,369

SRSO Livestock relief project

SRSO is providing support for the livestock in the flood affected zone by using its veterinary doctors fully equipped with medicines and necessary equipments. Except the above SRSO has purchased fodder of more than Rupees One Million which is to be for distributed in Sukkur Shikarpur and khairpur Districts.



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SRSO Livestock treatment summary (District wise)

Districts	As of August 21,2010				Progress of Aug 22, 2010				Cumulative
	De-worming	Vaccinations	Treatment	Total Served	De-worming	Vaccination	Treatment	Total	G-Total
Ghotki	49	4,391	100	4,540	-	-	-	0	4,540
Shikarpur	3,686	11,456	292	15,434	1,140	3,769	137	5046	20,480
Sukkur	1,202	6,810	1,244	9,256	149	893	68	1110	10,366
Khairpur	995	4,340	102	5,437	154	163	26	343	5,780
N. Feroz	4,544	8,024	502	13,070	49	180	13	242	13,312
Kashmore	1,135	2,214	-	3,349	-	-	-	0	3,349
Total	11,611	37,235	2,240	51,086	1,492	5,005	244	6,741	57,827

SRSO Livestock fodder

Fodder for livestock in Sukkur is being distributed considering the worst condition of the livestock and lesser access of the IDPs to the fodder in order to save the lives of the animals.

Fodder for Livestock							
Districts	No. of Camps Serviced	As Aug 21,2010		Aug 22,2010		Cumulative	
		# of Animals feed	Fodder in Kg	# of Animals	Fodder in Kg	Animals	Fodder Kgs
Sukkur	10	2,492	17,444	-	-	2,492	17,444
Shikarpur	-	-	-	3,000	21,000	3,000	21,000
Total	10	2,492	17,444	3,000	21,000	5,492	38,444



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“WASH” Project By UNICEF:

SRSO with the support of UNICEF is executing the WASH project for flood affectees in the relief camps of Kashmore, Khairpur and Sukkur districts. This project aims to provide awareness in the IDPs regarding health and sanitation issues. In this project UNICEF providing Jeri can and hygiene kits containing (tooth powder, cotton, sanitary pad, soap and detergent soap). Personal Hygiene, hand wash, use of latrine and use of soap is focused in health and hygiene session.

District	Locations	Beneficiaries	As of 21 Aug, 10				Progress of Aug 22,2010				Cumulative Progress			
			Hand pump	CLTS	Bladders	Bouzers	Hand pump	CLTS	Bladders	Bouzers	Hand pump	CLTS	Bladders	Bouzers
Sukkur	12	8082	24	100	2	6	0	56	0	6	24	156	2	12
Khairpur	27	9003	43	131	0	0	0	34	0	0	43	165	0	0
Kashmore	20	8812	30	88	0	0	0	12	0	0	30	100	0	0
Total	59	25897	97	319	2	6	0	102	0	6	97	421	2	12

“WASH” Health & Hygiene Sessions:

UNICEF Health & Hygiene sessions in camps										
Districts	# of Camps	Sessions up to 20 Aug 10	Pax		Total	Sessions on 21 Aug 10	Pax		Total	Cumulative
			Male	Female			Male	Female		
Sukkur	3	17	352	616	968	6	220	450	670	1,638
Total	3	17	352	616	968	6	220	450	670	1,638

“WASH” Hygiene Kits and Jerry cane distribution:

Districts	Target of HHs	No of Camps	Hygiene Kits distributed as of Aug 22,2010	Jerry Cane
Sukkur	600	3	305	305
Total	1800	3	305	305



SRSO from its own fund has installed 20 temporary latrines in district Shikarpur. Engro in Ghotki District is providing 50 hand pumps and 50 latrines for flood affected persons from which 5 hand pumps and 30 CLTS have been installed.

Engro cooked food distribution under SRSO management in Ghotki District

SRSO has taken over the Engro food distribution in district Ghotki where cooked food is being provided to 300 households (2500 beneficiaries) affected by the flood. This service is provided twice a day every day. These families are identified and registered with Engro foundation in Obavro Tehsil of District Ghotki. This service will continue till further relief intervention takes place.

Engro cooked food distribution status

As of August 21,2010			Progress of Aug 22, 2010			Cumulative	
Camps Served	H.H Served	Individuals served	No. of Camps Served	No. of H.H Served	No. of Individual Served	Cumulati ve HH	Cumulativ e Individual
12	4,181	21,206	0	0	0	4,181	21,206

B. OTHER PROJECTS

1. Meeting held with Chief Minister Sindh Syed Qaim Ali shah held in Circuit House Sukkur on August 21, 2010 where overall flood situation was discussed and relief activities being carried out by Government and other agencies were reviewed. The SRSO Chief Executive was asked to facilitate in provision of food in camps initially in three districts - Kashmore, Shikarpur & Sukkur. SRSO under this agreement will be supplying cooked food to 6000, 8000 & 25000 persons respectively at the Government identified camps and will be funded by **Government of Sindh**. The said stuff provisions will be continued for six days from August 22 2010.
2. Brookes Pakistan and SRSO in partnership agreed to distribute fodder for flood affected animals in Sukkur District.
3. SRSO in partnership with UNICEF is working on “**School in a box**” project. The objective of the project is to help re-established learning as the first step towards the restoration of normal schooling following an emergency. The project is expected to be started in a week



C. OTHER NEWS

SRSO management is in close coordination with District Coordination Officers, senior army officials and updates them on a regular basis. There is collaboration with Sindh Police and Pakistan Rangers for safe distribution and to avoid chaos and any mismanagement in the relief camps.

SRSO and PDMA are in close coordination where daily updates and day to day situations are discussed.

UNICEF Country Coordinator visited flood relief camp at IBA Sukkur.

We are thankful to Dr. Adeel who has supported the affectees by providing the medicines and raw food package for 200 families.

C. ISSUES AND CONCERNS

- ❖ Persistent threat of outbreak of Malaria, cholera, gastro and intestinal diseases that may create another disaster become fatal to the children and old-age.
- ❖ Damages of infrastructure including roads, schools, hospitals, communication installations.
- ❖ More displacements due to new breaches in the Protection Band and distributaries like Beggary Canal affecting District Shehdadkot.
- ❖ Qubo-saeed, Meero Khan, qamber and Shehdadkot town under threat of being inundated.



E. Picture Gallery:

