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Photograph captions:

Top-right: Beneficiaries of an agricultural project are working are cultivating a local yard. Demobilized people from illegal armed groups, victims of violence, farmers, native communities as 'Kankuamos', and members of the National Army are involved in this project. "*Productive back-yards*", La Mesa - Cesar.

Bottom-left: A beneficiary of a Pilot Collective Reparation Project for victims of violence receives technical support for bean cultivation. Buenos Aires - Cauca.

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Summary Table – This Quarter

Organization: International Organization for Migration – Colombia

Reporting Period:	April 1 st to June 30 th , 2010
New Projects Approved:	11
New Project IOM Financial Obligations:	
Total Expenses for Reporting Period:	

Table 1. Projects Approved this Quarter - by Component, Beneficiaries

Component		Projects Approved	Number of Beneficiaries*
A.	Tracking and Monitoring	0	0
B.	Support to GOC Reintegration Program	0	0
C.	Inspector General's Office	1	0
D.	Support to the Demobilized Population	3	190
E.	Verification to the Process	1	0
F.	Justice and Peace- Assistance to Victims	6	30.744
TOTAL		11	30.934

*The total refers to all program beneficiaries. (For beneficiary breakdown by type, see Annex 4).

** US dollar amount calculated at exchange rates indicated in Annex 6.

Summary Table – Year to Date

Organization: International Organization for Migration – Colombia

Total Projects Approved:	321
Total Project IOM Financial Obligations First Phase:	
Total Project IOM Financial Obligations Second Phase:	
Total Expenses Year to Date (YTD):	

Table 2. Projects Approved Year-to-Date (YTD) - by Component, Beneficiaries. First Phase.

First Phase			
Component		Projects Approved	Number of Beneficiaries*
A.	Tracking and Monitoring	5	351
B.	Support to GOC Reintegration Program	11	3.791
C.	Oversight Ombudsman/IG	3	86
D.	Support to the Demobilized Population	202	46.130
E.	Verification to the Process	4	0
F.	National Commission for Reparation and Reconciliation	87	40.923
G.	Support to the Attorney General's office	9	184
TOTAL		321	91.465

*The total refers to all program beneficiaries. (For beneficiary breakdown by type, see Annex 4).

** US dollar amount calculated at exchange rates indicated in Annex 6.

*** This table includes two projects from the first phase that were not reported in the last quarterly report CORE 15.

Table 3. Projects Approved Year-to-Date (YTD) - by Component, Beneficiaries. Second Phase.

Second Phase			
Component		Projects Approved	Number of Beneficiaries*
A.	Tracking and Monitoring	0	0
B.	Support to GOC Reintegration Program	0	0
C.	Inspector General's Office	1	0
D.	Support to the Demobilized Population	3	190
E.	Verification to the Process	1	0
F.	Justice and Peace- Assistance to Victims	6	30.744
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Executive Summary

The second phase of the CORE Program has new areas of intervention and the budget allocation of others was restructured. The components Tracking and Monitoring, Support to the GOC, Inspector General's Office and Verification to the process, did not have significant variation. The new component of Justice and Peace includes the Inter-institutional System for Justice and Peace, the different types of reparation, the work that will be done with forced missing persons, restitution of goods, assistance to victims and historical memory.

Additionally, this report includes for the first time, the list of agricultural products bought with the conditions established by the waiver approved during the last report period. The purpose of this waiver is to facilitate the local procurement of commodities. Since 2006, IOM has performed market research which consistently shows that local procurement of these commodities is the best approach to project implementation because such commodities are (1) not available for purchase in the United States, (2) over 50% cheaper to purchase in Colombia or (3) suitable and sustainable when sourced locally based on cultural familiarity and practice. (The total of purchases made since March 5th, 2010, date in which the waiver was approved, up to date is summarized in Appendix 6. This information will be delivered regularly in future reports)

A permanent environmental tracking is part of this report, in order to fulfill the requirement by USAID and promote good agricultural practices in the beneficiaries and operators of the productive projects. (This information can be found in the Appendix 7).

General Analysis

During the past quarter (**11**) new projects were approved, for a total of [REDACTED]. Up to date, **321** total projects of phase one and **11** projects of phase two have been approved to provide **122.399** services to beneficiaries². Additionally, as shown in table 2, a total of [REDACTED], have been obligated by IOM in phase one and up to date a total of [REDACTED], in phase two.

The final breakdown of projects per component according to phase one is: Tracking and Monitoring, **2%**; Support to GOC Reintegration Program, **3%**; Oversight Ombudsman/Inspector General's Office, **1%**; Support to the Demobilized Population, **63%**; Verification to the Process, **1%**, National Commission for reparation and reconciliation, **27%** and Support to Attorney General's Office, **3%**.

The year-to-date breakdown of projects per component according to phase two is: Tracking and Monitoring, **0%**; Support to GOC Reintegration Program, **0%**; Inspector General's Office, **9%**; Support to the Demobilized Population, **27%**; Verification to the Process, **9%** and Justice and Peace, **55%**.

² Attention can be provided to repeated individual beneficiaries and therefore the total number of services can surpass the total number of demobilized individuals. Additionally, this number includes not only ex-combatants, but also related family members, victims, staff members, institutions, and other types of beneficiaries.

Component Summary

Tracking and Monitoring

During this period, the TMES teams in coordination with the ACR, advanced in the process of seeking the children that were not handed over by the AUC during the demobilization phase. The objective of this intervention is to restore their rights and contribute to the improvement of their conditions of life.

Support to GOC Reintegration Program

As part of the technical assistance to the ACR the team of advisors is conducting their activities.

Inspector General's Office

In this quarter, one (1) project was signed with the Inspector General's Office to continue the support and monitoring of the public policy.

Support to the Demobilized Population

A total of three (3) new projects were signed for a value of [REDACTED] (IOM's Contribution) and with the objective of assisting 190 beneficiaries. The projects focus in socio-economic reintegration activities such as vocational and educational training, employment, productive projects, the support of business initiatives and human development assistance.

Verification to the Process

During this quarter, one (1) project was signed with the *MAPP OEA* to continue monitoring and verifying the peace process in Colombia as well as implementing the local peace initiatives.

Justice and Peace

During this period, six (6) new projects were signed for a value of [REDACTED] (IOM's Contribution) and with the objective of assisting 30.744 beneficiaries, as a way to support and strengthen the processes.

National Context

El Tiempo. June 19th 2010. More than 40,000 crimes have been uncovered through the Justice and Peace law; results after five years

During the last five years 40,455 acts of violence previously unreported in the country have been uncovered through the implementation of the Justice and Peace Law. This is what has been revealed in a report presented by the office of the High Commissioner for Peace, Frank Pearl, after five years of the enactment of the law.

According to this report, between August 2002 and April 2010, 53,037 people belonging to the paramilitary groups, FARC, ELN and “*Ejercito Revolucionario Guevarista*” (ERG) demobilized.

Out of this number, 4,162 are being judged under the conditions established by the Justice and Peace Law. "Due to the provisions of Law 782 of 2002, (prorogated and modified by Law 1106 of 2006), the remaining demobilized individuals followed another legal processes and now can be part of the reintegration process lead by the ACR." according to the report.

New crimes: The report reveals that out of the “*versiones libres*” given by those demobilized individuals, "40,455 new events have been uncovered and from these 22,419 have already resulted in confessions". Another conclusion of the study is that 2,679 mass graves have been found from which 3,131 dead bodies have been exhumed and 1,046 have been successfully identified through DNA testing.

Registration of victims: figures show that in the last five years in the country 281,661 victims of violence have registered in the Justice and Peace process. Out of these, 50,461 have directly taken part in “*versiones libres*” in order to discover the truth of what happened to them or their relatives. According to Frank Pearl, thanks to this law, "there are nearly 500 politicians and public officials been investigated".

Representatives of victims dissatisfied with the reparation process: Spokespersons of victims' organizations have done their own analysis after five years of the implementation of the Justice and Peace Law. According to Iván Cepeda, Director of the Movement for Victims of State Crimes, "the results continue to be deeply unsatisfactory". For Cepeda, key issues of the reparation process continue to be inadequately dealt with." Those intellectually responsible for the actions of the paramilitaries have not been brought to account. These include political leaders, business leaders and high ranking military officers ", he stated.

Frank Pearl, High Commissioner for Peace believes that the law "has experienced difficulties in its implementation"... "Its coverage remains unclear. Crimes committed after June 25th 2005, according to the Supreme Court, are not included", said Pearl.

El Espectador. June 15th, 2010. Santos would offer legal and financial incentives to guerrillas to demobilize

Presidential candidate Juan Manuel Santos announced that if he is elected President, he will continue with the policy of demobilization of the current President and will provide legal and financial incentives to those guerillas who decide to abandon the illegal armed groups.

Under this policy he will offer financial incentives to anyone who hands over a kidnap victim and provides information crucial to for military operations. "I prefer a demobilized combatant, rather than to capture one and I prefer capturing a combatant than killing him", he explained.

He announced that he will begin to seek legal mechanisms that avoid demobilized guerillas having to go to prison. "Those who demobilize will help demoralize the FARC and will provide valuable information to assist in delivering targeted strikes against the FARC ", he stated.

"We will help these individuals financially and legally but please ask them to stop their crazy actions because they will cause more deaths, blood and unhappiness." he added.

El Meridiano de Córdoba. June 29th, 2010. Collective Reparation

Sincelejo. Yesterday in Sucre, the National Commission for Reparation and Reconciliation (CNRR) began a consultative workshop to socialize the draft document on collective reparations established by Law 975/05 (referred to as the Justice and Peace Law).

According to the CNRR coordinator in Sucre, Eduardo Porras Mendoza, there will be 12 workshops which will involve victim's organizations as well as public institutions and universities. The aim is to improve the document that the CNRR will submit to the national government.

Work began on the draft document in Sucre 3 years ago with the support of some expert consultants who recommended pilot projects. As a result, there are 7 such projects in the country, one of which is in Sucre in the *corregimiento* of Libertad, in San Onofre.

Once the document has been socialized and the comments included, a final document will be produced and delivered, in the coming weeks, to the national government.

Tracking and Monitoring

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

- During this period, TMES teams in coordination with ACR completed the process of active searching for children not handed in by the AUC during the demobilization process. In order to conduct the restoration of their rights and to contribute with the improvement of their conditions of life. Up to date, nine (9) possible children and 160 adolescents and young people have been contacted, forty one (41) of whom have been certified by the Operative Committee of Laying down Arms-CODA. This will allow them to enroll in the ACR's or ICBF's programs according to their age.
- TMES teams supported the selection process of the ex combatants who will benefit from the EDUPAZ scholarships for college education.
- The TMES from Bogotá and Móvil merged due to regional dynamics and the amount of population that has to be served. The same situation occurred with the merging of the TMES teams of Monteria and Tierralta. However, the TMES activities continued in each SC.
- The TMES continued gathering and verifying the information about formal education and vocational trainings received by the demobilized population. These reports are the base for the participants' payment of the transportation benefit and support for reintegration.
- The formal education and vocational training reports as well as the psychosocial assistance reports, continued to be systematized and consolidated in the Information System for Reintegration (*SIR*) of the ACR.
- The information of **49.943** demobilized is in the TMES data base.
- The information of **750** individual³ participants was created in the TMES data base.
- During this period **4.377** registers about new activities from individual participants were updated in the database.

The following reports were produced during this period:

- ❖ 2 monthly reports on the program's achievements and access to the benefits received by the people served by the SC.
- ❖ 3 monthly reports on issues that should raise alert in the SC.
- ❖ Weekly reports.

³ Individual ex combatants are the persons who dessert from the active armed groups e.g. FARC.

These reports are aimed to determine the evolution of the beneficiaries within the program and its service provision. The information was organized by service centers (SC).

Support to GOC

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

Support to the communications strategy of the ACR

Support is been given for the design, production and diffusion of a series of commercials to communicate the work done by the ACR. An advertising company and a production company were hired to develop the conceptual design of the campaign, and to produce six (6) spots that will be broadcasted nationwide through national, regional, local and community media.

Inspector General's Office

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

One (1) project was signed with the Inspector General's Office in order to continue strengthening the tracking and vigilance of the reintegration public policy and to grant the legal and administrative benefits for the demobilized population.

ADVANCES

During this quarter an updating process of the measuring instruments was made, which implied the design of a new battery of indicators, including disarmament, demobilization, reinsertion and reintegration. Questionnaires for personal interviews addressed to ex-combatants participating in productive and employment projects were developed.

Also, adjustments were made to the instrument used by public servants and the new focus was presented to agencies responsible of providing benefits to ex-combatants. The application of the instruments is planned for the whole year.

People for four positions are being selected by the committee with representatives of the Inspector General's Office and IOM.

BUDGET

Table 4. General Inspector's Office Budget

Projects Approved for Support to Inspector General's Office:		Number of Beneficiaries
A.	Procuraduría Nacional	0
TOTAL		0

Support to the Demobilized Population

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

During this period, two (2) agreements were signed with *Centro de Desarrollo Productivo del Cuero y del Calzado*. The aim of these projects is to continue benefiting 40 demobilized participants by providing training in the fabrication of shoes.

One (1) project was approved in order to continue improving the social and economic conditions of the population from the region of Magdalena Medio Antioqueño and the North of Sucre Department by implementing a sustainable development strategy.

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

- **Edupaz:** The application process finished during this period. A total of 137 participants submitted their applications. Out of those, 38 were approved and 18 are in the waiting list. While 81 did not complete the process.
- **CES:** An amendment to the agreement was signed. The objective was to include as an activity, the publication with the most important results of the study. Additionally, the term of the agreement was reduced. The reason is that a second phase of the project was planned with resources from UNDP. Due to some internal problems they had to cancel their participation. Therefore, there was no need to have a coordinator who ensured a smooth transition between phases.

Human Development

- **Colectivo Aquí y Ahora:** The *Colectivo Aquí y Ahora* Foundation implements a model of psychosocial assistance for demobilized persons and their families, who enter the “*Hogares de Paz*” from the Peace Program of Humanitarian Attention to the Demobilized, of Ministry of National Defense.

In this period, the *Colectivo* had activities in 24 “*Hogares de Paz*” located in the cities of Bogotá, Villavicencio, Ibagué, Barranquilla, Medellín and Cali. During this quarter, 704 people entered the “*Hogares de Paz*”, 421 of them were demobilized and 283 are family members.

In the third week of June, the TMES teams carried out a tour to the “*Hogares de Paz*” to track the work that has been done by the *Colectivo*. The results of the visits were very positive.

An important fact is that a demobilized person must stay three months, in average, in the “*Hogar de Paz*” in order to receive the certificate granted by the Operating Committee Laying down Arms (CODA) and have access to the benefits granted by the High Council for Social Reintegration (ACR).

Urban Productive Projects:

- IOM and ACR presented the documentation for the claim submitted to the insurance company which issued the policy that covered BIPRO investments.

- The liquidation process of the agreement with *Organicos de los Andes* had advances; however the final financial report is pending to conclude the process.
- The worm cultivation modules of Santa Marta, Barranquilla, Valledupar, Pereira and Villavicencio were assessed. Strategic partners were identified to ensure the operation of the productive units. Negotiations have started with some to transfer the investments that IOM has in each productive initiative. The contracting of a firm, to constitute an Agricultural Simplified Society that gathers the beneficiaries of the productive units, had a significant progress during this period.
- The ending process of MOVER of CHF continued during this quarter. The financial and technical certificates were obtained and the furniture and stationary inventory is being verified.
- The integral projects are in the final phase of implementation of the productive units and, at the same time, progress has been made in the tracking and monitoring phase. The resource needed by each operator to develop the monitoring phase was determined individually.
- Currently, 22 integral projects and 8 productive projects are being negotiated in order to enroll 1.764 beneficiaries.
- Framed under the vocational training sub component, the ending process of the following projects continued during this period: *Esdiseños – Fundabol, Escolme, Fesu y la Universidad del Magdalena*.
- During this period, 90 beneficiaries from the project developed by CAFAM received their academic certificate in technical basis in cookery and cuisine, with emphasis in Bakery and cookery. Another 35 participants will graduate in July 2010.

Rural Productive Projects: During this quarter, the planned investments for the installation of the crops estimated in the projects had a significant progress, due to the implementation of the conditions established by the waiver.

On the other hand, the social and training components have progressed, allowing the community's preparation to technically handle the crops implemented. Another important advance is the learning process of operators and community to solve problems. Also, an amendment was made to the agreement with *Banco Agrario* and ACR, to access flexible credits in accordance to the profile of the DDR program beneficiaries, who have no real guarantees to access regular credits.

The projects in the employability component, such as the one with *LexCom* operator, had problems with the performance of the persons employed, because high performance levels in the activities is required to achieve expected revenues in the palm sector. The demobilized did not reach these yields.

- **CTA Humanitas:** The project to consolidate an associative work cooperative was successfully finished and benefited more than two hundred (200) participants. A second phase to the project is being evaluated in order to enhance that one hundred new beneficiaries can work in cocoa and oil palm projects in the region.
- **Aguas del Magdalena:** During this quarter, there were some difficulties programming the work that will be contracted by the Department of Magdalena, delaying employability, however, activities were rescheduled under the existing contract.
- **Program of reintegration and community development in Sucre and Antioquia Departments – Argos.** In April 2010 the first phase of the program was completed and a second phase was agreed with the partners, focusing in the transfer process with sustainability. The activities and efforts will seek to consolidate productive business units around chili pepper. This extension will last 18 months with a total budget addition of [REDACTED], out of which [REDACTED] will be provided by USAID and [REDACTED] by ARGOS Foundation.

The advances are:

- Another 18 tones of red and green Tabasco chili pepper.
- The strategy of "Complementary Income Crop" started in the municipalities of Antioquia, with the planting of one hectare of banana in Puerto Triunfo and Puerto Nare.
- The maintenance and harvest activities for the hectares already in production continued in the three zones.
- Electrification process and the operation of the irrigation system started in the lot of *Escuela Agropecuaria-IETA* in San Onofre, where the pilot phase started by planting 3,000 seedlings of Tabasco.
- The "Crop School" strategy started with the communities of Chicho and Palmira in San Onofre.
- The process of unifying associations from Puerto Nare and Puerto Triunfo began, in order to consolidate a single business productive unit or association by municipality.
- Psychosocial support activities continued with a focus on production, seeking to improve the yields and commitment of the beneficiaries.

BUDGET

Table 5. Support to the Demobilized Population Budget

Projects Approved for Support to the Demobilized Population		Number of Beneficiaries
A.	OIM/DDR - Desarrollo Comunitario Antioquia y Sucre	150
B.	Centro de Desarrollo del Cuero y el Calzado - Cali	15
C.	Centro de Desarrollo del Cuero y el Calzado - Bogotá	25
TOTAL		190

Verification to the Process

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

One (1) project was signed with the *MAPP/OEA* in order to continue monitoring and verifying the peace process in Colombia and giving support to several local peace initiatives.

ADVANCES

During the quarter, MAPP/OEA's work focused in strengthening the inter-institutional coordination with entities from the GOC and other non governmental or international organizations and UN agencies.

- The mission visited 86 municipalities for verification, monitoring, accompaniment and support activities. The results obtained in these visits were presented in the XIV Quarter Report of the OAS Secretary General, launched in April. Other inputs obtained in the visits are being analyzed for their inclusion in the XV Quarter Report of the OAS.
- Monitoring to 15 'versiones libres', 20 judicial hearings, and accompaniment to 18 victims gatherings were held during this quarter by the Mission.
- With regard to Reintegration, focal groups were organized with demobilized population, collecting qualitative information on the general situation of ex-combatants, which was compared with ACR information and figures.
- Community reintegration, security and prevention of recruitment activities were also implemented in this period.
- A first draft of a national wide study was delivered for methodological adjustments. The purpose of this study is to analyze the violence phenomenon before and after the demobilization.
- Monthly and weekly security assessments were produced.
- 33 municipalities, out of 50 with a high concentration of ex-combatants, were visited during the period.
- 30 municipalities, in which Justice and Peace activities took place, were visited by the Mission within this quarter
- A series of regional workshops, with several regional offices (North, Pacific, Center and North West) were carried out aiming at identifying significant facts, dynamics and trends that could impact any of the mandate subjects.
- The initiative called '*Todas somos mujeres*' (We are all women), was implemented in a 100% in Barranquilla and Valledupar. This project allowed its members to generate a space for a mayor involvement of women in the reintegration process, regardless their age; and to foster public policies with gender perspective. This methodology will be transferred to the ACR's Gender Focal Point.
- 3 visits to communities were made within the period.

BUDGET

Table 6. Verification to the Process Budget

Projects Approved for Verification to the process:		Number of Beneficiaries
A.	MAPP/OEA	0
TOTAL		0

Justice and Peace-Assistance to Victims

ADVANCES THIS QUARTER

During this period six (6) new agreements were approved in order to support and strengthen processes, initiatives and institutions for victims' assistance and orientation. The projects were signed with: *Cámara de Comercio de Sincelejo*, *Cámara de Comercio de Cartagena*, *Indufrial*, *Escuela Taller Cartagena de Indias*, *IOM/DDR*, and other operator to be determined.

Framed under the restitution of goods sub component, two (2) projects were signed with *Cámara de Comercio de Sincelejo* and *Cámara de Comercio de Cartagena*. An amendment was made to each project in order to continue providing orientation to victims in the claiming processes for the restitution of their lands or territories.

One (1) project was approved to design a plan which enhances formalizing the collective reparations in the seven pilot sites and to formulate suggestions for the implementation of the National Collective Reparations Plan.

Concerning assistance to victims' projects, three (3) new agreements were signed: a) *Indufrial*: This project aims at developing an integral strategy that will benefit 90 victims of Cartagena by providing human development services and labor training activities. b) *IOM/DDR*: This project is focused to increase the social and economic condition of families of victims who grow coffee in Nariño Department. c) *Escuela Taller Cartagena de Indias*: Also, aims to contribute in the improvement of the economic and social conditions of vulnerable youth in Cartagena.

During the second quarter of 2010, the Program for Institutional Strengthening of the National Commission for Reparation and Reconciliation continues to give financial and technical support to this entity through the following actions: paying the monthly fee of the President of the CNRR; Land Restitution Pilots in Chengue and Mampujan; support to the Collective Reparation strategy and three (3) collective reparation pilots with the conclusion of projects under the "mínimos vitales" strategy.

ADVANCES

Interinstitutional System for justice and peace

During this quarter, the company *UT ASES SOFTWARE-SOFTMANAGMENT* produced the following products of software:

The contractor consolidated the documentation of the modules of Persons, Armed Groups, Crimes, Assets, and Nominees. The contractor also reported that the errors presented in the last presentation to the counterparts were corrected. IO, the contractor and *Redcom Ltda* started with the analysis of the module of Integral Attention to Victims that has been produced working with the subcommittee of victim's attention of the Interinstitutional Committee of Justice and Peace.

Redcom Ltda continued auditing the work done by *UT ASES SOFTWARE-SOFTMANAGEMENT* in the execution of the contract. They completed the following activities:

- Changes in legal benefits, extraditions were analyzed.
- In collaboration with IOM staff *Redcom Ltda* did the accompaniment to the Institutions and reviewed the modules corrected by the contractor.
- Inspections of *UT DBSYSTEM SOFT MANAGEMENT* Staff.
- *Redcom Ltda* presented 10 communiqués reporting quality problems of the product presented by *UT DBSYSTEM SOFT MANAGEMENT*.
- *Redcom Ltda* reported that the contractor presents problems and is not accomplishing the final task. The terms of contract with *UT DB SYSTEM SOFTMANAGEMENT* have been reviewed, due to quality and time failures.

Finally, 3 Justice and Peace information matrixes were produced for the members of the Inter-institutional Committee for Justice and Peace.

Reparation

Judicial reparation

The psychologists supported the Attorneys by attending victims during **125** “*versiones libres*” and handled **720** victims in Bogotá. IOM also gave support to victims' call center. During this quarter **8.799** calls were received.

One engineer and **2** typists continue scanning the information obtained in *versiones libres*. The database for missing persons (*SIRDEC*) was updated with a total of **145** new registries as a result of the identification gatherings that took place during the year.

The website was fed with news, hearings and notices. During this quarter, **597** items were uploaded into the website. **1,296** pictures of personal belongings found in mass graves for identification of bodies were included on the website. Finally, **294** cases were documented for the historical memory files.

During these 3 months IOM supported **5** ceremonies of return of remains in *Paso, Monteria, Valledupar, Medellin and Bucaramanga*. A total of **115** corps was returned to their families and **175** relatives attended the ceremonies. IOM contributed with logistics, accommodation, transportation and workshops on psychological attention. Due to the work done by the expert in genetics lately hired, **34** identification processes were completed.

Administrative Reparations

During this quarter, IOM supported the Administrative Reparation Committee and *Acción Social* in the implementation of the Reparation Program. IOM provided support by developing a registry database. **10** typists continue uploading the forms presented by victims, **30** professionals continue interviewing people in the regions to determine if they are beneficiaries of the compensation; during this quarter they interviewed 8751 potential beneficiaries. Three experts are consolidating the cases to be presented to the reparations Committee and the aim to pay at least [REDACTED] before the end of this Administration. During this quarter **30,745** formats were included in the database. Up to June 2010, a total of **330,368** are already in the system.

Collective reparations

During this quarter support to the “*minimos vitales*” strategy continued in the collective reparation pilots of Buenos Aires (Cauca), El Tigre (Putumayo) and Madres de la Candelaria (Medellin).

- **Buenos Aires- Cauca:** During the reporting period, the project team finalized the quotation process and begun with the acquisition and delivery of supplies to the beneficiaries according to their preparation and disposition to receive them. The agricultural expert and the project coordinator visited all the beneficiaries in order to evaluate the adaptation of infrastructure required in each case. So far beneficiaries have received and planted bean seeds.
- **Madres de la Candelaria- Medellín, Antioquia:** Support continued to the publication of “Disappearance Edicts”. So far 323 edicts have been published benefiting 42 victims of this crime. According to budget calculations the project will end the last days of July, benefiting 23 more victims and establishing a solid follow-up strategy in order to guarantee the positive effects achieved by this project.
- **El Tigre-Valle del Guamez, Putumayo:** Currently IOM and SENA finalized the design and signment of a cooperation agreement directed to: i) advising the rice project beneficiaries’ of the collective reparation pilot project on: i) rice cultivation and marketing, as well as operation of the rice machinery that will be purchased through the project; ii) advisory to the project beneficiaries on the organization of the association that will be in charge of operating and managing the rice machinery; iii) establishment of two technical SENA courses that will both have a two year duration: the first one will be on “Rice Cultivation and Marketing” and will be directed to el Tigre’s population and the second one on “Fishing Industry Development Strategies” will be taught in La Hormiga.

Restitution of goods

- **Pilot project in Chengue:** The project team started the administrative and legal route of property identified to be formalized.

The formal request for issuing property titles to be delivered as a result of the operation of the administrative route was presented by the project team on May 12th, 2010. However, despite having participated in social mapping exercises of the project, INCODER said that

this entity currently does not have the legal tools needed to solve the cases and to proceed with the issuing of property titles. Therefore, a meeting between the project team and INCODER lawyers was agreed in order to reach a viable solution according to the legal instruments available in the ordinary justice (no instruments of transitional justice that may be present at the moment applied in this case). The pilot project must accomplish reconciliation between settlers and those who were initially selected by the INCORA to be awarded the property. If the conflict is overcome, INCODER would proceed with the final award of property title of *El Desengaño* property.

The conciliation meeting was carried out successfully by the project team on June 3rd, with the support of the Conciliation Centre of the Legal Clinic of CECAR. In this day, Chengue community reached a voluntary agreement and expressed that among the residents of *El Desengaño* property, there is no conflict for the land use.

On June 6th, an official document in reconciliation was sent to the INCODER, in order to start the issuing process of the 49 property titles. Nevertheless, up to date only 21 titles have been negotiated. According to information provided by the INCODER, to the project team, in mid June if the process is expedited, it would be possible to issue other 28 titles in a month and a half; that is the end of August.

The idea is that the National Commission for Reparation and Reconciliation may deliver the results of the other routes identified in the project at the same time with 49 property titles.

The project was scheduled to end on the 3rd of July, but an extension was negotiated for two additional months, in order to draft a protocol for the delivery of urban and rural properties.

Pilot project in Mampuján: The project team presented on May 13th, the formal request to INCODER for the issuing of 178 property titles resulting from the operation of the routes of urban and rural property identified by the project team. A special treatment for displaced population of Mampuján was requested.

In spite of this, and as a consequence, of the lack of resources of the INCODER and the need for accurate legal tools, for specific cases such as Mampuján, this public institution decided to address the cases of the project through an administrative route. Additionally, both the Mayor's Office of Maria la Baja, as the land protection Program of *Acción Social-Bolívar*, agreed on finding the resources to finance and issue these property titles.

The project team should prepare documents for the protocols for each of these two routes, in order to be delivered formally to the Property Restitution Commission of Bolivar, this process will finish on July 31st.

Assistance to Victims

Reparation and Socioeconomic Assistance to Victims

The process of attending victims both directly and in an integral manner continued in:

- **Asociación de Cabildos Indígenas del Norte del Cauca:** During this period, the team focused in the finalization of the two products of the project: a video and a handbook informing the process of the project and the objectives achieved. The project ended once the products were finalized. Negotiations for the development of a second phase of the project involving Pax Christi and MAPP/OEA began during this reporting period.
- **Don Bosco:** Project activities focused in the implementation of the 15 productive units. Each beneficiary participated in the purchase of the supplies for each unit. In the meantime, they continued participating in technical trainings and psychosocial workshops. Activities aiming to strengthen the commercialization process of the products involved the design of signs and personal cards. A small event with the participation of local media and entrepreneurs of Cali was held on June 11th to present the productive units.
- **Fundación Paz y Bien, Buenaventura:** The first phase of the project finished, with an outcome of five associative productive initiatives: a bakery, sandals factory, fish commercialization, breed and commercialization of chicken and a beauty saloon. Currently, the adjustments to the proposal presented by *Fundación Paz y Bien*, are being done in order to implement a second phase of the project. It will include a strengthening component for the five initiatives and the selection of some individual initiatives of beneficiaries who are part of those five associative initiatives, to strengthen their own businesses.
- **Pastoral Social Santa Marta:** As of June 2010, of a total of 97 victims 60 have been supported for the establishment or strengthening of income generation projects. 8 beneficiaries have not decided yet their ideas for a project; 21 remain inactive due to several reasons, and 6 have decided their initiative and are in the process of receiving financial support. The majority of the productive units supported thus far focus on commercialization (dairy, fruits and vegetables, clothing, etc.). Others promote beauty services, fast foods and internet services. A tool was devised within the project in order to guarantee a close follow-up, and to be able to identify critical projects that must be strengthened.
- **Pastoral Social Barranquilla.** As in Santa Marta, the balance of the project thus far is: of a total of 121 beneficiaries in the project, 105 have been attended and supported both financially for the establishment or strengthening of income generation initiatives, as well as through psychosocial assistance and counseling. 16 have been supported with a 60% of the resources assigned to each beneficiary, under the premise that he or she needs additional counseling and follow-up in order to receive the entire economic support. Some of the activities performed during the quarter that deserve to be underlined include: differentiated attention to beneficiaries of the project victims of the called “*falsos positivos*”; conferences about healthy housing; visit to the zoo as part of the efforts to involve the families of the beneficiaries; Business Fair in which the participants presented and sold their products; fostering of commercialization chains in order to guarantee sustainability of the productive units.

- **Indufrial-Cartagena**, IOM carried out a work session of three days with the operator in order to: select the staff of the income generation and psychosocial activities, determine the technical criteria for the selection of ninety beneficiaries that participated in the first phase of the project and who will receive financial support in the second phase. Currently, the first business plans are being reviewed, which will be approved by the end of July.
- **Comfenalco-Cartagena** The second phase of the assistance to victims' project began on May. It is focussed on tracking the seventy productive initiatives financed in the first phase of the project. The following are the main activities that took place during this reporting period: *i)* Two meetings of socialization with the project's beneficiaries in the communities of Arjona and Cartagena; *ii)* Up date the information of seventy beneficiaries of the project and the status of their productive units; *iii)* A psychosocial home visit to each of the seventy beneficiaries of the project.; *iv)* A home visit by the income generation staff to beneficiaries.; *v)* A psychosocial group intervention on how to overcome grief, one in Arjona and another in Cartagena.
- **Escuela Taller de Cartagena** The project is currently at 80% of their training stage. This training, includes a theoretical and a practical component (carried out in the parks Torices and El Socorro in Cartagena) with the following components: *i)* Cleaning of the undergrowth, plowing and removal of soil; *ii)* soil and garden substrate *iii)* use of equipment and tools; *iv)* botanical and taxonomic classification of species of plants and garden; *v)* types of reproduction; *vi)* preparation of land according to the characteristics of the garden *vii)* maintenance of the garden according to environmental conditions; *viii)* Pruning green areas; *ix)* chemical soil fertilization; *x)* organic soil fertilization. Likewise, the activities aimed at the establishment of the solidarity organization for maintenance of parks, was initiated. The project completion is scheduled for August 15th and by that date the association of park guardians will be constituted and the equipment purchased in the project's framework will be handed over.

Institutional Support for Victims Assistance:

- **National Ombudsman's Office:** During this period, the proposal with the Ombudsman was settled, in order to support a second phase of the assistance, advice and guidance strategy for victims. This proposal would: *i)* Strengthen the psychological and legal route through the application of specific tools in line with existing policy contexts; *ii)* Promote access to justice for the victims by strengthening the psychological and legal workshops in areas of high concentration of victims, *iii)* contribute to the reparation of victims in the legal process by gathering the documentary collection required to prove the damage and the claims for reparation; *iv)* qualify the actions of the psychological first aid and awareness in the contexts of the hearings of the justice process; *v)* support to victims in specific guidance on the process of land protection, and, *vi)* Adjust the psychological and legal route with differential perspective in consideration of the indigenous population.
- **MAPP-OEA:** 150 beneficiaries/victims in Bajo Cauca Antioqueño were served, with special emphasis in psychosocial support and the delivery of services through the Fund created by the Project and approved by regional institutions. The most important

achievements during the quarter were: 1) Training in victims' rights and individual counseling; 2) Training in gardens for their own subsistence. Beneficiaries cleaned the land areas and fenced them; 3) regarding health services, reproductive and sexual workshops were imparted in coordination with the Hospital in order to sensitize the beneficiaries about these topics.

Productive Projects:

- **Training of leaders – Bitácora Consulting services:** This project began its implementation at the end of the last quarter, and it was fully implemented during the reporting quarter in the municipalities of Carmen de Bolívar, Ovejas, San Onofre and San Jacinto (Region of Montes de Maria).

The project's main objective was to implement a training process of leaders, aiming at strengthening a strategy for actions regarding governance and development, supporting the coexisting and peaceful conditions in these communities and its organizations.

- **Comité PAN- Cocorná, Antioquia:** Oregano, thyme and laurel were sowed in a 7.5 hectares-land by 32 beneficiaries of the project. The possibility to export these products is being evaluated. The Governor's Office of Antioquia offered its technical and financial support, with this contribution a drying plant will be purchased to implement another phase of the project.
- **Convocatoria INCODER- El Salado, Bolivar:** The Project aims at benefiting sixty two (62) displaced families from El Salado (Municipality of El Carmen de Bolivar, Bolivar) by assigning 311 hectares of land for the installation of a productive project. The project will have the technical and financial support of Acción Social, Semana Foundation, Incoder, Coltabaco, amongst others. In order to check the feasibility of the project in various parameters of technical, operational and economic aspects, *Hidromecánicas Ltda* was hired.

During this period, two of the three phases of the project had a significant progress: The first phase was to identify the lands for the project and the beneficiaries. This phase was successfully completed.

The second phase was to decide on the productive project to be implemented. This initiatives must provide two (2) minimum wages for each family during the next twelve years.

- **Productive backyards-Cesar:** The project has planted vegetables in 184 back yards, according to the proper climate for each crop. The first harvest of 30 back yards, planted with tomato, cucumber, coriander and green beans, is planned to be marketed in July. However, there are difficulties in the process due its complexity in terms of technological innovation (irrigation system, planting densities, and mix of products), cultural change (new products to grow), and creation of partnership among beneficiaries of the project. The process of constructing collective values is complex. The project is working to develop a clean agriculture and to consolidate markets and commercialization channels

for horticultural products, therefore the project requires a second stage for its consolidation.

- **Indacol, Chinulito- Sucre:** The harvest of 30 hectares of cassava and its marketing with Fryto Lay, was achieved during this period. Also, the installation of two automatic sprouters of coffee, one for 10 hectares in Planadas, Tolima and the other one for 3 hectares in the indigenous Kankuamo Council, in Cesar. In the same way, with the Wiwa indigenous community, 30 hectares of beans with corn, 30 hectares of cassava, 7 hectares of sugar cane, were obtained.
- **Program of Integral development for coffee growers' families victims of the armed conflict in Nariño Department.** During this quarter efforts were focused in the consolidation of six associations and two groups of beneficiaries in the municipality of Conzacá, succeeding in the accomplishment of the goal of 8 associative groups which can commercialize their coffee directly with *Empresas de Nariño* during 2010 harvest. The sales process of associations started with ENA, as well as the technical-environmental training sessions.
 - Two (2) new coffee trading associations were constituted and two beneficiaries' groups consolidated in the municipality of Conzacá.
 - 253 coffee growers have been successfully linked to the associations and groups in Conzacá.
 - The pilot system the sewage water system was installed in three representative farms to evaluate its performance during the harvest.
 - The technical assistance visits to the associated beneficiaries continued with an accumulated of 280 visits
 - The technical-environmental training sessions began by the operator *Asociación de Mujeres Profesionales de Nariño*. The first training module was delivered to eight (8) groups.
 - The nursery building started in the municipality of La Union and the vegetable material to be delivered to growers is developing.
 - The associations formed by the program have completed eight (8) coffee marketing exercises directly with ENA.
 - The commercialization strategy "*Carrera Cafetera 2010*" began in order to promote direct commercial relationship between associative groups and ENA.

BUDGET

Table 7. Justice and Peace –Assistance to Victims Budget

Projects Approved for Justice and Peace- Assistance to Victims:		Number of Beneficiaries
A.	Indufrial	0
B.	Cámara de Comercio de Sincelejo	104
C.	Cámara de Comercio de Cartagena	234
D.	Escuela Taller Cartagena de Indias	0
E.	Por definir	30006
F.	OIM/DDR - Caficultores de Nariño	400
TOTAL		30.744

Next Quarter Priorities

In the upcoming quarter, the project intends to focus on the following actions and strategies within each component:

Tracking and Monitoring

- Finish the donation process of 447 computer equipments supplied to the ACR as technical support to the reintegration process.
- Negotiate with the ACR, the transition mechanisms for the collection and systematization of Psychosocial, Formal Education and vocational training information currently been done by the TMES teams.
- Update the TMES database with the Formal Education and Technical training information that has been collected and systematized by TMES professionals.
- Support the work on a psychosocial intervention model for the productive units of DDR Program.

Inspector General's Office

- Start the application of the instrument in the prioritized municipalities
- Finalize the selection process of the project staff
- Launch the results of the first phase of the project

Support to the Demobilized Population

Formal Education Projects

- Finish the enrollment process of the participants benefited by Edupaz in the different universities.

Urban Productive Projects

- Complete the liquidation process of the projects and agreements that are in this stage.
- Expand the tracking and monitoring phase of the new projects.
- Coordinate, with the regional staff and the ACR, the identification of new beneficiaries to develop new integral projects.

Rural Productive Projects

- Complete the required procedures to obtain the credits for implementing projects in Cesar and Cordoba.
- Obtain contracts for marketing of cassava and vegetables products.
- **Program of reintegration and community development in Sucre and Antioquia Departments – Argos.**
 - Begin the planting process in the lot of *Escuela Agropecuaria-IETA* in San Onofre, Sucre.
 - Complete the liquidation process of the existing partnerships to formally create the new association to be established in every municipality in Antioquia.
 - Enroll in the project new participants from the community in the municipality of Puerto Triunfo
 - Implement 4 new Tabasco chili hectares in the three areas.

Verification to the Process

- Start the implementation of the initiatives prioritized within the second phase of the project.
- Verification of emblematic judicial process that will take place next quarter.

Justice and Peace -Assistance to Victims

Interinstitutional System for justice and peace

- Continue with gatherings of identification of relative of missing persons, according to the Attorney General Office's schedule.
- Continue with ceremonies of return of remains.
- Continue the psychological support to victims during the *versiones libres*.
- Continue the development of the Justice and Peace System.

Reparations:

- Continue supporting the Administrative Reparation Program with staff and equipments.

- Continue the process of technical and financial support to the collective reparation process by concluding the activities and action throughout the collective reparation pilots, and supporting the formulation of the Collective Reparation Institutional Program.
- Explore alternatives and potential projects in Historical Memory, Truth, Archives and Preservation of human rights related documents.

Restitution of Goods:

- Hire teams for the projects in Chengue and Mampujan respectively.

Assistance to victims:

- Advance and improve the strategy of integral attention to victims by complementing the support in income generation and psychosocial assistance with a bigger emphasis on human development and social capital.

Rural Productive Projects

- **Program of Integral development for coffee growers' families victims of the armed conflict in Nariño Department.**
 - Link at least another 100 growers to the existing associations.
 - Begin the contracting and implementation process of infrastructure works, starting with the drying yards
 - Complete the strategy of "*Carrera Cafetera 2010*" and evaluate the performance of the association and its partners in order to determine the coffee growers' families, who will be awarded with prizes or benefits to be delivered by the Program
 - Advance in the selection and contracting process of the company responsible for business training.

Annex 2. Services Summary Table

SERVICES SUMMARY TABLE

Table 8. Services Provided to Demobilized Individuals, Family Members, and Victims by Department and Type

Department		Labor Training	Human Development & Psychological Attention	Formal Education	Profiles & Vocational Orientation	Employability & Productive Projects	TOTAL * DEPARTMENT
National Coverage	Projected	1.612	0	229	0	850	2.691
	Actual	0	0	13	0	0	13
Antioquia	Projected	3.112	1.925	700	4.150	1.488	11.375
	Actual	0	0	0	0	107	107
Atlantico	Projected	125	125	0	0	125	375
	Actual	114	114	0	0	116	344
Bogotá	Projected	810	7.582	0	1.000	506	9.898
	Actual	53	1.145	0	0	106	1.304
Bolívar	Projected	188	985	0	200	200	1.573
	Actual	38	0	0	0	72	110
Caldas	Projected	15	0	0	0	0	15
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0	0
Casanare	Projected	100	50	0	0	50	200
	Actual	0	45	0	0	45	90
Cesar	Projected	676	505	0	1.825	815	3.821
	Actual	0	143	0	0	354	497
Córdoba	Projected	639	646	0	2.025	680	3.990
	Actual	0	0	0	0	139	139
Guajira	Projected	0	0	0	0	34	34
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0	0
Magdalena	Projected	495	728	0	1.000	532	2.755
	Actual	73	132	0	0	189	394
Meta	Projected	220	240	0	500	430	1.390
	Actual	0	0	0	0	152	152
Norte de Santander	Projected	50	520	0	500	240	1.310
	Actual	0	30	0	0	220	250
Quindío	Projected	50	150	0	0	150	350
	Actual	0	22	0	0	49	71
Risaralda	Projected	465	490	0	150	645	1.750
	Actual	0	164	0	0	168	332
Santander	Projected	64	211	0	400	424	1.099
	Actual	0	77	0	0	81	158
Sucre	Projected	230	251	100	500	352	1.433
	Actual	0	0	0	0	109	109
Tolima	Projected	0	50	0	400	50	500
	Actual	0	42	0	0	45	87
Valle de Cauca	Projected	60	857	0	1.000	198	2.115
	Actual	15	50	0	0	63	128
TOTAL PROJECTED		8.811	15.265	1.029	13.650	7.719	46.674
TOTAL ACTUAL		293	1.964	13	0	2.015	4.285
TOTAL CONCLUDED		3.851	3.977	858	14.150	966	23.802

Annex 3. Services Summary Table – Demobilized Individuals

SERVICES SUMMARY TABLE – DEMOBILIZED INDIVIDUALS

Table 9. Services Provided to Demobilized Individuals by Department and Type

Department		Labor Training	Human Development & Psychological Attention	Formal Education	Profiles & Vocational Orientation	Employability & Productive Projects	TOTAL PER DEPARTMENT
National Coverage	Population	0	0	13	0	0	13
	Demobilized	0	0	8	0	0	8
Antioquia	Population	0	0	0	0	107	107
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	65	65
Atlantico	Population	114	114	0	0	116	344
	Demobilized	114	114	0	0	114	342
Bogotá	Population	53	1.145	0	0	106	1.304
	Demobilized	29	535	0	0	82	646
Bolívar	Population	38	0	0	0	72	110
	Demobilized	38	0	0	0	72	110
Caldas	Population	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	0	0
Casanare	Population	0	45	0	0	45	90
	Demobilized	0	45	0	0	45	90
Cesar	Population	0	143	0	0	354	497
	Demobilized	0	143	0	0	148	291
Córdoba	Population	0	0	0	0	139	139
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	139	139
Guajira	Population	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	0	0
Magdalena	Population	73	132	0	0	189	394
	Demobilized	73	132	0	0	169	374
Meta	Population	0	0	0	0	152	152
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	152	152
Norte de Santander	Population	0	30	0	0	220	250
	Demobilized	0	30	0	0	35	65
Quindío	Population	0	22	0	0	49	71
	Demobilized	0	22	0	0	49	71
Risaralda	Population	0	164	0	0	168	332
	Demobilized	0	162	0	0	168	330
Santander	Population	0	77	0	0	81	158
	Demobilized	0	77	0	0	81	158
Sucre	Population	0	0	0	0	109	109
	Demobilized	0	0	0	0	99	99
Tolima	Population	0	42	0	0	45	87
	Demobilized	0	42	0	0	45	87
Valle del Cauca	Population	15	50	0	0	63	128
	Demobilized	1	50	0	0	44	95
TOTAL POPULATION		293	1.942	13	0	1.966	4.285
TOTAL DEMOBILIZED		255	1.352	8	0	1.458	3.122

Note: Only departments with services currently provided to demobilized individuals are detailed in this table. Additionally, the row “Total Population” represents the same “Total Actual” reported in Annex 2.

Annex 4. Services Summary Table – Victims

Table 10. Services Provided to Victims by Department and Service

Department		Labor Training	Human Development & Psychological Attention	Employability & Productive Projects	Other services	TOTAL * DEPARTMENT
National Coverage	Projected	0	0	0	30006	30.006
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Antioquia	Projected	0	0	32	390	422
	Actual	0	0	0	127	127
Atlantico	Projected	520	520	552	0	1.592
	Actual	0	0	130	0	130
Bogotá	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Bolívar	Projected	660	410	1.435	514	3.019
	Actual	0	0	37	0	37
Boyacá	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Casanare	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Cesar	Projected	70	0	70	0	140
	Actual	0	0	70	0	70
Córdoba	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Choco	Projected	0	0	0	70	70
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Guajira	Projected	0	0	60	70	130
	Actual	0	0	51	0	51
Magdalena	Projected	0	100	100	0	200
	Actual	0	105	71	0	176
Meta	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Nariño	Projected	0	0	400	0	400
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Norte de Santander	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Risaralda	Projected	0	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Santander	Projected	0	0	110	0	110
	Actual	0	0	0	0	0
Sucre	Projected	250	80	1.200	104	1.634
	Actual	0	40	258	0	298
Tolima	Projected	0	0	231	0	231
	Actual	30	0	149	0	179
Valle de Cauca	Projected	80	730	80	0	890
	Actual	0	0	15	0	15
TOTAL PROJECTED		1.580	1.840	4.270	31.154	38.844
TOTAL ACTUAL		30	145	781	127	1.083

Annex 5. Glossary

ACR	<i>Alta Consejería para la Reintegración</i> High Commission for Reintegration
AG	<i>Fiscalía General de la Nación</i> Attorney General
AUC	<i>Autodefensas Unidas de Colombia</i> United Self-Defense Forces of Colombia
<i>Autos Inhibitorios</i> (AI)	Judicial decision to not prosecute an individual on the basis of proceedings and hearings related to crimes different from those committed against humanity.
CNRR	<i>Comisión Nacional de Reparación y Reconciliación</i> National Commission for Reparation and Reconciliation
CORE	Community-Oriented Reintegration of Ex-combatants
DAS	<i>Departamento Administrativo de Seguridad</i> Security Administration Department
DI	Demobilized Individuals
DDR	Disarmament, Demobilization, and Reintegration
GOC	Government of Colombia
IG	Inspector General
MAPP/OEA	<i>Misión de Apoyo al Proceso de Paz de la OEA</i> Mission to Support the Peace Process by the OAS
NO	<i>Defensoría del Pueblo</i> National Ombudsman
OAS	Organization of American States
ICFES / PREICFES	A standardized test given by the Colombian Institute for the Encouragement of Higher Education, similar to the American SAT that all high school students must take before graduating. The grade helps universities rank the students for admissions. Its preparatory course is known as PREICFES.
SENA	<i>Servicio Nacional de Aprendizaje</i> National Learning Service
SIG	<i>Sistema de Información Georeferenciada</i> Geo-referenced Information System

SIJUF	Inter-institutional Information System of the Justice and Peace Unit of the AG's Office
SIR	<i>Sistema de Información de Reintegración</i> Reintegration Information System
TMES	Tracking, Monitoring, and Evaluation System
Versión Libre RAP	Process of individuals registered and heard by prosecutors Psychosocial Assistance Report

Annex 6. Exchange Rates

Exchange Rates

Table 11. Exchange Rates

Month	Year	Exchange Rate
July	2007	1.935
August	2007	1.976
September	2007	2.133
October	2007	2.038
November	2007	2.008
December	2007	2.075
January	2008	1.990
February	2008	1.990
March	2008	1.892
April	2008	1.834
May	2008	1.170
June	2008	1.172
July	2008	1.780
August	2008	1.771
September	2008	1.873
October	2008	2.147
November	2008	2.348
December	2008	2.355
January	2009	2.213
February	2009	2.300
March	2009	2.586
April	2009	2.355
May	2009	2.321
June	2009	2.208
July	2009	2.108
August	2009	2.006
September	2009	2.011
October	2009	1.918
November	2009	1.925
December	2009	1.959
January	2010	2.057
February	2010	1.966
March	2010	1.939
April	2010	1.908
May	2010	1.970
June	2010	1.993

Annex 7. Waiver for agricultural purchases

The total of purchases made since March 05 2010, date in which the waiver was approved, until the moment are:

Table 12. Purchases made under Waiver each category

Component	Project
Justice and Peace - Victims	CI Potosi
	Asom
	Asoapicol
	Wiwas - Kankuamos
Support to the Demobilized Population	Funderis
TOTAL (Amount in USD**)	

Annex 8. Environmental Tracking

- **Establishment of cassava crops in Chinulito.**

In Chinulito, Municipality of Coloso, Sucre, IOM is supporting the establishment of cassava cultivation for 25 returned families. These families have returned to their lands eight years after the massive forced displacement as consequence of the violent period in the region.

The project has developed an intense awareness to sensitize the beneficiaries on good environmental and agricultural practices. The zone presents high slopes, areas of secondary forest and that the process of re-colonization of the lands has been very fast and without technical advisory, placing this area as highly vulnerable to environmental degradation.

The main achievements of the project during this quarter are focused in the eradication of cultivation practices, that are accepted due to the culture of the area, as the use of fire for soil preparation and waste management, the intervention of forest to expand the cultivation area and the establishment of crops along the slope (the cassava was established against the slope in order to prevent soil erosion). Additionally, in coordination with CARSUCRE, the project has developed a strategy for the final disposal of empty pesticide containers, aimed to protect natural resources from chemical contamination and the beneficiaries' health.

- **Establishment of cocoa crops in the Municipality of Turbo, Antioquia.**

During this quarter the project, as a corrective action and in order to protect the Monomacho stream and the surrounding vegetation from the agricultural activities, established 200 meters of bamboo seedling along both sides of the stream. Currently the seedlings are in stage of re-growth and adaptation. The vegetation of the other basins of the farm were evaluated by the technical team and found they were in good condition.

Planting activities were developed by the beneficiaries of the project. This activity was used to reinforce the environmental training plan regarding resource protection, focused in the importance of the bamboo plants in the riversides and the need of protecting the water sources.

In-Country Training Data

Name of Implementing Partner: International Organization for Migration

Prepared By: ___ Luis Caicedo Valbuena _____

Date Prepared: July 23, 2010

Please complete the following fields for each training event and forward to your SO Representative at the Mission. NOTE: THIS IS MANDATORY UNDER USAID REGULATIONS.

Name of Training Program: Leveling Module in Basic Skills

Project / Activity Name: Leveling Module in Basic Skills for demobilized participants in process of social and economic reintegration in Turbo, Apartadó and Carepa (Antioquia)

Technical Office: ___ Basic Skills for technical training _____

Start Date: ___ 21/09/2009 _____ **End Date:** ___ 30/04/2010 _____

Method of Training (circle the one that applies): • Traditional •

Training Type (circle the one that applies):

• Seminar • Workshop • Conference • On-the-job Training • Study Tour • Short Course

Training Provider Name: Fundación de Estudios Superiores Universitarios de Urabá Antonio Roldan Betancur (F.E.S.U.).

Address: ___ Calle 100 No. 101 - 64 _____

City: ___ Turbo, Apartadó and Carepa _____

Country: ___ Colombia _____

Field of Study (enter a general subject area): Leveling Course in Basic Skills for technical training

USAID Funding (in US Dollars):

Instruction: _____

Trainee: _____

Travel: _____

Non-USAID Funding (in US Dollars):

Host Country Instruction: _____

Host Country Trainee: _____

Host Country Travel: _____

Private Instruction: _____
Private Trainee: _____
Private Travel: _____
Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants

Males: 64 **# Females:** 50

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>50</u>	Males	<u>64</u>

Residence Country: Colombia

Private Travel: _____
Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants_____

Males: 95 **# Females:** 75

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>75</u>	Males	<u>95</u>

Residence Country: Colombia_____

Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants_____

Males: 14 **# Females:** 6

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>6</u>	Males	<u>14</u>

Residence Country: Colombia_____

Private Travel: _____
Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants_____

Males: 40 **# Females:** 20

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>20</u>	Males	<u>40</u>

Residence Country: Colombia_____

Private Travel: _____
Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants_____

Males: 20 **# Females:** 18

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>18</u>	Males	<u>20</u>

Residence Country: Colombia_____

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Name of Training Program: Leveling Module in Basic Skills

Project / Activity Name: Leveling Module in Basic Skills for demobilized participants in process of social and economic reintegration Bucaramanga (Santander)

Technical Office: Basic Skills for technical training

Start Date: 30/09/2009 **End Date:** 15/04/2010

Method of Training (circle the one that applies): • Traditional •

Training Type (circle the one that applies):

• Seminar • Workshop • Conference • On-the-job Training • Study Tour • Short Course

Training Provider Name: Congregación Mariana Claver de Bucaramanga.

Address: Cra 20 No. 36 - 63

City: Bucaramanga

Country: Colombia

Field of Study (enter a general subject area): Leveling Course in Basic Skills for technical training

USAID Funding (in US Dollars):

Instruction: XXXXXXXXXX _____

Trainee: _____

Travel: _____

Non-USAID Funding (in US Dollars):

Host Country Instruction: _____

Host Country Trainee: _____

Host Country Travel: _____

Private Instruction: _____

Private Trainee: _____

Private Travel: _____
Other Instruction: _____
Other Trainee: _____
Other Travel: _____

Group Name: Ex-combatants_____

Males: 15 **# Females:** 12

Afro Colombian:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Indigenous:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Disabled:	Females	_____	Males	_____
Other:	Females	<u>15</u>	Males	<u>15</u>

Residence Country: Colombia_____



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SUCCESS STORY

Winning the war to the sound of processing timber

A timber factory that has transformed the lives of a group of ex combatants



*John Jairo prepares an order for pallets from one of the most important companies in the region.”
Cali – Colombia.*

**“We are all very excited. It is a good business and we all want to continue our formal education.”
Jhon Jairo Burbano,
Mundo Maderas factory”.**

██████████ is one of seventeen ex combatants from illegal armed groups that are working in “Mundo Maderas”, a factory that produces wooden supports and pallets, and all of whom are now joint owners.

For more than ten years John was fighting in the war as a member of a guerilla group. In 2006, after having seen several of his commanders die, he took the decision to demobilize and return home to be with his wife and children. During the four years he has been away from the fighting he has had the opportunity of receiving some formal education and training and learn a trade.

In the factory John operates one of the wood processing machines; nevertheless, in a few years time he hopes to be able to become involved in business administration. To achieve this, he knows he must finish his primary and secondary school education and then complete a technical management degree course.

“Mundo Maderas” began operations on 11 May 2010 in Cali, which is the most important city in south west Colombia and which has been host to various demobilized groups from the area. To set up the factory and to provide technical training to the participants, an investment of about 140 thousand US dollars was required and this money was donated by USAID and important businessmen in the region.

The success of the project owes a lot to the support received from the private sector that has the technical and business experience to enable the company to have long term sustainability. “Mundo Maderas” receives support from: “Fundación Carvajal” which is one of the most important editorial conglomerates in the country; from Bavaria, which is the main domestic brewery in the country and that will also be one of the main buyers of its products; and from “Fundación Semana” that is one of the most influential media groups in the country.



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Since 2006, USAID has been providing support to the government-led reintegration process for ex combatants from illegal armed groups. Through the Community Focused Reintegration Program that is jointly implemented with the International Organization for Migration (IOM), various productive initiatives have been developed such as “Mundo Maderas” which guarantee those that have been demobilized some basic financial support and an opportunity to learn a trade and have a job well away from the fighting. About 51 thousand ex combatants are taking part in the reintegration process in Colombia.

John and his colleagues are hoping to turn “Mundo Maderas” into a large business in the future. Currently it is a factory that is beginning to grow but that does not yet produce much profit. Nevertheless for [REDACTED] this is a temporary situation: “we are all working hard so that in a few months time we can increase our income. Every day we get up full of energy and happy in the knowledge that we have a job and a desire to make a success of our company”.

In the future the seventeen owners/workers of the factory hope to be able to hire more people that have been demobilized like them in order to also give them the opportunity to learn a trade and have a stable job that will guarantee them a salary and enable them to live in peace with their families.