

PROGRAM PERFORMANCE REPORT
Submitted by Save the Children U.S. El Salvador
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Save The Children U.S. (STCUS) is pleased to present its first-quarter Program Performance Report, submitted to USAID, for its Permanent Housing Project

a) COMMUNITY AND SITE SELECTION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PERMANENT HOUSES.

Prior to initiating the construction of permanent houses, STCUS conducted an intense legal, social, and environmental survey in eight rural communities in the department of Cuscatlan, in an effort to identify, evaluate and select secure sites and beneficiaries for the housing project. Surveys were conducted solely in the department of Cuscatlán, an area severely affected by the February 2001, earthquake and also an area where STCUS has had significant presence since 1987. Prior work experience in these communities presented considerable advantages to STCUS and allowed it to build upon established relationships with community members, municipal governments, and local community associations.

The target communities of this project are as follows:

MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY
San Pedro Perulapán	Huiziltepeque
San Pedro Perulapán	Miraflores
San Pedro Perulapán	La Esperanza
San Pedro Perulapán	Tecoluco Abajo*
Tenancingo	Hacienda Nueva
El Carmen	San Antonio
El Rosario	San Martín
San Cristobal	La Virgen

b) COLLECTION OF LEGAL DOCUMENTS FOR POTENTIAL BENEFICIARIES (ILP-SC).

During the first quarter of this project, Save the Children collected, prepared and presented a total of 312 individual files for potential beneficiaries to the "Instituto Libertad y Progreso" (ILP,) for their review and legal evaluation. Below is a list of files collected per community:

MUNICIPALITY	COMMUNITY	Number of Files
San Pedro Perulapán	Huiziltepeque	89
San Pedro Perulapán	Miraflores	65
San Pedro Perulapán	La Esperanza	79
Tenancingo	Hacienda Nueva	29
El Carmen	San Antonio	32
El Rosario	San Martín	6
San Cristobal	La Virgen	12

*Note: The community Tecoloco Abajo, located in the municipality of San Pedro Perulapán, does not meet the potable water requirement, and will not be considered for this project.

By December 31, 2001, STCUS had received the following information from the ILP regarding submitted files:

Approved:	164
Pending:	133
Rejected:	11*

*Rejected files also include beneficiaries that are currently being covered by other institutions involved in permanent housing projects. (CARE, REDES, etc.)

Initially STCUS estimated a 50% rejection rate for files submitted to the ILP, however due to a close working relationship with the ILP and strong legal/social promotion campaign, rejection rates have actually been under 3%.

At the end of the first quarter, the process of collecting, preparing and presenting files to ILP was 88% completed. STCUS and the ILP have set January 31, 2002, as the final date for submitting files.

c) SITE VERIFICATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL RISK EVALUATION (USAID-SC).

Site verifications and environmental risk evaluations started in November 2001, and continued until December 26, of that same year. STCUS staff, USAID's Corps of Engineers, and potential beneficiaries all participated in the evaluation and verification process and by the end of December; a total of 330 evaluations had been conducted. Below is a list of sites visited and the number of evaluations conducted per site:

HUIZILTEPEQUE:	83
MIRAFLORES:	61
HACIENDA NUEVA:	29
LA ESPERANZA:	78
SAN ANTONIO:	32
SAN MARTÍN:	20
LA VIRGEN:	27
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Total:	330

Of these visits conducted, the following results were obtained:

Approved Sites:	287
Pending Sites:	22*
Rejected Sites:	21**

*Pending sites refer to properties that require some form of mitigation procedures, such as retention walls or property leveling.

**Rejected sites are those that do not qualify for this project and have failed to meet USAID's requirements.

At the end of the first quarter, the site verification process was 92% complete. STCUS and USAID have set February as the deadline for finishing the verification process.

d) HOUSE CONSTRUCTION AND SANITATION COMPONENT-SAVE THE CHILDREN.

HOUSING.

Construction of housing began in the community Huiziltepeque on December 8, 2001. Initial activities were carried out solely by project beneficiaries and include:

- i) Formation of work groups and presentation of construction timeline.
- ii) Removal and clean up of damaged or destroyed houses; leveling of property.
- iii) Improving access to construction sites.
- iv) Preparation of foundations for construction.

It is important to mention that the community members of Huiziltepeque are also currently involved in the construction of a potable water system with CARE, and a latrine project with STCUS/Project Concern International.

At the end of the first quarter, SC has completed the following:

- 17 foundations marked and prepared
- 10 foundations with reinforcement rods in place
- 10 foundations completed
- 8 houses with reinforcement structure in place and ready to build
- 6 houses with walls completed
- 5 houses with facial makeup of walls completed
- 2 houses with roof supports installed
- 2 houses with roofs installed
- 2 houses with inside-floor prepared to pour cement floor
- 1 house with inside cement floor completed

On December 28, 2001, USAID's Corps of Engineers visited STCUS' work sites to evaluate the construction process, view quality control, and ensure proper management of materials.

ENVIRONMENTAL/SANITATION COMPONENT.

Construction of sanitary units (latrines, fuel efficient stoves, washing sink, grey water disposal systems) follows the construction of housing. Due to the movement of machinery and workers, it is necessary to wait for the placement and initial construction of homes before initiating the construction of sanitary units. As of December 31, the following items have been completed or in process:

- 17 latrines in construction and/or completed
- 10 grey water disposal systems in construction
- 17 fuel efficient stove bases in construction and/or installed
- 17 washing sinks completed

e) LIST OF LEGALLY APPROVED BENEFICIARIES FROM ILP.

Note: See attached list of beneficiaries that have obtained legal approval from ILP.

f) CERTIFICATION.

STCUS certifies that all proper steps have been taken to ensure appropriate project implementation, evaluation, and monitoring. Furthermore, STCUS certifies that secure and transparent financial systems are in place and invites USAID to verify this process at any time during this project.

ARQ. CARLOS HUMBERTO RODRIGUEZ
PROJECT DIRECTOR

San Salvador, January 28/2002.

LIST OF BENEFICIARIES THAT HAVE OBTAINED LEGAL APPROVAL FROM I.L.P.

MUNICIPALITY:
COMMUNITY:

SAN PEDRO PERULAPAN
HUIZILTEPEQUE

DJC071006968	SANCEZ, MAXIMILIANO
DJC071006971	GARCIA DE MORALES, FELICITA
DJC071006974	NAVARRO DELGADO, ELMER ANTONIO
DJC071006975	GAMEZ DE PEREZ, JUANA
DJC071006978	GIRON, DAVID
DJC071006979	PEÑA DELGADO, JOSE ANTONIO
DJC071006981	CAMPOS VDA. DE SANTOS, VICTORIA
DJC071006984	GARCIA TRINIDAD, VALERIO
DJC071006985	VENTURA HERNÁNDEZ, CRESENCIO
DJC071006986	TRINIDAD RODRÍGUEZ, ISMAEL
DJC071006988	PEÑA SANTIAGO, HILARIO
DJC071006991	ESCOBAR VASQUEZ, ROSARIO DELMY
DJC071006993	ORELLANA TRINIDAD, YOLANDA
DJC071006995	CAMPOS, ATILIO
DJC071006997	VASQUEZ DE VASQUEZ, MARIA ANACLETA
DJC071006999	GARCIA LOPEZ, TEODORO
DJC07100700	HERNANDEZ VIVAS, GONZALO
DJC071007002	FUENTES, ALICIA
DJC071007006	PACHECO, EUTIMO
DJC071007007	MORALES VELASCO, CLAUDIA CAROLINA
DJC071007010	CENTENO VDA. DE SANTIAGO, SABINA
DJC071007012	MIRANDA, SONIA ELIZABETH
DJC071007013	VIVAS, NICOLAS
DJC071007022	HERNANDEZ, BRAULIA
DJC071007024	TRINIDAD, MARIA MARTIR
DJC071007027	PACHECO, MAXIMILIANO
DJC071007029	PEÑA, MARIA FRANCISCA
DJC071007031	MORALES GARCIA, ANA CELIA
DJC071007033	ESPAÑA DE MUÑOZ, MARIA EZEQUIEL
DJC071007036	MORALES MEJIA, ROSA CARMEN
DJC071007037	FUENTES SANTIAGO, MARIA DOLORES
DJC071007038	GONZALEZ MIRANDA, JOSE VICTOR
DJC071007041	DELGADO TRINIDAD, JOSE ANGEL
DJC071007042	MUÑOZ BAUTISTA, LUIS ANTONIO
DJC071007044	HERRERA PEÑA, MANUEL DE JESUS
DJC071007046	MIRANDA DE VENTURA, LEONIDES
DJC071007051	MORALES BOLAÑOS, JOSE ALBERTO
DJC071007052	DELGADO BATRES, JUAN ANTONIO
DJC071007053	TRINIDAD, JOSE CRUZ
DJC071007054	CRUZ SÁNCHEZ, VICTORINO
DJC071007056	MORALES GARCIA, JOSE MATEO
DJC071007057	TRINIDAD MORALES, JOSE LUIS
DJC071007058	MORALES SANTIAGO, JOSE GERMAN

DJC071007059	TRINIDAD, INOCENTE
DJC071007060	VASQUEZ DE GONZALEZ, GLADIS
DJC071007062	HERRERA DE VASQUEZ, INES ELVIRA
DJC071007063	TRINIDAD DE DELGADO, JOSEFINA
DJC071007064	BELTRAN MEJIA, FRANCISCO
DJC071007067	VENTURA HERNANDEZ, DOMINGO}
DJC071007068	MARTINEZ, EMILIA
DJC071007070	MORALES MEJIA, JOSE ROGELIO
DJC071007071	ESPAÑA PEREZ, FERNANDO
DJC071007072	ESPAÑA VDA. DE VASQUEZ, DOROTEA
DJC071007074	GARCIA VASQUEZ, ELIODORA
DJC071007077	TRINIDAD RODRIGUEZ, CATALINA
DJC071007078	GARCIA, CIRILO
DJC071007081	HERNANDEZ, JOSE OCTAVIANO
DJC071007082	VASQUEZ, INES
DJC071007083	PEÑA DE VASQUEZ, TEOFILA
DJC071007087	TRINIDAD BAUTISTA, ROSA CATALINA
DJC071007088	TRINIDAD, RAFAEL
DJC071007092	HERRERA VIDES, MARIA DEL ROSARIO
DJC071007093	TRINIDAD, MARIA HERMINIA
DJC071007095	LOPEZ DE PEÑA, JULIA
DJC071007096	VENTURA HERNÁNDEZ, JULIA
DJC071007097	MUÑOZ BAUTISTA, JOSE SALVADOR
DJC071007201	SORTO MORALES, TIBURCIO
DJC071007466	SIGÜENZA, JOSE IGNACIO
DJC071007469	HERRERA, HECTOR
DJC071007693	GARCIA VDA. DE RAMÍREZ, ADELA
DJC071008336	VIDES AGUILAR, LORENZO

**MUNICIPALITY:
COMMUNITY:**

**SAN PEDRO PERULAPAN
MIRAFLORES**

DJC071006963	SANCHEZ, GONZALO
DJC071006964	BELTRAN DE LEON, PAULINO
DJC071006965	SANCHEZ BAUTISTA, MARIO ERNESTO
DJC071006966	GIRON GONZALEZ, MARIA ELENA
DJC071006967	CARPIO, SEGUNDO SANCHEZ
DJC071006970	SANCHEZ VIDES, CANDIDO RAFAEL
DJC071006972	BELTRAN, ANGELA
DJC071006989	ESPAÑA MORALES, ROSA
DJC071006990	BAUTISTA, MARIA VITALINA
DJC071006994	GIRON DE VASQUEZ, MARTA ALICIA
DJC071006998	AGUILAR, MIRIAM
DJC071007001	PEREZ, NARCISO
DJC071007008	SANCHEZ RAYMUNDO, DELFINA

**MUNICIPALITY:
COMMUNITY:**

**SAN PEDRO PERULAPAN
LA ESPERANZA**

DJC071007692	VASQUEZ DE GIL, FIDELIA
DJC071007696	SEGURA DE RAMÍREZ, REYES
DJC071007699	SEGURA VIVAS, SANTOS
DJC071007701	GIL PEREZ, AGRIPINO
DJC071007703	GARCIA GARCIA, SEGUNDO
DJC071007707	JOAQUIN, RODOLFO
DJC071007708	GARCIA, EMILIANO
DJC071007709	SEGURA SÁNCHEZ, MIGUEL ANGEL
DJC071007710	HERNANDEZ GARCIA, ENRIQUE
DJC071007711	LOPEZ, MARIANO
DJC071007715	MENDOZA MENDOZA, HERMINIA
DJC071007717	VASQUEZ, MARIA HILARIA
DJC071007718	GARCIA GARCIA, MARGARITO
DJC071007719	GARCIA SÁNCHEZ, JOSE JULIO
DJC071007721	MENDOZA GIRON, JUAN FRANCISCO
DJC071007724	LOPEZ, LAZARO
DJC071007726	RAMIREZ SEGURA, LUIS FILADELFO
DJC071007727	VIVAS, JOSE RAMON
DJC071007728	GARCIA GARCIA, FIDELIO
DJC071007731	VIVAS, DIONICIO
DJC071007742	SEGURA, ADELA
DJC071007744	GIRON VENTURA, CALIXTO
DJC071007746	LOPEZ GIL, CASIMIRO
DJC071007750	VIVAS MENDOZA, BERNARDINO
DJC071007779	LOPEZ, JOSE OSCAR
DJC071007780	GARCIA VASQUEZ, ALFONSO
DJC071007871	SEGURA MENDOZA, DOROTEO
DJC071007873	PEREZ, CRISTOBAL
DJC071007874	HERNANDEZ HERNÁNDEZ, EVELIO
DJC071007875	LOPEZ, MARIA DAYSI
DJC071007876	JOAQUIN DE MENDOZA, MARIA
DJC071007878	LOPEZ MOS, JOSE ESTEBAN
DJC071007880	SEGURA, SABINA
DJC071007881	VIVAS, CRESCENCIO
DJC071007882	GARCIA VIVAS, ANDRES ABELINO
DJC071007886	GIL GARCIA, JOSE LEVI
DJC071007892	GARCIA SEGURA, JUAN
DJC071007893	PEREZ GARCIA, JOSE
DJC071007896	VIVAS MENDOZA, JOSE GABINO
DJC071007897	SEGURA, VISITACION
DJC071007902	GIL, HIGINIO
DJC071007904	SANCHEZ, JOSE ASCENCIO
DJC071007907	GARCIA VDA. DE GARCIA, MARIA JULIA
DJC071007908	LOPEZ MOS, JOSE

MUNICIPALITY:
COMMUNITY:

TENANCINGO
HACIENDA NUEVA/HUIZILTEPEQUE

DJC071007467	SIGÜENZA, JOSE LUIS
DJC071007468	ALVARENGA, MARCELINO
DJC071007473	ZAVALETA HERNÁNDEZ, MELECIA
DJC071007486	ALFARO ALVARENGA, FELICIANO DE JESUS
DJC071007487	ZAVALETA, CONCEPCION
DJC071007488	ALVARENGA DE ZÚÑIGA, FELICITA CLEMENCIA
DJC071007489	BELTRAN ALFARO, SANTIAGO
DJC071007490	ALVARENGA, IGNACIO D JESUS
DJC071007492	ALVARENGA, JESÚS BATRES
DJC071007493	TORRES ROSALES, JOSE MATILDE
DJC071007694	CACON DE ALVARENGA, ANGELINA
DJC071007706	GARCIA, JOSE ORLANDO