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**VISIT OF MS. MICKY, SENIOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST, WORLD BANK  
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## A-Introduction

The Sindh Water Sector Improvement Project (SWSIP-I) is the World Bank funded project. The overarching objective of SWSIP-I is to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the irrigation water distribution in three AWBs (Ghotki, Nara, Left Bank), particularly with respect to measures of reliability, equity and user satisfaction. This would be achieved by:

- a) deepening and broadening the institutional reforms that are already underway in Sindh,
- b) improving the irrigation system in systematic way covering key hydraulic infrastructure, main and branch canals, and distributaries and minors, and
- c) Enhancing long-term sustainability of the irrigation system through participatory irrigation management and developing institutions for improving operation and maintenance of the system and cost recovery.

The improved water management would lead to increased agricultural production, employment and income over some about 1.8 million ha or more than 30 percent of the irrigated area in Sindh, and one of the poorest region of the country.

In order to achieve above objectives SDC-Transition planned following activities:

- FO Re-elections & making FO offices functional
- FO training & capacity building
- FO supervision & monitoring
- FO conflict resolution
- Facilitating FOs for conducting their Audits
- Developing FO business plans

The activation of SM Teams in SIDA and AWB is given in *Annexure-1*

## SOCIAL MOBILIZATION ACTIVITIES AT GLANCE

### 1- Institutional Development of Farmers Organizations

#### 1.1- FO Formation:

Overall Status of FO Formation in AWBs is given as under:

AWB	Total FOs to be formed	Total Formed	Balance to be formed
GFCAWB	91	89	02
NCAWB	172	162	10
LBCAWB	105	93	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>24</b>

The overall status of FOs is attached as *Annexure-2*

#### **LBCAWB:**

During current quarter Feb to April 2014 the Social team of LBC-AWB focused on (02) FO Formations.

1. **Adu Wah:** Mobilization meetings are held with different groups of farmers from head to tail, and a base line survey has been completed. We hope that this formation will be completed in the month of February-2014.
2. **Chaneri Distry:** Mobilization meetings were held with farmers and Baseline survey is completed, so it is expected that FO formation will be completed in the end of February-2014.

#### **GFCAWB:**

GFCAWB have already completed 3 FO Formations out of 5 minors, below two remaining minors are under formation process.

1. FO formation is in under process on **Imam Wah**, 70 water course associations formed out of 100 water courses.
2. FO formation process on **Desert Minor**, is completed, 13 water course associations formed. There is still conflict on BoM that will be resolved by convincing them within a days and Election will be held in the month of February 2014.

#### **NCAWB:**

As such the target of FO Formation has been reduced from 22 to 10 in NCAWB and it was agreed that 10 new FO Formation will be formed. The staff has started mobilization efforts for new FO formation but no any formation was held as yet.

## 1.2- Assistance in Re-Election

### 1.2.1- Overall Status of Re-Election of FOs in AWBs till 30<sup>th</sup> April 2014

AWB	Total Target as of June 2014	Achieved till 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2014	Balance
GFCAWB	47	03	44
NCAWB	116	53	63
LBCAWB	60	18	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>149</b>

### 1.2.2- Progress of Re-Elections of FOs in AWBs from Feb to April 2014

AWB	Total Target as of June 2014	Progress During Feb-April 2014			Total
		Feb	Mch	April	
GFCAWB	47	01	01	00	02
NCAWB	116	01	00	03	04
LBCAWB	60	01	01	00	02
<b>Total</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>08</b>

### 1.2.3- Status of FOs where Re-Elections held during Feb to April 2014

AWB	Name of FO	D/O Re-Election	Done by
GFCAWB	Sangrar Minor	19/02/2014	FT GFCAWB
	Kandi Minor	25/03/2014	
NCAWB	Darro Bazzar	03/02/2014	FT NCAWB
	Farsh Distry	10/4/2014	FT NCAWB
	Mumtaz Minor	24/04/2014	FT SDC-SIDA
	Kiriri Minor	29/04/2014	FT SDC-SIDA
LBCAWB	Jamali Minor	15/02/2014	FT LBCAWB
<b>Total</b>			

The process of re-election on following FOs in AWBs is underway:

**NCAWB:** Ashabo, Hingorno, Kamaro, Sarhari, Chach, Chato and Saifal Minor

**LBCAWB:** Bhawali, Golarchi, Sorhadi, Beeroveeran, Ahmed Rajo, Kario Wah, Ali Wah Large and Pandhi Wah

**GFCAWB:** Sonan, Nihal Wah, Lund Minor and Gaji Lower Minor

However, there are certain internal community conflicts, due to which re-elections are taking time. The SM activities can be boosted if Farmer Members of AWBs may play their imperative role to resolve the community conflicts of FOs.

There is also resources limitation to field staff including Mobility/transportation and allowances, which AWBs Directors have been asked to resolve. Moreover, Revised PC1 has been approved; additional position of social mobilizers in AWBs may be advertised and recruited.

### **1.3- FO Meetings**

The Social Mobilization staff of AWBs and SIDA jointly assist FOs in organizing General Body and Board of Management meetings as per provisions of (SWMO)-2002. During the reporting quarter months, more than 50 GB and 20 BoM meetings were held by the FOs. Other administrative issues discussed regarding water distribution, Abiana assessment & collection and de-silting as well. These meetings were held at FO offices.

### **1.4- Assistance in Conflict Resolution**

During reporting quarter various FO conflicts on civil works, water shortage, illegal pipes and cuts and water share list were reported on FO Hafiza Minor, RD-203 L/S and RD-130 RS, Doso Distry, Santrahu Minor and Baghi Minor and through the efforts of SM teams all conflicts successfully resolved.

### **1.5- Registration / Re-Registration of FOs and WCAs**

During reporting quarter SDC received 10 FO Re-Registration Files and about 30 WCAs registration files from outside AWBs. All FOs and WCAs have been re-registered with RA after proper procedure. SDC also received number of No Objection Certificates from Election Committee for conducting Election / Re-Election of FOs and WCAs and after completion of all codal formalities the same were issued accordingly from RA SIDA.

### **1.6- Updating of Registration Data and FO Profiles**

SDC is actively involved in updating of FO registration data and FO Profiles. The last FO profiles were updated during 2009 and after that no any work done on it. During reporting quarter the database is under updating procedure and work is underway.

### **1.7- Preparation of Comments on various reports and Compliance Status**

During reporting quarter SDC was actively involved in preparing on various M&E reports (FO Performance Evaluation etc) and also prepared various compliance status of meetings (MRM, Follow up Meeting, SIDA Board etc)

### **1.8- Assist in Land Acquisition Matters of B1 Component**

SDC is also involved in land acquisition matters of B1 Component. Initially focused on NC-01 contract and during reporting quarter mainly focus made on NC-02 contract. One of the Institutional Specialist of SDC has been given additional assignment to look after the matters of land acquisition and provide support and assistance in resolution of community issues of land acquisition. The SDC representative is actively pursuing the matters under the guidance of SDS with DPD, Director NCAWB, Manager Revenue and Consultants.

## **1.9- Coordination & Linkages**

The members of Field Teams develop coordination and linkages of FOs with operational staff of AWB and other line departments, The staff held 10 meetings between the FOs and AWB staff, line department officials, etc. for coordination and linkages development. During the month of February 2014, the staff held 10 such meetings of FOs and most of the them were with the operational staff of AWB for resolution of different day to day issues pertaining to Abiana assessment & collection, record keeping, lower staff formation, etc. These coordination meetings remained very fruitful and many of the minor issues resolved at the local level and better working relationships developed between FOs and operational staff of AWB.

## **1.10- Assessment of FO performance**

A survey of 315 FOs (who signed IDMTA) was conducted by SM Staff of SIDA/AWB. In this regard a meeting was also held in the office of M&E regarding the some findings/ observations by the M&E over the forms of FO performance. All staff sent surveyed form during April 2014 and same were forwarded to M&E for compilation. After issuance of report, the qualified FOs will be awarded further FO Offices (if not available) and some equipment on merit basis through proper procurement procedure.

## **1.11- SM Monthly Staff Meetings**

### **1.11.1- 19th Monthly Progress Review Meeting SDC-Transition**

The 19<sup>th</sup> monthly progress review meeting of SDC Staff was held on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2014 at SIDA Secretariat Hyderabad. Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Act. Manager SM&G/TC briefed the forum regarding agenda and proceedings of the meeting. After that Mr. Nazeer Ahmed Memon, General Manager Transition welcomed all participants and appreciated those staff members who had facilitated during the field visit of Mr. Nazer Muhammad Maher, Advisor-WB to different FOs/Minors & Distributaries.

Furthermore, Ms. Farzana Abbasi, Social Development Specialist took over and continued the meeting. In this respect Field teams expressed their serious concerns and disappointments over persistent criticism due to FO conflicts related to civil works. They were of the view that despite of the fact that FO conflicts were the result of weak contract management and inability of AWBs for not undertaking their required roles they were continued to receive blame of not producing their expected output. They also felt disappointed due to lack of career growth opportunities, rewards and exposures within SIDA. They were also of the view that on the basis of new strategy their present roles may also be modified & restructured as follows:

- Team for FO Re-elections & making FO offices functional
- Team for FO training & capacity building
- Team for FO supervision & monitoring
- Team for FO conflict resolution
- Team for facilitating FOs for conducting their Audits
- Team for developing FO business plans



Finally, SDS in consultation with team decided following action points for developing exit strategy of FO and quarterly action plan:

- 1- Manager Revenue will provide complete detailed status of abiana position of all FOs to field staff that they may be able to mobilize FOs to deposit the abiana. Further he will also facilitate SDC in getting the missing record of FOs for Abiana recovery.
- 2- On the basis of Exit strategy of FOs, the social team will play a modified role as follows:
  - a- The Social Team of SIDA will involve AWB teams in implementation of field activities
  - b- They will also raise concern on performance gap of FOs
  - c- The Institutional Specialist and AEN for FOs will be required to undertake lead role in some aspects that would contribute towards capacity building of AWBs and FOs
  - d- AEN for FOs will be required to take lead role in preparing and facilitating O&M plan of FOs and also support FOs in implementing of the O&M plan on their channels
  - e- Whereas, the Institutional Specialist will be responsible for overall institutional strengthening of AWB and FOs in following aspects:
    - i) Facilitating FOs' in managing their Organizational & financial record keeping
    - ii) Facilitating FOs in organizing their re-Elections
    - iii) Development of O&M plans of FOs' Channels and conducting monitoring & supervision Conducting remaining IDMTs
    - iv) Training and capacity building of AWBs and FOs
    - v) Facilitating FOs in conducting their financial audits
    - vi) Facilitating FOs in preparing their business plans

#### **1.11.2- Review & follow up Meeting with SM Staff in NCAWB**

The Social staff special meeting was held at committee room of NCAWB office MPS on dated 31-3-2014. Meeting was chaired by GMFCR NCAWB. Meeting undertaken through staff from different field offices based in NCAWB jurisdictions. During meeting reviewed the overall progress/targets and achievements of the ongoing social mobilization activities and also follow up was conducted on findings of visit of Mr. Nazar Muhammad Mahar meeting held in PMC/A Karachi.

### **1.12- Field Visit Reports of World Bank and FAO Officials**

During reporting quarter a World Bank Mission comprised of Mr. Azad , Task Team Leader , Ms. Uzma Sadaf, Senior Procurement Specialist, Mr. Riaz Memhmood, Financial Management Analyst, Ms. Miki Terasawa, Senior Social Scientist, Tahira Syed, Program Coordinator, Shahzad Sharjeel , Sr Communication Specialist, Mr. Muhammed Ehsan , Civil Engineering Consultant and Altaf Iqbal, Senior Agriculture Economist, FAO visited Sindh from 3-15 Feb 2014. The mission review overall progress of WSIP project and

visited various B1 & B2 Contracts and also did various meetings with Government and SIDA officials.

#### **1.12.1- Senior Social Development Specialist, World Bank meeting with Social Development Specialist SIDA**

During visit of Mission Ms. Miki, Senior SDS met with Ms. Farzana Abbassi, SDS SIDA in office of SDC SIDA. The meeting was mainly emphasized on Gender Mainstreaming policy of SIDA. Various issues were discussed at length and during meeting it was decided that a cushion of budget should be fixed for gender mainstreaming component and lady SM staff should be given resources and vehicles that they may easily manage the women farmers. It was also decided that SDC will arrange training of different groups of women through joint coordination with AWBs.

#### **1.12.2- Meeting of Ms. Miki with women farmers group at Duthro Minor Sanghar**

Ms. Miki met with women farmer group of Duthro Minor. Mr. Nazeer Ahmed Memon, General Manager Transition was also accompanied with her. The detail report is enclosed as *Annexure-3*

#### **1.12.3- Visit of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher in LBC and NCAWB on B2 Contracts**

Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher, Institution Specialist FAO along with Mr. Ylli Dedja, Team Leader PMC/A and Mr. Nazeer Mughal, Director Coordination PCMU visited LBC and NCAWB on 28 Feb to 2 March 2014. The team visited various minors where works done in WSIP and met with many Chairman and farmers. The detail summary of visit is enclosed as *Annexure-4*

#### **1.12.4- Follow up Meeting of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher Visit**

After field visit, a follow up meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> April was held at PMC/A Karachi under the Chairmanship of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher, Institution Specialist FAO. The meeting was attended by Mr. Fatah Mari, PC-PCMU, Mr. Ylli Dedja Team Leader PMC/A, Mr. Nazeer Ahmed Memon, GM Transition SIDA, Mr. Ghulam Mustafa Ujjan, Director NCAWB, Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Manager SM&G, SIDA and Mr. Tariq Aziz Bhatti Manager Customer LBCAWB. The well discussion was made on findings of the meeting and minutes were issued and implementation on the decisions is underway.

### **1.13- Capacity Building of SIDA/AWB**

#### **1.13.1- Six Days Training on “Conjunctive Water Management” at MUET Jamshoro**

Mr. Kousar Ali Mangi Assistant Engr SIDA Choondko and Mr. Abdul Wassay Sheikh Assistant Engr. SIDA attended six days training in Hyderabad. The training was arranged by Mehran University of Engineering & Technology on Conjunctive Water Management. In this training Engineers of SIDA, Area water Boards, WAPDA, Water management and Professors of Sindh Agriculture University of Tando Jam, Quaid e Awam University

Nawabshah and Mehran University Jamshoro participated. The training was started from February 3 to 8, 2014. During training four days were classes and two days were field visits. During field visit they the participants visited Nawabshah and Sanghar area and monitored the conjunctive use of ground water and surface water. At the end of the training the group leaders presented their presentation and the training was concluded by certificate distribution.

### 1.13.2- Five Days Training on “Training Tools & Techniques” at PIM Karachi

During reporting quarter a team of Social Mobilization Officer consist of Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Manager SM&G SIDA, Mr. Mohsin Ali, Institutional Specialist SIDA, Mr. Shahnawaz Umrani, Institutional Specialist SIDA, Mr. Tariq Aziz Bhatti, Manager CR LBCAWB, , Mr. Sajjan Khan Ghanghro, Manager CR, GFCAW and Mr. Sikander Ali Mangrio, AM(SM) NCAWB attended five days “Training Tools & Techniques” ToT at Pakistan Institute of Management Karachi under Component A of WSIP-1. The training was held by HRD Section-Transition Wing SIDA. All officials successfully accomplished training workshop.

### 1.14- Capacity Building of Farmers Organizations

During reporting period two one day training of FOs on Organizational Management and Abiana Assessment were held in LBCAWB. The training were held under Component A3 of WSIP. The detailed report is enclosed as *Annexure-5*:

### 1.15- Desilting Report of Faiz minor, Upper Nara, NCAWB

Field team Choondko did many meeting with FO BoM regarding implementation of Channel Operation and Maintenance (O&M) plan. In this connection FO BOM meeting held at Faiz minor on April 22, 2014 on the agenda of Desilting. FO Board of Management (BoM) told that silt has been deposited in the channel and also supply of the water has been reduced and it needs Desilting. It was decided in the meeting that Desilting would be started from April 28, 2014. FO treasure collected the money from the khatedars and Desilting was started from head to tail.

The detail of expenditures is given below:

Date	Working hours			Cost
	1 Tractor	1 Crane	20 Labor	
27-4-2014	5	15	7	48,500
28-4-2014	5	14	6	46,000
29-4-2014	4	13	8	43,500
30-4-2014	3	14	5	44,000
Total Cost Rs:				182,000

**Note:**

- Rate of crane 2500/ hour
- Tractor 1000/ hour
- Labor 300/ day



### 3- Progress Regarding Short & Medium Term Objectives

It has been reported that the improving efficiency of infrastructure of irrigation system and strengthening institutions which are working under reforms and reduced water shortage at level of various channels and make efficient.

For the promotion of success of institutional reforms major stakeholders are working collectively. One of the major stakeholders being a water user, Khoski & Ashabo are actively participating in rehabilitation works such as conducting consultative meetings, attending orientation workshops, participating in walk through surveys to acquire the initial data of the channels, the encroachments. Identification of several community infrastructures like FO offices, Washing Ghats, Foot Bridges, Village road Bridges etc. and also keep check on the quality and quantities of ongoing rehabilitation works through participatory irrigation management as signing and verify the Interim Payment Certificate along with AWB officials, Consultants and SIDA officials.

Furthermore, the FOs have demonstrated their enthusiasm for participation in training & re-election events. Some of the FOs are stepping ahead towards self-reliance.

*The End*

# ANNEXURES

## ***Annexure-1***

### **Activation of Social Mobilization Teams of SIDA/AWBs**

<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>FIELD OFFICES SOCIAL MOBILIZATION</b>				
<b>SIDA</b>	Mirpurkhas	Sanghar	Choondko	Badin	Ghotki
<b>Staff Induction</b>	1 IS, 1 AEN	1 IS, 1 AEN	1 IS, 1 AEN	2 IS, 4 AENs	1 IS, 1 AEN
<b>NCAWB</b>	Mirpurkhas	Sanghar	Umerkot	KGM	-
<b>Staff Induction</b>	Manager SM Manager CR 3 AM(SM)	1 AM(SM)	No any AWB Staff	-	-
<b>LBCAWB</b>	Hyderabad	Matli	Badin	Golarchi	-
<b>Staff Induction</b>	Manager CR	1 AM(SM)	1 AM(SM)	2 AM(SM)	
<b>GFCAWB</b>	Ghotki	Pano Akil	Mirpur Mathelo		-
<b>Staff Induction</b>	Manager CR 1 AM(SM)	1 AM(SM)	2 AM(SM)		

## Annexue-2

### Social Mobilization Bulletin till April 30 2014

Area Water Boards / Canal	Total FOs to be Registered (Tentative)	Social Mobilization / FO Registration			Re-Election				Management Transferred (IDMT)			
		Registered upto March 2013	During Month of April 2014	Cumulative	Target upto April 2014	Achieved Up to March 2014	During Month of April 2014	Cumulative	Management Transferred upto March 2014	During Month of April 2014	Cumulative	
Guddu Barrage												
Ghotki Feeder Canal AWB	91	89	-	89	47	3	0	3	63	-	63	
Sukkur Barrage												
Nara Canal AWB	172	162	-	162	116	50	3	53	159	-	159	
Kotri Barrage												
Left Bank Canal AWB (Phuleli 66+Akram Wah 39)	105	93	-	93	60	18	0	18	93	-	93	
Others (Outside Canal Area Water Board)												
* Others (Non-AWBs)		15	-	*15	10	6	-		6	0	-	0
Total (AWBs)	368	359	0	359	233	77	3		80	315	0	315

## ***Annexure-3***

### **1- Visit Report of World Bank Mission, Ms.Micky Senior Social Development Specialist at FO Duthro-1 Minor Sanghar**

Ms. Micky, Senior Social Development Specialist of World Bank visited FO Duthro-1 minor along with Mr. Nazeer Ahmed, General Manager Transition and Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Manager Social Mobilization SIDA on **dated 7-2-2014**. Mr. Habib Baig active member of FO given detailed briefing on FOs structure (BoM), strategy of formation of WCAs, FOs activities and progress, abiana collection and assessment and women representation/participation in FO body.

Ms. Micky met with women group and she was mainly interested to give them significant role in FO and WCAs and enhance their capacity as they could start some income generating activities and to become economical independent and contribute at house hold level. She said that as SIDA is working on water issues, if women are interested to do water related activities we can support them, otherwise SIDA has some budget for capacity building so we can organize some trainings for women groups and strengthen their capacity and to enhance their knowledge as women could start income generating activities. Ms. Micky suggested that FO should find out some activities which must be related or linked with project objectives because we cannot do those activities which will not cover/meet the same objectives.



Mr.Habib Baig informed that FO Duthro-1 has successfully got livestock project from CDP department Govt of Sindh and will start some activities with women groups very soon for their sustainability in long term. Women groups were very eager to establish vocational centers as they could learn embroidery and stitching and as well as organize some kitchen gardening trainings for their small scale business.

Women also demanded to have some awareness raising programs and meetings at village level particularly with women and focus on disadvantages of loses of water and importance of water at present. At the end of the meeting Ms.Micky appreciated FOs work and suggested that FO should do start some activities for women empowerment as they could play their due role and bring some changing in the area. After that Mr.Habib baig has presented the ajrak gift to the honorable guests and further he said that we are very thankful of World Bank mission to give the opportunity to FO duthro -1 for the visit.



**2- Visit Report of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher & Mr. Ylli Dedja at Nara & Left Bank AWB, 28th Feb 2014 to 2nd march 2014**

**Summary of visit of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher and Mr. Ylli Dedja regarding B2**

S#	Name of FO	Name of Chairman of FO	Name of Other Participants	Designation
<b>Day-1- Left Bank Canal AWB Badin &amp; Tando Muhammed Khan</b>				
1	Dokia Wah	Mr. Ghulam Qadir Lashari	Mr. Jai Ram	General Manager Operations, SIDA
2	Sorhadi Minor	Mr. Anwer Nohrio	Mr. Masroor A. Shahwani	Manager SM&G, SIDA
			Mr. Mohsin Ali	FRO SDC SIDA
			Mr. Atif Kandher	AEN for FO
			Mr. Saeed Daheri	AEN for FO
			Mr. Parwez Sheikh	Quantity Surveyor
<b>Day-2- NCAWB Sanghar</b>				
3	Hingorno Minor	Mr. Khair Muhammed Rajar	Mr. Zahid H. Junejo	PD WSIP
4	Khori Minor	Mr. Haji Muhammed Lashari	Mr. Jai Ram	General Manager Operations, SIDA
5	WSIP/B1/NC-02, Nara Canal		Mr. Ghulam Mustafa Ujjan	Director NCAWB
			Mr. A. Rasheed Maher	Manager SM, NCAWB
			Mr. Shahnawaz Umrani	FRO SDC Sanghar
			Mr. A. Wasay Sheikh	AEN for FOs SDC SIDA Sanghar
			Mr. Akber Bugti	AEN for FOs SIDA Mirpurkhas
			Mr. M. Arif Laghari	FRO SDC SIDA Mirpurkhas
<b>Day-3- NCAWB Mirpurkhas</b>				
6	Ashabo Minor	Mr. Imtiaz Cheema	Mr. M. Arif Laghari	FRO SDC Mirpurkhas
7	Kunri Minor	Mr. Mir Moazzam	Mr. Ali Akber Bugti	AEN for FOs, SIDA Mirpurkhas
8	Bhan Minor	Mr. Rahila Bibi	PIC Consultants	
9	Bilalani Minor	Mr. Faqeer Faiz Muhammed		

### Capacity Building of FOs

#### 1- One Day Training of FO Shah Bukhari Minor in LBCAWB under WSIP

One day training on “Planning & Channel O&M” was held on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2014 at FO Office Village Haji Noor Ahmed Samoo District Tando Muhammed Khan. The training was organized by Social Development Cell-Transition Wing-SIDA with joint collaboration of Left Bank Canal Area Water Board.



The General Body Members of FO Shah Bukhari Minor attended the training. The participation percentage was overall good. 32 FO members including some abadgars/farmers participant attended the training.



The resource persons from SIDA and AWB delivered the lectures and also conduct field exercise on Abiana Assessment. The whole training session was focused on Organizational Management and Abiana Assessment & Collection. Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Training Coordinator SIDA, Mr. Muhammed Ghous laghari, Institutional Specialist SIDA and Mr. Zubair Afzal Memon, AM(SM) delivered the lectures. An other resource person Mr. Ali Muhammed Soomro, Canal Assistant also played his role in field exercise of Abiana Assessment. All FO members well participated in the field exercise and understand all issues of assessment and collection. All resource persons played vital role while delivering the lecture to FOs and field exercise.



During training it was observed that whole body of FO was new and recently the re-election for 3<sup>rd</sup> tenure of FO body was conducted. The FO members showed keen interest in the training and also demanded training on Financial Management, Conflict Management and on Agriculture topics. During training the focus was made that new body make FO sustainable in term of financial & may be organizational developed. It was also emphasized that FO must install sign boards near to their minor and office and show its visibility. An immediate impact of training was seen that after completion of training the new body organized its 1<sup>st</sup> GB meeting and all members ensured to pay their abiana dues as soon as to FOs. The representatives of M&E Consultants well monitored the event.



## 2- one day training of FO Dhadharko Minor, LBCAWB, under WSIP

One day training on Planning, Channel Operation & Maintenance and Abiana Assessment and Collection was organized by Sindh Irrigation and Drainage Authority (SIDA), Social Development Cell-Transition Wing with joint collaboration of Left Bank AWB on April 17, 2014 at FO Office Village Ahmed Khan Khoso near Gholarchi District. The members of Management Bodies of FOs of Dhadharko Minors were invited for this training session. The resource persons from SIDA & AWB delivered the session and covered the major topic i.e. Organizational Management, Operation & Maintenance of channels and Abiana Assessment & Collection. Moreover, there were two types of trainings were announce regarding the abiana assessment, first theoretical and second practical.

Before starting the training session three types of Training manuals on the subjects of the training in Sindhi language were distributed among the participants. "Abiana Assessment & Collection" "Operation and Maintenance" & "Organizational Management" moreover, the book of "*Sindh Water Management Ordinance 2002*" was also distributed within the FO BoM members in Local "Sindhi" Language.

During training a surprised team consist of Mr. Nazer Hussain Maher, Mr. Ylli Dedja, Mr. Nazeer Mughal and Mr. Nazeer Ahmed Memon monitored the training event and made various suggestions to improve the training events of farmers.

The resource persons from SIDA and AWB delivered the lectures and also conduct field exercise on Abiana Assessment. The whole training session was focused on Organizational Management and Abiana Assessment & Collection. Mr. Masroor Ahmed Shahwani, Training Coordinator SIDA, Mr. Muhammed Ghous laghari, Institutional Specialist SIDA





## PICTORIAL VIEW OF ACTIVITIES



Figure 2- Re-Election Kirriri Minor NCAWB



Figure 1- Re-Election Kirriri Minor



Figure 3 New BoM of Kirriri Minor



Figure 4- Visit of WB Auditors



Figure 5- A view of GB Meeting of FO



Figure 6- View of GB Meeting Liari Minor



Figure 3- De-Silting on Self Help Basis by FO



Figure 8- De-Silting under way



Figure 9- Conflict Resolution at Hafiza Minor



Figure 10- GB Meeting



Figure 11- Field Visit Meeting MUET



Figure 12- Khori Minor visit of WB



Figure 13- Ms. Mikki Visit at NC-02

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