



Gabiley IDPs Draught Impact Report

Introduction

There is severe prolonged draughts in Somaliland at large which affected the pastoral, Agro pastoral and agrarian communities. This draught is the result of missing the rain of Gu' season, although there is areas experiencing four consecutive years of draughts the general situation of these communities is harsh and displacing from most sever areas to least affected areas of the country.

It was reported that many families displaced from the eastern regions of the country to the western regions including Gabiley and surrounding areas. These displaced communities settled in different locations of the region, it became difficult to get the exact number of the displaced persons so that, the regional authority decided to conduct an assessment to verify the magnitude of the displacement.

The deputy governor of Gabiley led the assessment team, NDRA regional Coordinator was important member for the team, they visited displacement locations in various areas of the region. They have seen the dare situation of the newly displaced families and their host communities and produced an alarming Draught Impact Assessment report.

Objectives

1. To weigh the impact of draught to the displaced communities and their living conditions
2. To go and see the new displacement households, their situation and to call for response
3. To prepare an alarming situation report to the IDP stakeholders

Methodology

The methodology of the assessment was Key Informant Interview (KII) which was asking the situation the displaced households and host communities including heads of the villages.

Finding

The result of the sever draught in Somaliland displaced 2,000 HHs from their regions of in habitant to Gabiley and surrounding areas. The new displaced households are suffering from food security, Water, and Nonfood Items (NFIs). These people are very vulnerable including children and elderly persons.

During displacement movement they experienced lots of animal deaths which the assessment team shocked the number of animal deaths on the streets. The health of the currently living animals has its worry due to the drought resistance and the famine.

Recommendations

1. To get food assistance for the new displaced communities in Gabiley.
2. To fetch water trucking and water reserve assistance in Gabiley IDPs
3. To distribute Nonfood Items (NFIs) to new displaced IDPs in Gabiley
4. To provide human and Animal medicines to rescue the vulnerable households



