

Center III, renovated and restocked two laboratories at another two health centers.

INVESTMENT IN KARAMOJA WITH DEVELOPMENT FUNDING:

- Conducted a baseline survey in the four project districts of Nakapiripirit, Napak, Moroto and Amudat which informed project implementation.
- Assessed and developed designs and Bills of Quantities for opening and rehabilitation of 68kms of three major roads to serve the project area.
- Selected 50 students to benefit from

- and youth groups.
- Procured nine tractors to upscale tractorization in Northern Uganda.
- Procured 160 motorcycles for youth and institutions.
- Procured 2,000 goats for youth and women groups.
- Completed foundation works for Butaleja produce store.
- Procured 300 Sewing machines.
- Procured and distributed 11,500 bags of cement and 49,832 iron sheets.
- Procured 700 oxen for youth and women groups in Northern Uganda.
- 226 Livelihood Investment Support subprojects in six districts of Karamoja



Meeting the 'Fourth Estate': Hon. Jim K. Muhwezi, Minister of Information and National Guidance (L), interacting with Media Managers and Reporters to articulate Government Programs.

secondary school scholarships.

GoU EMPOWERING NORTHERN UGANDA:

- Concluded the procurement process of 600 bicycles for selected youth and religious leaders and deliveries of the bicycles is expected before end of this month (January 2016).
- Procured and delivered 7,541 heifers to various beneficiary Local Governments in the four sub-regions of Northern Uganda - West Nile, Lango, Teso and Acholi, another 11,459 will be delivered before end of this Financial Year 2015-

- sub region received 3,154,533,764/=, a total of 1,768 community subprojects received a sum of Ugx. 36,523,331,582/= as first tranche funding, 976 Community subprojects received a sum of Ugx. 32,503,119,260/= as second tranche funding and a total of Ugx 1,441,360,000/= was disbursed to districts for training of project management committees in 50 districts.
- Transferred UGX151,803,361,000 to 55 District Local Governments for Community Infrastructure Rehabilitation (CIR) sub projects, Household Income Support Programme (HISP) sub projects



Getting practical: Hon. Eng. Hilary Onok, Minister for Relief Disaster Preparedness and Refugees, inspecting proposed sites for re-settling the Elgon region landslide prone people.

- Installation of solar power completed for 52 Acholi Chiefs' houses.
- Local Purchase Order (LPO) has been prepared for the supply of 200 bicycle repair kits and 200 motorcycle repair kits for beneficiaries.
- Procured 37,449 cattle for Restocking of Northern Uganda in the Sub Regions of Acholi, West Niles, Lango and Teso.
- Procured and distributed 1,200 Ox Ploughs for women and youth groups in Northern Uganda.
- Procured 16 hydra form machines for selected youth groups and institutions.
- Procured 290,454 hand hoes for women

- and Public Works Programme (PWP) sub projects.
- Completed a total of 6,503 subprojects (HISP-5,047 CIR-1,377 and PWP-79) out of the 8,719 funded subprojects giving a completion rate of 75%.
- Mapped and printed all sub projects implemented under NUSAF2 using the GIS technology.
- 480 new Field Farmer Schools established.
- 480 old Field Farmer Schools re-mobilized.
- 149 Field Farmer School facilitators trained.
- 960 oxen distributed to Field Farmer

- Schools.
- 960 ox-ploughs distributed to Field Farmer Schools.
- 74,700kg of seed for multiplication distributed in Acholi sub region.
- 45 market information centers established.
- 18 machines for value addition supplied in Lango sub region.
- 77 boreholes drilled.
- One dam and eight ponds de-silted.
- Rehabilitated/built 20 Shallow wells & protected springs.
- 100 rain water jars constructed.
- 12 treadle pumps installed.
- Two fish fry centers constructed.
- 117 cattle crushes and four cattle dips constructed.
- One livestock market fenced.
- Four slaughter slabs constructed.
- 12 Market sanitary facilities constructed.
- 23 markets with 100 stalls constructed.
- 466km of community access roads opened/rehabilitated.
- 6 ox-carts and 264 human push carts distributed.
- Five Field Farmer Schools networks linked to higher level micro finance institutions.
- One agricultural showground fenced.
- Five district production office blocks constructed.
- 14 sub county production office blocks constructed.
- 25 sets of solar power units installed.
- One animal and plant diagnostic laboratory built.
- Five weather stations set up.
- Two community/agricultural centres rehabilitated.
- 36 sets of agriculture and livestock equipment distributed.
- 262 computer sets distributed.
- One border warehouse constructed.
- 100 motorbikes distributed to districts/ sub counties.
- 1,172 Project Management Committee members trained and supplied with 1,172 bicycles.

MORE GoU-DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP INVESTMENT IN KARAMOJA:

- 240 new Agricultural Pastoral Farmer Schools (APFS) established and 200 old ones strengthened.
- 480 oxen and 480 ox-ploughs distributed to the new APFS.
- 10 vet-drug shops equipped with assorted animal drugs.
- 420 improved goats distributed to APFS groups.
- 46 portable crushes for small ruminants constructed.
- 28 drip irrigation systems provided to APFS.
- 435 Kenya top beehives supplied to the APFS.
- 203 water for production structures comprising water ponds, micro-dams and rock catchment and sub-surface dams constructed.
- 42 drip irrigation systems established.
- 14 boreholes drilled and installed in various communities.
- 110 cattle troughs built.
- 194 km of feeder roads opened.
- 22 grain stores constructed.
- 72 drying slabs constructed.
- 23 valley tanks of 10,000-cubic-metre capacity constructed.
- 34 district and sub county production offices built, including a regional veterinary laboratory installed with rain water harvesting facilities.
- 35 solar power units installed for production offices and regional laboratory connected to the national power grid and municipality water supply.
- 9 Double cabin pick-up vehicles procured for district production departments.
- 30 motorcycles provided to sub counties



On the ground: Minister for General Duties, Hon. Prof. Tarsis Kabwegyere arriving for a Baraza Meeting in Mbale District

- production offices.
- 38 complete sets of furniture given to production and police offices.
- 38 refrigerators and veterinary equipment supplied to production offices and regional laboratory.
- 58 computers provided to district and sub county production officers.
- 8 police offices built for 7 police posts and Kangole police station.
- 63 accommodation units built at seven police posts for 63 Uganda Police Force staff.
- 22 police buildings installed with rainwater harvesting facilities.
- Fenced seven police posts with chain-link fence.
- Eight police units supplied with full sets of furniture.
- Six solar power units and two mains connection provided for the offices.
- Five boreholes drilled and installed in five water stressed police posts.
- 14 motorcycles distributed to seven police posts.
- 337 police officers trained in community policing methodology.
- 100 crime prevention clubs established in schools and communities, and facilitated in their work.

INTERVENTIONS IN THE LUWERO-RWENGOZI REGION:

- Paid 20,870 civilian veterans a one-off gratuity (Akasiimo).
- Disbursed UGX 0.43bn to support 114 micro projects to enhance household incomes for youths, women, farmer groups and persons with disabilities (PWDs).
- Procurement process for two double-cabin pick-up trucks concluded and the Solicitor General has already cleared the contract, awaiting signing.
- Procurement process of 14,000 hand hoes for distribution to farmer groups is at conclusion stage and the draft contract has been submitted to the Solicitor General for clearance.
- Procured 35,455 hand-hoes for civilian veterans, women and youth groups.
- Disbursed grants worth UGX 12.32bn to 16 district local governments to fund activities that enhance household incomes and improve critical community infrastructure.
- Procured and distributed 1,125 spray pumps for farmer groups (women and youth).
- Procured and distributed 8,000 bags of cement and 6,133 iron sheets.
- Transferred funds for four crop nurseries and banana mother gardens to Butambala, Lwengo, Mukono and Nakaseke districts.
- Completed 72 percent of the construction works at Nalutuntu Health Centre III in Mubende district.
- Procured eight tractors for civilian veterans.
- Procured and set up two hydra form

machines.

ADRESSING NEEDS OF BUNYORO REGION:

- Supported 18 micro projects in Kibale District with 18.9 million shillings to enhance household incomes for youths, women, farmer groups and PWDs.
- Procured and distributed 5,000 hand hoes, 1,000 bags of cement and 1,000 iron sheets - the process to get another 13,000 hand hoes and 2,000 iron sheets for distribution has been concluded and is due for signing.
- Commenced the procurement process for a baseline survey on the impact of oil and gas to the wellbeing of the communities.
- Completed the draft Bunyoro Integrated Affirmative Development Plan (BIADP).
- Supported 62 Micro projects.
- Completed renovation works and furnishing of the liaison Office in Hoima
- Procured three tractors for Bunyoro Sub Region

CLOSING SOCIO-ECONOMIC GAPS IN TESO:

- Transferred funds to Kumi District Local Government to complete the remaining civil works at Omatenga Health Centre III.
- Procurement of 8,000 Gauge 28 ordinary corrugated iron sheets for people of Tisai Island, Kachumbala and Angasia in Teso sub region was concluded and draft contract submitted to the Solicitor General for approval.
- Completed the procurement process for the supply of one double-cabin pick-up for the regional office procured and taxes already paid. Delivery is expected in this 3rd Quarter.
- Procured 791 ox-ploughs for Amuria, Ngora, Serere, Kaberamaido districts.
- Procured two Hydra form machines for Bukedea and Serere districts.
- Procured 13 motorcycles for the regional office, Asuret Health Centre III and Mukongoro HCIII.
- Procured three tractors for Teso Sub Region.
- Completed the Draft Teso Development Plan for Cabinet approval.
- Procured and distributed 1,160 bags of cement.
- Procured and distributed 10,000 hand hoes for Ngora and Kumi districts.

STRENGTHENING DISASTER PREPAREDNESS & MANAGEMENT:

- Completed the opening of 5km key road connecting Plot 94 to Plot 10, Draft Physical plans for Plots 93, 94 and 10, and draft architectural models for resettling 900 households at risk of landslides in the Elgon sub region in Bulambuli.
- Produced Risk and Hazard Mapping in 13 districts of Western & Eastern Uganda



Hon. Musa Ecweru, State Minister for Relief and Disaster Preparedness overseeing the distribution of 40 metric tonnes of relief food donated by Government to the hunger hit Karamoja region.



The State Minister for Northern Uganda Rehabilitation Hon. Rebecca Otengo hands over cattle to Beneficiaries of the Restocking programme in Northern Uganda.



The Minister of State/ Teso Affairs Hon. Christin A. Aporu hands over cattle to one of the disabled beneficiary