



REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE
PROVINCE OF CABO DELGADO
DISTRICT GOVERNMENT OF PALMA

**Minutes of Public Consultation Meeting within the scope of the Preparation of the Resettlement
Plan - Vila de Palma**

THIRD PUBLIC CONSULTATION

On the twenty-second day of August in the year two thousand and fifteen, in accordance with the provisions set forth in paragraph 3 of art. 23 of Decree 31/2012, dated 8th August, which approves the Regulations on the Resettlement Process Resulting from Economic Activities, the Third Consultation Meeting was held with the Community of Vila de Palma Sede, Locality of Palma, Administrative Post of Palma, District of Palma, with the following agenda:

- I. Status of the surveys (registration of people and asset survey)
- II. Presentation of the entitlement framework (proposed compensation package) __

The meeting was chaired by Mr. Pedro Romão Jemusse, Administrator of Palma District and was attended by the following individuals: _____

On behalf of the Government of Palma District: Mr. Abdul Piconês - Permanent Secretary; Mr. Carlos Paulo – Representative of the District Services for Economic Activities (SDAE); Mrs. Verónica Pancrácio – Director of District Services for Planning and Infrastructure; and Mr. Alfane César – Police Commander (PRM). _____

On behalf of the Government of Cabo Delgado Province: Mr. Policarpo Napica – Provincial Director for Coordination of Environmental Affairs; Mrs. Ivânia Florência – DIPREME; Mr. Tiago Mirione – Provincial Directorate of Agriculture; Mr. Hélio Brondalo – Provincial Directorate of Agriculture; Mr. Victor Cássimo – DIPREME; Mr. Cássimo Nivale – Provincial Directorate of Women and Social Welfare; Mr. André Bonifácio Cheyo – Maritime Administration; Mr. Manuel Daniel – National Institute for the Development of Small Scale Fisheries. _____

On behalf of the Central Government: Mr. Arlindo Dgedge – National Director of Territorial Planning and Resettlement; Mr. Zefanias Chitsungo – National Director of Housing and Urban Planning; Mrs. Eulália Macome – Ministry of Agriculture and Food Security; Mrs. Mara Bata, Mr. Lázaro Matlava, Mr. Inácio Novela – Ministry of Land, Environment and Rural Development; Mr. Silvano Langa – Ministry of State Administration and Public Service; Mr. Flávio Mulando – Ministry of State Administration and Public Service; Mrs. Abelina Chambule – National Petroleum Institute; Mr. Nélcio Bambo – Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Welfare; Mr. Emídio Raúl André, Mr. Erudito Boavida Malate and Mr. Arménio Neves da Silva – Ministry of the Sea, Inland Waters and Fisheries. _____

On behalf of the Project developers, namely: _____

Anadarko Moçambique Área 1, Limitada (AMA1) represented by: Mr. Alcido Maússe, Director of Relations with the Government and Social Affairs, Mr. Alexandre Jossias – Environment, Health and Safety Manager, Mr. Sérgio Barros – Resettlement Process Manager; Mrs. Iva Garrido; Mrs. Maria João Hunguana, Mr. Cláudio Fiquiço; Mr. Salvador Traquino and Mrs. Alice Madeira, Mr. Estevão Mabaia and Consultants Mrs. Gaye Thompson, Mr. Pedro Wate and Mr. Inocêncio Maganha. _____

Eni East Africa SpA Moçambique, represented by: Mr. Herculano Vilanculos, Mrs. Carla Pene, Mr. Eurico de Azevedo, and Mr. Constantino Matuta. _____

Empresa Nacional de Hidrocarbonetos (ENH) represented by: Mr. Julião Nhaquila and Mrs. Esperança Macovela. _____

The meeting was also attended by approximately six hundred and thirty members of Vila de Palma, including Mr. Issa Abdala Sumail - Community Leader and Pedro Nchamo – Chairman of the Community Resettlement Committee, as well as members of several civil society organizations. _____

The meeting began at 9:40 AM, with the welcome greetings of the Administrator who then invited the Government representatives (at the District, Provincial and Central level), ENH, Anadarko, as well as the civil society organizations to introduce themselves. _____

After the introductions, the Administrator, in his opening speech, emphasized the meeting's objectives and explained to the participants that the Government is concerned with improving the quality of life of the communities and ensuring that the resettlement process is carried out in the best way possible. Similarly, he asked participants to carefully pay attention to the presentation that would ensue, and declared the *Third Public Consultation Meeting* open. __

After his intervention, the District Administrator gave the floor to the National Director of Territorial Planning and Resettlement, Mr. Arlindo Dgedge, to make a few brief points. The National Director said they had been mandated by the Government, at the Central level, to join the communities, the District Government and all active sections of Palma District society, so that, together, they could think how to carry out the resettlement process. He also said that each of the people involved has an expertise, a different knowledge from the others, and that was important, because where many people think, it is easier to achieve a good solution, which demonstrates the importance given by the Government, as noted by the Administrator, to the development of the Project, to the community of Palma District, to the Cabo Delgado Province and to the country, in general. He also said that the Project is also important, not only to our country, as well as to other countries in the world, and that is why they were concerned to see the Project to take the necessary steps. He stressed that the major concern of the Government

in the process is that it is carried out always with a view to safeguard the interests of the communities living in the area where the Project will be developed. The National Director said that, for the Government, it is of paramount importance that the rights, interests and wishes of those people living in Palma and Afungi are safeguarded, and that was why the Government had approved a law that shows the steps to be taken until the resettlement of people, to allow the construction of the factories. The Director also mentioned that it is essential the unity within the communities, and that the communities should come together around the main objective, which is the development of the district. He pointed out that for that, it is necessary that communities are well organized and clear in defending the objective, which is the consensus. In conclusion, the National Director called for the communities to be more united in defending their interests within the Project development, as only united as a community and together with the Government they could achieve the desired objectives. _____

After the intervention, the meeting facilitator and Project Consultant, Mr. Inocêncio Maganha, asked Mr. Sérgio Barros, Resettlement Manager, to proceed with the presentation of the consultation topics. _____

Mr. Sergio Barros asked Mr Pedro Wate, Project Consultant, to provide a summary of the issues addressed in previous public consultation rounds, prior to starting the presentation of the current meeting items. Mr. Pedro Wate reminded the participants that the topics presented in the first Public Consultation meeting were related to the Resettlement Process, Project Impact Area and Local Resettlement. In the second round of public consultations, the topics presented were: Definition of Resettlement Site, the House Type, the Village Layout and the Integration of Host Communities. _____

Mr. Pedro Wate also said that there were issues that were not immediately clarified by the Project. However, during the process, these issues were clarified. Following this, in October 2014, a document was prepared which contains the clarifications requested in the public consultation. This document was placed in the Nkutano (meeting place) and in other visible

places within the community. Project teams have released the answers and posted them in the communities covered by the process. _____

The Proponent continued with the presentation of the themes that constituted the meeting's agenda, and the following aspects were discussed in detail: survey and registration of people and assets; compensation package, including eligibility criteria and calculation basis of the proposed values; replacement village; restoration of livelihoods; and medium and long term community benefits. _____

The meeting participants expressed their views on the consultation issue as follows: _____

1. Mr. Ássimo Biche, community member: _____

I did not have the opportunity to register my *machambas* during the period in which the census was conducted, would there still be a chance of registering *machambas* or not? ____

Mr. Sérgio Barros responded as follows: _____

The answer is yes, you can still make the registration of your assets. For the purpose, you just have to approach the resettlement committee, who will carry your concern to the Project. However, he explained, often those who registered their assets did not have *machambas* (cultivated areas) at the time, and now they have them and want to register them. You should not worry. You may continue to work on your new machambas, and there is no need to request the Project teams to update the data, as these assets will be verified prior to the compensation payments. _____

2. Mrs. Sidjiwe Momade, community member: _____

I gave the members of the Committee, the summary of the asset survey. Will it be returned to me or not? _____

Commenting on that, Mr. Pedro Nchamo, Chairperson of Palma Committee presented his position, stating that: _____

Regarding the lady who complained about the census card, the committee received the card and referred this case to the census team, who said that we should wait until the time of updating the *machambas*, to handle this case together with other similar cases. The committee is also still waiting, to facilitate the process. He said that he noticed that many people had complained for not having registered their *machambas* and yet, they never approached the committee to express their concerns. The Committee is waiting for them to register them, and to refer such cases to the Project, for solution. He also mentioned that there are contradictions within the community, regarding the compensation process, as the community does not believe, and feels unsure that the company will compensate those affected, and what the community wanted was that this process was quick for the community to be happy. _____

3. Mr. Momedé Alifa, community member: _____

Will the compensation values be truly available to people who have registered their assets? Because whoever is heading this process is people from Maputo, and these people despise us, which proves that they will not allow people to pay the compensation entitlement. Another issue is that, within the community, there are people who have completed high school, why is it that when there are vacancies, the company hires people from Maputo leaving out those from the community? What kind of training does Maputo people have that is different from these people in the community, with the high school level? Another issue is related to the BACTEC company. We learnt to weed since our childhood, but in that company, we are controlled by children from Maputo. In addition, these people are disrespectful. I worked with 14 white people, in different locations in Quitupo area, during the research process, and today the company no longer calls me, and it is making promises of development. Will this really happen? _____

In response, Mr. Sérgio Barros stated that: _____
Whether or not it will pay compensation values as they were explained, those values will be in a document that will be delivered to the Government for approval, and that the Project will have to comply with. Therefore, the Project will always pay. He also said that regardless of who was managing the activities – whether from Cabo Delgado, Niassa or Sofala - the Project will have to pay, and the approved documents (Resettlement Plan) will guide the process. _____

4. Mr. Saíde Mvita, community member: _____
Why is it that, when we submit our applications to work in the company, they prevent us because we are from Palma? After all, Quitupo, Senga, Maganja and Patacua are not from Palma? This instruction comes from the company staff or the community leaders of Afungi area? We were told to take care of documentation, and the amount charged was 300 Meticais, and they told us to wait 90 days. How will a person, who has 500MT, and a family to feed manage? _____

In response, Mr. Sérgio Barros stated that: _____
The identification documents (BIs) were highlighted because the Project will support the campaign, which will not be a regular process, but a faster one, and that more people should go and register themselves. He also said that, during the upcoming campaign, the cost to issue the BIs will be lower than the usual. Regarding the issue related to employment, he contradicted the previous speaker who said that those who come from other regions are privileged at the expense of local residents. He suggested that the district residents should be more patient because more job opportunities will arise with the various planned activities, including construction. _____

5. Mr. Mohamed Abdala, community member: _____

Why am I being prevented from fishing in my usual spot before being paid the compensation amount? I took care of my documents three years ago, but so far still did not get the documents, and now we are being required to take care of the documents. Will be possible to get the document indeed? _____

In response, Mr. Sérgio Barros stated that: _____

At that time there was no area in which the Project had forbidden fishing, and facing this situation, he requested the fisherman to approach the team for clarification. As regards to the BIs, he reemphasized that the campaign will be supported by the Project, the teams will meet the communities, the costs and time for issuance would be reduced in relation to the regular process. _____

6. Mr. Sumail Nfaume, community member: _____

There is a concern that made me stand up and come to the front: on the day I entered the car of the census team to go to Quitupo, specifically in Nacabande, to map my *machamba*, which I inherited from my parents, as we got there, we did an asset survey and at the end the team told me that *machamba* had already been registered by someone else. How will I find out who is such a person who registered my area without my knowledge? _____

Mr. Sérgio Barros answered as follows: _____

If the *machamba* was not registered at the time, the farmer should approach the teams to do so. However, he should not worry because the Project will not award compensation for areas claimed by more than one household without first calling all of them and clarifying the situation, and finding out who is indeed the one true owner. _____

7. Mr. Assumane Chale, community member: _____

I stood up to find out when will we actually get the compensation amount, since all of us did the survey of our *machambas*? All of you, our representatives, know we have done the survey and we have the respective summaries of the registration of assets, yet, you are still

delaying the payment. When will we get the compensation? If it was just to talk, there was no need for us to gather here in droves. If so many of us showed up to this big meeting, it was because we thought that we were going to be paid our compensation. Or, you do not yet know the number of people who went through the census? If you already know the number of people affected and who have done the census, why this delay in the process? I am one of the people working in one of the Project's companies, and today when I heard about this meeting, I preferred to skip work to come and attend this meeting, when I saw a large number of white people passing by. I said "today is the day we will get our compensation money". Those people who rushed to do their asset survey should be paid their due compensation, and those that have not yet done so, leave them aside, they know why they still did not do it, to this day. We made ourselves quickly available to participate in census process, to ensure the payment of compensation. So, those who have not yet done it, they have their reasons. _____

Mr. Sérgio Barros response was the following: _____

All stakeholders concerned, including the Project, the Government, are eager to see the process to move forward, yet each and every community has the right to express their agreement or disagreement, for clarifications and advancing. _____

8. Mr. Ali Selemene, community member: _____

There is an issue that I would like to present here and, if I am making a mistake, I ask you to forgive me. There is something wrong taking place, and it is related to Anadarko Company. There are people in all districts who support the company's activities but the company does not give them any assistance or payment. In fact, these people have the same right to be paid as others in the Project teams who come to work with the communities. Another issue that I have to present: you promise us jobs every day, but you never fulfil your promises. Another issue: you always hold meetings with people who have their assets in Afungi, promising payment, but the compensation values never come. If this is only meetings, it is best to leave the areas of *machambas* with their owners, because we are tired of only

listening to words. If you are ready to make available the amounts of compensation, then deliver them to the people. Each one has their entitlement, the way it was planned. We heard that there are two companies (Project proponents), but our concern is to know whether they have reached an agreement or not. They promised compensation for machambas and building of houses for people affected but, to date, nothing has been done. Is that there are people who are going to be removed from their dwelling places and resettled elsewhere, and will be compensated for their assets, will conditions be created for them to continue their subsistence activities, such as machambas? So, I would like to request you to make an effort to meet the wishes of those affected and that everything be done in the best possible way. _____

Mr. Sérgio Barros' response was as follows: _____

He was not very clear about what was wrong, and asked the Mr. Selemene to report to the team after the meeting, to expose again the situation, and informed that, if the work done was for the resettlement team, it would be known immediately, otherwise, the concern could be referred to the relevant teams. As regards to the areas to continue the agricultural activities, he said that the census and survey teams had been visiting the households and inquiring them as to who lived of agriculture, in those areas, and would need new areas for cultivation, and informing that the Project would seek and find such areas. However, there were households that, although they would lose land there, they carried out farming activities elsewhere, and many affirmed that did not need land, however, they were also registered. _____

9. Mr. Mussa Selemene, community member: _____

I stood up here to ask a question or for a consultation. We underwent the census and, afterwards, we received summaries of registration of assets. Our houses are not in good condition, when it rains there is seepage of water, and we also have rat problems. So, when it rains, the summaries may get wet, or the rats may gnaw the summaries. Thus, until when do we have to keep those summaries? Because if by chance there is an incident and the

summaries are damaged, what will we do? After the census, they gave us only the summaries, but we do not know what the purpose of that was. _____

The response of Mr. Sérgio Barros was as follows: _____

All stakeholders, including the Government and the Project, were willing to start with activities, however there is a need to consult all people and affected communities, and only after they are all informed about what will happen, the activities may start. On the asset surveys, he reassured that they should not worry, because even if the summaries of assets get destroyed, it is possible to recover the data that is stored on the company's computers. _

After Mr. Sergio Barros' intervention, the Administrator of Palma District invited the National Director of Territorial Planning and Resettlement to say a few words, who reiterated that, in fact, the interventions that have been made did not allow many comments. However, as the Administrator had said, the major concern of the Government is to start the compensation process and the development Project. Therefore, this is also a concern for the Central Government and, as such, His Excellency, the Minister of Land, Environment and Rural Development had signed, two weeks before, an agreement with Anadarko company to ensure that the resettlement process and the compensation process were actually carried out. So, after the signing, His Excellency, the Minister questioned the Technical Commission for Monitoring and Supervision of Resettlement, when would they start the compensation and the implementation of the Resettlement Plan. Thus, this fact shows that it is a concern of the Government that the Project starts as soon as possible with its activities. The Director called for there to be unity, the District and the Provincial Government for achieving the main objective. __

Upon this intervention of the National Director, the Administrator thanked the presence of all and declared the meeting closed. _____

There being no further business to discuss, the consultation ended at 12:30 PM, and the Minutes of the Third Public Consultation held in Vila de Palma were drafted, and will be signed and witnessed by representatives of the Government, the proponents and the community. ____

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