Session 4: Monitoring the Roadmap of the Dakar Strategy

MEETING ON THE STRENGTHENING OF POLITICAL DECISION-MAKING BASED ON EVIDENCE-BASED MIGRATION DATA
12TH SEPTEMBER 2013, DAKAR
Background

- The Roadmap of the Dakar Strategy adopted during the Madrid SOM in June 2012 (identification of 16 priority actions).
- Different priority actions have been identified and included in the Dakar Strategy.
- Monitoring aims to:
  - ensure that the initiatives undertaken are linked to the 16 priorities.
  - identify and foster the development of future cooperation and collaboration as regards the activities planned.
Objectives of the Dakar Strategy Roadmap

The Dakar Strategy seeks to:

- allow the exchange of good practices and know-how.
- improve and strengthen the collaboration systems between partner countries.
- formulate suggestions adapted to the needs of each country.
- translate the recommendations and proposals into practical actions.
Aims of the monitoring exercise

1. Identifying the countries’ common interests to foster future cooperation and collaboration on planned initiatives.

2. Establishing a system of mutual support to foster peer learning, coordination and collaboration among Rabat Process partners through the National Focal Points in order to promote the Dakar Strategy.

3. Promoting South-south dialogue in topics related to migration.

4. Counting with an updated database with the main priorities per country in order to adapt the Dakar strategy and its activities accordingly and to provide tailor-made assistance and expertise to the participating countries.
I. Methodology for the implementation of the Roadmap monitoring

MONITORING ACTIONS IN THE FUTURE
The main actors in the Roadmap monitoring

- The **Support Project** offers partners its support during the implementation of priority actions and monitors the Roadmap of the Dakar Strategy.
- The **Steering Committee** plays an active role in ensuring regular discussions and orientation meetings.
- The **partner countries** that must assess the impact of migration projects and policies implemented (action 10.4 of the Dakar Strategy).
Methodology - List of initiatives

- Exhaustive list of the initiatives linked to migration undertaken by each partner (both in terms of projects and political/administrative reforms) in accordance with the Dakar Strategy structure (pillar, objectives and actions).

- This inventory should be monitored every six months in order to assess the degree of implementation and the impact of these initiatives.

- This information will be regularly posted on the Rabat Process website (under ‘Initiatives in the Region’).
Methodology (II)

- Regular contact between the Support Project and the NFP.
- National Focal Points provide their summary of the activities undertaken as part of the Dakar Strategy.
- Collection and analysis of information on migration profiles, i-Map, support missions, projects, legislative initiatives, discussion groups in the private area of the website.
- Establishment of new S-S collaboration systems.
- Translation of recommendations and suggestions into practical initiatives.
August 2013:
Analysis of questionnaires in order to validate the specific priority actions in each country.

September 2013, Meeting in Dakar:
Validation of the Roadmap monitoring methodology.

September 2013 – December 2013:
Completion of the monitoring methodology and development of analytical tools.
Monitoring calendar (II)

- **January 2014 – February 2014:**
  Desk research of projects implemented by the partners; comparison of legislation.

- **February 2014 – May 2014:**
  Analysis of the information collected through regular contact with NFP or from support missions, migration profiles, etc.

- **July 2014, SOM.**

- **September 2014 – November 2014:**
  Recommendations and suggestions for the future.
## Monitoring calendar (III)

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