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Local progress report on the implementation of the 10 Essentials for Making Cities Resilient (2013-2014)

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Essential 1

Put in place organization and coordination to understand and reduce disaster risk, based on participation of citizen groups and civil society. Build local alliances. Ensure that all departments understand their role to disaster risk reduction and preparedness.

How well are local organizations (including local government) equipped with capacities (knowledge, experience, official mandate) for disaster risk reduction and climate change adaptation?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Talangai ne dispose pas d'une organisation de gestion des risques de catastrophe. Elle agit par la mise en place d'une cellule de crise ad hoc.

To what extent do partnerships exist between communities, private sector and local authorities to reduce risk?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de partenariat formel, mais la mairie est en relation avec certaines associations dans le cadre de l'assainissement.

How much does the local government support vulnerable local communities (particularly women, elderly, infirmed, children) to actively participate in risk reduction decision-making, policy making, planning and implementation processes?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de planification en matière de RRC

To what extent does the local government participate in the national DRR planning?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Aucune planification nationale à laquelle la mairie de Talangai à pris part.

Essential 2

Assign a budget for disaster risk reduction and provide incentives for homeowners, low-income families, communities, businesses and public sector to invest in reducing the risks they face.

How far does the local government have access to adequate financial resources to carry out risk reduction activities?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

La Commune de Talangai n'a pas de budget autonome pour la RRC. Elle depend du budget de la mairie central.

To what degree does the local government allocate sufficient financial resources to carry out DRR activities, including effective disaster response and recovery?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Le manqué des ressources financières ne permet pas à la commune de Talangai d'affecter les ressources pour les besoins des activités de RRC.

What is the scope of financial services (e.g. saving and credit schemes, macro and micro-insurance) available to vulnerable and marginalised households for pre- disaster times?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il existe des services de microfinances mais qui n'apportent pas des services financiers aux menages vulnérables.

To what extent are micro finance, cash aid, soft loans, lone guarantees etc available to affected households after disasters to restart livelihoods?

Level of Progress achieved: 3

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Lorsqu'il y a catastrophes à Talangai, des dons multiformes sont donnés pour permettre aux bénéficiaires de rétablir leurs moyens de subsistance.

How well established are economic incentives for investing in disaster risk reduction for households and businesses (e.g. reduced insurance premiums for households, tax holidays for businesses)?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de mesure d'incitations économiques

To what extent do local business associations, such as chambers of commerce and similar, support efforts of small enterprises for business continuity during and after disasters?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Inexistence de chamber de commercr à Talangai.



Essential 3

Maintain up-to-date data on hazards and vulnerabilities, prepare risk assessments and use these as the basis for urban development plans and decisions. Ensure that this information and the plans for your city's resilience are readily available to the public and fully discussed with them.

To what degree does the local government conducted thorough disaster risk assessments for key vulnerable development sectors in your local authority?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Quelques visites du maire de Talangai et ses services ont permis de faire des états des lieux.

To what extent are these risk assessments regularly updated, e.g. annually or on a bi-annual basis?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Des visites occasionnelles à la suite d'une grande pluie.?

How regularly does the local government communicate to the community, information on local hazard trends and risk reduction measures (e.g. using a Risk Communications Plan) including early warnings of likely hazard impact?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il y a de temps à temps une communication entre la municipalité et les communautés à travers les chefs de quartiers. Elle ne sont pas régulières.

How well are local government risk assessments linked to, and supportive of, risk assessments from neighbouring local authorities and state or provincial government risk management plans?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Quelques relations avec les communes voisines malgré l'absence des évaluations.

How well are disaster risk assessments incorporated into all relevant local development planning on a consistent basis?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il n'y a pas de planification du développement à la commune de Talangai car elle n'est pas autonome.

Essential 4

Invest in and maintain critical infrastructure that reduces risk, such as flood drainage, adjusted where needed to cope with climate change.

How far do land use policies and planning regulations for housing and development infrastructure take current and projected disaster risk (including climate related risks) into account?

Level of Progress achieved: 3

Housing	Yes
Communication	No
Transportation	No
Energy	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Les constructions à Talangai obéissent aux politiques d'aménagement du territoire.

How adequately are critical public facilities and infrastructure located in high risk areas assessed for all hazard risks and safety?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Aucune installation publique ou infrastructure n'a été évaluée.

How adequate are the measures that are being undertaken to protect critical public facilities and infrastructure from damage during

disasters?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Le manqué d'évaluation ne permet de prendre des mesures preventives.

Essential 5

Assess the safety of all schools and health facilities and upgrade these as necessary.

To what extent have local schools, hospitals and health facilities received special attention for "all hazard" risk assessments in your local authority?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Schools	Yes
Hospitals/ health facilities	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Certains établissements scolaires ont bénéficiés d'une attention en matière d'évaluation des risques.

How safe are all main schools, hospitals and health facilities from disasters so that they have the ability to remain operational during emergencies?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Schools	Yes
Hospitals/ health facilities	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il y a eu dans ces écoles menacées des aménagements avec l'érection des gabions en pierre, les planting des bambous et l'aménagement des conduites d'eau.

To what degree do local government or other levels of government have special programs in place to regularly assess schools, hospitals and health facilities for maintenance, compliance with building codes, general safety, weather-related risks etc.?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Schools	Yes
Hospitals/ health facilities	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de programmes spéciaux pour évaluer ces écoles.

How far are regular disaster preparedness drills undertaken in schools, hospitals and health facilities?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Schools	Yes
Hospitals/ health facilities	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas d'exercices de preparation aux catastrophes.

Essential 6

Apply and enforce realistic, risk compliant building regulations and land use planning principles. Identify safe land for low-income citizens and develop upgrading of informal settlements, wherever feasible.

How well are risk-sensitive land use regulations and building codes, health and safety codes enforced across all development zones and building types?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Les réplémentations relatives à l'aménagement du territoire au niveau national prennent en ligne de compte la prevention des risques de catastrophes

How strong are existing regulations (e.g. land use plans, building codes etc) to support disaster risk reduction in your local authority?

Level of Progress achieved: 3

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Les services déconcentrés de l'Urbanisme, Construction et de l'Habitat de Talangai s'appuyent sur les réglementations existantes pour soutenir la RRC dans l'aménagement du territoire.?

Essential 7

Ensure education programmes & training on disaster risk reduction are in place in schools and communities.

How regularly does the local government conduct awareness-building or education programs on DRR and disaster preparedness for local communities?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Programs include cultural diversity issues	Yes
Programs are sensitive to gender perspectives	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Depuis l'événement du 4 mars 2012, il y a des campagne de sensibilisation qui sont menées dans les écoles par des reunions et des affiches.

To what extent does the local government provide training in risk reduction for local officials and community leaders?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de formation

To what degree do local schools and colleges include courses, education or training in disaster risk reduction (including climate related risks) as part of the education curriculum?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il existe dans les programmes de l'enseignement primaire et secondaires des cours qui liés à la prévention et gestion des catastrophes.

How aware are citizens of evacuation plans or drills for evacuations when necessary?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de plan d'évacuation, pas d'exercices d'entraînement

Essential 8

Protect ecosystems and natural buffers to mitigate floods, storm surges and other hazards to which your city may be vulnerable. Adapt to climate change by building on good risk reduction practices.

How well integrated are local government DRR policies, strategies and implementation plans with existing environmental development and natural resource management plans?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de politique, ni stratégie ou plan de mise en oeuvre.

To what degree does the local government support the restoration, protection and sustainable management of ecosystems services?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Forests	No
Coastal zones	No
Wetlands	No
Water resources	No
River basins	Yes
Fisheries	No

Description of Progress & Achievements:

La mairie soutient les efforts des maraichers installés au long du fleuve car elle

procède au planting de certaines espèces et flore pour stabiliser le sol.

How much do civil society organizations and citizens participate in the restoration, protection and sustainable management of ecosystems services?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Les ONG installées à Talangai ne prennent souvent pas part à la protection des écosystèmes.

How much does the private sector participate in the implementation of environmental and ecosystems management plans in your local authority?

Level of Progress achieved: 2

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Quelques entreprises privées de la place participent à la gestion environnementales et écosystémique à Talangai.

Essential 9

Install early warning systems and emergency management capacities in your city and hold regular public preparedness drills.

To what degree do local institutions have access to financial reserves to support effective disaster response and early recovery?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

La mairie de Talangai ne dispose pas des reserves financières parce qu'elle depend de la mairie centrale.

To what extent are early warning centres established, adequately staffed (or on-call personnel) and well resourced (power back ups, equipment redundancy etc) at all times?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de centre d'alertes rapides

How much do warning systems allow for adequate community participation?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de système d'alerte

To what extent does the local government have an emergency operations centre (EOC) and/or an emergency communication system?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de centre d'opération d'urgence

How regularly are training drills and rehearsal carried out with the participation of relevant government, non-governmental, local leaders and volunteers?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas d'exercices pratiques.

How available are key resources for effective response, such as emergency supplies, emergency shelters, identified evacuation routes and contingency plans at all times?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Stockpiles of relief supplies	No
Emergency shelters	No
Safe evacuation routes identified	No
Contingency plan or community disaster	No

preparedness plan for all major hazards

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Pas de ressources clés d'une intervention efficace

Essential 10

After any disaster, ensure that the needs of the survivors are placed at the centre of reconstruction with support for them and their community organizations to design and help implement responses, including rebuilding homes and livelihoods.

How much access does the local government have to resources and expertise to assist victims of psycho-social (psychological, emotional) impacts of disasters?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

La municipalité n'a pas de capacités nécessaires.

How well are disaster risk reduction measures integrated into post-disaster recovery and rehabilitation activities (i.e. build back better, livelihoods rehabilitation)?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Etant donné que Talangai n'est pas autonome, elle est soumise aux décisions de la Mairie centrale.

To what degree does the Contingency Plan (or similar plan) include an outline strategy for post disaster recovery and reconstruction, including needs assessments and livelihoods rehabilitation?

Level of Progress achieved: 1

Description of Progress & Achievements:

Il y a pas de plan d'urgence à Talangai.