

ANNOTATED AGENDA

INFORMAL UNOSOM CONSULTATION WITH DONOR REPRESENTATIVES ON SOMALIA'S RELIEF AND REHABILITATION PROGRAMME.

Education

Scores of schools providing primary education have opened all over Somalia. Former government schools have been rebuilt by Somalis and supported by NGOs and UN Agencies. Others have been rebuilt with help from military forces. In most cases their management has been provided by local community structures.

Former teaching staff have returned to their posts and are following the old Somali curriculum. Indications are that student enrollment is high, and in some cases, includes significant numbers of adults. There are minimal quantities of materials, supplies and textbooks are rarely available. Exploration of creative ways of remuneration for teachers is urgent and the need exists to build on the in-kind payments by the parents of Somali students. A major Project is underway to provide significant quantities of textbooks for the beginning of the next academic year.

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