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Project title

DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A SUITABLE TRAINING PROGRAMME TO BUILD UP CAPACITY OF 5.000 SCIENCE TEACHERS AND 100 EDUCATION OFFICERS NATIONWIDE (SPREAD ACROSS 72 DISTRICTS IN 10 PROVINCES) ON THE USE, CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SUPPLIED SCIENCE KITS IN ZIMBABWE

Name of legal entity	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by candidate (%)	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
	Zimbabwe	898.000 USD	80%	7	UNICEF Zimbabwe/ Ministry of Primary and Secondary Education	Education Transition Fund	July 2013– April 2014	Devotra
Detailed description of project						Type of services provided		
<p>In the past three decades, Zimbabwe invested in improving access to and enhancing the quality of science education. In order to improve science education especially in disadvantaged schools, the Government of Zimbabwe launched the famous Zim-Science project in the mid-eighties. However, due to lack of financial resources the Zim-Science project has diminished over the years.</p> <p>Currently, the Education Transition Fund (Phase II) supports the Government of Zimbabwe to revive and strengthen the Zim-Science initiative through the provision of secondary science equipment and materials. The science kits initiative is meant to provide basic, affordable and user friendly apparatus, reagents and related material to all secondary schools in Zimbabwe, train teachers at all schools on the basic use of such kits, and to establish a system for replenishment of consumable items in subsequent years. The science kit initiative is managed on behalf of ETF by the UNICEF Zimbabwe Office.</p>						<p>Cadena was responsible for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Design of teacher training manual for science education, including health and safety and maintenance topics ✓ Printing, delivery and distribution of training manual ✓ Design, and supply of relevant teaching materials for the implementation of the training programme ✓ Implementation of TOT programme for 37 core-secondary school science teachers ✓ Roll-out of training programme to 72 districts covering 5.100 science teachers ✓ Logistics, management, coordination and reporting/ debriefing with relevant stakeholders 		