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Project title:

CASE STUDIES ON STEMMING IRREGULAR MIGRATION IN NORTHERN AND CENTRAL ETHIOPIA (SINCE) PROGRAMME

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
CADENA 2006E81Bosa. develogasete greinora	Ethiopia	EUR 118.900	70%	6	Italian Embassy in Ethiopia	European Union	October – December 2019	Frontieri Consult PLC

Detailed description of project

SINCE Programme is part of the European Union Emergency Trust Fund for stability and addressing root causes of irregular migration and displaced persons in Africa (EUTF for Africa) and is implemented by the Embassy of Italy in Addis Ababa in cooperation with several partners, including two UN agencies (ILO and UNIDO) and five NGO-led consortia.

Focusing on the most migration prone regions of Ethiopia, SINCE intends to contribute to the reduction of irregular migration by improving the living conditions of the most vulnerable population. Specifically, the Programme aims at creating wage employment opportunities for potential migrants and returnees, especially women and youths, by strengthening the capacities of local vocational training providers (TVET) and promoting public private partnerships (PPPs) in strategic economic clusters.

The purpose of this contract is the production of four case studies, one for each of the four pre-identified strategic topics; (i) the creation of Public Private Partnerships (PPPs) among TVET institution, PES and private enterprises, (ii) the strengthening of Public Employment Services (PES), (iii) the promotion of Decent Work within the private sectors, and (iv) the promotion of Apprenticeship schemes. The aim of these case studies is twofold:

- the case studies should systematize what was achieved by the different SINCE grant beneficiaries, with particular focus on the lessons learnt:
- the case studies reports should draw recommendations on policy development and future interventions.

In order to ensure that a maximum amount of knowledge is gained, it is important that the case studies concentrate on the SINCE lessons learnt so that they could act as a tool for capitalizing on these, thus enabling good practice to be disseminated.

The expected results are:

Result 1: Analysis of SINCE financed projects and systematization of experiences and lessons learnt, the case studies should focus on the strategic topics, and on the lessons learnt in different aspects such as (i) policy framework, (ii) project environment, (iii) design, (iv) impact, and (v) sustainability and replication.

Result 2: Recommendations for policy makers and the Community of Practice concerning (i) policy strengthening, (ii) design of new initiatives replicating the promotion of wage employment, and (iii) partnerships between complementary actors.

Cadena is responsible for:

- Project management and coordination
- Project inception: Literature review Briefing General workshop – Inception report.

Type of services provided

- Research: Content workshop all stakeholders –
 Preparation fieldwork Design Research Tools Field
 work Debriefing client Systematize lessons learnt,
 recommendations Preliminary structure of case
 studies report Draft 4 case studies reports
- Validation and dissemination: Validation workshop –
 Validation workshop proceedings- Final case studies PPT and dissemination workshop