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*This Fortnight Bulletin updates readers on what DPPC and its partners are doing regarding disaster prevention, preparedness and related issues.*

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## DPPC Updates Information on Web Site

The DPPC has started disseminating information through its newly introduced web site since 14 February 2001.

The DPPC informs all its partners and other interested persons, groups or organizations to browse through the information on <http://www.telcom.net.et/dppc/>.

## Over Birr 335,000 Donation Secured

Over Birr 335,000 cash donation in support of drought victims was secured from December 4, 2000 up to January 17, 2001. The donation was made by government employees, business organizations, government agencies and private individuals in the country.

The total cash donations obtained from different sources since April 2000 to assist compatriots affected by drought is Birr 32,768,745.52.

## Assistance for the IDPs and Safeguarding Sovereignty Exceeds Birr 274 Million

Assistance made from June 1998 up to December 2000 to rehabilitate the Internally Displaced People (IDPs) as a result of the Eritrean war of aggression and to safeguard our sovereignty has reached Birr 274,145,042.76.

Various items estimated at Birr 62 million have also been collected during the same period. The assistance has been made by Ethiopians in the country and those residing abroad, local governmental and non-governmental organizations, associations and regional states.

## MAJOR DISASTERS and RESPONSES

(From February 19-23, 2001)

### *OROMIA*

The DPPD has requested water tankering to be carried out in Guro, Hargedeb, Bekeksa and Rayitu weredas of Bale Zone because of the ever worsening water shortage. The same serious water shortage affects Derera Arba area in Babile Wereda, East Hararghe.

Efforts are being exerted to bring under control the meningitis outbreak which so far has affected 21 people in Goro Gutu Wereda, East Hararghe. In Ilubabor, although vaccination against the disease is still under way, it has continued to spread in town and country in Dermu Yayu, Metu and other weredas.

### *AMHARA*

In Oromia Zone, people are being vaccinated against meningitis while, in six weredas in North Shewa, an outbreak of this disease is being observed.

## NGOs PAGE

(From February 19-23, 2001)

Ser. No.	Description	Expected	Received	
			During the Week	Total
1	Year 2001 Plan of Operation	282	11	180
2	Year 2000 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Performance Report	550	-	509
3	Year 2000 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Performance Report	550	42	294

Ser. No.	Description	Expected	Received	
			During the Week	Total
4	Fixed Asset Inventory Report: Year 2001	300	6	101
5	Staff List: Year 2001	300	6	108
6	Audit Report: Year 1998	204	-	185
7	Audit Report: Year 1999	207	1	171

**Stock Status of EFSR and  
loan repayment Schedule (MT)**

As of February 27, 2001

**I. Stock Status**

• Stock at Hand.....	236,365.75
• Outstanding Loans.....	135,067.08
• Underwithdrawal.....	33,525.00
• Shortages from WFP & EU	
Earlier Donations.....	259.92
• Shortage from EU Donation .....	1,210.70
• Donation (EU) (LP).....	47.00
• Donation (EU) (Import) .....	524.55
Total	<u>407,000.00</u>

**II. Loan Repayment Schedule**

No.	Borrowed by	Quantity borrowed /MT/	Repayment date	Mode of repayment	Guarantor
1	WFP	11,309.48	Dec. 1999- Jan. 2001	Import	WFP
2	DPPC	63,941.08	Dec. 99- Jan. 2001	Import Local Purchase	WFP
3	ORDA.SCF/UK, Oxfam, LWF, CISP, CARE, REST, DPPC, CONCERN, Farm Africa, COOPI, GAA & WVE	76,350.04	Dec. 1999- Jan. 2001	"	EU

No.	Borrowed by	Quantity borrowed /MT/	Repayment date	Mode of repayment	Guarantor
4	DPPC	8,436.83	Dec. 1999- Feb. 2000	Local Purchase	Eth Gov't
5	SCF/UK	2,704.35	Dec. Nov 1999	Import	DFID
6	DPPC, REST, WVE & SCF/USA	1,517.85	Dec 1999- Mar. 2000	"	USAID
7	EECMY & EFGCB	964.00	Dec. 1999- Jan. 2001	Import	CFGB
8	LWF, REST & ERCS	3,351.45	Dec. 1999- Jan 2000	"	CIDA
9	ORDA	17.00	Nov. 2000	"	F.R.G
<b>Total</b>		<b>168,592.08</b>			

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Loans the repayment dates of which have passed are those which have not yet been fully repaid.

