



## Ministry of Livestock

### Enhancing Livestock Export System with Infrastructure and Services



**Who** Ministry of Livestock  
**When** 2014 – 2017

**Outcome** Increased income from animals through improved services to the livestock production and export sector of Somaliland.



**Why** During 2013, the Somaliland port of Berbera handled 3.1 million animals, 95% destined for the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA). The animals are sold lean at a lower price with producers and traders losing about 30% of potential profits. KSA now require that animals remain four full weeks in controlled quarantine before they can be shipped.



**What**

- Re-establishment of Aroori (Togdheer) and Qool-Caday (Maroodijeeh) livestock holding grounds and veterinary services, expected to benefit approx. 16,250 people
- Construction of requisite livestock holding infrastructure and provision of appropriate services for export of animals
- Construction of 30,000 ha of land to provide adequate support for processing 450,000 sheep/goats for three weeks at a time
- Upgrade government veterinary services to international standards

