



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

