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## **BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLE**

## CIVIL PROTECTION DIRECTORATE ACTIVITIES – IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECT DEMINING AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

SWISS-CROATIAN COOPERATION PROGRAMME

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## **Demining and Socio-economic Integration**

#### Project Factsheet

the project includes two components - humanitarian demining and establishment of comprehensive assistance to direct and indirect Mine Victims in Croatia with a total value of 6.12 million CHF, of which the Swiss donation amounts to 5.2 million CHF. Implementation timeframe was from June 2017 to June 2024.

#### **Key Activities**

- Demining of Kotar forest in Sisak-Moslavina County
- Establishing evidence-based and updated Mine Victim database
- Performing national wide survey and needs analysis of current mine victims
- Provision of relevant educational and empowerment measures that are not already performed as a part of broader national framework activities in Croatia
- Provision of additional economic empowerment opportunities to direct or indirect mine victims

Main Goal

A safe and protected environment for people living in mine contaminated areas with greater socio-economic chances and economic opportunities from using the land.

#### Target Groups

- Institutions working with Mine Victims
- Political decision makers
- People living in mine-contaminated areas
- Direct and Indirect Mine Victims



## Updated mine contamination situation in Croatia

(August, 2024)



Hazardous areas (HA - CHA + SHA) **73** km<sup>2</sup>

**4** Counties **23 Towns and Municipalities** 

PODRUCJU JE VELIKA ODMINA

Contamination by approx. 9.600 landmines

HA marked with 3.253 Mine Warning Signs





PROJECT ACTIVITY – clearance of mine contaminated parts of Kotar forest

SIZE OF PROJECT AREA – engagement of considerable human and technical capacities

Close vicinity of the POPULATED AREA - Since 1996, in the Kotar forest area, 16 mine accidents have happened resulting with ten deaths and six serious injuries

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CHALLENGES

Difficult terrain for clearance - SOIL STRUCTURE (forest and forest land)

ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGES in a period of over 25 years after landmine emplacement

Line of combat - Extreme contamination by landmines and other explosive remnants of war along with HIGH DIVERSITY of emplaced explosive devices





Clearance of Kotar forest area

Planned 3.26 km<sup>2</sup> TOTAL 3.28 km<sup>2</sup> land released areas in Kotar forest

- conditions have been created that will enable forest management in accordance with forest management plans, and improve forest protection and promotion of forest ecosystem services
- Number of found and destroyed landmines and ERWs

Expected: 582 landmines and UXOs TOTAL 2.773 AP mines / 7 AT mines / 835 UXOs

 Established safe environment for the local population as a prerequisite for increasing economic opportunities in terms of land use and individual socio-economic empowerment



#### **PROJECT ACTIVITY – socio-economic integration**

#### **KEY COMPONENTS**

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#### Establishment of a comprehensive national Mine Victim database

Performance of needs assessment during field survey and database analysis

Development and implementation of specific VA programs for psychosocial empowerment including counseling and educational activities

Publishing updated document which contains all the rights and opportunities available to Mine Victims in the Republic of Croatia

Small scale investment opportunities aimed at empowering Mine Victims that are not part of broader national framework activities in Croatia



#### Establishment of a comprehensive national Mine Victim database and needs assessment

- After significant results in the clearance project, one of the activities that were finalized in 2021, after a full-scale field survey, was the establishment of a comprehensive **Mine Victim database**, gathering, among other elements, the information about different needs, vulnerabilities and perspectives of women, girls, boys and men from diverse populations and all ages.
- Field survey and needs assessment was conducted by IPSOS ltd and was completed with a very good response rate of 82.6% of the available households (data was gathered from 423 direct victims and 473 indirect victims – base value was established on former CROMAC Mine Accidents database which counts 610 Mine victims from 1996)
- The collected data concerned the social status, psycho-physical health, education, etc., and became an integral part of the comprehensive mine victim database, together with the analysis base value that will serve in future project activities / VA activities.





Development and implementation of specific VA programs for psychosocial empowerment including counseling and educational activities

 During 2022 as a part of Psychosocial workshops, 9 assistance workshops were held gathering 39 participants, while within Training, Counseling and Employability increase workshops, 4 workshops and 12 specific trainings were held with a total of 36 participants.





# Publishing an updated document which contains all the rights and opportunities available to Mine Victims in the Republic of Croatia



thematic brochure has been published and made publicly available at Ministry of the Interior web page (**QR CODE**) which contains all the rights and opportunities available to Mine Victims in the Republic of Croatia and the manner how to exercise them.

SADRŽAJ	
UVDD	Nakaadaavteihtrolkova
	Naknadaputnihtroškova. Pravo na doplatak za diecu
Projekt razminizanje i dražtveno-	
gospodarska integracija	<ul> <li>Staž osiguranja s povećanim trajanjem tiplata mirovine.</li> </ul>
PREGLED MINSKE PROBLEMATIKE	
Tito su osobe stradale of MIS-a i NUS-a	Posebni sločajevi ligrate mirovine
I njihova zakonska prava u RH	Sociaina skrb
Zakonski okvir, institucije i reguliranje	Portoč u kuči
prava osoba s invaliditetore.	
Registar osoba s invaliditetore	
Ured pravobranitellice za osobe s invaliditetom	
Zavod za vieltačenie, profesionalnu rehabilitacia.	
Zavod za vjestačenje, protesionalnu nehabilitaciju I zapobljavanje osoba s invaliditatom.	
i zapošljavanje osoba s invaliditetom. Centri za profesionalnu rehabilitaciju	
Hrvatski zavod za zapolijavanje Ministarstvo rada, mirovinskog sustava,	9 Organizirano stanovanje. Zajemčena minimalna naknada.
obitelj i socijalne politike	
PRAVA NA DIARDY INVALIDITETA	Pravo na trolikove ogrjeva. Naknada za uprobenog kupca energenata.
PRAVA NA OSNOVI INVALIDITETA	
	Naknada za osobne potrebe koriunika sm
Utvrđivanje tjelesnog olitečenja	
2drastvena ralitta	
Sudjelovanje u trolkovima strastvene saltite	
	5 Jednokratne novčane pomoti
Bolničko lječenje medicinskom rehabilitacijom	Pravo na doplatak za pomoć i njegu
i fizikalnom terapijom u kući	
Zdrastvena njega u kući	
Pravo na ortopedska i druga pornagala	
Rodiljne i roditeljske potpore	I Vehilset
Zapolijavanje osoba s impliditetom	Ostvarivanje prava na oslobađenje plača
i poticaji zapolijavanja	
Ostvaranie prava na novčanu naknadu	
Pravo na profesionalnu rehabilitaciju	Ostvarivanie prava na oslobađenie plaća
nepaposienih psoba s invaliditetom	
Mjere aktivne politike zapolijavanja	
Radni odnos i zapolijevanje	
and the first family of th	Ostvarivanje prava na znak pristupačnost
Prava la minovinskog osiguranja	
Pravo na transnu mirovinu	
Prijevremena starosna mirovina	
Pravo na invalidaku mirovinu	
Pravo naprofesionalnunehabilitaciju	
Privremena invelidaka mirovina	
Pravo na obiteljsku mirovinu	
Najniža mirovina	
Otnovna mirpuina	
Pravo na naknadu zbog tjelesnog ottečenja	

Poreze ofaktice	i popuntavaniu radno miesta
Oslobadanje plaćanja carine	64 Prednost pri svieltzis u
Oslobođenie od plačanja boravišne prostojbe	64 ustanove socialne skrbi
Neporezivarae motornih vozila	Pravo na koričtenie usluga veteranskog centra.
cyclus invaliditation	54 Pravo na psihosocijalnu pomoć
Neoponezivost drugih vozila	Pravo na pravnu pomoć
csobe s inveliditetom	64 Posebni stal
Zabrana otuđenja i uvjeti	Oslobađanje plačanja naknade za
korištenja notornihvozila	65 prenamjenu poljoprivrednog zemljilta
Entrance -	66 Pravo na tročkove prijevota i ukopa
Rani i predškolski odgoj i obrazovanje.	
Dunovnolikolski odgoj i obrazovanje	
Srednjolkolski odgoj i obrazovanje	
Srednjoškolski odgoj i obrazovanje	
Argostoreouted optistoraule	
PRAVA CIVILNIH STRADALNIKA	PRAVA PIROTEHNIČARA I S NJIMA IZJED-
IZ DOMOVINSKOG RATA	NAČENIH OSOBA S OSNOVE INVALIDNOSTI
Prava po osnovi oltećenja organizma.	TO ISMRTI
Osobra invalidnina	71
Pravo na dodatak za njegu i	Preva po osnovi olitećenja organizima
pornot druge csobe	
Ortopedski dodatak	
Profesionalita rehabilitacija	72 Posebni doplatak
	73 Doplatak za njegu i pomoć druge osobe
Pravo na naknadu trolka prilagodbe	Medicinska odnosno fizikalna rehabilitacija.
	73
	Prava iz mirovinskog osiguranja koja
Prava članova obitelji civilne osobe poginule,	se oslgutsvaju navedenim zakonom
umrie il nestale u domovinskom ratu po osnov	
aubitka ili nestanka člana obiteli	
Obietljska invalidnina	74 Pravo na obiteljsku mirovinu
Povečana obiteljska invalidnina	
Uvečana obiteljska invalidnina	
Obiteljska invalidnina nakon smrti civilnog	posebnim pravima iz mirovinskog osiguranja
invalida iz domovinskog rata I. do IV. skupina	
Prava po osnovi materijalnih i drugih	Prava Banova obitelji čija je urort 75. nastala rbog ozljede na radu
potreba korisnika. Novčana naknada za civilne stradalnike	75 nastala ribog orljede na radu. Obiteljska involidnina.
iz domovinskog rata.	
Pravo na jednokratnu novčanu pomoć zobg nem	
gučnosti podmirenja osnovnih živatnih potreba.	
Dodatak za pripomoć u kući	77 Besplatni udžbenici.
Besplatni udlibenci	
Pravona stipendiju	
Smještaj u učeničke odnosno	skapine (oltećenje organizwa 100%)
studenskedoniove	78
Praiso na prednost pri započijavanju	





#### Small scale investment opportunities aimed at empowering Mine Victims

- During 2023 an activity of small scale investment opportunities to mine victims aimed at increasing their economic welfare and employment capacities has been carried out.
- Financial resources were allocated (Public Call by the Ministry of the Interior) towards the Mine Victims in the Republic of Croatia in the amount of CHF 200,000.00, which was intended for financing the start of new and expansion of existing entrepreneurships for the 15 direct or indirect mine victims
- Applications included 3 new entrepreneurships that were established, along with 12 entrepreneurships that were enhanced





#### ACTIVITIES THAT WERE SUPPORTED

Honey production, chokeberry production, manufacturing of small household appliances, agriculture, cattle breeding, physical rehabilitation and therapy, etc....







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Dodatno ulaganje u pčelarstvo ostvarilo je više OPG-ova, jedan od njih je OPG Gunica Several Family farms finalized additional investment in beekeeping; one of them is Family farm Gunica.





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# Thank you for your attention

