

MATCHING GRANT NO. 63567

PROGRESS REPORT AS AT 31ST. January, 2009

Work on the project has continued well although this has been a difficult terrain up on rocky hills. Of necessity, materials had to be ferried on the shoulders and backs of the community as no vehicle could climb up the hills to the Intake weir.

The Intake weir and Boxes have been completed.



Completed Intake Chambers & Weir



Some community members ferrying materials uphill for the 1st collection tank

GI Pipes have been laid for 500 metres to the first collection tank [50m³]. The tank itself has been completed and is holding water



Plumbers connecting the GI pipes



Foundation for the 1st collection tank in progress



1st collection tank which has already been completed and is holding water now



Masons plastering the inside of the 1st collection tank

From the beginning of this month, work has started on laying the GI pipes downhill to the site of the second storage tank [25m³] just above the Health clinic. The community and the local Administration has given us a lot of support in terms of supplying the local materials and the logistics for doing that including also the supply of unskilled labour as its contribution.



Women ferrying cement in preparation for the 2nd tank – 25m³

We will endeavor to keep you updated on further progress we make