

**INTERNATIONAL WIDOWS ASSOCIATION FOR SOUTH  
SUDANESE REFUGEES IN UGANDA (IWASSRU)**

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**PROPOSAL TITLE: PROVISION OF SALT AND  
WASHING SOAP TO THE ORPHANS, WIDOWS/LEPERS.**

**BUDGET: UG.SHS.1, 210,000 (US \$711.76)**

**PERIOD: ONE (01) YEAR**

**LOCATION: ST.BARTHOLOMEW ORPHANAGE  
KAJO-KEJI SOUTH SUDAN  
AND  
AMAZING GRACE ORPHANAGE  
ADJUMANI-UGANDA.**

**REQUESTED BY IWASSRU**

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## **INTRODUCTION**

The International Widows Association for South Sudanese Refugees in Uganda (IWASSRU) is a charitable association working with destitute widows and orphans in Sudanese refugee camps in northern Uganda and in the SPLAM controlled areas of Kajo-keji south Sudan. It provides parental care, education and medical care to the vulnerable orphans whose parents fell victims of the 21-year conflict in the Sudan. IWASSRU supports widows in counseling and in activities that are income generating to enable them reduce on challenges of poverty in their home areas. Amazing Grace Orphanage was established in 1994 and St. Bartholomew was established in 2003 as home for the homeless Sudanese children in Adjumani-Uganda and Kajo-keji-south Sudan respectively.

## **AIM/GOAL**

To promote hygiene and good health.

## **OBJECTIVES**

- Promotion of hygiene in the community
- Protection of out break of dirt related diseases like cholera in the community
- Promotion of strong growing bones of the children by eating required quantity of salt.

## **JUSTIFICATION STATEMENT**

Poverty that was caused by the long war in south Sudan made it very difficult for the widows/lepers to afford these simplest basic needs. Salt and washing soap is seen as luxurious in this community. Illiteracy is also a major contributing factor among the widows/lepers. Besides most of the widows are lepers with different disabilities that hinders their effective performance in search for a proper living. The widows who are lepers have become like the children who need full support. They are no exception to living and therefore require a support. Unfortunately, they make the greatest population that needs attention. The children are also by our side that needs support. The situation needs attention from sympathizers with collaboration with IWASSRU to make life a reality in that community.

However, IWASSRU is a non-profit association with limited resources and limited donations from friends. We basically provide the children with basic needs like food, shelter, education, a little medication support and counseling services to the widows. Our funds cannot support many projects. We regret that we are unable to wipe out the tears of many disadvantage persons who from time to time seek help from us. If any body with good faith gets to the widows/lepers' community, you might think that the war in south Sudan has just begun. Yet peace has already been announced. God will never forsake his people. He wants to help them through those who have faith and true feelings for genuine

living. We therefore cry to our friends wherever you may be to give hand in support to these people.

## IMPLEMENTATION

When funding is availed, the management of IWASSRU will make the necessary purchase of these items and transports them to the community for immediate distribution. Because of many years of dirty leaving, they have undergone some sensitization process as far as cleanness is concerned. Counseling services will be delivered to them to strengthen their faith.

### TABLE OF PARTICULARS:

S/No.	ITEM	PRICE PER ITEM IN UG.SHS	PRICE PER IN US DOLLAR	QUANTITY	COST IN UG.SHS.	COST IN US DOLLAR
01	Bag Salt	20,000	\$11.76	10 Bags	200,000	\$117.65
02	Washing Soap	18000	\$10.59	50 Cartons	900,000	\$529.41
03	Total				Ug.shs.1,100,000	\$647.06
04	Contingency of 10%				Ug.shs.110,000	\$64.71
05	<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>Ug.shs.1,210,000</b>	<b>\$711.76</b>

**Note:** The contingency of 10% is to facilitate transport of the items within Kampala, to Adjumani and Kajo-keji.

## EVALUATION AND REPORTING

The management of IWASSRU will ensure that these items reach to the right individuals accompanied with counseling services. Reports will always be availed to the donor community for review after every three months. This is to ensure the transparency of the association.