

Shelter Meeting

Minutes of meeting

January 7th, 2005

Lenny and Sushma:

- Resumed the meeting held yesterday for new organizations attending.
- The approximate numbers of household in each village are now available from the volunteers in the field and all numbers were shown on the wall.
- The policy from the government was ready today and they have identified land to be distributed for the temporary shelters. The coordination have clarified that the only option is to make individual shelters that have to last for 6-8 months.
- The estimated number of households that are in need of temporary shelter has drastically decreased from 35 000 to 10 000 (governments estimation). This is households that completely lost their houses or that has a house that are in unlivable conditions. The NGOs any way have to decide closer the number of shelters they want to build.
- The coordination documented if the NGOs are ready to start building, which material they will use and if they want the coordination team to facilitate the buying of material and how many household they will construct shelters for.

A meeting tonight at 8 PM will be held to coordinate the work in different areas between the responsible officers from the government and the NGOs.