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**I. IDENTIFICATION**

- 1. TITLE OF THE PROJECT PROPOSAL : BUYING AN BUILDING CENTRAL CHURCH, OFFICE AND HOUSE.**
- 2. FOLLOW-UP ORGANIZATION : ASSOCIATION DES MISSIONNAIRES BAPTISTES DU SEPTIEME JOUR AU BURUNDI**
- 3. CONTACT PERSON : General Secretary  
Pastor Gilbert NDUWAYO,  
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- 4. OPERATIONNAL AREA : BUJUMBURA CITY**
- 5. COST OF THE PROJECT : 108 000 \$ US**
- 6. LOCAL SUPPORT : 8 000 \$ US**
- 7. BUDGET NEEDED : 100 000 \$ US**

## **II. TITLE OF THE PROJECT:**

### **BUILDING AND THE IMPLANTATION OF CENTRAL CHURCH AND OFFICE CENTRAL IN BUJUMBURA**

#### **1. INTRODUCTION & BACK GROUND**

Burundi is one of the countries located in the sub-region known as Great Lakes region; it got its independence since 1962, the population is more than 8 million on 27 834 km square, most of the people living in it are farmers living in rural areas, Burundi is also among the 3 poorest countries in the world.

Burundi has been suffering from severe civil wars but the latest took at least 15 years since 1995 up to 2008, this means that in our country, there are a large number of orphans and widows, people are living in bad circumstances, most of the people of Burundi are Christians. The SDB started (operating) (spreading) the gospel since 2000 but the agreement delivered by the government was received 16/19 /2003 after a great battle with the SDA with fought much that SDB can't be accepted in Burundi.

Now the SDB is free to work wherever in the country, it has already implemented 35 local churches in 5 provinces including 2 local churches in Bujumbura the capital city of Burundi country.

Even though people (believers) are being saved via SDB, poverty is high in our country because most of believers are orphans, widows and are extremely poor till we are unable to buy a plot of land in Bujumbura the city to build a central church, an office and house of the General Secretary. The church and the office will be built in the condition required by the government in Bujumbura city. A plot of land here in Bujumbura of 60 m long and 20 m wide cost 30 000 \$ US.

#### **2. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT**

The plot of land needed will be bought in Bujumbura city and in it, we will build a central church, an office and a house of General Secretary .

Having not an office here in Bujumbura, a Central church and a house of General Secretary are a great hindrance because we always move from quarter to quarter and something really which will be harmful for the church is the Government recently has enacted a law that prevent churches to worship within in the classroom and for us we have been worshipping in school for a long time. As we are progressing positively spiritually and spreading in the country, the government wants to know where our office is because we are implementing many churches within the country.

Once we manage to get a plot of land in Bujumbura city and build it, will help much and play a great role for our conference in particular and for our believers in general. They are some peoples who want to know much about SDB but do not get us because we have no proper address and the Government allows that each church without an office will be closed soon. That office will play a role of coordinating all activities of conference. In addition the big problem of the General Secretary of missing where he lives will be resolved. Then our conference will be stable.

### **3. LOCATION AND BENEFICIARIES**

#### **3.1. Location**

The plot of land will be for the central church in the country, for the office build just beside as well as a house of General Secretary all will be here in Bujumbura city. Reaching this area is easy for every people since it is in the capital, people for up country will get us easily as well as these of neighbor countries such as RDC, Rwanda and united Republic of Tanzania as well as Burundi Government who will come to see the General Secretary in the time of needs.

#### **3.2. Beneficiaries.**

- The first beneficiaries will be the believers of SDB living in Bujumbura city who will get their own local church.
- All believers of our conference because we shall win an office facilitating the coordination and the house for the General Secretary who move the quarter to quarter in checking his rent house here in Bujumbura.

- The leaders of SDB will get their seats where the Government can find them easily or other person who will come to get more information about SDB.

#### **4. GOALS OF THE PROJECT**

- To improve the conditions of spiritual life of the believers by gaining the advices from the conference located in Bujumbura.
- To facilitate the coordination and make a stable conference in the country.
- To facilitate the believers to get their own place for worshipping here in Bujumbura.

##### **4.1. Specific goals**

- To prepare and spread the teachings of our Lord Jesus Christ for the needs
- To facilitate the coordination of the SDB within the country.
- To praise at ease the Lord for the SDB believers living in Bujumbura.
- To facilitate to hold the meeting scheduled by the conference.
- To facilitate the Government to come and to see the General Secretary in time of need.
- To make stable General Secretary in getting a living place in Bujumbura.

##### **4.2. Strategies to use**

To improve the spiritual condition of the believers the office built in Bujumbura will help:

- To prepare teachings on some portions which will be distributed benevolently to the needs?
- To prepare teachings what will be broadcasted via our national station radio.
- To facilitate to receive and to send some documents for our Evangelical mission as well as papers required by the law of our country.
- To invite people to attend our crusades and discuss in the scriptures.
- To visit the churches in time of needs.

### **4.3. The expected outcome**

Our conference will be well known within our nation through the station radio hold these teachings which will be distributed as well as these who shall come to visit us for more information and others who will attend our church meetings. The most of them poor and rich will receive Jesus Christ as their King and Lord in their hearts. After they will become the SDB believers. Through this program, many local churches will be implemented within all provinces in the country.

## 5. PROJECT DURATION

The project will be last six months.

### TIME TABLE OF THE ACTIVITIES

| Activities  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Month | 2 <sup>nd</sup> | 3 <sup>rd</sup> | 4 <sup>th</sup> | 5 <sup>th</sup> | 6 <sup>th</sup> |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Follow-up   | <b>X</b>              | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        |
| Measuring and arrangement of the ground   | <b>X</b>              | <b>X</b>        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Collecting building materials   | <b>X</b>              | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        |                 |                 |                 |
| Implementation of church, office and house of the general Secretary ( foundation) |                       | <b>X</b>        | <b>X</b>        |                 |                 |                 |
| Building of walls   |                       |                 |                 | <b>X</b>        |                 |                 |
| Arrangement of roof   |                       |                 |                 |                 | <b>X</b>        |                 |
| Final Activities (proof, windows...)  |                       |                 |                 |                 | <b>X</b>        |                 |
| Evaluation ( control)   |                       |                 |                 |                 |                 | <b>X</b>        |
| Inauguration  |                       |                 |                 |                 |                 | <b>X</b>        |

## 6. PROPOSAL BUDGETING

### 6.1. Contribution of the organization.

The contribution will be in hand work: **8 000 \$ US**

### 6.2. Contribution of the financial backer of this project proposal

| <b>Designation</b>  | <b>Quantity</b>          | <b>Unit price</b> | <b>Total price</b> |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| A plot of land  | 60m long and<br>20m wide | 30 000            | <b>30 000</b>      |
| Arrangement the church ground,<br>building and paying salaries                        | 20m long and<br>10m wide | -                 | <b>20 000</b>      |
| Arrangement the office ground,<br>building and paying salaries                        | 16m long and<br>10m wide | -                 | <b>30 000</b>      |
| Arrangement the house ground of<br>General Secretary, building and<br>paying salaries | 14m long and<br>9m wide  | -                 | <b>20 000</b>      |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  |                          |                   | <b>100 000</b>     |

**The big total is: 100 000 \$ US + 8 000 \$ US = 108 000 \$US.**

**WE SAY: ONE HUNDRED EIGHT THOUSANDS US DOLLAR**