

Carrefour Jésus, Sunday 3rd April 2016

We, families from Chabert whose lands were taken by the government 5 years ago, want to undertake a citizen audit of the resettlement and compensation process of the people affected by Caracol's industrial Park. As public documents do not contain all the information required for our evaluation, we request further details on this process.

We are available to organize a meeting with BID and UTE to discuss these issues in detail and are waiting for an answer from your side within 2 weeks after receipt of this request for information.

### **Compensation calculation**

- We request details over the methods to calculate food security compensations, as well as other immediate, transitional and long-term compensations.
- We request explanation for the lack of re-evaluation of 2012 and 2013 compensations.
- We request details over the specific measures undertaken to ensure that the rights of the women affected by the industrial park were respected and that their living conditions were maintained and reinforced.

### **Number of families affected by the Park and amount of compensations.**

- We request detailed lists of the number of affected families and the compensations received by each family (immediate, transitional, long term; financial and other, such as trainings), as well as copies of the compensation agreements, so we can evaluate that each family was treated fairly
- We request the successive lists of vulnerable people affected by the park, as well as an explanation of the reasons why some families were no longer considered as vulnerable.

### **Choice of the « cash for land » option**

- We request a detailed justification of the compliance with IDB's operational policies of the choice to abandon the "land for land" option in favour of the "cash for land" option.
- We request a justification for not trying to acquire other land, for example on several small lots than the initial targeted area in Fond Blanc/Glaudine.
- We request details over the consultation undertaken in 2013 to offer alternative compensations other than "land for land", in particular which options were proposed to each family.

### **Consultation with natural leaders**

- Nous demandons que soit détaillé le processus d'identification des leaders naturels, et dans quelle mesure ceux-ci furent amené-e-s à représenter les personnes affectées par le projet, y compris pour la signature de l'Accord-Cadre le 9 septembre 2011 et du nouveau plan de compensation adopté en septembre 2013.

- We request details over the process to select the natural leaders, and how these were led to represent families affected by the project, in particular to sign the Frame-agreement of 9 September 2011 and the new compensation plan adopted in September 2013.