

# **M.A.S.G. MEETING**

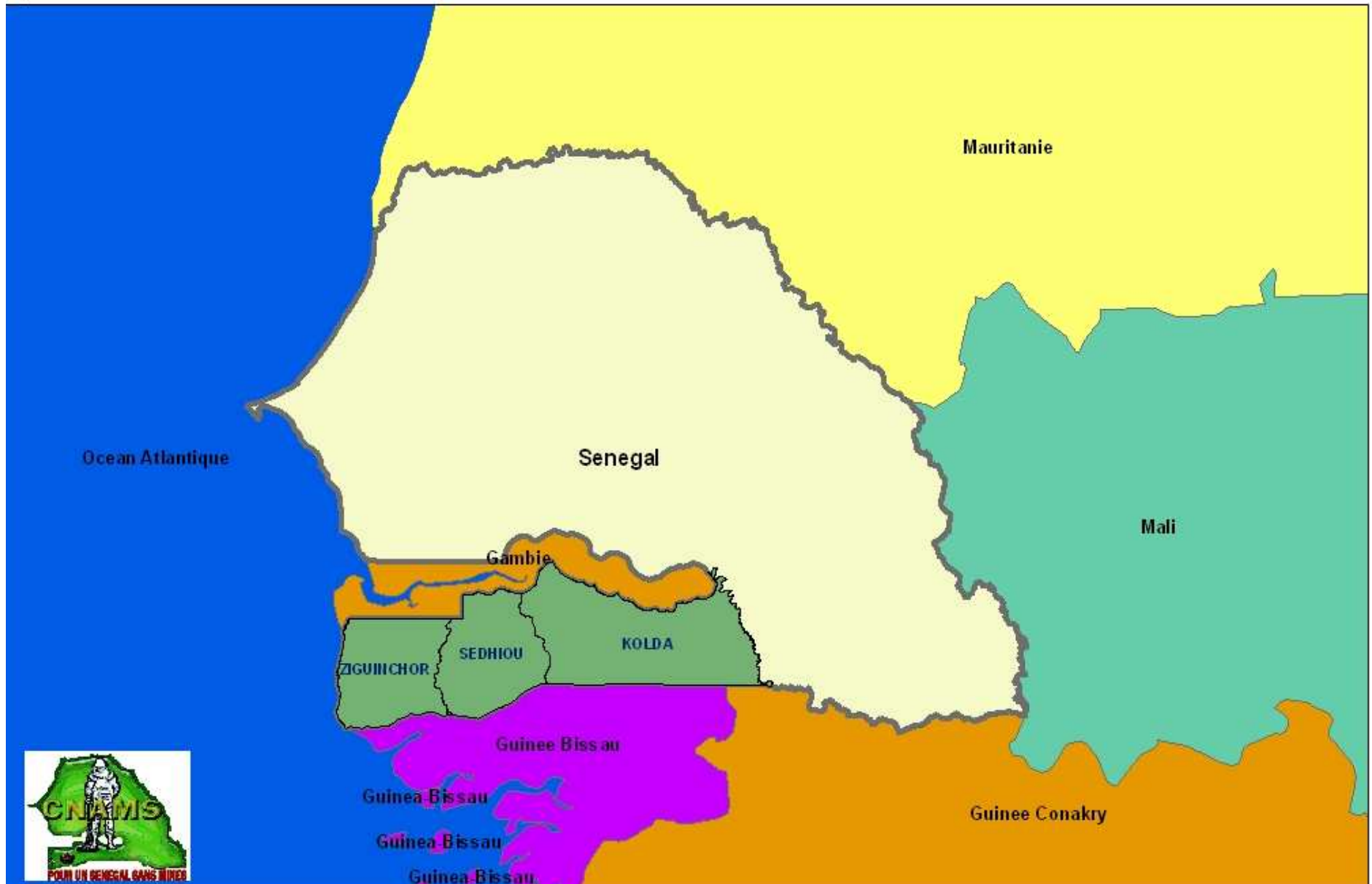
- **18 OCTOBER 2013**
  - **NEW YORK**

# PRESENTATION OF SENEGAL

- West of Africa
- Neighbour Republics of:
  - Mali
  - Mauritania
  - Guinea Conakry
  - Guinea Bissau
- Atlantic Ocean



## Situation géographique de nos zones d'intervention (Ziguinchor, Kolda et Sedhiou)



# **PRESENTATION (fwd)**

**201, 400 sqKm**

**12,000,000 Inhabitants**

**Developping Country.**

**4th April 1960: Independence Day**



# **MINE ACTION IN SENEGAL**

**Antipersonnel Mine Action  
Center in Senegal:**

**C.N.A.M.S.**



PROVIN UN SENEGAL SANS MINES

# CONTEXT

- ARMED CONFLICT EARLY 1982
- MINES / ERW AFFECTED IN BATTLE AREAS
- MASS VICTIMS
- POPULATIONS UNDER STRESS/ TRHEAT
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# NEGATIVE IMPACTS

- 811 Victims ( up to now);
- Farms/Agricultural areas abandonned;
- Less freedom of mouvements(pop/goods);
- Tourism, Transpt, Tradings, Fishing hampered;
- Huge budgets for the victims assistance ( medical, psychology, pharmacy, prothesis, Q.I.P., etc...);



# NATIONAL POLICY

- Sept 1997: Joined the Ottawa Convention;
- Aug 2005: Adoption to the Parliament of Anti Personnel Mines Ban Laws.
- Aug 2006: Creation of the National Commission to fight AP mines and ERW
- Aug 2006: Creation of a National Mine Action Centre ( CNAMS), in charge of demining and other activities on the national affected areas
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# SPECIFIC REALITIES

- Low performances on the demining activities have been recorded; mostly due to:
- the accreditation of a single demining operator(HI);
- a volatile security situation;
- detention of 12 humanitarian deminers by a rebel faction leader (may – june 2013);
- Mutism of populations (threats, local values, etc)
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# CONSEQUENCES

- Ten years after 1999, Sénégal has not completed AP mines and ERW operations.
- 7 extension years offered, expiring by end of 2015

# NATIONAL PERFORMENCES

- National AP mine stockpiles destroyed(art V);
- Cease Fire observed between belligerents (very few cases of violation/ economic needs);
- More demining Operators accredited ( with manual,mechanic and MDD);
- 658,000 sqm demined;
- 4,00 Mines/ERW detected and exploded;
- Better communications with rebel factions.

# PERFORMANCES (fwd)

- Mine Victim assistance program developed (medical, drugs, psycho, prothesis);
- Mine Risk Ed/ LST programs developed;
- Quick Impact Projects initiated.
- Tricycle motors offered to mine victims.

# INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE

these performances has been possible by member state parties having provided both financial and technical assistance to Senegal, since the beginning the national demining operations:

UE PNUD

USA Canada France

Italy Belguim Germany

South Korea Spain

# INTERNATIONAL ASSTCE (fwd)

- Thank you on behalf of my national authorities.
- Your precious assistance have permitted to :
- Provide MRE course to 80, 000 people ;
- 1,287 LST Trng courses,
- 1,60 handicapped people have benefited from free medical prothesis, med.surgery, drugs, psychological appointments.
- 23 ticycle motors offered to other hancapped,
- Q.I.P. are initiated to improuve vict.'s income

# PERSPECTIVES

- 21 working months ahead by Dec. 2015;
- 1,735,000 sqm to demine/ 3 operators;
- CNAMS can achieve the goal, which is to free Senegal from AP mines and ERW. The task would be easier :
  - if Positive contributions of both MFDC and local populations to the demining process are improved);
  - If Financial Requirements are provided.



# BUDGET REQUIREMENTS

- The required budget to cover all mine action activities for the period 2013/ 2015 is as follows:
- Available funds: **2, 356,597 USD** (Natl + coop)
- Requirements : **10,255,901 USD**
- Total 2013/2015 : **12,612,498 USD**

# BUDGET DETAILED (USD)

ACTIVITY	REQUIRED	AVAILABLE	DIFFERNCE	REMARKS
NTS	84,185	°°°	84,185	
TS/DEMINING	8,675,000	°°°°	8,675,000	
Q/CONT INCE	210,222	°°°°	210,222	
MRE	358,222	18,554	339,668	
VICT ASSTANCE	385,244	44,428	440,816	
ADVOCACY	224,380	44,182	180,198	
CAPACITY BDG	2,675,245	2,349,433	325,812	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,612,498</b>	<b>2, 356,597</b>	<b>10,255,901</b>	

# **CONCLUSION**

**POUR UN SENEGAL SANS MINES.**

**Thank you.**

**QUESTIONS?**