LAMP DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION: TELIKORO AND BOREAH CAMPS

The following serves to clarify information provided on Lamp Distribution Announcements:

ARC/CSI will provide lamps to ALL refugee families registered by UNHCR in Telikoro and Boreah Camps. As you may know, ARC/CSI has been providing lamps and kerosene to temporary booths. This distribution is not only for those living in temporary booths, but also for all refugee families in Telikoro and Boreah. This is a one-time distribution of lamps only. Kerosene will not be provided.

This general distribution is only for refugee families residing in Telikoro and Boreah Camps. Refugees residing in Kountaya will receive the general distribution in the coming months.

ARC/CSI will provide different numbers of lamps to different size families because very large families may have several houses and may need more lamps. These are the pre-established humanitarian norms provided by UNHCR and are not negotiable. ARC/CSI did not make the determination on the number of lamps to distribute per family.

ARC/CSI did not identify or register any of the beneficiaries for the general lighting distribution. The information that was gathered through the UNHCR General Census/Registration activity was used to determine the eligible beneficiaries. ARC/CSI is not responsible for any errors or omissions in the refugee registration process. Only those determined eligible by UNHCR will be served.

The family size is determined by the information on the temporary cards and not by the number of family members residing or grouped together. Refugees will receive lamps ONLY on the date and time that corresponds to the information on their cards.

The Heads of Household MUST be present in order to receive the lamps. Small children, neighbors or other family members will not be eligible to claim the lamps for their head of family. Where there are two heads of household declared on one card (i.e., husband/wife, sisters, etc.) EITHER beneficiary is eligible to receive the lamps.

The Heads of Household must present their unaltered temporary card at the time of distribution. Card numbers written on pieces of paper will be rejected. Fixing tokens and plot tickets will not be accepted.

The scheduled distribution times are flexible ONLY within the same day. Those not served on their assigned day will be counted absent and will not be served until the last day.

Problematic cards/special cases (i.e. those presenting altered cards, those without cards or those presenting handwritten certificates, tokens or plot tickets) will not be handled until the designated day.

Please respect the days and times of the scheduled distributions.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.