

#### **MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT**

The Project for Promoting Youth Employment Through Automotive Maintenance Skills Training

# Output 1. DEVELOPING COMPETENCY-BASED AND DEMAND DRIVEN CURRICULUM



The development of standards & qualifications is currently ongoing. Additionally, through research is being conducted to level the national curricula with those of the ECOWAS countries.

# <u>Output 2</u>. ESTABLISHING A CENTER OF EXCELLENCE FOR AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN TRAINING



A study Tour to Japan has been completed. The Sierra Leonean delegation, consisting of four staff members from Government Technical Institute (GTI) Kissy and the director of the Ministry of Technical and Higher Education, participated in a Kaizen & 5S training program and got introduced to the Japanese automotive aftermarket and related industries, including participation in the 37<sup>th</sup> Auto Service Show.



Four automotive experts from GTI Kissy will be attending a three-week Training of Trainers course on Auto Electrical Trainings at the Kigima Training Center in South Africa starting 10<sup>th</sup> of July 2023.



The Staff Development Plan for the automotive experts from GTI Kissy has been completed. By end of 2023, the automotive experts will be participating in Training of Trainers programs at CICA Motors - Toyota in Sierra Leone, West African Vehicle Academy in Ghana, and Toyota Academy in Kenya.

### **OUTPUT 1**

Completed: 1 In Progress: 2 Planned: 5 Remark: Ongoing with delay

### **OUTPUT 2**

Completed: 2 In Progress: 5 Planned: 7 Remark: Ongoing with delay

#### **OUTPUT 3**

Completed: 0 In Progress: 0 Planned: 5 Remark: No activity due as per plan



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Kaizen Training by Japan Productivity Center at United Nations University in Japan



Yamahiro Corporation in Japan



Nissho Jidosha Company in Japan



Ogura Gakuen Tokyo Automobile College in Japan



Isuzu Plaza in Japan

Nissan Motor Corporation Yokohama Plant in Japan





37<sup>th</sup> Auto Service Show in Japan



The Sierra Leonean delegation

Nihon Automobile College (NATS) in Japan



