## New World Bank training project for DCA-VET

Recently, DCA-VET has been awarded the 8-month project "Animal health services", funded by World Bank/Horticulture and Livestock Project. The project will run from 1 May to 31 December 2012.

Objectives are (a) promoting livestock production and productivity, (b) improving the service delivery capacity in the animal health services, mainly from the private sector, and (c) establishing of livestock extension services.

The project is composed of six components:

- Support of VFUs privatized in 2012 (52 VFU staff)
- Training of new paravets (52)
- Business skills training (171 VFU staff)
- Artificial Insemination training (100 VFU staff)
- Extension/Nutrition course (171 VFU staff)
- Workshop for privatized VFU staff

DCA-VET already started training of 22 male and 14 female extension workers and paravet courses will start soon.

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