

# Media Update

17 April 2017

## UNICEF

Statement

### Statement by Anthony Lake, UNICEF Executive Director, on reported child killings in Syria

NEW YORK/DAMASCUS/AMMAN, 16 April 2017 – “After six years of war and human carnage in Syria ... six years of heartbreak for so many Syrian families... there comes a new horror that must break the heart of anyone who has one. More than 60 children reportedly killed in an attack on a bus convoy yesterday outside Aleppo. A convoy of families who for so long had already known so much suffering. Now the survivors must bear such a new and terrible loss.

“We must draw from this not only anger, but renewed determination to reach all the innocent children throughout Syria with help and comfort. And draw from it also the hope that all those with the heart and the power to end this war will do so.”

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#### About UNICEF

UNICEF promotes the rights and wellbeing of every child, in everything we do. Together with our partners, we work in 190 countries and territories to translate that commitment into practical action, focusing special effort on reaching the most vulnerable and excluded children, to the benefit of all children, everywhere.

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# WFP

## Media Advisory

### Launching ceremony of the “Community Based Disaster Risk Management and School Safety Programmes”

World Food Programme (WFP) cordially invites you to cover the launching ceremony of the “Community Based Disaster Risk Management and School Safety Programmes”

**When:** Tuesday, 18 April 2017, at 10:00am – 1:30pm

**Where:** Kila Saif Ullah Hall, Serena Hotel, Quetta

#### Programme Agenda:

Timing	Activity	Speaker
10:00 -10:30	Registration	
10:30 -10:35	Recitation of The Holy Quran	
10:35 -10:50	Official opening of the Program	DG PDMA-Balochistan
10:50 -11:10	Remarks by WFP Representative	Mr. William Affif – Acting Country Representative, WFP
11:10- 11:20	Introductory Remarks on CBDRM & School Safety Program	Nawab Ali Khan, CEO AKAH
11:20-11:30	WFP Operations in Baluchistan (Presentation)	WFP, Provincial Office
11:30-11:45	WFP’s support to Govt. of Pakistan in DRM (A brief overview)	Programme Policy Officer (DRM), WFP Pakistan
1145-12:00	Briefing on Project activities and Implementation Strategies to School safety and CBDRM Program	Zulfiqar Ali, Project Coordinator FOCUS Pakistan
12:00-12:10	Voice from the field/ Key stakeholders	Representative of Local Government, Education dept.
12:10-12:25	Speaker Provincial Assembly Baluchistan	Mrs. Rahila Hameed Durani, Speaker Baluchistan Assembly

12:25-12:45	Speech of Chief Guest	His Excellency, Governor of Balochistan or Speaker Provincial Assembly
12:45-13:00	Closing Remarks	Mir Sarfaraz Ahmad Bugti, Minister PDMA
	<b>Lunch</b>	

We look forward to your participation and coverage.

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