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NEWSLETTER 02

Construction of Baeker Secondary School at Beaker Town in Setit Humera

This is the second Newsletter on the progress of the Construction of Baeker Secondary School at Beaker Town in Setit Humera, Ethiopia.

In 2010, the 500 farmers of the Shewit farmer's cooperation in Baeker town in north-west Ethiopia and SeletHulling PLC agreed to jointly construct and finance schooling facilities for the farmer's children grade 9 and 10. Both parties will finance the school and the equipment on a fifty-fifty basis. Total estimated cost is USD 150,000.

The school construction will consist of three building blocks. The first one has been tendered and a contract with a building construction company has been signed in January 2012. The other two blocks will also be tendered soon. These other blocks will accommodate offices, library and sanitation facilities.



The first block is progressing well and consists of four classrooms of some seven by eight meters each. Each classroom will accommodate thirty students.

The picture shows the progress at the end of March. The design is typical for the country; reinforced concrete foundation, floor and pillars, pointed concrete hollow-block walls and a tin roof. The design focuses on low maintenance cost, durability and meets the local climatical conditions.



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