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Ato Sisay Gemech, State Minister of Industry

This agreement was made by 550 trainees from the Leather Industry Development Institute and the Textile Industry Development Institute as well as from Ethiopian Meat and Dairy Industry Development Institute.



Ato Wondu Legese and Ato Teshome Lema

The two rounds training mainly focused on the Ethiopian people's struggles, the country resurgence, the renewal of the Ethiopian Renaissance, the building of the developmental and democratic state and its challenges, the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopian constitution and secularism, the benefits of building developmental civil service and the role of civil servants.



The training was given by the Ministry of Industry state ministers and the director generals of the Institutes accountable for the Ministry. The trainees were categorized into two rounds and totally there were twelve syndicate groups of discussions.



At the end of group discussions, the group coordinators collect questions and vague ideas of the trainees then the State Ministers and the Director Generals of the Institutes provided sufficient answers and clarifications.



W/ro Menbere Kinfe

According to Menbere Kinfe, the assistant researcher of Leather Industry Development Institution, the training was helped her to know the government policies, programs and strategies of the country that enable, her to realize the objective of the Institute.



Ato Abate Argaw

Ato Abate Argaw, who has been serving Civil service for twenty five years in different positions, though the sector is not economically benefiting, still he feels positive for serving the society and his country. The Garment & Goods Technology Directorate Director, Abate, in Leather Industry Development Institute, confirmed that the training was deepen his understanding on the government programs,

policies, strategies, FDRE Constitution and Secularism as well as the necessity of building developmental civil servants.

The other interviewee, W/ro Ferehiot Kidane, from the Textile Industry Development Institute also strengthens the great importance of the eleven days training on her side.



W/ro Ferehiot Kidane

In general, according to the majority trainees' opinion, the group discussions were so democratic and participatory, due to this reason, almost all trainees were able to share what they feel even asked many questions. As a result they get clear and deep understanding of the country's policies, strategies, programs and the new Renaissance building directions.

Eventually, the twenty two days training the Ministry of Industry has offered a special certificate to LIDI which has shown the best performance and good coordination during the training. At the end the training the trainees have agreed up on the nine consensus points. The three Institutes middle management members and workers were conducted a unique and special get together at Textile Industry Development Institute (TIDI) on November 09/2007 E.C.