## **ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT**

#### Year 2021

"I think the currency of leadership is transparency. You've got to be truthful. I don't think you should be vulnerable every day, but there are moments where you've got to share your soul and conscience with people and show them who you are, and not be afraid of it." Howard Schultz



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Organization name	HT BENIN
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#### 1. Registration details

- Registration Number: 2016/015/PDBA/SG/SAG/DASCCS
- Tax ID Number: Coming soon! (Currently under application)
- Place of business: 1st Floor, C/1303 AGONTINKON, vons DIAMBK, Cotonou
- Registered Address: House AHO Nicole, Quartier SEME, Arrondissement central, Lot 291
- Website: www.htbenin.org

#### 2. About us

HT BENIN is made up of a small, dynamic and impact-making team of 8 members who are scholars and practitioners committed to social and environmental causes everywhere in Benin, West Africa. HT BENIN is registered as a national non-profit for environment and social development. Members share their resources (time, money, experience, knowledge and expertise) for charitable purposes or public benefit and, thus, promote sustainable well-being, equity and justice for all. Help for self-help is our principle. HT BENIN's governing board members are:

**Mr. Rodrigue ADJASSIN**, Master, Entrepreneur - Project Manager (Founder and Chairman, 12 years of experience in the management of community and development projects).

**Dr. Ir. Bernice BIAOU**, Agricultural Scientist at the University of Abomey-Calavi, Benin (Deputy Chairwoman).

Rodrigue TCHOUKE, Financial advisor (accountant).

#### 3. Mission statement and vision

We envision a country where everyone has access to basic services and to opportunities needed to thrive. In a Beninese society that's ever changing, increasingly competitive and confronted with tremendous social and environmental challenges, we work alongside Government, academia, private sector and civil society so that no one is left behind. Driven by our values, including Excellence in action, Transparency, Human flourishing (well-being and flourishing life for all), Solidarity and Sharing, we stand for a poverty and hunger- free, just and equitable, healthy, water and energy-secure, caring and environmentally-friendly society.

#### 4. What we do

Our activity has a name: Projects and programs for better lives. Indeed, HT BENIN uses project-based approaches or strategies and works day to day, relentlessly and hard on the ground with disadvantaged people and communities across Benin to help them out of poverty, water scarcity, energy deficits, and hunger. Every year, we plan up to 10 small-scaled and medium-sized projects.

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# 5. <u>Key actions and achievements during the fiscal year 2021</u>

In 2021, we have served or reached 10622 people through 10 projects in 2 areas: Child and youth care, and community development.

Regarding child and youth care, 7 projects (Vocational training and skills for jobs in solar energy, sewing, livestock farming, food processing, and entrepreneurship for 222 young people aged 15-19, including boys and girls; food and primary education for 400 orphaned children) have been implemented.

3 community projects have been achieved, in particular, access to clean water for 1298 households (10000 people) in 3 villages, including KERE, EGBESSI and SOWE in central Benin.

All 10 planned projects for 2021 were carried out. So we reached an execution rate of 100%.

#### 6. Future Plans

All our future plan are embedded in one action program called Targets 2023-2030. More information about this program can be found here: <a href="https://htbenin.org/target">https://htbenin.org/target</a>.

#### 7. Activity and Report Team

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Cotonou, January 31, 2022

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