Célébration of the International Day of Biodiversiy (IDB) by APEDJ/AFEYD / Célébration de la Journée Internationale de la Biodiversité dans le cadre de l'année Internationale de la biodiversité

-Theme/Thème: The biological diversity and the development / La diversité biologique et le développement

-Date: Saturday, May 22nd 2010/ Samedi 22 mai 2010 Country/

Pays: CONGO City/Ville: Brazzaville

Place of activity/Lieu: Kinsoundi (Arrondissement 1 Makélékélé) in the school Loango Marine Organized by / Organisée par: L'Association Pour l'Environnement et Développement de la Jeunesse (APEDJ) / Association For Environnement and Youth Development (AFEYD) In



partnership with: the school la médiane / Ecole la Médiane and School LOANGO Marine/ Ecole Loango Marine Under the direction of /Sous la direction de: Green wave/ la vague verte.

The Association for Environment and Youth Development (AFEYD) translated in French speaking by: Association Pour l'Environnement et Développement de la Jeunesse does support the Green wave campaign on environmental education to raise awareness children, young people, adults and schools from CONGO Brazzaville to take care of environment.

Based in a school called la Médiane in Brazzaville (CONGO) in the first district called Makélékélé (Kinsoundi quarter, 12 Massengo street), APEDJ/AFEYD in partnership with the school la médiane have celebrated the International Day of Biodiversity (IDB) on Saturday, may 22nd 2010.

The school Loango Marine (a public school) did join APEDJ/AFEYD and the school la médiane to plant trees.

APEDJ/AFEYD has planted 100 trees, School la médiane 75 and 25 for the school Loango Marine.

-An education on Biodiversity was conducted too by some questions asked to the APEDJ/AFEYD members by the children and young people of two schools. Those questions were eleven and here are some questions of them:

What is biodiversity? Why the celebration of IDB and why 2010 has been chosen as IYB? What means fauna, flora, and aquatic species, what means degradation of biodiversity? What are activities which can destroy biodiversity and what species which do constitute biodiversity in CONGO-Brazzaville....

So, those eleven questions were answered by APEDJ/AFEYD members to educate the guests who were to the activity.

-A poem on the persecution and on the importance of trees was recited by the children of school la médiane, that poem written by Prince Dany Nkouma, member of APEDJ/AFEYD.

- -A speech on the IYB and IDB has been made by Roll Matifath BOUESSO, the president coordinator of APEDJ/AFEYD.
- -A young pupil of school la médiane called Mr NZOUNZA Van has planted the first tree, that tree was planted "symbolic tree" before the planting of other participants.

To finish this report I say: "Biodiversity is life"

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