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Slackchwe Habitat Enhancement Project Project Fact Sheet
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Region Regional Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean

Country BELIZE

Project Name Slackchwe Habitat Enhancement Project

Description The project will introduce and demonstrate the use of reef ball molds to construct 40 reef balls. These will be deployed in the Slackchwe Area, West of San Pedro, Ambergris Caye to create an enhanced marine habitat. The enhanced habitat should help to relieve tourist pressure on the reef in the Hol Chan marine Reserve and provide an opportunity for environmental education. It will serve as a basis for data gathering and research on fish population dynamics in the area.

Focal Area (Bio) Biodiversity

Operational Programs (2) OP2 - Costal, Marine and Freshwater Ecosystems

Type of Project (Dem) Demonstration

Project State (Exe) Currently Under Execution.

Start Date Dec/1998

End Date Jun/2000

Grant Amount \$ \$40,404.04

Grant Recipient (SPTGA)
San Pedro Tour Guide Association

Grant Recipient Type (CBO) Community-based Organization

Project Characteristics and Components

Applies **Comment**

Notable Community Participation

Yes

Capacity-Building Component

Yes

Emphasis on Sustainable Livelihoods

Yes

Promoting Public Awareness of Global Environment

Yes

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