



## SUMMARY

### **SUR/6272: Capacity Building for Agriculture IO's in Suriname**

#### **IMPROVING THE SURINAMESE AGROINDUSTRY SIUPPLY CHAIN**

The British Agrifood Consortium in collaboration with the Suriname Trade and Industry Association and the Suriname Chamber of Commerce with assistance from PRO€INVEST organised a series of workshops and coaching sessions to develop the capacity of Surinamese BSO's to understand and manage the supply chain concept and to identify services that will support the Surinamese agro-industry sector to operate supply chains to grow their business.

#### **Results:**

- 22 BSO staff trained in the supply chain concept.
- 9 BSO staff trained to deliver services to support the development of agro-industry supply chains in Suriname.
- 12 businesses engaged in supply chain planning.
- 3 pilot supply chain maps developed.
- 2 supply chains operational.
- 1 MOU exchanged.

#### **Follow up activities:**

Suriname Trade and Industry Association is developing the project post funding by supporting businesses to develop supply chains. An active MOU between the Surinamese Trade and Industry Association and the British Caribbean Chamber of Commerce (Trinidad Chapter) to develop inter Caribbean trade opportunities in the agro-industry sector across the Caribbean. Ongoing discussions between the Surinamese Pig Producers supply chain and the retail sector in Barbados.

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