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The Rapid Response Fund is Justice Rapid Response's **most flexible funding mechanism** to deploy prompt, impartial and professional expertise to support justice and accountability processes worldwide.

The Fund allows JRR to complete expert deployments that are **urgent** in nature; that **further credible accountability processes** if provided in a **timely** manner; that significantly **limit the adverse effects of delayed support**; or when there is a high likelihood of **third party funding becoming available** at a later stage to help secure the completion of the deployment.

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Justice Rapid Response is the only global facility that provides rapidly deployable experts to investigate international crimes and serious human rights violations and to enable a holistic, gender-sensitive, and inclusive approach to justice.

THE FUND'S IMPACT:

IN UKRAINE, JRR deployed to the Ukrainian Office of the Prosecutor General an investigator on crimes affecting the environment to collect evidentiary samples in various locations severely affected by the destruction of the Nova Kakhovka dam, thereby preventing potential evidence from being lost or destroyed.

IN IRAQ, JRR provided critical technical support to a CSO at the start of its documenting project of crimes committed against the Yazidi minority. Following the injection of legal and child rights expertise, the local CSO provided the input to German courts which led to three convictions for genocide, raising the credibility of the CSO's accountability efforts.

IN THE GAMBIA, JRR contributed to securing six convictions in relation to the 2016 killing of political activist Solo Sandeng by providing indispensable forensic expertise to identify the remains of the late activist, which in turn provided key evidence to the Prosecution team in support of its case and ensured the accountability process could move forward without any further delay.

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