

Supply of Seeds and Tools

Scope of the Project:

There was an urgent need for Agriculture Tools and seed material to revive farming in the Northern Province after the end of the conflict in Sri Lanka. Government of India approved a Project in 2010 to supply seeds and Agriculture Tools to be distributed among the resettled Internally Displaced Persons (IDP) farmers in the Northern Province.



Project Cost: SLR 250 million

Duration: 06 months during 2010 (Project completed).

Partners:

1. Ministry of Agricultural Development & Agrarian Services
2. Presidential Task Force for Resettlement, Development and Security in the Northern Province
3. National Seeds Corporation Ltd., New Delhi

Modality of Implementation:

Government of India supplied 95,000 Agriculture Tool kits & 43,000 kg of seeds of Black Grams and 5,500 kgs of Green Grams seeds through the National Seeds Corporation Ltd.

Beneficiaries: IDP farmers.

Impact: The Project has helped thousands of farming families who were dependent on agriculture to earn a livelihood by assisting in the revival of agricultural activities on their farm land.

