

Construction of 153 Houses and Infrastructure facilities in Sobitha Thero Village in Anuradhapura



Scope of the Project : Considering the need for assistance in the field of Rehabilitation and Infrastructure, Government of India has agreed to request of Sri Lanka Government to develop infrastructure facilities in Sobitha Thero village in Anuradhapura. The project envisages construction of 153 houses, a multipurpose community building and small alms hall, internal water supply system, renovation of Monk quarters and library in the Sobitha Thero Village in Anuradhapura.

Project Cost : 300 million SLR

Project Duration : 2017-19

Implementing Partners : Ministry of Housing and Construction, Colombo, Ven. Madhuluwawe Sobhitha Thero Village, Ministry of National Policies and Economic Affairs, GoSL.

Modalities of Implementation : The project is being implemented under the Small Development Project (SDP) model. A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has been signed on 14 July, 2017 in the presence of Mr. Karu Jayasuriya, Hon'ble Speaker of Parliament. To monitor the implementation of the project, a Project Steering Committee (PSC), co- chaired by Deputy High Commissioner of India and Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Construction including Representatives from the Ven. Madhuluwawe Sobhitha Thero Village, Department of Project Management & Monitoring and External Resources Department of Ministry of National Policies and Economic Affairs, GoSL has been constituted.

Beneficiaries : The project will contribute to wellbeing and socio-economic development of the Sobhitha Thero Village. It will benefit 153 families residing in the village.

