



PROGRAM FOR HYDRO- METEOROLOGICAL DISASTER MITIGATION IN SECONDARY CITIES IN ASIA (PROMISE)

Demonstration Project:

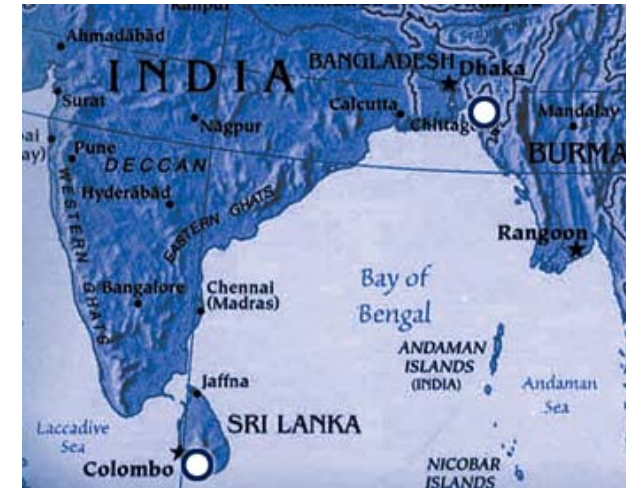
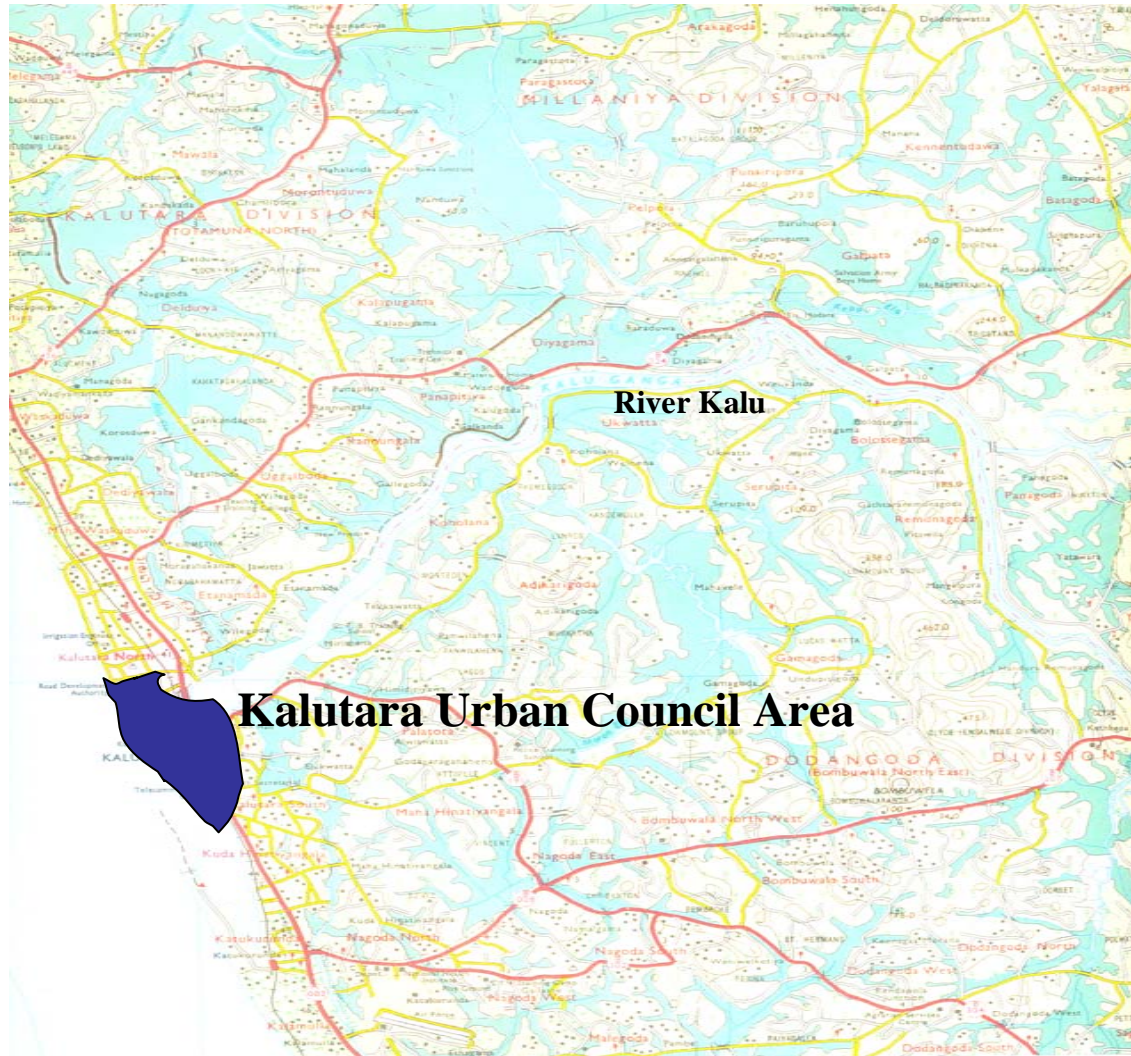
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Flood risk in Kalutara Urban Council area



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Component: 2

Training and Capacity Building



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- Three levels of activities;
 - National level activities will be undertaken in collaboration with National Training Partner Institute (NTPI), Sri Lanka Institute of Local Governance (SLILG)
 - Capacity Building of Sarvodaya staff and community level training
 - School programs



Training and Capacity Building

- National level-Activities in collaboration with selected NTPI, SLILG
 - SLILG will be conducting two training programmes as pilot initiatives
 - Conduct training on Governance and Risk Reduction in Sri Lanka for the local government officials
 - Conduct training on Concepts for Risk based Land use planning



National level activities in collaboration with SLILG

- Two courses to be conducted on Governance and Risk Reduction
- Objective is to promote Understanding among duty bearers to link up the subjects of Urban Governance and Risk Management
- Under this programme 40 participants will be trained by conducting two 5-day training workshops for officials of Kalutara Urban Council and other local government institutions in Kalutara district and Kalu river basin



National level activities in collaboration with SLILG

- SLILG is already conducting a project to train local government officials on usage of GIS in physical planning and it will be extended to incorporate hazard mapping in to physical planning
- Training will be conducted on risk based land use planning, based on Kalutara Urban Council area
- Under this programme 10 No's of participants from Kalutara and other UCs, will be trained on GIS base land use / urban planning (for 10 days)
- After completion of these training programmes, SLILG will incorporate these program in to regular training programs of the Institute



Capacity building of Sarvodaya staff and communities

- After realizing the need, as a follow up to Tsunami response, Sarvodaya has established a Community Disaster Preparedness Center on 29 January 2006
- CBDRM course conducted by ADPC in March 2006
- Using the Trainers of CBDRM course Sarvodaya has conducted workshops for sarvodaya District coordinators and field coordinators of Kalutara and Ratnapura districts
- CBDRM material translated into local language
- Emergency safety kits prepared at community level



Capacity building of Sarvodaya staff

- ADPC has provided training material on CBDRM, Governance and Risk Reduction, etc. through the project and it will be used in training Sarvodaya staff
- Few members of Sarvodaya have attended national and regional training courses conducted by ADPC on Loss Estimation, CBDRM and Governance and Risk Reduction



School Programs

- Project will establish Disaster Brigades (similar to environmental brigades) in 12 schools with Kalutara in collaboration with Department of Education
- Two teachers from each school will be trained in collaboration with ADPC
- Disaster safety day activities to commemorate Tsunami event will be organized in schools on 26th December. This will include newsletters, awareness creation activities, quiz programs, drawing exhibitions and competitions, etc.
- Emergency response teams formed with safety kits



Future Activities under Phase II

- Conduct training for emergency first responders
- First responders will be selected from Sarvodaya community centers and training will be conducted by ADPC
- Incorporate first responder training and first aid training in scout movement and disaster brigades in Kalutara schools

A photograph of a herd of elephants in a savanna landscape. The elephants are standing in a grassy field with a dense line of green trees in the background. The sky is blue with some white clouds. The text is overlaid on the image.

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