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

Demonstration Project:

**Kalutara City, Sri Lanka**

**LANKA JATHIKA SARVODAYA SHRAMADHANA MOVEMENT**





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## Component: 4

# Information and Networking



## Information & Networking Activities

- Level:1
  - Kalutara Urban Council
  - Metrological Dept
  - Irrigation Dept
  - NBRO
  - University of Peradeniya (DM Course)
  - SLILG



## Information & Networking Activities

- Level:2
  - DMC
  - District Secretary
  - Divisional Secretary
  - Ministries
  - Provincial Council
  - USAID
  - NGOs



## Information & Networking Activities

- ADPC has provided text books and information material to the newly established library in the Sarvodaya Community Disaster Risk Management Center
- Sarvodaya has translated the CBDRM material into local language and made it available to Sarvodaya staff and others
- Project brochure has been printed and distributed to other stakeholders
- Networks formed with INGOs, NGOs, Private Sector (CSR programs) and government (Ministries, DMC, Irrigation dept, Central Environmental Authority, etc.)
- Sarvodaya invited to important programs on Disaster Management conducted by government and non-government sector



## Information & Networking - Future Activities

- Development of a database/disaster profile for the Kalutara Urban council area
- Translation of ADPC publications (*Urban disaster mitigation & preparedness guide books*) into local languages
- Development of two case studies on project experience in collaboration with ADPC
- Development of information material (mobile kit) for community awareness
- Dissemination of all information material within the Sarvodaya network
- Sarvodaya regional officers forming and maintaining close contact with district DMC



## Information & Networking - Future Activities

- NGO forum for Disaster Management to promote networking and collaboration – Use already present systems
- Working more closely with local USAID
- Participation at international, regional and local forums, conferences, seminars, exhibitions, etc. to share experiences and develop networks
- Organizing activities for National Disaster Safety Day with 12 schools and Sarvodaya communities
- Information to be shared with the mass media (Print and electronic)
- Information to be shared through website
- Public awareness campaign to present project outcomes - good practices



## Information & Networking - Future Activities

**IMPORTANT**



Networking with our PROMISE PARTNERS and their partners...





## Information & Networking - Future Activities

# Keep in touch!

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Bohoma Isthuthi!**

**Thank you very much!**