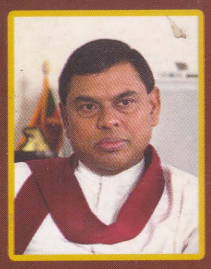


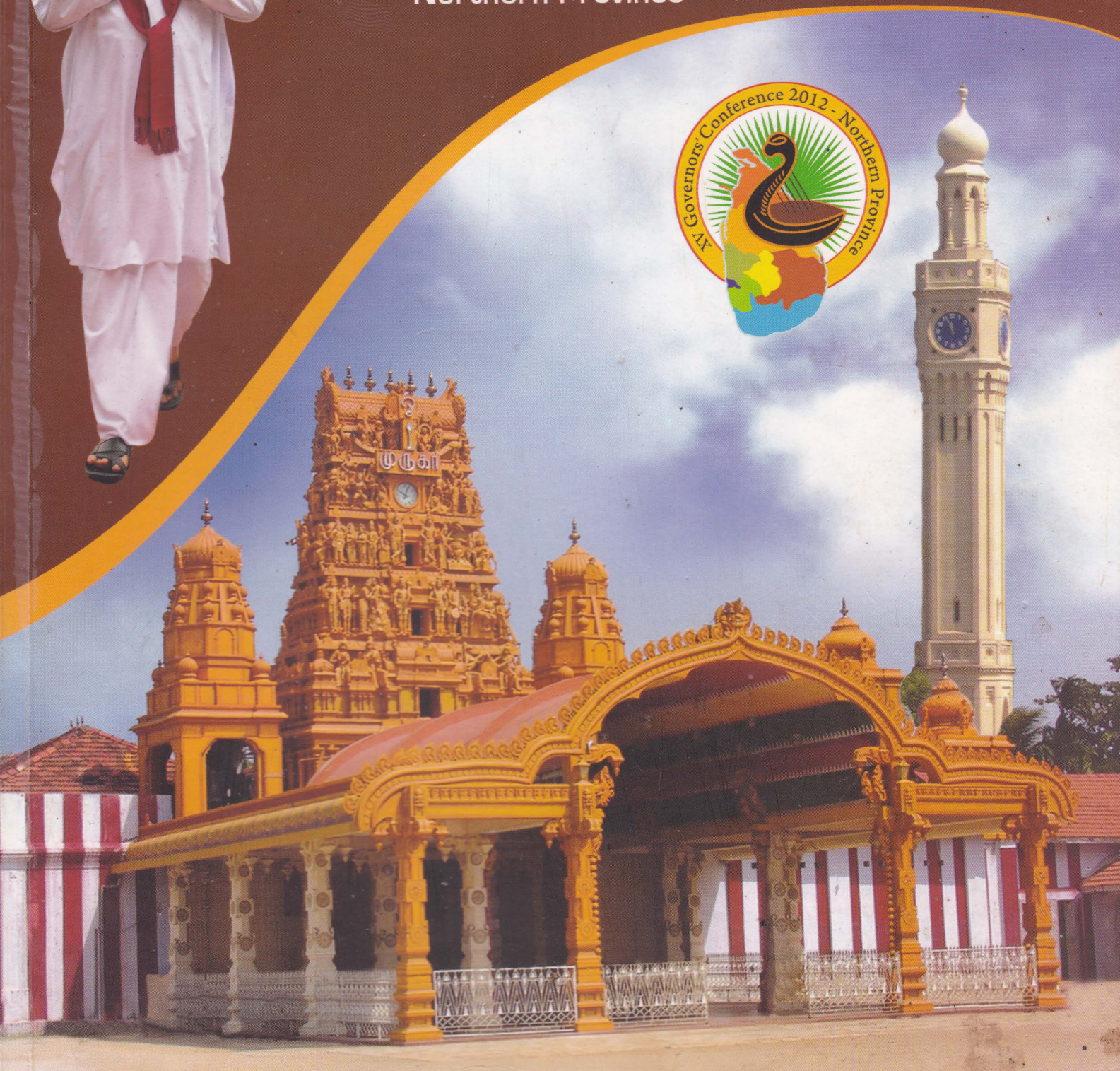
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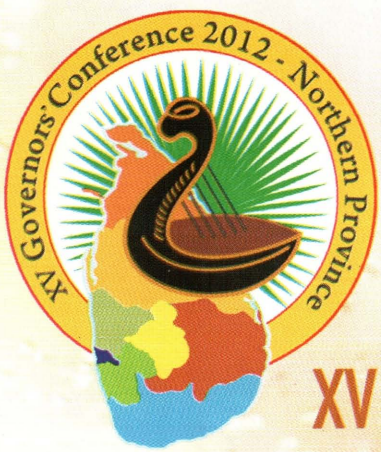


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Message from the

Hon. Governor of the Northern Province



It is with great pleasure that I issue this message to the souvenir highlighting the implementation of the "Vadakkin Vasantham" Programme. Being the Governor of the Northern Province I am well acquainted with the said program which is a part of the "Mahinda Chinthana" and is aimed at uplifting the living standards of the people of the Northern Province who are emerging from the effects of the three decades of the war. This presentation which has been compiled by the Planning Secretariat is commendable.

The "Vadakkin Vasantham" Programme commenced under the direction of His Excellency the President Mahinda Rajapaksa and direct supervision and direction of Hon.Basil Rajapaksa, Minister of Economic Development and the Chairman of the Presidential Task Force for the development of the Northern Province.This programme was launched in the mid year of 2009 which included 180 days "Vadakkin Vasantham" Development Programme to expedite the resettlement and rehabilitation process and a concurrent two year programme for the rehabilitation and development activities in the Province. A total investment of Rs.295 bn has been allocated for the planned investment programme for the period 2010-2012 and the medium term development strategy of the programme includes the following:

- Restoration of socio economic and personal stability and safety.
- Reconciliation across ethnic borders.
- Revitalization of livelihoods and productive sector.
- Infrastructures – Roads, Electricity, Ports, Transport, Housing, Communication, Water Supply and Sanitation.
- Rural economy through technological transformation.
- Pro poor growth and reduction of disparities.

The generation of productive and private investment and employment opportunities for the people in the Northern Province will be pursued through the relevant interventions mentioned in the programme.

The fruits of the implementation of the "Vadakkin Vasantham programme" have begun to appear quite satisfactorily and by the end of the year 2012, the beneficiaries will commence to derive the intended benefits out of the various development projects.

The full scale implementation of this programme which is a brain child of His Excellency the President will help to fulfill the aspirations of the people to a great extent and ensure the emergence of a united Sri Lanka which will be the wonder of Asia as opined by him.

GA Chandrasiri
Hon. Governor, Northern Province.

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01

Bird's Eye View of the Northern Province

Bird's Eye View of the Northern Province

The Northern Provincial Council administration is presently carried out under the Governorship of Hon. GA. Chandrasiri, Governor, Northern Province who, in the absence of an elected council is bestowed with the authorities of the Chief Minister and the Board of Ministers. There are five Provincial Ministries and 25 Departments to administer.

The Northern Province consists of 5 Administrative Districts, 34 DS Divisions, 921 GN Divisions, 28 Pradeshiya Sabhas, 5 Urban Councils and one Municipal Council.

The Northern Province - Sri Lanka

Jaffna District

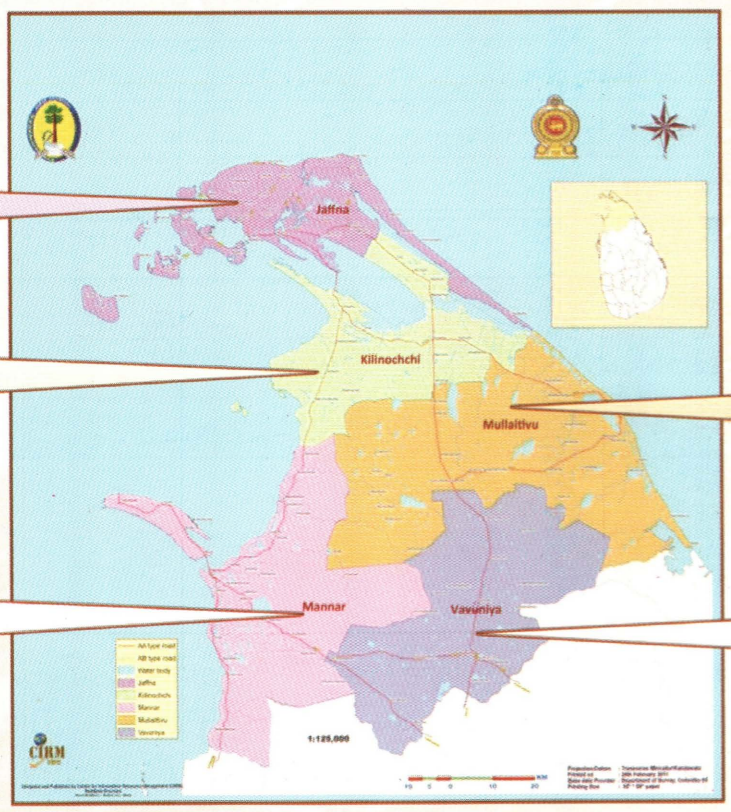
Area - 1,025.6 sq.km
Population 614,628
DS divisions 15
GN divisions 435
Municipal Council - 01
Urban Councils 03
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 13

Kilinochchi District

Area - 1,237.11 sq.km
Population 122,893
DS divisions 04
GN divisions 95
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 03

Mannar District

Area - 2,002 sq.km
Population 158,507
DS divisions 05
GN divisions 153
Urban Councils 01
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 04



Mullaitivu District

Area - 2,616.9 sq.km
Population 106,663
DS divisions 06
GN divisions 136
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 04

Vavuniya District

Area - 1,966.9 sq.km
Population 186,415
DS divisions 04
GN divisions 102
Urban Councils 01
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 04

The Northern Province

Total Area - 8,847.98 sq.km
Total Population – 1,189,106
(as at 31-12-2011)

Districts - 05
DS divisions – 34
GN divisions – 921
Municipal Council - 01
Urban Councils – 05
Pradeshiya Sabhas - 28

Population:

As per the census of 1981 the population of the Northern Province was 1.112 mn. Thereafter internal and external migration at a large scale has taken place and the demographic pattern has changed. The total population of the Northern Province was 1.189 Mn for the year 2011 (According to the District Secretariats' Reports)

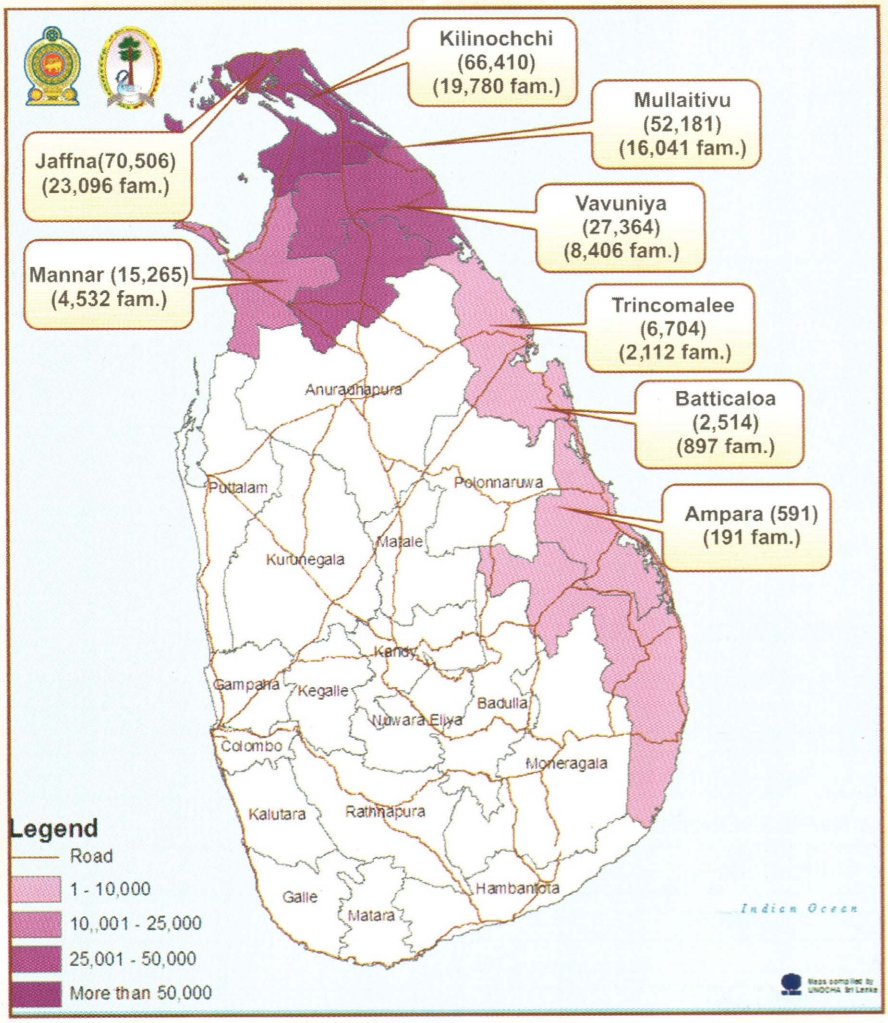
Population of the Northern Province by District 1981 & 2011

			In '000
	Northern Province	**1981**	**2011**
1.	Jaffna	831	615
2.	Kilinochchi	--	123
3.	Mullaitivu	78	107
4.	Vavuniya	96	186
5.	Mannar	107	159
	Total	1,112	1,189
	Sri Lanka	**14,850**	**20,869**
	As a % of Sri Lanka Total	**7.48**	**5.69**

Resettlement :

Resettlement activities are taking place in all the 5 Districts namely Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Vavuniya in the Northern Province. The Total number of displaced people is estimated as 353,400. All displaced people have been re-settled in their own Districts.

OUTFLOW OF IDP'S FROM RELIEF VILLAGES
24 September 2012



	January 2010	July 2010	24th September 2012
Total IDPs (Aug 09)	353,400		
No. Relief Villages	30	6	-
Resettled	271,826	318,067	353,400
Balance in Relief Villages	81,574	35,333	-



Resettlement of IDPs



HE the President met IDPs

GDP National & NP at Current Factor Prices (Rs.Mn)

Year	National	NP	%
2006	2,938,680	81,978	2.8 %
2007	3,578,688	104,224	2.9 %
2008	4,410,682	139,001	3.2 %
2009	4,835,293	155,828	3.2 %
2010	5,604,104	191,559	3.4 %

(Source: Central Bank Annual Report 2011)

Vital Statistics Northern Province

Details of Information	Jaffna	Kilinochchi	Mannar	Mullaitivu	Vavuniya	Total
Administrative Divisions						
Divisional Secretariat Divisions	15	4	5	6	4	34
Grama Niladhari Divisions	435	95	153	136	102	921
Local Authorities						
Municipal Councils	1					1
Urban Councils	3		1		1	5
Pradeshiya Sabhas	13	3	4	4	4	28
Schools						
National Schools	7		3		4	4
Type I AB	37	5	5	6	4	57
Type I C	49	16	25	12	23	125
Type II	162	42	37	44	50	335
Type III	235	44	56	50	114	499
Private Schools	6					6
Zones	5	1	2	2	2	12
Hospitals						
Teaching Hospital	1					1
District General Hospital		1	1	1	1	4
Base Hospital Type A	2					2
Base Hospital Type B	2	1		1	1	5
Divisional Hospitals	22	7	10	7	8	54
Primary Medical Care Units	16	2	5	6	2	31

Details of Information		Jaffna	Kilinochchi	Mannar	Mullaitivu	Vavuniya	Total
Tanks							
Major Tanks (National Programme)				3		6	9
Major Tanks (Provincial programme)			5		4		9
Medium Tanks (Provincial Programme)			4	8	16	17	45
Minor Tanks		494	391	372	167	642	2066
Agriculture							
Aswedumised Extent-Hec.		13131	25042	23060	16536	21010	98779
Fruits Crops Extent-Hec.		3650	1147	545	503	1912	7757
Extended land for Subsidiary Food Crops - Hec	Maha - 2010/11	3523	1288	1474	3325	8587	18197
	Yala - 2011	2045	336	248	1512	1278	5419
Extended land for Vegetables - Hec	Maha -2010/11	1757.23	570	347.50	430.60	523.50	3628.83
	Yala - 2011	1284	503.80	285	967	307.20	3347
Roads Length - Km							
"A"Class		279.73	106.04	113.02	99.92	128.91	727.62
"B"Class		228.14	49.18	91.28	101.83	66.96	537.39
"C"Class		482.23	252.94	280.44	201.44	307.1	1524.15
"D"Class		89.56	27.6	52.3	151.24	115.15	435.85
Multi Purpose Cooperative Societies		24	6	7	6	4	47
Libraries		54	10	17	12	21	114
Community Centers		821	115	35	95	127	1193
Community Centers		706	51	9	136	46	948

Natural Resources and Development in the Northern Province

The Northern Province is rich in natural resources in its extensive coastal area, in its dense forests and in its mineral deposits. Forest resources are largely intact despite many decades of conflict and form a considerable percentage of the total forest cover in the country. The Province is rich in minerals recourses needed for construction, respectively quarry metal and clay for bricks obtainable from extensive sand dunes in the Jaffna peninsula. The land is generally flat and undulating with no significant elevation, however the highly diverse coastal belt more than compensates, such physical features with Lagoons, bays, salt flats, wetlands, coral reefs, islands and islets, and estuaries which are some of the prominent coastal features that are important both ecologically and economically.

Water Resources

The Northern Province does not have a single perennial river, and has very limited seasonal streams and rivers. Water storage has been traditionally through built irrigation tanks. The area belongs to the Dry Zone of Sri Lanka with low annual rainfall. Ground water surveys done prior to the conflict indicate that intensive agriculture, especially paddy, cannot be supported without adequate replenishment of surface water storage. Water scarcity is a main constraint in many parts of the province, even for drinking and domestic use.

The major tank cascade systems and existing major irrigation schemes (Iranamadu, Giant's Tank, Pavakkulam and Kalmadu) should be closely examined to determine the productive capacity of agriculture and irrigation, plus quality of drinking water available in the northern districts.

Marine and Coastal

With 40% of the country's coastline, the province has immense potential for fisheries, aquaculture and tourism. While the existing marine and lagoon-based fishery industry need to be modernized and re-equipped to enable the population to benefit from the rich and under-tapped fishing grounds, new aquaculture-based industries could be established to elevate productivity and offer more livelihood options for young people. The main fishery areas are in Jaffna, Mullaitivu and Mannar Districts.

For this purpose the fishery potential, looming threats and important conservation areas (such as sea grass beds and coral reefs) should be surveyed and mapped so that exploitation of the resource is done within the limits of sustainability with adequate emphasis on conservation and protection for future use.

Mineral Resources

One of the greatest issues of current importance is construction materials. Out of the construction materials the required sand and quarry metal are considerably available in the Province. In addition the province has limestone deposits, clay for bricks and tiles and beach mineral sand. Some scientific option of possible oil deposit off the Gulf of Mannar has not been fully explored yet.

A survey of the quantity and quality of building materials available in the north and their extraction capacity is necessary because of the huge demand brought on by reconstruction and development projects that involve large-scale construction.

Forests and Wildlife

The North has by far the largest extent of dry monsoon forests in the Island. The forest cover has remained intact largely despite the conflict and due to lack of development of the province. Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu and Mannar districts have vast forest cover, while Vavuniya has partial forest cover. Jaffna has no significant forest areas.

The important wildlife areas (already gazetted) are Wilpattu north, Madhu road, Giant's Tank, Chundikulam and Kokilai. But this does not take into consideration new biodiversity hotspots and other ecologically important areas (river catchments, salt marshes, lagoons and estuaries, islands, arid zones of Mannar etc).The forest and wildlife resources is important as an economic resource for forest products (non timber) and tourism.

History and Culture

There are many areas in Jaffna and Mannar that bear exceptional archaeological value. These include ancient temples and sites mentioned in chronicles, sites of pre-historic significance and old churches and temples of high cultural value to the northern people.

Many of these sites have been recorded in documentation of the Archaeological Department, but there could be many that are unrecorded and undiscovered. The value addition prospects to local tourism are immense, especially sites such as Thiruketheeswaram (Mannar), Nallur (Jaffna) and Madhu Church (Mannar) which are mentioning in this regard.



Jaffna Fort



Chundikulam
Birds Sanctuary
in Kilinochchi



Keerimalai Pond

02

Administrative Arrangement of "Vadakkin Vasantham" Programme

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- Revitalization of livelihood and productive sector.
- Infrastructures - Roads - Electricity - Ports - Transport - Housing - Communication, Water Supply and Sanitation.
- Rural economy through technological transformation.
- Pro poor growth and reduction of disparities.
- Exploitation of marine resources and mineral resources.
- Information Technology and Vocational Education.
- Institutional reforms and performance improvement.
- Industrial Estates, Economic Centers and Private Investment.

The generation of productive and sustainable livelihood and employment opportunities for the people in the Northern Province will be pursued through the following interventions:

- Provision of the necessary resources and amenities such as machinery, tools, equipment and skills training for basic livelihood restoration.
- Provision of microfinance services such as credit facilities and insurance for the poor who lack access to traditional / formal financial institutions.
- Reconstruction of damaged community service facilities such as marketing centers, etc.
- Revitalization of productive sectors such as agriculture, fisheries, industry, tourism and trade by providing the necessary infrastructure facilities.



Discussion with the Northern Provincial Secretaries



District Development Plan Meeting Mannar (23.07.2009)

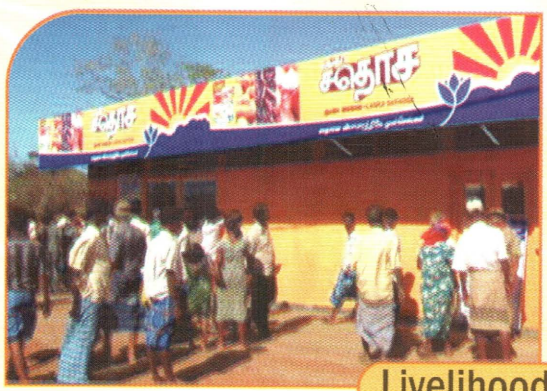


District Development Plan Meeting Vavuniya (21.07.2009)

"Vadakkin Vasantham" 180 Days Programme

Expenditure - Rs. in Mn.

Expenditure by the Line Ministries	8,865.93
Nation Building & State Infrastructure Ministry Expenses	2,222.17
Nation Building & State Infrastructure Ministry Expenses (Foreign Funds)	993.39
Expenditure by Northern Province Ministries / Depts.	1,215.29
Total	13,296.78





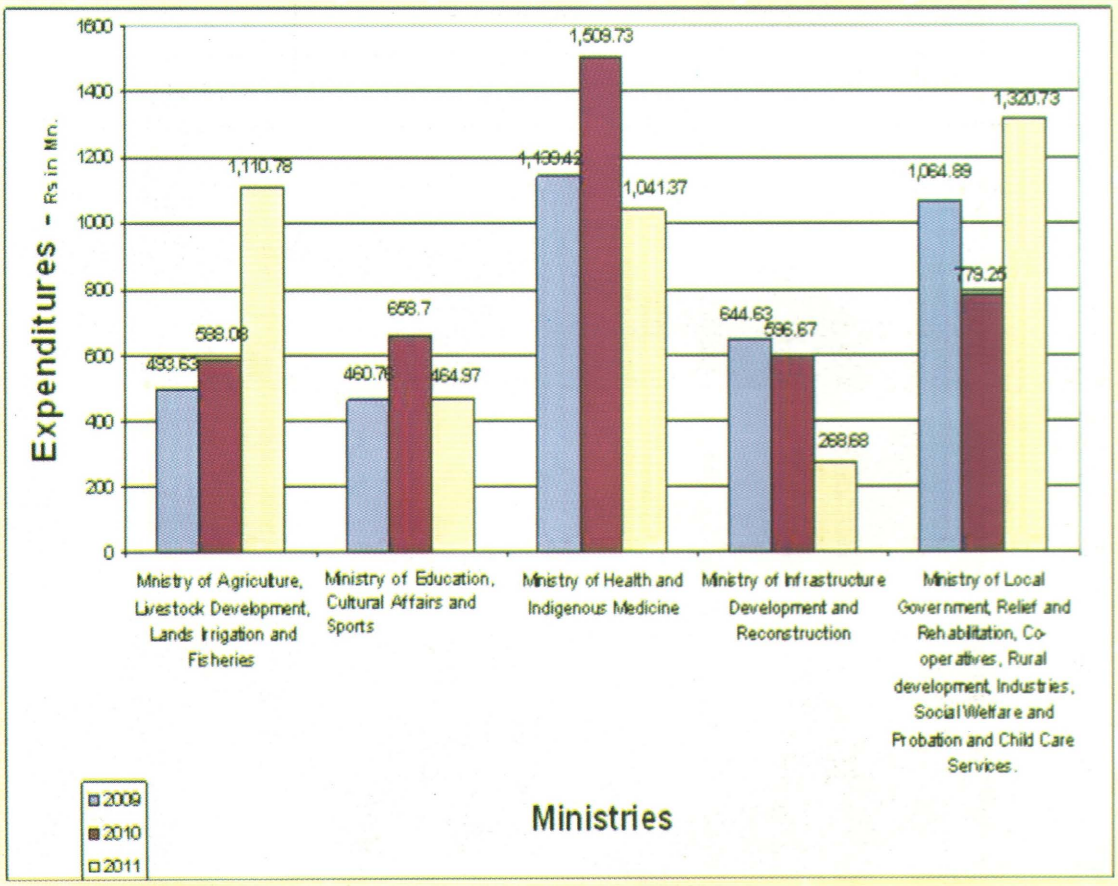
Livelihood Activities





Northern Provincial Sectoral Contribution for Vadakkin Vasantham Programme for the period from 2009 to 2011

Nos.	Ministries	Expenditure from 2009 to 2011			
		Year 2009 Rs.in Mn	Year 2010 Rs.in Mn	Year 2011 Rs.in Mn	Total Rs.in Mn
1	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock Development, Lands, Irrigation and Fisheries	493.63	588.08	1,110.78	**2,192.49**
2	Ministry of Education, Cultural Affairs and Sports	460.76	658.70	464.97	**1,584.43**
3	Ministry of Health and Indigenous Medicine	1,139.42	1,509.73	1,041.37	**3,690.52**
4	Ministry of Infrastructure Development and Reconstruction	644.63	596.67	268.68	**1,509.98**
5	Ministry of Local Government, Relief and Rehabilitation, Co-operatives, Rural Development, Industries, Social Welfare and Probation and Child Care Services.	1,064.89	779.25	1,320.73	**3,164.87**
	Total	**3,803.33**	**4,132.43**	**4,206.53**	**12,142.29**



HE the President Mahinda Rajapaksa Presides at Development Progress Review Meeting of the Northern Province on 19th October 2010







03

Early Recovery Development Programme

Early Recovery Development Programme (ERP)

1. ERP is the initial part of the "Vadakkin Vasantham" Resettlement, Rehabilitation & Reconstruction Frame Work for the Northern Province.
2. ERP consists of programmes and activities that are necessary to complete the resettlement process in the Northern Province.

Key Elements of ERP

- **Re-established Administration**
- **Resettlement**
- **Temporary Shelter and Housing**
- **Reactivation of Services (Education, Health)**
- **Livelihood Development (Agriculture production, Irrigation, Livestock, Fisheries)**
- **Water and Sanitation Facilities**
- **Re-establishment of Cooperative Development, Industries, Rural Development**
- **Local Government, Social Services, Probation & Child Care**
- **Reconstruction of Infrastructures**
- **Projects ongoing and in the pipeline**

KEY ACTORS IN THE EARLY RECOVERY PROGRAMME (ERP)

- Presidential Secretariat & Presidential Task Force
- Ministry of Economic Development
- Ministry of Resettlement
- Other Line Ministries
- Northern Provincial Council
- District and Divisional Administrations
- UN, International Organizations and NGOs



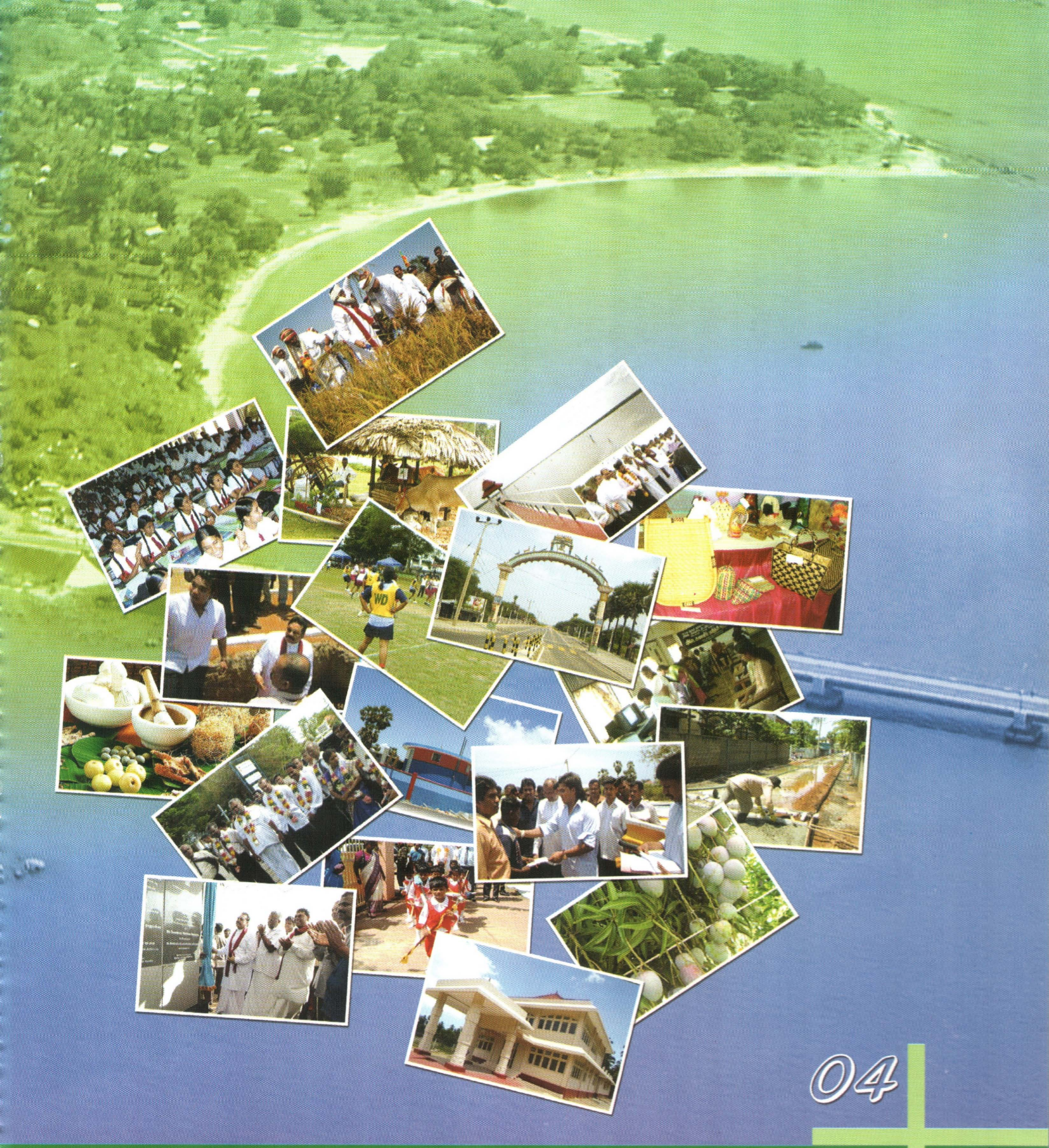
Opening of Manadaitivu Water supply Scheme



Micro Credit for vulnerable people in Jaffna District



Releasing of Fingerlings to Tannimurippu Kulam



04

Sectoral Development

Agriculture | Livestock | Irrigation | Education | Sports & Culture | Health | Indigenous Medicine | Provincial Road | Tourism & Transport | Local Government | Rural Development | Rural Industries | Social Services | Co-operative Development | Probation & Child Care Services | Major development of the Northern Province | Donor Funded Projects | Potential Ventures

4.1 Agriculture

Background of the Sector - Situation in May 2009

The prolonged regional war and conflict situation had played havoc which had escalated in the early part of the year 2009 causing loss of productive assets, lands being abandoned and damage of economic infrastructure. This had created a situation for a long rehabilitation and restoration period in the path of development which obstructed the national objective of achieving the goal of "Doubling food production" in the immediate future. However parts of the agrarian population of the Jaffna, the Mannar and the Vavuniya districts had emerged from the conflict situation and are in a state of transition.

Objectives of the Department. of Agriculture:

- Support and facilitate to increase the extent of cultivation in the abandoned paddy land 20,394ac and high land 74,472 ac
- Promote appropriate modern and indigenous technologies among farming population to increase productivity and improve quality of produce in sustainable manner in normal paddy land 22,7011ac and high land 92,810 ac
- Introduce appropriate new crops and varieties in the province
- Create livelihood for farming community and increase their income
- Increase domestic agricultural production and ensure the food and nutrient security of the farming and general population
- Encourage farming community to embark on crop production in line with national food requirement and reduce import of food items
- Facilitate and support the farming community to embark on crop production towards the export market
- Promote adoption of value added supply chains in the agricultural sector
- Promote adoption of value addition activities at cottage and agro based level
- Promote marketing opportunities and facilitate the marketing process
- Liaise with stakeholders in agricultural development and encourage public, private and farming community partnership



Green gram cultivation in Kilinochchi

Source of Funds 2009 - 2011

Government : Rs 409 mn
Donors : Rs 100 mn

Total Investment Rs. 509 mn



Black gram cultivation in Mullaitivu

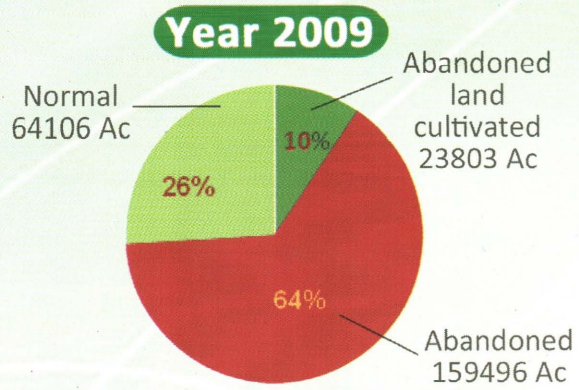
Marketing of Agricultural Produce

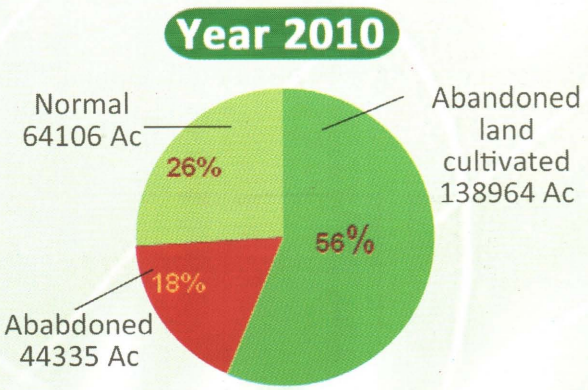
Farmers had the problem of selling their produce during the conflict period. After the end of the war, they are now able to send their produce to other parts of the country. In respect of the paddy sector, millers from other parts of the country have started coming to the Northern Province and purchasing paddy. As a result paddy farmers are now getting relatively high prices than before.

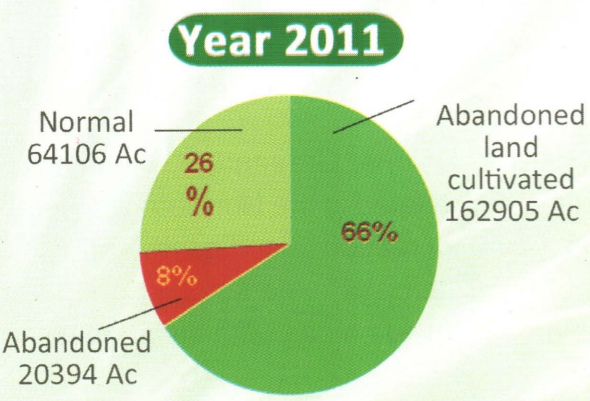
In respect of other field crops concerned, farmers who are engaged in red onion cultivation are able to send their produce to Dambulla and Colombo markets and get higher prices. As far as Vegetable crops are concerned, the fluctuation in prices with the season has been reduced significantly. Vegetables are being transported from and to the Northern Province with the season. Vegetable farmers are able to get relatively stable income due to the development of the market net work and free flow of goods.

Fruit crops like Mango, Banana, Jak, Lime, Orange, Grapes and Guava are cultivated in the Northern Province. Banana and Grapes are cultivated in commercial scale. As a result of the new market opportunities that are available, farmers who are engaged in such cultivation can send their produce to parts of the country and increase their income.

Comparison of Abandoned Paddy Land Cultivation in 3 Consecutive years









Promotion of abandoned paddy land cultivation in Kilinochchi District



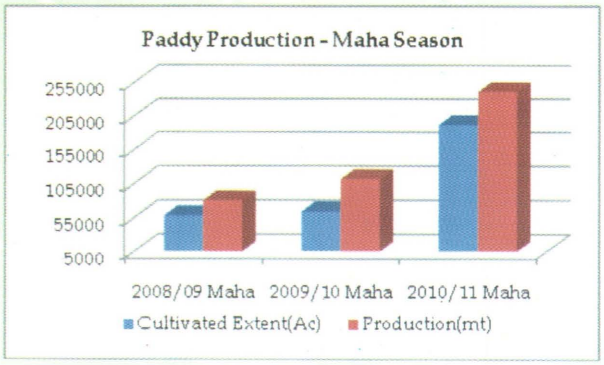
Promotion of abandoned paddy land cultivation in Vavuniya District

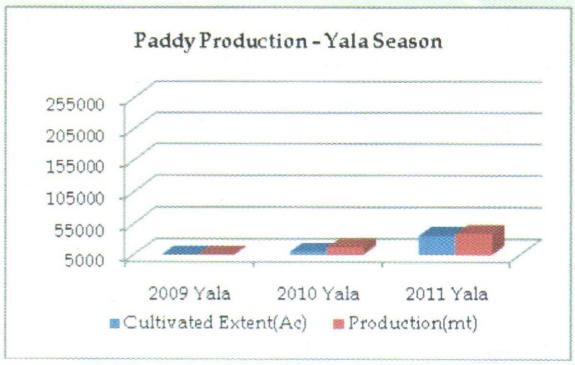
Crop production trend during the period of 2009, 2010 & 2011

With the government intervention in abandoned land cultivation, production of paddy, other field crops, vegetable and fruit has been gradually increasing during the last 3 years. However the production of crop suffered heavy losses due to unexpected heavy rains during the Maha season of 2010/11.

Paddy Production

Paddy production has increased dramatically after the end of the war. The production was 81953 mt of paddy in 2009 and it increased to 128,415 mt of paddy in the year 2010. In the year 2011 the production reached 280,375 mt. The Annual requirement of paddy in the Northern Province is 158,620 mt . Therefore the Northern Province can supply the surplus to other parts of the country.





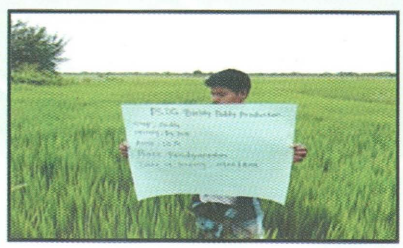
* About 20,000 ac extent of paddy were totally damaged due to heavy rainfall in Maha 2010/11 season



Paddy field in Kilinochchi



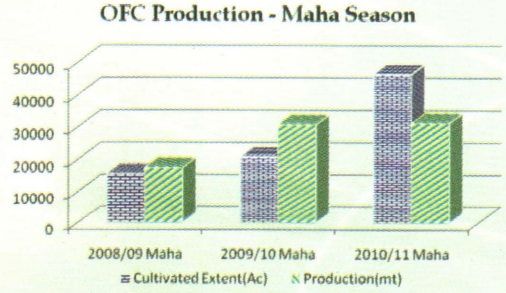
Paddy field in Mannar

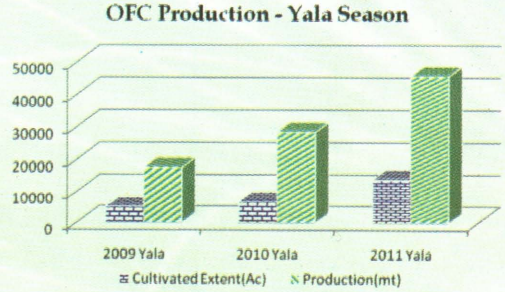


Paddy field in Mullaitivu

Other Field Crop Production

Other field crops such as Chillies, Red Onions ,Big Onions, Greengram, Blackgram, Cowpea, Maize, Groundnut,Gingelly and Yams are cultivated in the Northern Province. The extent and production of these crops have increased significantly with the intervention of the Government. As a result of flood damage experienced during the Maha 2010/11 the anticipated production was not achieved on par with the increase in the extent.





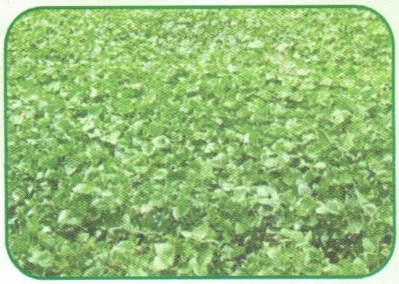
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Onion Cultivation under Sprinkler irrigation System



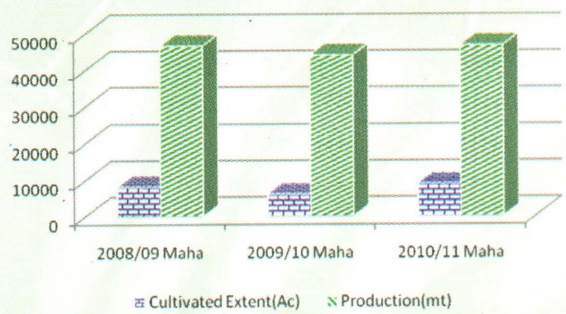
Green gram Cultivation in Kilinochchi

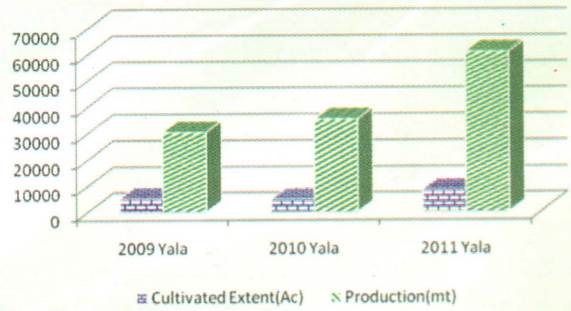


Black gram Cultivation in Vavuniya

Vegetable Crop Production

Vegetable crops such as low country and up country vegetables are cultivated in the Northern Province. The extent and production of these crops have increased significantly with the intervention of the Government. As a result of flood damage experienced during the Maha season of 2010/11, the anticipated production was not achieved correspondingly with the increase in the extent.





*An extent of 1,750 ac of Vegetable crops were totally damaged due to heavy rainfall in the 2010/11 Maha season.



Vegetables Seed Production in GSPF Vavuniya

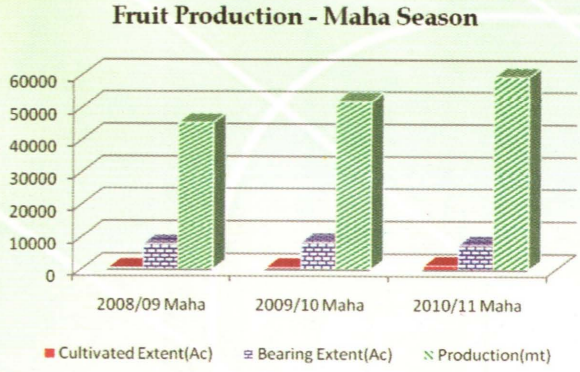


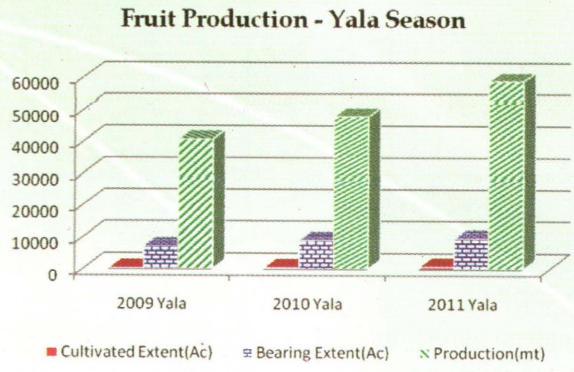
Cabbage in Jaffna



Capsicum in Jaffna

Fruit crop production



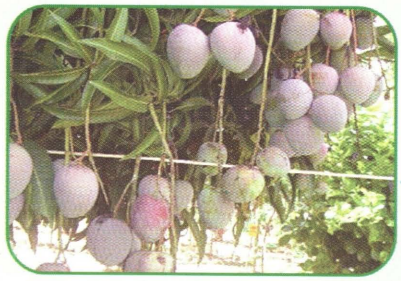




Grapes Production in Urumpirai



Banana field in Jaffna



Mango in Kilinochchi

Distribution of Seed Material and Planting Material

The Government directed and guided various agencies to supply seeds to the resettled farmers to undertake cultivation of the abandoned lands. Among many such agencies the UN FAO played a major role in providing seeds and planting materials. With the support of the US Aid, the Indian Government, the Ministry of Agriculture, the ENReP Project, the GIZ and the PSDG funds a substantial quantity of seeds were supplied to the affected farming community. Further, the Central Department of Agriculture organized the supply of seed material for the Maha 2011/12 cultivation to the farmers who were affected by the floods during the Maha 2010/2011 season.



Free Seed paddy (FAO) being issued by Hon. Basil Rajapaksa, Minister of Economic Development and G.A.Chandirasri Hon. Governor, Northern Province.



Free Seed paddy (FAO) being issued by G.A.Chandirasri Hon. Governor, Northern Province in Mullaitivu.

Distribution of Agricultural Machinery, Equipment & Tools in resettled areas

Extension service clients vary with socio-economic -culture and behavior, the level of literacy and the objective of farming. Therefore, the extension approach will be differing for pluralistic population. Empowerment of the farming community in the agriculture production process and the system will facilitate the producer to be self-reliant in their livelihood development path.

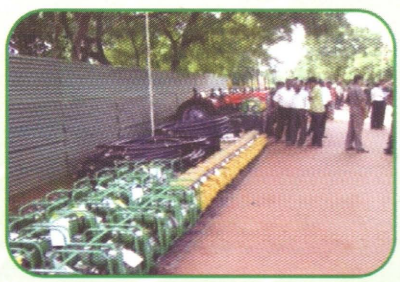




Two Wheel Tractor handing over to farmer in Kilinochchi



Two Wheel Tractor distribution in Jaffna



Water pump & Tractor supply in Vavuniya

Item	2009					2010					2011					Total
	Jaffna	Kilinochchi	Mullaitivu	Vavuniya	Mannar	Jaffna	Kilinochchi	Mullaitivu	Vavuniya	Mannar	Jaffna	Kilinochchi	Mullaitivu	Vavuniya	Mannar	
4W Tractor	1	10	10	5	11	122	132	134	69	100						594
2W Tractor	25	20	20	15	20	41	200	186	85	136						748
Water Pumps	230	210	95	5	258	33	864	1,344	726	239	165	2,200	2,200	570	550	9,689
Knapsack Sprayer	18	205	98	100	12	67	371	527	300	245						1,943
Power Sprayer					20	6	2	2	5	5						40
Sprinkler unit	580			100	20	39	50	36	50	25	40	55	25	55	25	1,100
Drip Irrigation	195					90					9	25	50	8	8	385
Paddy Storage bin											10	20	20	20	20	90
Fork Mammoty								14			444	565	585	554	558	2720
Combine Harvester												3	2	2	3	10

Extension Approaches



Groundnut field in Mannar



Wapmagul in Kilinochchi



Combine Harvester handing-over





National Farmers Week
Vavuniya - 2011





Agriculture Exhibition,
Thirunelveli - 2011

Soil Testing Service

Soil atlas has to be prepared to highlight general information of the district, kinds of soils, their characteristics, land capability, productivity, potential and constraints. The soil atlas will disclose saline and alkaline lands that need reclamation practices. Soil atlas will also help plan potential crop cultivation areas with crop suitability mapping. For economic crop cultivation, crop suitability mapping is an essential practice to cultivate the right crop at the right place. Researchers should prepare the soil atlas for the region and recommend the possible crop varieties.



Soil Sample collection in Mullaitivu

Service Infrastructure Rehabilitation

Rehabilitation of infrastructure work started in 2009 with assistance from the ENReP Project , the NECORD Project ,and the UNDP .



Re-construction of DDA (Extension) Office Mullaitivu by NECORD Project



Provision of a Lorry to Department of Agriculture by NECORD Project

4.2 Livestock Development

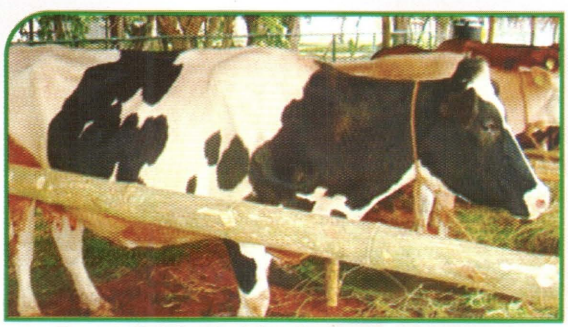
Background Information

Small scale Livestock farming is considered as an additional source of income for the poor villagers throughout the year. On the other side the livestock Industry is becoming an important field of investment for entrepreneurs. The 30 years of civil war had damaged the Livestock industry severely. During the last 3 years a major part of the losses has been recovered through several programs conducted by the Government and Non Governmental Organizations with the technical guidance of the Department of Animal Production and Health, in the Province.



Livestock Population in the Northern Province (As per end of 2011)

Type of Livestock	Total farms in NP	Total livestock/Poultry Population
Cattle	40,520	289,517
Buffaloes	1,132	19,041
Goats	31,596	139,505
Sheep	185	2,130
Poultry	92,165	1,300,681
Pigs	51	2,685
Other (Non traditional livestock)	1,544	11,089



Cows distributed for Dairy development in Kilinochchi



5000 Chicks distributed among 200 Beneficiaries under "Divineguma" Project - Karaveddy

Poultry Sector

More than 600,000 Chicks have been distributed in all 5 districts to the war affected community as a livelihood support and tool for improvement of family nutrition in the last 3 years. The Major portion was given through the FAO and Government assistance. The cost is

Rs. 138.00 Mn

It gives an impact of an average additional family income of Rs. 1,250 per month with self sufficiency in eggs for 24,000 families in the Province.



Back yard (Karanthagolla Breed) Birds distributed among the resettled farm families as Livelihood restoration

Dairy Sector

1. Increase of Production Base

Replacing the massive loss of upgraded dairy cattle is not as easy as poultry ,as the availability of high yielding cows is very much limited even in other provinces. Even with all these difficulties the recovery is remarkable with the support of Ministry of Livestock and Rural community development, Provincial Council, UN agencies and other NGOs who are actively involved in the sector development. During the last 3 years, the total fund spent on dairy farm rehabilitation is more than

Rs. 140.00 Mn

The average additional family income for each dairy farmer is more than Rs 3,600. per month with self sufficiency in milk for 4,000 families in the Province.



Abandoned Cattle rounded-up at Othiyamalai

After the resettlement, about 27,400 abandoned cattle were rounded-up and handed over to the owners/ beneficiaries with the financial assistance of the Government and the FAO. Total expenditure was more than Rs. 30.00 Mn.



Artificial Insemination at Point Pedro



Model Dairy farm at Karachchi - Kilinochchi

Increase in marketing opportunity for milk

Marketing improvement with the value addition of the milk has created an environment favorable to increase the production from existing animals. It has increased the per-capita consumption of milk by 20%. This increase has positive impact on nutrition supplement to the school going children. By getting a better price for milk the dairy farmers are getting better income from the sale of milk. The total investment on the marketing of milk by government and nongovernment institutions is over

Rs. 200.00 Mn. **During the last 3 years.**

More than 30,000 artificial inseminations during the last three years will help the reproduction of upgraded stock of calves.



Milk Sale Outlet Point Pedro

Goat Breeding Programme

The Northern Province is very popular for goat breeding. The Jaffna type Jamunapari goats have a big demand for mutton production.

Losses in resettled areas are slowly replaced by several goat breeding programs.

5000 goats in Mullaitivu district, and 3000 goats in Kilinochchi district have been restocked from Jaffna and other parts of the country. Total expenses on goat breeding activities have gone beyond Rs.80.00 Mn. The Government, FAO and some NGOs have funded these programs.

Infrastructure Development in the Service Sector.

1. Reconstruction of affected buildings
2. Construction of New office buildings
3. Re-establishment of farm facilities
4. Re-organizing milk processing facilities
5. Improvement of milk collection and marketing net work,

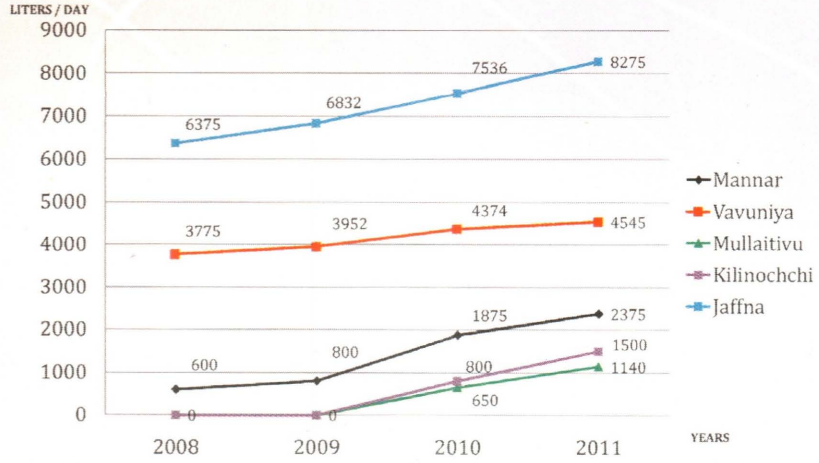
a sum of

Rs.78 Mn has been spent by Government and Non Governmental Organizations in Infrastructure Development.

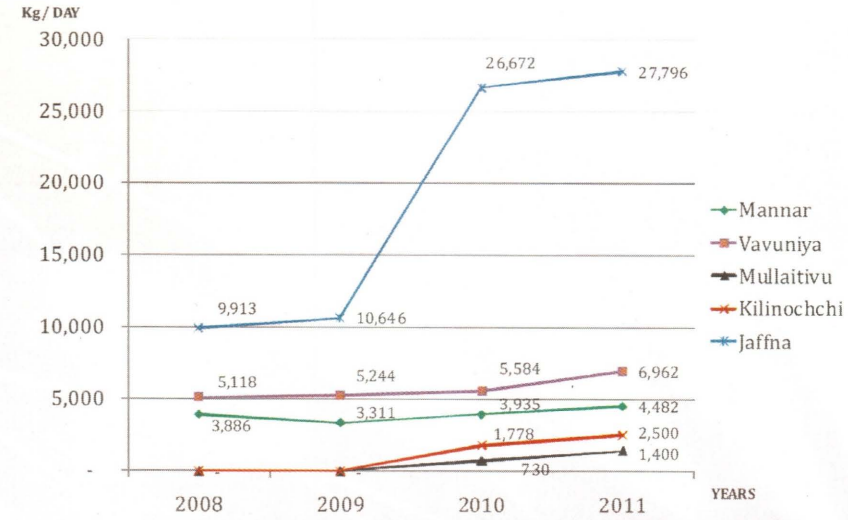
Creation of conducive environment for better delivery service in the affected areas.

GRAPH OF

Average Milk Collection / Day



Average Meat Production / Day



Average Egg Production / Day



4.3 Irrigation

1.0 Background of the sector

Irrigation has been practiced in the Northern Province since ancient times and is almost exclusively used for the cultivation of paddy except in the Jaffna District. Irrigation schemes in the Northern Province have storage reservoirs which assure supplemental irrigation during dry spells in the Maha season and to some extent also make it possible to cultivate crops during the Yala season.


Kalmadu tank opening

In July 1989, the Provincial Irrigation scheme Department was formed and all Major / Medium irrigation, other than Inter-Provincial schemes and SWE schemes and flood control schemes in Jaffna district were taken over by the Provincial Irrigation Department.

The Irrigation Sector is a service oriented sector and no tax is imposed on the farmers for their consumption unlike the water supply sector, the power sector etc.


Iranamadu

Total Investment Rs. 1, 522.16 mn.


Valukkai Aru

Source	2009	2010	2011	Total
RAP	122.10	68.17	31.99	222.26
NECORD-II	39.00	-	5.48	44.48
PEACE	51.90	49.82	180.14	281.86
LEAD	12.63	5.00	-	17.63
MNB	-	48.62	-	48.62
ENReP	-	101.20	378.59	479.79
CAREP	-	-	188.54	188.54
DSWRPP	-	-	7.24	7.24
PSDG	92.5	102.69	36.50	231.74
Total Expenditure				1,522.16

Due to the inadequacy of funds available for the operation and maintenance of these schemes and due to the conflict situation which prevailed in this province during the last two or three decades, satisfactory maintenance could not have been carried out.


Dri Aru kulam

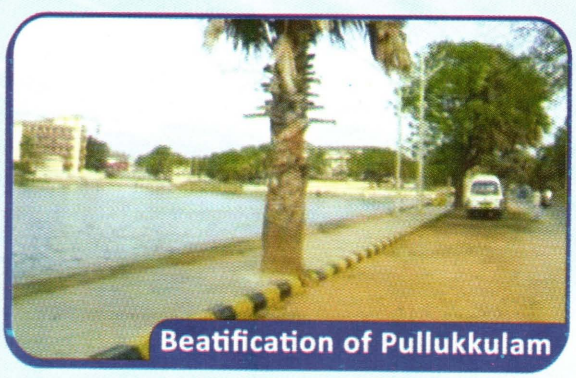

Ariyalai Barrage

As a result, most of the schemes are in a dilapidated condition; since most of the Irrigation Head-Works are in a hazardous stage there is potential threat of failure. Due to the dilapidated condition of the channel system, the water loss is very high and hence the resource utilization is well below the designed level. The malfunctioning of Salt Water Exclusion Schemes has caused Salt Water intrusion into the cultivable lands and ground water. Farmers face a lot of hardships in transporting the commodities from their paddy fields due to the poorly maintained channel roads.



Action has now been taken to restore most of the Irrigation Schemes under the PEACE, the ENReP, the CARE, the IFAD, the Jaffna & the Kilinochchi Water Supply & Sanitation Project etc. in order to enhance the sustainability of Irrigation Schemes.




Beatification of Pullukkulam

District wise Irrigation Schemes Details

District	Major/ Medium Schemes	Drainage Schemes	Salt Water Exclusions Schemes	Lagoon Schemes	Benefited Area (Ac)	No.of Beneficiaries
Vavuniya	17	--	--	--	5545	1826
Mannar	08	--	--	--	4721	1532
Kilinochchi	09	--	04	--	34491	13688
Mullaitivu	20	--	--	--	25765	11105
Jaffna	--	01	34	03	29220	24560
Total	54	1	38	3	99742	52711

Achievement in Mannar District







Thirukketheeswaram - Palavi

2.0 Achievement / Performance from 2009 to mid of 2012

District wise Maha/Yala Cultivation Details

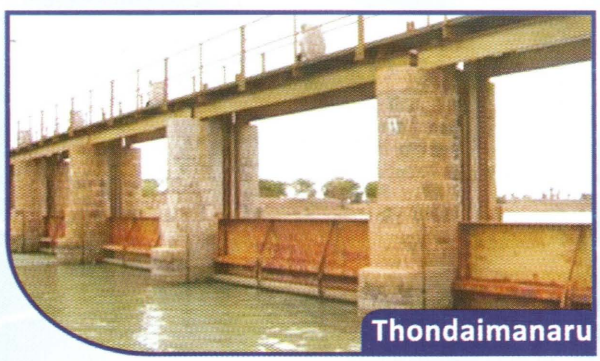
District	2009/ 2010 Maha (Ac)	2010 Yala (Ac)	2010/2011 Maha (Ac)	2011 Yala (Ac)	2011/2012 Maha (Ac)
Kilinochchi	0	6203	22257	11890	27282
Mullaitivu	2687	5042	10294	9305	17787
Vavuniya	1930	0	5587	1240	5465
Mannar	0	0	4367	757	4295
Total	4617	11245	42505	23192	54829

Achievement in Vavuniya District


Nampankulam


Mamaduwa

Achievement in Jaffna District


Thondaimanaru


Valukkaiaru

Achievement in Kilinochchi District


Kalmadu


Kanagambigai

4.4 Education

Background



After the bifurcation of the North and East province on 01.01 2007, according to the courts order, the Northern Provincial Administration functioned separately in Trincomalee at Varothaya Nagar. Then, in 2011 February the Provincial Ministry of Education, Cultural Affairs and Sports was shifted to Jaffna (at Nallur) in the premises of the Jaffna Zonal Education office.

Administrative Arrangements

The School Education Sector's administrative structure is decentralised as follows. From the Ministry of Education power is delegated to the Provincial Department of Education and from the Provincial Director of Education to Zonal Directors. Under the Zonal Directors there are Divisional Directors and then School Principals. In the Northern Province there are 12 zones and under the 12 zones there are 34 Divisional offices.

Functioning Schools Year Wise



Before the internal conflict, there were 1,036 schools functioning in the Northern Province. Then due to the displacement of people some schools were closed and others functioned in new places. In the year of 2009 there were 850 schools that functioned in the Northern Province and in 2010 the number increased to 885. Then in 2011 it increased to 927 as more and more people resettled in their original places and started to lead normal lives.

Zone	Total School	2009	2010	2011
Jaffna	116	100	101	102
Valikamam	152	131	131	131
Islands	76	50	53	57
Thenmaradchy	67	56	56	57
Vadamaradchy	85	78	79	79
Vavuniya South	105	94	104	104
Vavuniya North	90	74	77	90
Mannar	80	65	74	77
Madhu	46	36	42	43
Mullaitivu	55	25	25	37
Thunukkai	57	54	54	57
Killinochchi	107	87	89	93
Total	1,036	850	885	927

Total Investment Rs. 1,853.00 mn.

HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR ACHIEVEMENTS

International Level



Junior Science Olympiad competition is conducted at international level and one or two students from the Northern Province used to participate in this competition occasionally, in the past. But for the 1st time in the year of 2011, the number of participants increased and in the 8th Junior Science Olympiad competition notably a student from Jaffna Hindu College won the Bronze medal. In this competition the 2 students who participated from J/Hindu College achieved the 3rd and the 4th places.

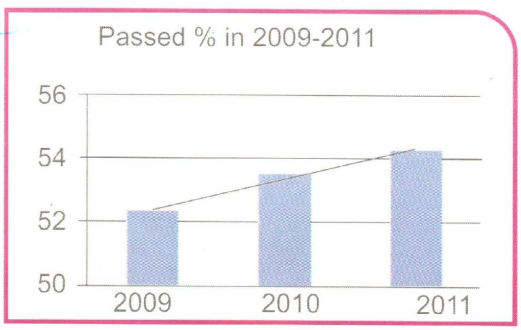


Grade 5 Scholarship

A student from Mu/Nethtaliyaru Tamil Vidyalayam achieved 2nd rank of National level in the grade 5 scholarship exam in the year of 2011. In the same examination the 5th and the 10th rank at national level were also achieved by students of the Northern Province.

G.C.E O/L Results

The Number of students who qualified at the G.C.E O/L examination is increasing by the year at a slow rate. In 2009 it was 52.35% and in 2011 it was 54.26%. This data is represented by the graph.





GCE Advanced Level Results

In the Maths stream a student from J/Uduppidy American Mission School achieved 1st rank and in the Science stream a student from J/St.John's College got the 2nd rank at National Level in 2011 A/L examination.

Do You Know Quiz Contest

In 2011 the Northern Province won the 2nd place at National level in the Do you Know Science Quiz contest.



Infrastructure Development





Resettlement and rehabilitation work started from mid 2009 in The Wanni area of the Northern Province. Many schools were reconstructed and repaired thereafter. Many schools were reopened after the resettlement of people. Under several projects many schools got new classroom buildings, libraries, science laboratories, prayer halls, activity rooms, water supply and sanitation facilities and quarters for teachers and principals and boundary walls. They got new furniture for students and teachers, study equipment, computers, play items and new books for libraries. Many class room buildings were repaired and reconstructed. For all these nearly Rs. 1853 million were invested by both the Government organizations and Non Governmental Organizations.

- Classroom buildings were built for 56 schools within these 3 years under the ESDP, the PSDG, the Navothaya, the UNDP, the ENReP, the Ministry of Resettlement, the SDC, the GAMANEGUMA, the USAID, the Peace Wind, the ISURU, the UNICEF, the Save the Children, the SewaLanka, the NECORD and Re Awakening Projects.

- 16 library buildings equipped with necessary items were built under the ESDP, the PSDG, the Navothaya, the ISURU, the Room to Read and the UNICEF project, for schools.

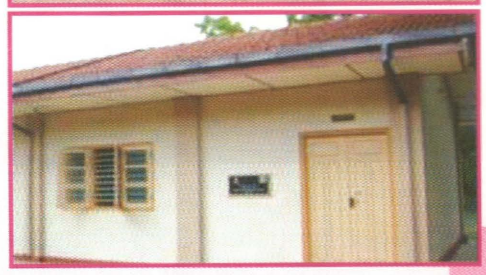
- 18 Activity rooms were constructed under the ESDP, the PSDG and the Navodaya projects resulting in practical activities being developed in schools.

- One computer Resource Centre, 37 Computer corners, and 89 Computer learning centres were built under the EKSP, the ESDP, projects. 2 e-libraries were built in 2 schools under the ESDP and equipped with necessary instruments.

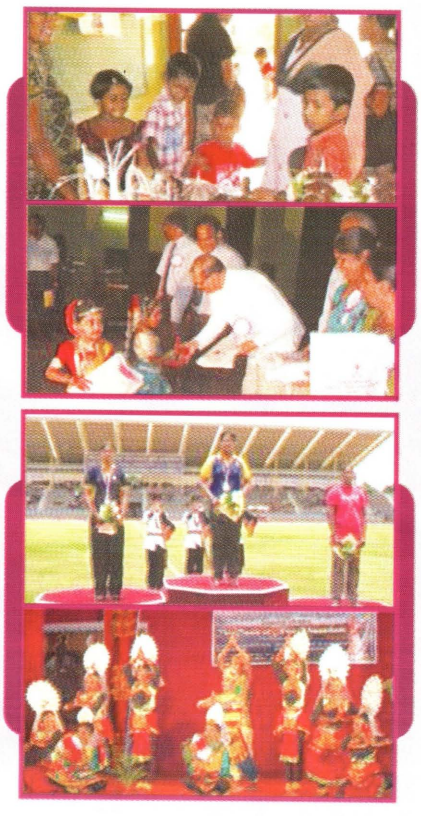








- 42 science laboratories were built in 42 schools in the Northern Province for G.C.E O/L and G.C.E A/L students and 6 mathematics rooms were constructed and equipped with necessary equipment for learning mathematics.
- Supply of water and sanitation facilities were improved in 91 schools under the UNICEF WASH projects.
- Under the WFP, kitchens were built for 383 schools especially for cooking meals for students. In addition the World Vision built kitchens for 15 more Schools.
- 682 School buildings were reconstructed & repaired under several projects (Rs. 704.25 Mn.)
- 80,000 Students received Recreational kits, Learning kits, Student kits & School bags.
- Free uniforms, books & meals were issued to all IDP students.
- 3,800 bicycles and 18 motorbikes were distributed to students who have returned to their native places and officers.
- 86,202 pieces of furniture for students, 2200 pieces of furniture for teachers, 206 steel cabinets, 12 laboratory equipment, bits 120 computers, Rs. 100Mn worth library books, Rs. 20Mn sports material and 8 sets of musical instruments were issued to schools. In addition 5 vehicles were issued to zonal education offices.
- Under the Pre- School section many sports competitions, exhibitions and cultural shows were conducted.
- At the National Sports festival of 2001,the Northern Province won Four (4) Silver medals and one Bronze medal.
- Netball coaching camps were conducted. Play items were provided and Basket ball courts were constructed. Multipurpose hall was constructed. All these cost nearly Rs.17.5million.
- Award for Best Publications conducted by the Department of Cultural Affairs was won by the Northern Province. A total of 148 Cultural Unions were also registered in the Northern Province. Workshops for Professional Development of Cultural Officers were conducted. In addition cultural programs were conducted. Short films too were made.



4.5 Sports & Culture

Background

The Department of Sports which was earlier known as Department of Sports, North East Province has been renamed as Department of Sports, Northern Province since 01.01.2007

Through sports, the youth can develop valuable qualities like tolerance, self confidence and leadership. Sports will also contribute to overcome the challenges of the future and convert the social environment to peace and development through the enhancement of good governance. It is accepted that many worthy citizens have been produced through sports in every nation.

After the war, the Northern Province is gradually improving in sports activities. To achieve success in the field of sports one has to the urge to work hard, be physically fit and mentally sound. It is hire that athletic and sports men and sports women could be nurtured to participate in National level meets as well as in International level meets and competitions.

The Department of Sports has a vision to improve the standard in sports in the Northern Province through active participation. On this accord the department envisages providing sports equipment, physical and technical assistance and the necessary training to these including sports and athletics.



Total Investment - GOSL
Sports - Rs. 19.89 mn
Culture Rs. 17.5 mn

Registered Clubs

S.No.	District	No. of Clubs	No. of Members
1	Jaffna	241	7956
2	Kilinochchi	80	2660
3	Mullaithivu	67	2112
4	Mannar	109	3747
5	Vavuniya	109	3740
	Total	606	20215

National Sports Winners awarded at Colours Night



Captain of the Sri Lanka Netball team and best shooter in Asia.

Main objectives

- Increasing the number of Sportsmen and sports women to indulge sports activities Providing the infrastructure and equipment facilities in sports.
- Participating in National Sports events and festivals.
- Conducting coaching camp to Sports Officers, Coaches and players.
- Improving the level of performance of participants in sports such as Athletics, Cricket, Soccer, Rugby, Volley Ball, Net Ball and Swimming and nextly at International level.

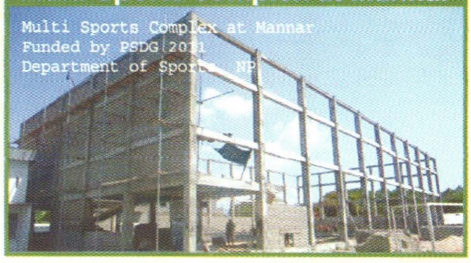
National Achievements

Competitors from the Northern Province who participate at the National Sports Festival have obtained the following.

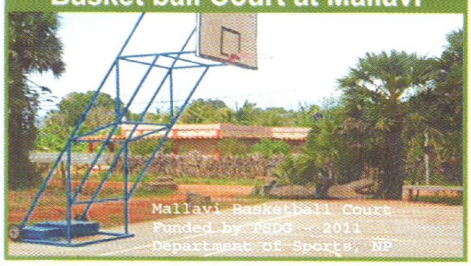
Medal	2009	2010	2011
Silver	01	01	04
Bronze	01	03	02

Highlights of Performance

Multi Sports complex at Mannar



Basket ball Court at Mallavi



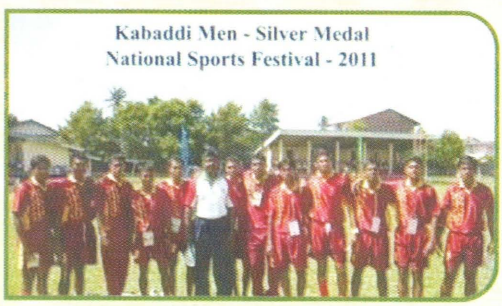
Sports equipment provided



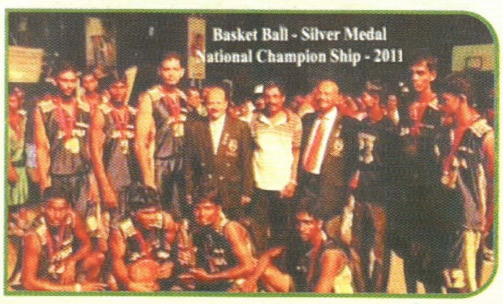
Coaching camp conducted











Culture

- Increasing the number of Artistes to develop Cultural activities
- Providing the equipment and facilities to enhanced Cultural activities.
- Participating in Provincial and District level Cultural festival, yearly.
- Conducting workshop to Cultural officers, Artistes and students.
- Formation of a Cultural Troupe in the Northern Province
- Creation of a Model Village with Cultural Awareness
- Conducting workshops & motivate youths to improve behavioral pattern to take promote leadership qualities.
- Improving moral character and behavior among youths via. Action Theater.
- Producing and screening Short Films to create awareness in Cultural among parents and general public.
- Participate in Cultural and other Religious festivals.
- "The aim for the Cultural and Religious festival is to foster virtues such as tolerance, perseverance ,team, spirit and due recognition of religious and cultural values observed by fellow citizens.

  The Governor's Award -
- This covetous award to granted to persons in recognition of their remarkable contribution toward Art & Literature
- All Ceylon Dance Competition

Highlight of cultural performance



Isaivelvhi



T.M.Krishna
Karnatic Music





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4.6 Health

"A community without disease and burden contributes towards the physical, mental & social well-being of the nation."

OVERVIEW

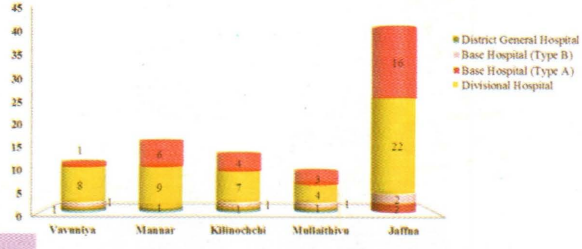
The Northern Province is provided with an extensive network of health care institutions. Primary and secondary health care institutions in the curative sector as well as preventive and rehabilitative care institutions are mainly managed by the Provincial Health Department and Tertiary Care Health Institution Teaching Hospital, Jaffna is managed by the Line Ministry.

In the Northern Province, the Department of Provincial Health Services is under the Ministry of Health & Indigenous Medicine. Since there is no elected body to the Northern Provincial Council (NPC), the health sector is being managed by the Secretary and PDHS in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Ministry of Health, Colombo.

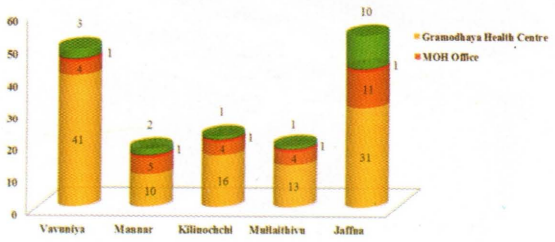
The Provincial Director is the head of the Provincial Department of Health Services (PDHS). There are 5 Regional Directors of Health Services (RDHS) for each district. Each RDHS area is geographically similar to the administrative units of District Secretariats. The Medical officers of Health (MOH) are mainly responsible for the preventive care of the respective Divisional Secretary areas and the Medical Superintendents (MSs) & Medical Officers-in-Charge (MOICs) of the hospitals are responsible for curative care of the respective hospitals.

The administration of Health Services of the Northern Province is decentralized into Five Regions under the Regional Directors of Health Services in all five districts, which are responsible for the provision of health services to the respective districts. The health institutions in Northern Province comprises hospitals with specialist services at District General Hospital (DGH), Base Hospital(BH), Divisional Hospital(DH) and Primary Medical Care Units (PMCU) as curative care institutions and MOH Offices, Gramodhaya Health Centers(GHCs), Anti Malaria Campaigns centers and School Dental Clinics as preventive care institutions. Beside this, One Teaching Hospital is functioning in the Jaffna District under the Line Ministry.

AVAILABILITY OF CURATIVE CARE INSTITUTIONS IN NORTHERN PROVINCE



AVAILABILITY OF PREVENTIVE CARE INSTITUTIONS IN NORTHERN PROVINCE



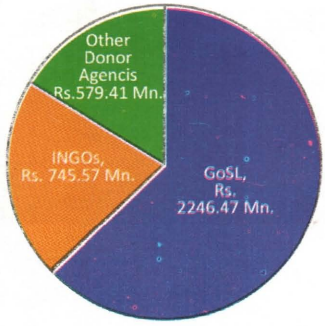
HEALTH CARE IN THE NORTHERN PROVINCE AFTER MAY 2009

As a result of the conflict, many health institutions in the Wanni area had been badly affected. Some were closed down as people and hospital staff left the place for their safety. Health staff from all categories showed reluctance to work in the province. As a result there was a shortage of almost all categories of health staff including specialists for the Secondary and Tertiary care institutions, Family Health Workers and Public Health Midwives. Although government health service provisions and infrastructure did exist, the delivery system lacked adequate facilities in terms of equipment and personnel. This becomes even more critical on the preventive side, which made provision of adequate health services to the resident population difficult.

Since the end of the civil strife in May 2009, many development activities are taking place with the GoSL implementing various projects through the Ministry of Health & Indigenous Medicine, Northern Province under the "Vadakkin Vasantham" development programme in the health sector in Northern districts. The purpose of this development programme is to provide better healthcare facilities to the people of the North, particularly people in the conflict affected areas which have now almost regained normalcy. Under this programme several health infrastructure facilities which were damaged or destroyed during the conflict in 2009 are being either reconstructed or rehabilitated to cater to the needs of the resettled population. According to the Government policy the health services are being strengthened in the resettlement villages to synchronize with the other development related activities to improve the living standards of the resettled population.

Under the main scope of "Vadakkin Vasantham" Kilinochchi & Mullaithivu districts have been specially considered as there is a priority need to rebuild the infrastructure facilities from the bottom level. In Kilinochchi and Mullaithivu districts the Ministry of Health & IM, NP has reconstructed / renovated 02 District General Hospitals, 02 Base Hospitals, 11 Divisional Hospitals, 08 Primary Medical Care Units, 08 Medical Officer of Health (MOH) offices and 29 Gramodhaya Health centers to serve the needs of the resettled population, enabling the treatment of over 23,000 patients since November 2009. A significant allocation has been spent to rebuild the health infrastructure facilities in the resettlement areas of the above two districts. The Ministry of Health & IM, NP, has also provided necessary medical equipment, hospital furniture and pharmaceuticals in coordination with the Ministry of Health, Colombo, additionally 5 large power generators have been installed to supply electricity to clinics and hospitals for primary health care activities in the areas.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE OF HEALTH SECTOR DEVELOPMENT IN NP (2009 - 2011)



Source of Funds
2009-2011 "Vadakkin Vasantham"

GoSL : Rs. 2246.47 mn
Donors : Rs. 579.41 mn
INGO : Rs. 746.57 mn.

Total Investment Rs. 3,572.45 mn

HEALTH SECTOR SITUATION IN NP





The Future
2016





The Present
2009 May Onwards

Hampered by Terrorism





The Past
2005 - 2009 May

MAJOR ACHIVEMENTS OF THE HEALTH SECTOR IN NP



His Excellency The President Mahinda Rajapaksa, inaugurated the construction of the Hospital Building Complex at Poonakary on 20th July 2011. This hospital complex, which is being built in a 15-acre plot of land, will be completed at an estimated cost of more than Rs. 73 million. On the same day the Construction of the Pallai hospital Complex was inaugurated by Hon. Namal Rajapaksa, Member of Parliament.



The supply of medical equipment (amounting to Rs. 117Mn) was handed over by the Indian Government to the District General Hospitals in Kilinocchchi & Mullaitivu. Minister of Economic Development Hon. Basil Rajapaksa and India's External Affairs Minister S.M.Krishna participated in the handing over ceremony.

A newly constructed Medical Ward, Surgical Ward & MO Quarters were ceremonially opened and part of the Base Hospital Chavakachcheri on 6th February 2012. The necessary medical equipment and furniture were also provided to these buildings. Total cost of this project was estimated at about Rs.150 million.









On the same day Under the Japanese Social Development Fund project 100 midwives received motorbikes and 285 Community Health Facilitators received bicycles to implement the nutrition Improvement program in the Northern Province.

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS GAINED BY HEALTH SECTOR OF NP

While the people were at the relief villages at Cheddikulam the Government recruited nursing and midwife trainees among them with future vision. Now these trainees have been appointed as midwives by the Ministry of health to serve in their native villages in resettlement areas.

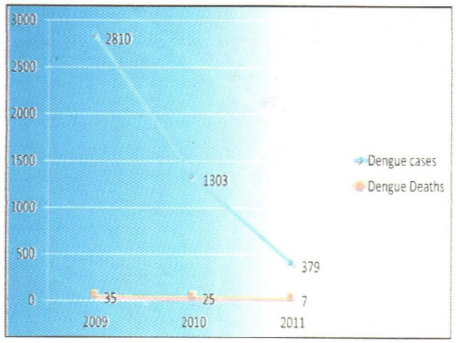
Even though the health system in the Northern Province face challenges the major achievements throughout this period is that there is no outbreak of major disease in the districts in the Northern Province.



Under the National Health Excellence Awards 2009/2010, in curative care institutions among the Base hospitals in Sri Lanka, BH Point Pedro won the silver medal (2nd place), Among the health management units (25 RDHS offices), the RDHS Office Jaffna won the bronze medal (3rd place)



Effective Measures taken to control Dengue Outbreak in the Northern Province

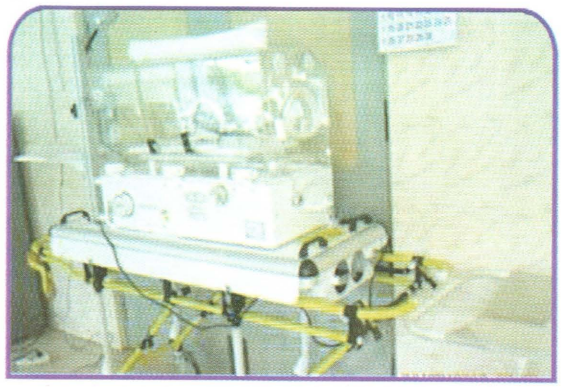


Since the end of the in May 2009, the government has spent Rs. 3,573Mn to improve the Health Sector of the Northern Province. With this expenditure 179 Major health institutions in all 5 districts were either reconstructed or repaired.

Nearly Rs.950 Mn worth medical equipment was also provided to all hospitals in the Northern Province. Most of the medical equipment were provided to resettlement areas hospitals to cater to the resettled populations' health needs.



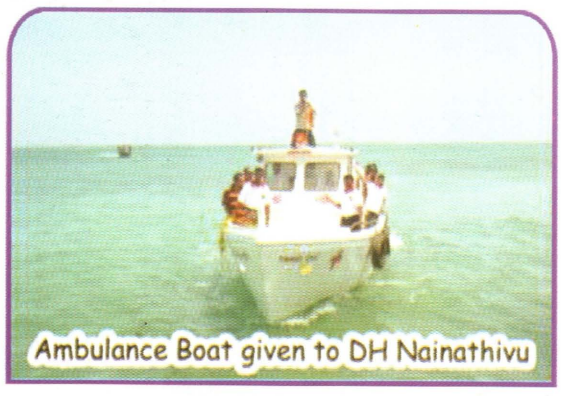
Ultra Sound Scanner



Transport Incubator

Under the Development Programme for the North (Vadakkin Vasantham) most of the quarters for MOs, NOs & other staff, that were damaged during the separatist war were reconstructed at an expenditure of Rs. 400 Mn.

23 of Ambulance, 6 single cabs, 2 mobile dental vehicles, 2 mobile spraying units, a 52-seated bus, a drug lorry, an ambulance boat, 21 motorbikes, & 8 generators were also supplied to resettlement areas.





The foundation stone for a Radiation therapy unit for the Cancer hospital at Base Hospital Tellipalai was laid on 27th July 2011 at an estimated cost of Rs.180 Mn. This would include a paediatric ward.





The New maternity ward complex at DH Periyapandivirichchan was declared open on 29th September 2011 by Hon.Minister Rishad Badudeen,

The Building complex reconstructed at Ampan Divisional Hospital was jointly declared open by Hon. Governor GA Chandrasiri and High Commissioner for Malaysia in Sri Lanka H.E. Azmi Zainuddin on the 21st October 2011. The building complex which includes OPD, Maternity ward and Dispensary and MO quarters was reconstructed at a cost of Rs.27 Million.

A foundation stone for a ward complex in Mulankavil Base Hospital was laid by Parliamentarian Namal Rajapaksha on the 27th October 2011. This building complex comprising a Children's Ward, a Male Ward and a Female Ward will be constructed at a cost of 50 million rupees and was expected to be completed by May 2012.





Hon. Governor GA Chandrasiri issued appointment letters to 163 nursing officers & 202 midwives on 14th November 2011. On the same day the Hon. Governor handed over 3 ambulances to the Mullaitivu General Hospital, Mallavi Base Hospital and Periyapandiviri-chan Divisional Hospital respectively. The lorry was handed over to the Kilinochchi RDHS Office.





The office of the Regional Director of Health Office Complex was opened by Hon. Namal Rajapaksa (MP) on 29th December 2011, This Office complex has been constructed and equipped at a cost of Rs. 22 Mn.





HE the President declared open the Newly constructed medical ward, A surgical ward & MO quarters at Base Hospital at Chavakachcheri





4.7 Indigenous Medicine

Background of the sector

The Indigenous Medicine sector functions as a complementary medicine to the health services. In the Northern Province, the Department of Indigenous Medicine conducts Curative care, Preventive and Promotive Care, Herbal Cultivation, Drug Manufacturing and Conservation of Traditional Medicine.



Total Investment
Rs.126.41 mn

District Hospitals and Rural Hospitals in this sector provide Indoor Medical care. Outdoor care is provided by Central Ayurvedic Dispensaries, Free Ayurvedic Dispensaries and Mobile Services. About 40000 people were treated by these hospitals in Northern Province in 2011. Preventive and promotion care is enhanced by the implementation of the community program. Under the Provincial Department of Indigenous Medicine a Drug Manufacturing Unit functions to produce quality medicine. District wise Herbal gardens are being maintained. The development activities for the year 2012 focuses on improvement of infrastructure and to provide quality Indigenous medical care to the public.

Large Scale Cultivation of Medicinal Plants- Herbal Garden at Navakiri, Jaffna

This Herbal garden was established at a cost of Rs. 3Mn at Navakiri. 350 saplings of medicinal plants were planted under the "11 lakhs plants in a minute" scheme of His Excellency President Mahinda Rajapakse on the event of the National Tree Planting Ceremony. .



Establishment of Human Resource Development Center



The Human Resource Development Centre funded by CBG was established at a cost of Rs. 28.5Mn at Chunnakam. The study programme of Lanka Ayurvedic Medical College was initiated at this building by the Hon. Governor, Northern Province and the Secretary, Ministry of Indigenous Medicine.

Restoration of IM care in Mullaitivu - Ayurvedic Mobile Unit



The Ayurvedic Mobile unit has been established at a cost of Rs. 5 mn. to serve the Mullaitivu District. This Ayurvedic Mobile Unit serves the people of the five Divisional Secretariat Divisions of the Mullaitivu District. About 3000 patients of Mallavi, Oddusuttan, Muththaiyankaddu, Karaithuraippatru, Othiyamalai, Vannankulam, Semmalai, Alampil, Selvapuram & Selvanagar area have been served by this mobile medical unit from August, 2010 to June 2012. Mobile Service have been providing to the Udayarkaddu and Kokilai area also.

Restoration of IM care in Mannar- District Ayurvedic Hospital



The IM care was restored in the resettled areas in Mannar. This is initiated through the establishment of a District Hospital and followed by organizing Mobile clinics at Madu, Musali and other areas. About 25000 patients were treated by this hospital in the year 2010.

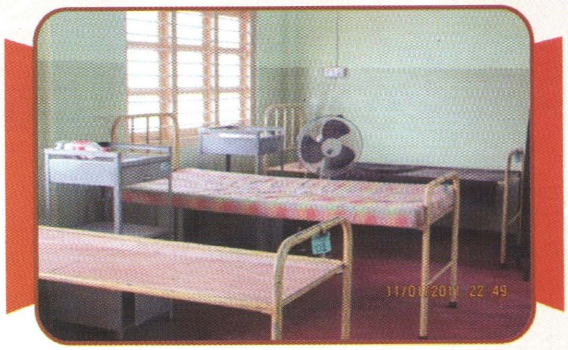
Rural Ayurveda Hospital, Pandatharippu



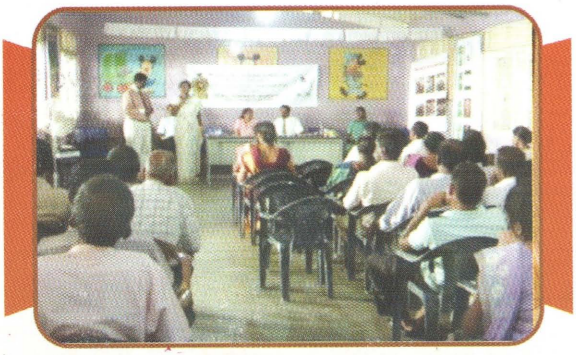
The first Rural Ayurvedic Hospital was constructed at a cost of Rs.16.86Mn in Pandatharippu. It is serving the people of Sandilippai DS Division with indoor facilities and special clinics. This hospital has started functioning from December 2010.

Restoration of IM care in Kilinochchi- District Ayurvedic Hospital

The District Ayurvedic Hospital has been established to serve the resettled people in Kilinochchi. It has served about 25,000 patients in 2010. Medicines worth Rs 800,000 were supplied to this hospital.



Participation in the 'Dhayata Kirulla and Ayurveda EXPO Exhibition'





The Department of Indigenous Medicine has participated in the "Dayatakirulla" Exhibition annually from 2009 to 2011. It has displayed Ayurvedic and Siddha Products including Medicines, Nutritional supplements and Cosmetics at these exhibitions.

And also Department of Indiginoues Medicine has participated in the "Ayurveda EXPO 2011 exhibition in 2011

	Allocation Rs.In Mn.			Expenditure Rs in Mn.		
	2009	2010	2011	2009	2010	2011
Recurrent	50.70	59.61	70.52	48.40	59.08	69.54
PSDG	27.95	27.37	25.00	24.34	27.24	23.76
CBG	37.41	5.68	3.00	34.11	5.68	1.15
Total	**116.06**	**92.66**	**98.52**	**106.85**	**92.01**	**94.45**

Highlights

- Appointment of twenty Ayurvedic Community Medical Assistants
- Establishment of School Herbal Gardens(31)
- Kalmadunagar Herbal Garden (ENReP) cost Rs. 10 Mn.
- Mullaithivu Herbal Garden (ENReP) cost Rs. 10 Mn.

4.8 Provincial Roads

Background

Road transport is the predominant mode of transport for people and goods in the Northern Province, for 92% of all passenger and freight movement. Vehicle ownership and road traffic continue to grow rapidly. Provincial roads comprising roads class C and D serve as links connecting National roads and rural roads, providing access to smaller towns and villages. The Northern Province has about 2020 km of Provincial roads and 7600 Km of rural roads.

Distribution of Provincial Roads District Wise

District	C Class (Km)	D Class (Km)	Total (Km)
Jaffna	535.31	36.48	571.79
Kilinochchi	254.19	26.35	280.54
Mullaithivu	388.20	24.48	412.68
Vavuniya	397.95	24.30	422.25
Mannar	305.89	26.85	332.74
Total Length	1881.54	138.46	2020.00

The Northern Province is one of the worst conflict-affected regions in the country, emerging from nearly three decades of civil war. The prolonged conflict has caused immense human suffering, with civilians getting internally displaced from their homes. The damage to physical infrastructure has been severe and extensive. In particular, the road work lies in a state of total disrepair due to prolonged negligence and underinvestment.

The immediate need in the post-conflict phase was to resettle the Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) in their original area of residence, provide them with relief, reestablish basic services, revive the people's livelihood and restore the most urgently needed damaged infrastructure.

GOVERNMENT'S SHORT TERM STRATEGIES

In order to expedite the resettlement programme and to improve and restore villages' interconnectivity and access to market, education and health of the resettled conflict affected people the Government has launched massive resettlement programme for IDPs under Vadakkin Vasantham Programme in all five districts of the province since the year of 2009.

The Presidential Task Force for Resettlement, Development and Security - Northern Province was appointed by His Excellency the President in May 2009 to formulate a strategic framework for revitalization and to implement an accelerated resettlement programme to rebuild the Northern Province. The development efforts led by the Government of Sri Lanka simultaneously with the resettlement process through a massive investment paved the way for early resuscitation of the Road Sector in the Northern Province. The Presidential Task Force headed by Hon. Basil Rajapaksa, Minister of Economic Development, had been instrumental in pioneering the development momentum through "Vadakkin Vasantham" programme since the commencement of the resettlement process.In order to mitigate the situation, Provincial Road Development Department (PRDD) has taking all necessary actions to reconstruct, rehabilitate and to improve damaged roads and road structures under the guidance of Hon. Governor, Northern Province under the "Vadakkin Vasantham "Programme.

1. A sum of Rs. 659 million was allocated to repair 495 km roads in the year 2009 to bring the roads to the motorable condition in the resettled areas.
2. A sum of Rs. 530 million was allocated to repair and rehabilitate 144 km roads in the year 2010.
3. A sum of Rs. 212 million was allocated to repair 109.4 km roads in the year 2011.
4. A sum of Rs. 130 million was allocated to repair 38.72 km roads in the year 2012.

YEAR	ALLOCATION Rs. in Mn			TOTAL ALLOCATION Rs. in Mn	TOTAL LEGNTH (Km)
	PSDG	NECORD	NATION BUILDING		
2009	189.00	141.10	328.00	658.10	494.51
2010	310.00	-	220.00	530.00	143.69
2011	212.00	-	-	212.00	108.50
2012	130.00	-	-	130.00	38.72
TOTAL	**841.00**	**141.10**	**548.00**	**1530.10**	**785.42**

Note :

PSDG - Provincial Specific Development Grant
NECORD - North East Community Restoration and Development
Nation Building - Ministry of Nation Building

The progress achieved is commendable in terms of its impact on the economy of the Northern Province in general and the living standards of the resettled communities in particular. It has been a well planned endeavour identifying priorities in terms of requirements of the local economy and that of public life. Although, what remains to be done in the next few years is comparatively bigger than what has already been achieved, we are confident that the Government would be able to resuscitate the sectoral development through its commitment to rebuild the Northern Province.

SOME OF ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER VADAKKIN VASANTHAM

1. THIRUKETHEESWARAM TEMPLE ROAD (Rs. 220 Mn)

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



AFTER CONSTRUCTION



2. CASUARINA BEACH APPROACH ROAD (Rs. 20 Mn)

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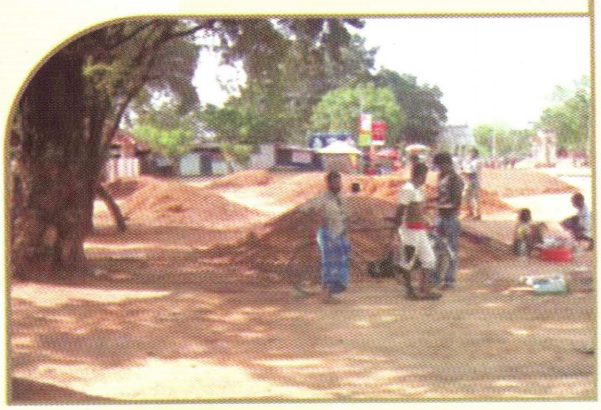


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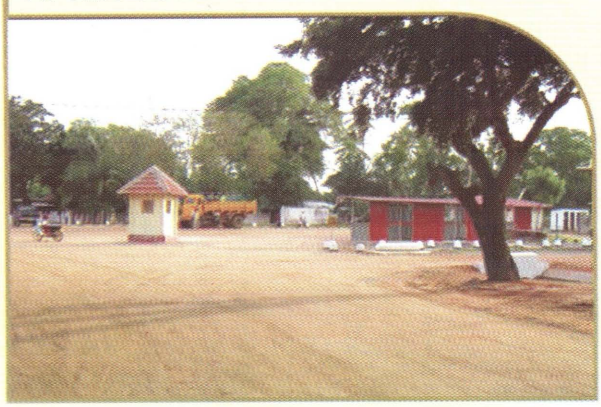


3. MURUKANDY PILLAIYAR TEMPLE - (Rs. 15 Mn)

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



AFTER CONSTRUCTION



KILINOCHCHI DISTRICT

Rehabilitation of Akkarayan - Skanthapuram Road



Rehabilitation of Nachikuda Fisheries Road



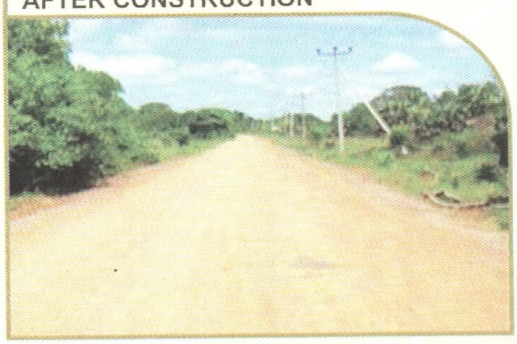
MULLAITHIVU DISTRICT

Improvements to Kandalveli-Oddaruthakulam Road

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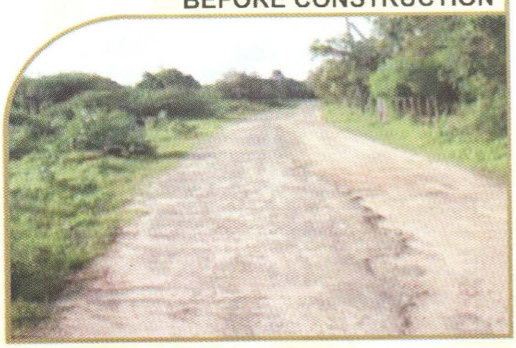
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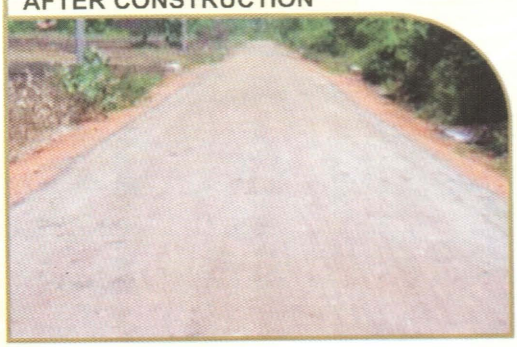
VAVUNIYA DISTRICT

Puthoor - Palamoddai Road

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



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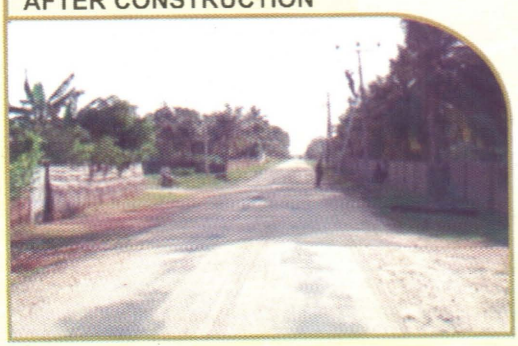
MANNAR DISTRICT

Thalvupadhu-Tharapuram

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



AFTER CONSTRUCTION



Government's Long Term Strategies

The Government's 10 year horizon National Development Strategy based on **Mahinda Chinthana** has a vision to create a new Sri Lanka. The Government is totally committed to improve the road network within the next 10 years. Road Sector Master Plan has already been prepared for national roads. PRDD is planning to develop the Provincial Road Master Plan to link the national highways.

With the end of the war in May 2009, the Government has invited Donor Agencies to provide support for the reconstruction of roads in the Northern Province.

The strategy for the development of road infrastructure in the Northern Province is with view to provide a basis for reactivating the economy, promoting resettlement, development of agriculture, industry, construction, tourism, trade, financial and transport services that will bring about new earning avenues and gainful employment to our people.

On the request made by the **GOSL, the ADB** and the **World Bank** have supported the development of the Municipal/Urban and Provincial roads network in different areas of the Province.

In order to accomplish this strategy; **PRDD** is implementing the following Projects;

(i) Conflict Affected Region Emergency Project funded by GOSL & ADB Loan
(ii) Northern Roads Connectivity Project by GOSL & ADB Loan
(iii) Provincial Roads Project funded by World Bank Loan.

Name of the Project	Funded by	Project Areas	Provincial Component (US$Mn)	Provincial Component (Rs.Mn.)	Commencement	Completion
NRCP	GOSL & ADB Loan	Vavuniya, Mannar	25.08	2,759	October - 10	December - 15
CARE	GOSL & ADB Loan	Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaithivu, Vavuniya, Mannar	39.80	4,378	June - 10	June - 13
PRP	World Bank Loan	Jaffna	21.00	2,310	March - 10	March - 15
Total			**85.88**	**9,447**		

The main outcome of the Projects are to reestablish connectivity by repairing damaged Municipal & Urban Council and Provincial roads in the Province.

This will promote marketing and trade to resume in remote areas and that will also reduce travel time, vehicle operating costs and increase private sector investment in the region.

A total sum of about Rs.9, 447 million was allocated to rehabilitate 375 km of roads in the resettled areas under these Projects.

Note :

PRDD	-	Provincial Road Development Department
NRCP	-	Northern Roads Connectivity Project
PRP	-	Provincial Roads Project
CARE	-	Conflict Affected Region Emergency Project

i) THE NORTHERN ROADS CONNECTIVITY PROJECT

This Project is to repair /reconstruct about 141 km of provincial roads in Vavuniya and Mannar districts in the Province with the total investment of Rs. 2,759Mn. The duration of the Project is five years commencing from year 2010. The entire civil work contracts have been awarded and construction is in progress.

Hon. Rishard Badhiutheen, Minister of Industries and Commerce along with Hon. Hunais Farook, Member of Parliament inaugurated the NRCP Project.

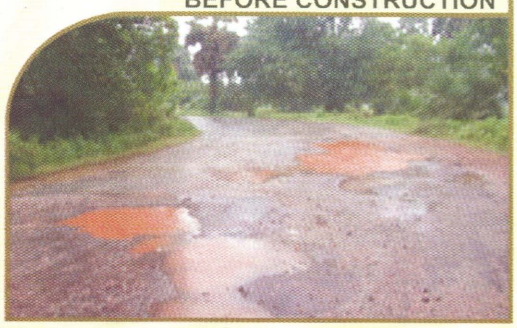




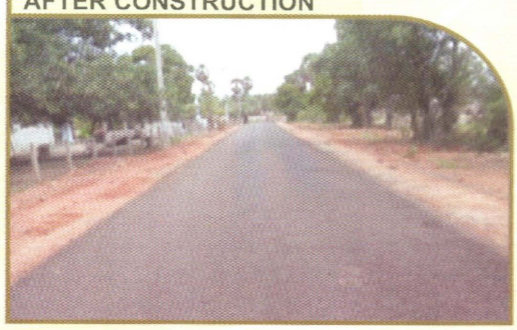
PROGRESS PHOTO

Murunkan - Nanattan Road

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



AFTER CONSTRUCTION



Pesalai Vajadipannai Road

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION



AFTER CONSTRUCTION



ii) PROVINCIAL ROADS PROJECT

This Project is to renovate about 74.26 km of provincial roads in the Jaffna district in the Northern Province with a total investment of Rs. 2,310Mn. The duration of the Project is five years commencing from the year 2010. The entire civil work contracts have been awarded and construction is in progress.

PROGRESS PHOTOS



Kalviyankadu - Kokuvil Rd.



Thirunelvely Puttur Rd.



Puliyankinathady
Punnalaikkadduwan Rd.



Kalviyankadu-Kokuvil Rd

iii) CONFLICT AFFECTED REGION EMERGENCY PROJECT

This Project is to reconstruct about 75 km of Municipal and Urban Council roads and 100 km of provincial roads in Jaffna, Vavuniya, Mannar, Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu districts in the Province with a total investment of Rs. 4,378 Mn. The duration of the Project is three years commencing from the year 2010. The entire civil work contracts have been awarded and construction is in progress.

Hon. Basil Rajapaksa, Minister of Economic Development has inaugurated the CARE Projects along with Hon. Douglas Devananda, Ministry of Traditional Industries & Small Enterprise Development and Hon. Governor G.A.Chandrasiri under CARE Project activities.





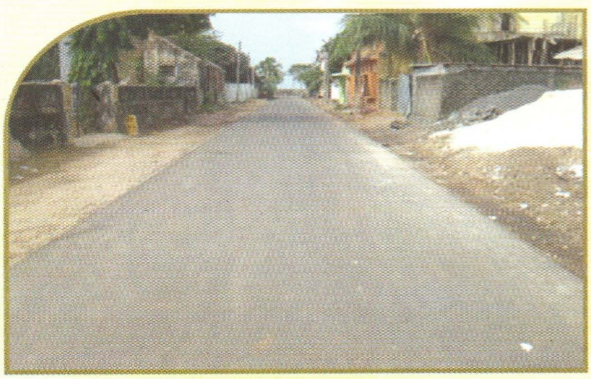
PROGRESS PHOTOS



TEMPLE ROAD



NAVALAR ROAD



2ND CROSS STREET



PARK ROAD

4.9 Tourism & Transport

Tourism

The tourism industry in the Northern Province was totally devastated during the last three decades. Thereby the economy connected to this sector also suffered. The Northern Province has a great potential where tourism is connected especially to attract the local tourists. This sector needs total revival starting from rehabilitation, access, training, information and motivation. Hon. Governor is very keen to activate some of the tourist locations and special programs have been initiated from 2009.



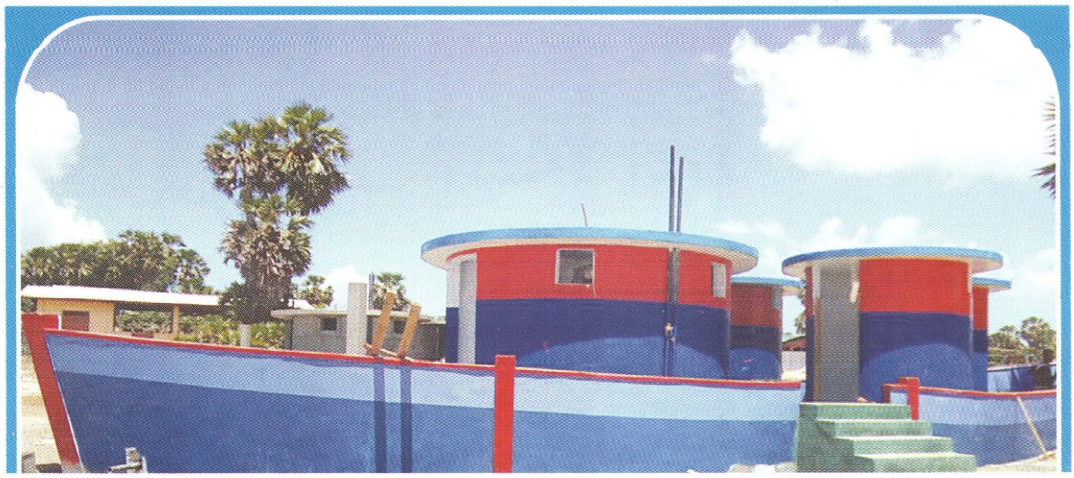
Murukandy Temple area was rehabilitated at a cost of Rs.15.0 Mn



Access to Casurina Beach was constructed at a cost of Rs. 20.0 Mn



Thiruketheeswaram Temple area was rehabilitated at a cost of Rs.210 Mn



Toilet Facilities were provided at Chaddy Beach Velanai at a cost of Rs. 7.0 Mn

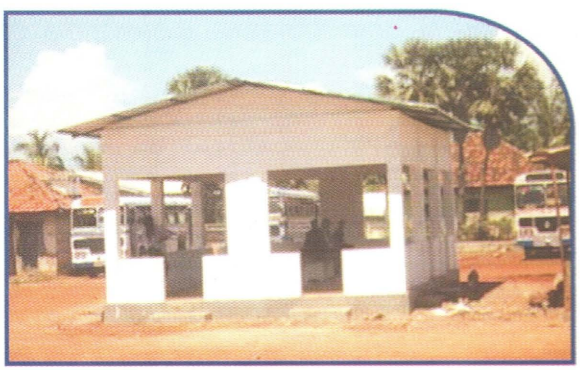
Transport

Road Transportation is the predominant mode of Transport for the Northern Province. Now transports along all main roads have resumed and all main towns are linked earlier. The Major Towns didn't have proper bus stands and bus shelters, and road safety had been totally neglected.

Action have been taken to rehabilitate the bus stands, bus Shelters and to provide road sign board.



Chankanai Bus Stand constructed at a cost of Rs. 4.0Mn.



Mannar Bus Stand rehabilitated at a cost of Rs. 1.0 Mn



Chavakachcheri Bus Stand constructed at a cost of Rs. 4.0 Mn

4.10 Local Government

Background

Sri Lanka has a Three Tiers Government setup such as National level, Provincial level and Local Government level. There are 34 Local Authorities including 01 Municipal Council, 05 Urban Councils and 28 Pradeshiya Sabhas under the Department of Local Government in the Northern Province. Local Authorities are monitored and supervised under the Department of Local Government through R/ACLGs.



Chavakachcheri Pradeshiya Sabha Building

Source of Funds
2009-2011
"Vadakkin Vasantham"
Government : Rs. 2,210.00 mn
Donors : Rs. 283.20 mn
Total Investment
Rs. 2,493.20 mn

The Local Authorities have been very closed to the Community and they have become the training ground for the local politicians. On the other hand the Local Authority is at the operational level with their budget as well as all programmes conceived, planned and funded by the government and provincial council.

Basically the Local Authority provide basic infrastructure facilities, waste management activities, public utility services and regulatory services to the public. Further they also strengthen the democratic processes through the people's participation by the community based organizations especially via community centers. In the meantime Local Authorities enhance the knowledge of the society by establishing and upgrading the libraries in their areas.

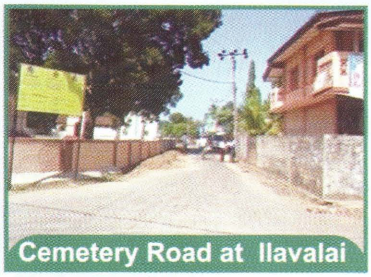


Thanipanayadi Road at Kopay

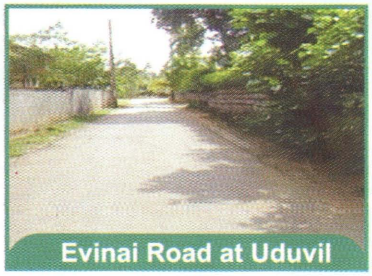
There are about 8748 km Rural Roads, 197 Markets, 35 Apertures slaughter houses, 17 Public Parks, 517 Cemeteries, 1250 Community Centers and 110 Public Libraries under the Local Authorities in the Northern Province. A fair amount of financial resources are invested in these infrastructures to confirm the betterment of the society. For these purposes Local Authorities are utilizing the outreached grant of the Government of Sri Lanka, Central ministerial funds, PSDG, CBG and the Council funds.

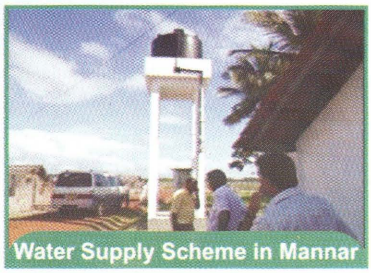
In addition the Department of Local Government involves in capacity development of staff to confirm better service delivery. Further the Local Government reforms are one of the milestones to achieve the benefits by the LA with the guidance and directives of the MLG&PC.

Highlights of Performance and Achievements 2009 -2011


Cemetery Road at Ilavalai

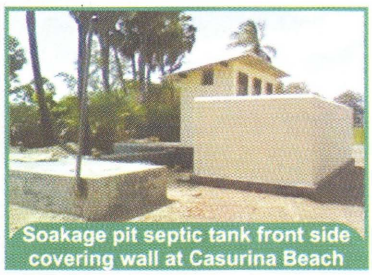
Rural Roads
1,161.21 Km Rural roads renovated at a cost of Rs. 1,550.96 mn. in the Local Authority areas


Evinai Road at Uduvil

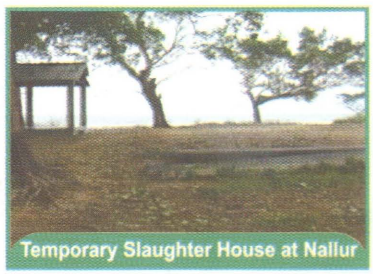

Water Supply Scheme in Mannar

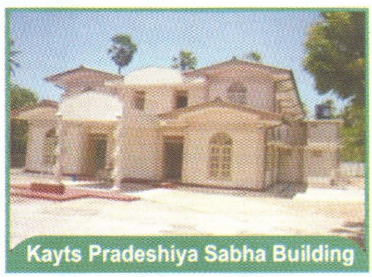
Community Development
Assistance provided to 575 Community Development works at a cost of Rs. 494.29 mn. Such as, Water Supply, Markets, Preschools, Community Halls, Community Centers, etc.


Modern Market at Valvettithurai


Soakage pit septic tank front side covering wall at Casurina Beach

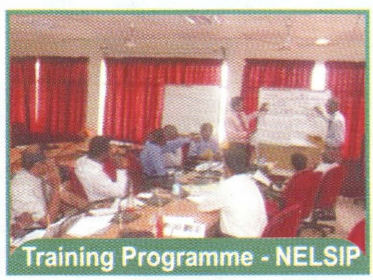
Solid Waste Management
Tasks 99 in Number completed at a cost of Rs.67.66 mn. such as Slaughter House, Sanitation facilities, Compost Yard, Distribution of Bins etc.


Temporary Slaughter House at Nallur

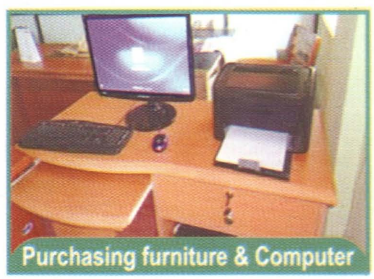

Kayts Pradeshiya Sabha Building

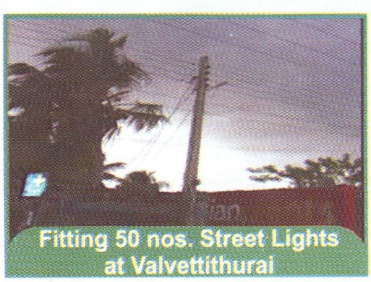
Office Buildings
57 Office buildings have been newly constructed / Renovated at a cost of Rs. 192.40 mn.


Vidaththalthivu Sub Office

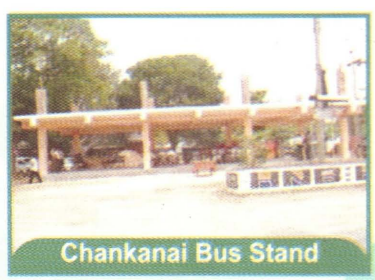

Training Programme - NELSIP

Capacity Buildings
Office equipment, Library books, and Furniture have been provided and training Conducted at a cost of Rs.111.70 mn.


Purchasing furniture & Computer

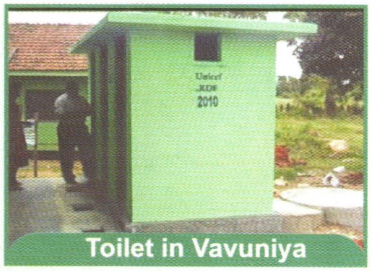

Fitting 50 nos. Street Lights at Valvettithurai

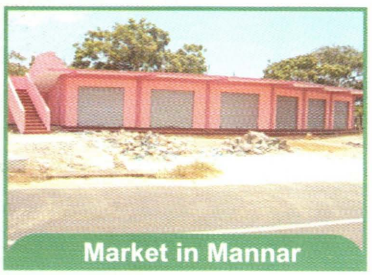
Rural Electrification
Rural electricity facilities have been provided (About 1290 street lights were fitted) to rural areas at a cost of Rs.51.56mn.

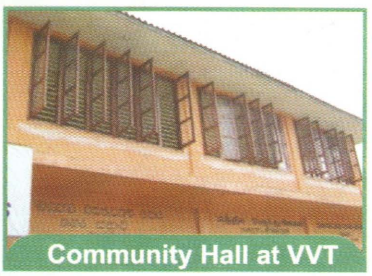

Chankanai Bus Stand

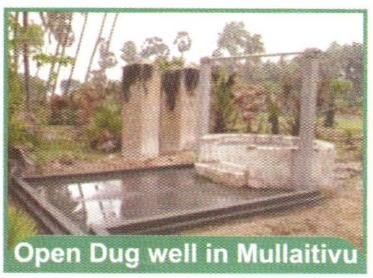
Donor Funded Projects - 2011

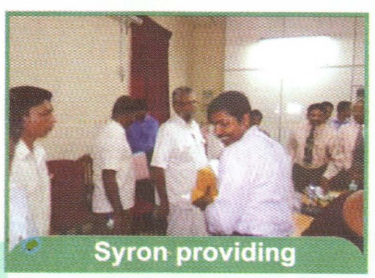
Funding Source	Expenditure Rs.in Mn
UNICEF	72.350
RAP	117.910
NECORD	23.110
WFP	0.550
WORLD VISION	2.116
PILISARU PROJECT	1.270


Toilet in Vavuniya


Market in Mannar


Community Hall at VVT


Open Dug well in Mullaitivu


Syron providing

UNICEF

- 4 Water Supply schemes completed
- 126 Wells Constructed
- 291 Toilets Provided
- 500 Wells Cleaned
- 1100 Wells Rehabilitated.

RAP

- 54 Rural Roads renovated
- 6 Markets Constructed
- 15 Community Centers constructed.

NECORD

- 1 Road renovated.
- 1 Community Hall built
- 4 Markets constructed.
- 1 Office Building built.
- 40 Wells repaired.

World Food Programme

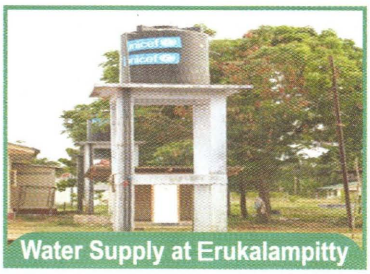
- 2 Roads renovated.
- 4 Open Wells Dug.

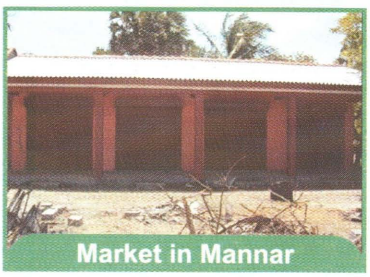
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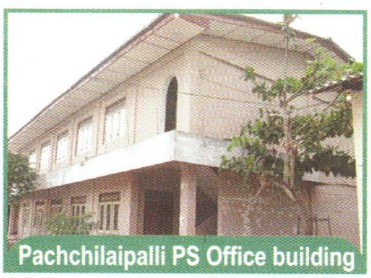
- 1 Water Supply Scheme activated.

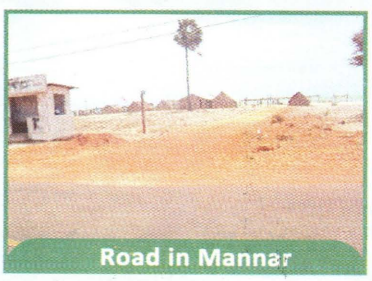
Pilisaru Project

- 1 Compost plan Renovated


Water Supply at Erukalampitty


Market in Mannar


Pachchilaipalli PS Office building


Road in Mannar

4.11 Rural Development

Background

The rural development in this country has a long history in the process of the mobilizing and strengthening village people to identify their needs with potential resources and implement the activities with their contribution and participation and to undertake the operation and maintenance of the assets that were created and thereafter transfer in their ownership.



The Department of Rural Development originates at grass root level through the Rural Development and Women's Rural Development Societies (RDS & WRDS) which are the community based organizations registered with the department. In addition, the Women's Development Centers (WDC) are established in the Divisions in the Northern Districts.

The main objective of the Rural Development is to improve the Socio economic condition of the members of the societies by upgrading the standard of living of the villager's through livelihood support, revolving fund activities, Income generation activities, Skills development & vocational training programmes, Capacity development programmes and Infrastructure facilities.

Source of Funds

2009-2011

"Vadakkin Vasantham"

Government: Rs. 69.25 mn

Donors : Rs.291.00 mn

Total Investment Rs.360.25 mn

Registered Societies

Rural Development Societies	- 938
Women's Rural Development Societies	- 997

Highlights of Performance and Achievements

"Start up Venture" programme Revolving loan issued to 7,803 members of 565 societies at Poonakari, Thunukkai, Manthai East, Manthai West and Musaly divisions - in the years 2009 & 2010 under the PSDG



Revolving loan cheque had issued to vulnerable people at resettled areas,



Compost Making – Nanaddan,

Small Scale Income Generation Activities launched for livelihood support of societies in Mannar and Vavuniya in the years 2009 and 2010 under the PSDG.



Small Scale Milk Processing Unit - Vavuniya



Sewing Machine issued to vulnerable women at resettled areas.

200 Sewing Machines issued to the Vulnerable Women to start their income generation project in resettled areas.

Skill Development Training:

2,629 Vulnerable young women / widows benefitted through training in Dress Making & Handicraft, Beauty Culture & Home Science.

Women in Development Centers registered under the "Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission" in National level for future benefits by year 2010.



Women Development Centers activities at Divisions.

Provincial Level Exhibition 2011

Provincial Level Exhibition conducted to promote the Societies' products

Provincial Level Exhibition 2011









4.12 Rural Industries

Background of the sector

The objective of the Department of Industries is the promotion and Development of Industries and Livelihood Enterprises in the Northern Province. The Department of Industries realizes that its major task is not to provide any Government employment or their direct involvement in employment creation.



2009 - 2011
"Vadakkin Vasantham"
Total Investment - 139.9447Mn

The Livelihood support activities, Handloom, Textile & Small industrial training programmes, Infrastructure activities, Capacity Development training programmes, Skills development & Vocational training programmes have been conducted to unemployed youths through Handloom, Small industrial & Vocational training centers by the Department. District Industrial Management Assistant & Division Programme Assistants have monitored the Departments activities.



"Vadakkin Vasantham"

The Central Department of Textile Industries and Small Industries had vested its functions referred to therein to this Department. The Department is mainly involved with conducting training programs and operating advance account activities on limited traditional small scale industrial fields such as Coir, Carpentry, Pottery, Mat Weaving and Textile Weaving. In view of the demand for Skills development and Appropriate Technology Transfer as well as from the pressing needs for employment opportunities and income generation, the Department

2009	PSDG	6.12 Mn
	CBG- CEDS	8.15Mn
2010	PSDG	9.3 Mn
	CBG- CEDS	8.15 Mn
2011	PSDG	0.1 Mn
	CBG	0.99 Mn

had to consider various strategies in planning the activities of this Department. There is now greater shortage for skilled Masons, Carpenters, Welders, Plumbers, Electricians, Out Boat Motor repairers, Constructors and Technicians. Providing On the Job Training on Micro and Small scale industries and nontraditional productivity fields, modernizing the traditional small industries and motivating the entrepreneurs are the main sectors available for Northern Industrial sector development.

In the "Vadakkin Vasantham" programme in 2011, Rs. 0.1 Mn PSDG capital fund was spent to complete 02 activities at resettled & other areas. The Department has been continuing the work in vocational training programme in the Mannar district. Plant & machinery, office furniture & equipment had been purchased for the Jaffna District & head office under the CBG fund costly Rs 0.99 Mn. The total have imprest released by the Treasury had been fully utilized.

In addition, the outputs from traditional industries had been modified and re-designed in order to attract consumers, based on their preference and consumption patterns. The new strategy of the Department falls in line with the national policy.

Special events and achievements

I- 51 Vocational Training Programmes were provided in the Northern Province in 2009. 420 beneficiaries were benefitted by this programme. A sum of Rs12.424 Mn has been spent under the "Vadakkin Vasantham" Programme.



Out boat motor repair



Food Processing

II- 07 Enterprise Development Training Programmes have been conducted under the NECORD fund in the Northern Province from 16.08.2009 to 30.08.2009.The number of beneficiaries were 125.

III- 21 Vocational Training Programmes have been provided in the Northern Province in 2010 for which a sum of Rs 6.57 Mn had been spent under "Vadakkin Vasantham" Programme



Out boat motor repair

IV- 05 Handloom Centers have been reconstructed to develop the textile weaving sector in Siruppiddy, Nallur North, Malusanthy, Arali South and Manthuvil East in the Jaffna District by the Ministry of Industry & Commerce at a cost of Rs. 5.980Mn.



Uruthirapuram Handloom Centre

V. 03 Handloom Centers were constructed to develop the Handloom Textile Sector in Nanaddan, Koolankulam, Erukalampity in the Mannar District by the Ministry of Industry & Commerce at a cost of Rs. 5.96Mn



Arali South Handloom Center

VI. The Ministry of Industry & Commerce in Colombo issued 165 new handlooms to eight modernized centers in the Northern Province for the development of the industry. 90 Handlooms were issued in Jaffna and 75 handlooms were issued in Mannar.

VII. Production in Handloom and Small Industries by the Training Centers of the Department is as shown in the adjacent figure for the years.

Year	Amount of Production
2009	0.676 Mn
2010	0.929 Mn
2011	0.480 Mn





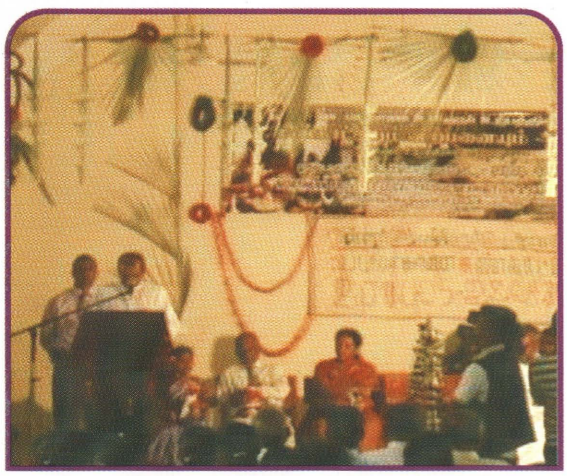


Special Achievements gained by the sector

I- Hon Governor visited the Silpha Exhibition -2009 conducted by the National Crafts Council Colombo. The Department of Industries, Northern Province participated and received five award (Silver medal, 1st,2nd, Merit prizes)



II- In 2010 the Provincial exhibition was conducted by the Ministry of Local Government at Provincial level at J/Central college. The Department of Industries exhibited handicraft and hand loom products of Northern Entrepreneurs. 37 exhibits were selected and exhibited at the national level handicraft exhibition.



III- Ten Appropriate Technology Transfer Training Programmes were conducted at Killinochchi, Jaffna & Mullaithevu Districts under the CBG (CEDS) fund and recurrent fund spent in 2010 was Rs 1.624Mn to 696 beneficiaries. (Training in Red Clay Brick Making, Training as Bus Drivers, Tri Star Apparel Garments Tailoring Training)



IV- The Local Competitive Advantage (LoCA) training was conducted by the Department of Industries with the help of the Nucleus foundation from 04th to 06th of May 2011 to the front line officers.

V- The Department of Industries participated at Provincial level local resources industrial Exhibition and received 55 prizes for handicraft products and consequently

participated National Craft Council exhibition won 12 prizes including 1st, 3rd and merit places. Department received one first prize for handloom items in National Textile exhibition conducted by the Ministry of Textile Industries.

VI- His Excellency the President visited the Departments Northern Province





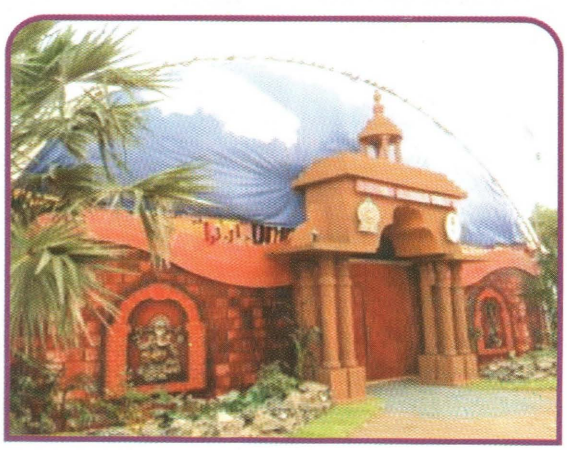
Departmental Exhibition stall in 2012. The Department of Industries assisted in the establishment of the Northern Province Exhibition stall in Oyamadu in 2012.

VII- A Model handloom in razor model was introduced at the "DAYATAKIRULA" exhibition 2012.





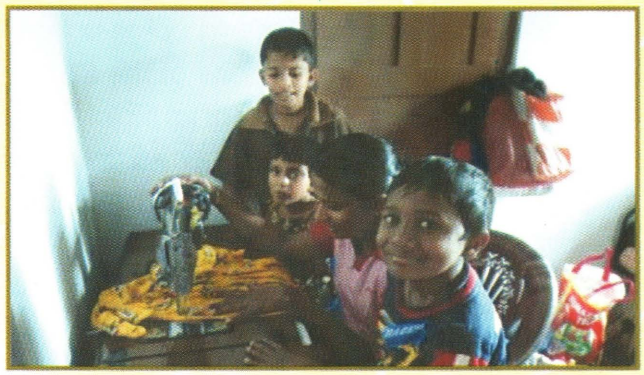




4.13 Social Services

Background

The Social Services sector has become a necessity in the lives of many people of the Northern Province. Social Services mainly deal with the vulnerable section such as elders, persons with disabilities, widows and the poverty stricken people. To fulfill the needs of this vulnerable section this sector has a vision to create a well secured environment for them.



Self employment at Mannar

Source of Funds
2009-2011
"Vadakkin Vasantham"
Government : Rs. 467.88 mn
Donors : Rs. 40.07 mn
Total Investment
Rs.507.95 mn

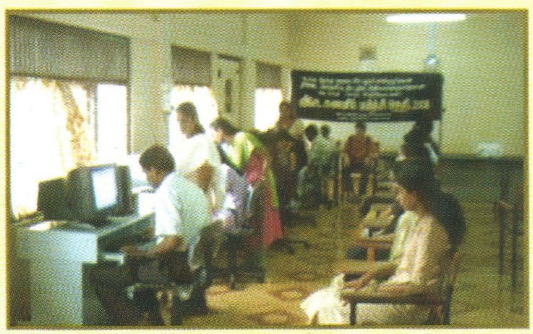
To achieve this vision this department has a mission to provide assistance to satisfy the immediate and long term needs of the disadvantaged and the needy members of the community in order to make them partners in national development. The following objectives are defined to support the vision and mission.

Objectives of the Sector

* Improving the livelihood of the poor.
* Assist the Physically and Mentally handicapped and affected persons.
* Care & Maintenance of elders and destitutes.



Construction work of Social Care Centre at Oddusuddan



Computer training for blind persons in Jaffna



Elders Day Celebration

The State Home for Elders situated in Kaithady (Jaffna) was established and is maintained by the Dept. of Social Services. Five other Homes for Elders and six Homes for the Disabled maintained by voluntary service organizations which are in receipt of fixed amounts as grants from the Dept. come under its purview. Other main functions of the Dept. of Social Services are payment of P.A.M.A., self employment grants and compensation for damages due to natural disasters. The Dept. also issues support equipment to the disabled and assists patients suffering from contagious diseases.

Due to the three decades of war and the post war situation in the Northern Province, many people yet live below the poverty line. These people receive the benefits of the services provided by the Department of Social Services.

Department provides following types of assistance

i) Public Assistance Monthly Allowance (PAMA) payment.

ii) Rehabilitation of families below the poverty line.(Self Employment)

iii) Sick Persons Allowance. (Cancer and T.B.)

iv) Support and Rehabilitation of the disabled
   a) Providing equipment (artificial limbs, hearing aid)
   b) Providing grant to start Self employment.

v) Care for elders and destitutes.

vi) Relief to people affected by natural disasters.

vii) Compensation for crop damaged by wild animals. (Casual relief payment).



Construction work of building hall at Vazhlvaham, Uduvil



Home wiring training for Deaf & Dump at Uduvil



Self employment in Jaffna



Capacity Development Programme for Social Service Dept. Staff in Vavuniya

Highlights of Performance

- Nearly 50,000 recipients from very poor families received the Public Assistance Monthly Allowance (PAMA). An amount of Rs. 261.32 mn has been spent for this purpose from 2009 to 2011.
- 3,899 Woman headed families & Disabled persons have received self employment assistance (Total cost Rs. 54.62 mn).
- 236 sewing machines costing Rs. 4.177 mn. were provided to the Woman headed families to uplift their livelihood.



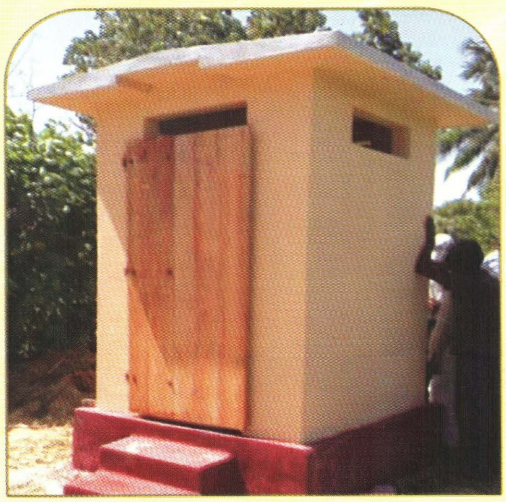
Renovation of Ward at State Elders Home, Kaithady Mannar



Distribution of Sewing machine



Self employment at Palai



Construction work of toilet at Palai

- 2,407 items comprising spectacles, wheelchairs, tricycles, hearing aids, crutches artificial limbs and white canes were issued to disabled persons at a cost of Rs.13.36Mn.
- Training programme on computer repairs was conducted to 10 visually handicapped persons and another training programme on repairs to electrical equipment was conducted for 27 differently abled persons.
- Maintenance of State Elders home at the cost of Rs. 28.50 mn.

- 1,260 affected families received assistance in respect of natural Disaster. Rs. 11.94 mn has been spent for the last 3 years on this account.

- 260 toilets have been provided for widows and disabled persons at a cost of Rs. 25.034 mn.

- 13 buildings were constructed and repairs carried out to State Elders Home and Voluntary Homes and 27 Social Care Centers were constructed at a cost of Rs. 109 mn from 2009 - 2011.



Training Programme for Dept. staff in Vavuniya

- International "Elders Day" and Disabled Persons' Day were celebrated.
- Capacity building for Departmental staff was undertaken. .





Elders Day Celebration



Training Programme for Dept. staff in Vavuniya

4.14 Co-operative Development

Background





Co-operative societies are established to meet the common needs of the people. It is a form of organization where members join together to satisfy their common economic, social and cultural needs. They are also expected to supply essential goods on the one hand and offer credit facilities and marketing their products on the other hand. The emphasis is not on profit making and the co-operatives work on a no profit no loss basis.

Source of Funds
2009-2011
"Vadakkin Vasantham"
Government : Rs. 97.10 mn
Donors : Rs. 417.00 mn
Total Investment
Rs.514.10 mn

The Department of Co-operative Development comes under the purview of the Ministry of Local Government, Relief and Rehabilitation, Co-operative Rural Development, Industries, Social Services and Probation & Child Care Services. The Commissioner of Co-operative Development and Registrar of Co-operative Societies is the head of the Department and exercises his authority through the 5 Assistant Commissioners at the district level by delegation of power.



Vehicle Distribution

The Department of Cooperative Development mainly focuses on strengthening Co-operative societies for ensuring Co-operative identity and elaborates the Co-operative movement, promoting contribution of the co-operative sector for a sustainable development, developing professional and managerial activities on Co-operative values, promulgating development strategies and entrepreneurial setup within the frame work of market economy to face market challenges and providing necessary assistance to carry the Co-operative message amongst people.

Major activities of the Department



Vali North MPCS - Coop City

Several activities are being conducted to fulfill the aim of the Department of Co-operative Development. Organization and registration of Co-operative societies, supervision of Co-operative societies and providing necessary advice and guidance to the societies in the provision of services essential for community life, auditing the records of Co-operative societies, performance of statutory functions such as the settlement of disputes, holding of inquiries, conducting investigations, inspections of Co-operative societies and liquidations of cancelled societies, training and development of Co-operative Development officers, Co-operative employees and Co-operators via exhibition, training classes, short term courses and publicity meetings and efficiency bar examinations and work in close co-ordination with ministries and agencies engaged in development work and act as liaison between Co-operative societies and such ministries / agencies.



Micro Credit Programme CLCMS inaugurated

Center for Livelihood Credit Management Services

The Centre for Livelihood Credit Management Services (CLCMS) is established by virtue of powers under the provision of the 13th Amendment to the Constitution of Sri Lanka and approved by Hon. Governor in December 2008 as a semi autonomous body (unit) within the Provincial Administration of the Northern Province. The CLCMS functions as a Federation according to its registration under the Co-operative Act. This Project implements special Micro Credit mechanism and monitoring system at GN division, village, DS division, district and provincial level sustainability.



Motorcycle Distribution - NP

Special Achievements during the period 2009 - 2011 Department provides following types of assistance

i) 103 Co-operative Societies have been newly registered in all five districts in various sectors.



Handing over the contains at Kilinochchi

ii) 124 Mini Co-op City sales show rooms opened in all 5 districts and these functioning smoothly.

iii) 2 Mega Co-op cities established in the Kilinochchi and the Mullaitivu district.



Mega Coop City - Kilinochchi

iv) 6,563 Beneficiaries received microcredit under CLCMS project totalling Rs.190.30 mn in all 5 districts

v) 218 Co-op societies which were running at a loss or ineffectively were re-established in all five districts.



Vavuniya South Coop City

vi) Rs. 52.5 Mn. Worth of vehicles and fishing equipment issued to cooperative societies. They are 13 TATA Mini Lorries, 2 Cargo Lorries, 24 Moto-bikes, Single Cab, 7 Tractors with trailer, 100 Boats and 135 OBM .



TATA Mini Lorries Distribution



Entrepreneurial Activities

Special Programmes

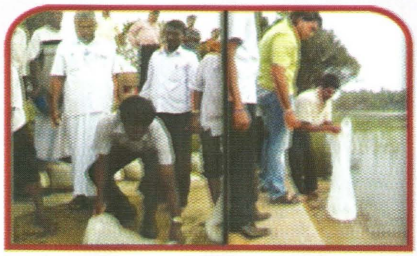
- International Co-operators Day celebrated annually. The celebration included many events such as, sports meets, Competition at School level & for Society members and employees, Awards for the best society, member, best employee, best coop city etc were made.
- *A* Pappadam Production factory was established at Cheddikkulam with the assistance of GIZ in order to uplift the living conditions of the members of the society and to develop the economy
- Six Lanka Filling Stations were transferred to the ownership of MPCSs in resettled areas out of their own funds. These filling stations were not only for the development of the society but also for supporting the resettlement and development activities of the particular area.
- Breeding Fresh Water Fingerlings at Palai and Velanai under the assistance of NAQDA. 3 Fresh water societies in Palai area and 2 societies in Velanai area were accrue benefits from this activity
- 'Provincial Exhibition of Local Resources in Development' was conducted. It was organized and condcted by the *Ministry of Local Government and Co-operatives, Northern Province*
- Provided soft loan facilities to Small Scale Entrepreneurs. *for small enterprise development of co-operative societies through CLCMS project. The total amounted to Rs 20 mn in 2011*
- A tree planting programme is being conducted by the department annually.



International Day of Coop-2012


Pappadam Factory, Cheddikulam, MPCS


Filling Station, Kilinochchi


Breeding of Fresh Water Fingerlings - Palai



Provincial Exhibition



Dayanta Kirula Exhibition Programme


Soft Loan for Small Scale Enterprise


Tree Planing Programme

4.15 Probation & Child Care Services

Background:

The Handling of Children who are in conflict with the Law (Child Offenders) and providing the necessary conflict to such Children who need Care and Protection (Child Victims) are the responsibilities of the Provincial Probation Child Care Services.. To handle the offenders the Department is involved in correctional service. Correctional services are provided in two ways. One is community based and the other is through institutions. Community Based Correctional Services regarding Child Offenders who are Under Probationary (Probation order), are delivered to the custody of parents or guardians, Other method is the issue of a Fit person order, discharging the child conditionally, Order parent to pay fine and Discharge. The Institutional Correctional Services (Child Offenders) are Remand Homes, Certified Schools and Imprisonment. For the child victims this Department provides Community Based Correctional Service which are the issue of Fit person orders, order to parents or guardians to exercise proper care, Placing under the supervision of a probation officer, Adoption, Sponsoring programmes, Counseling, Family Groups Conference and Other supporting services.



Opening Ceremony State Receiving Home , Kaithady

Source of Funds

2009-2011

"Vadakkin Vasantham"

Government : Rs. 296.41 mn.

Donors: Rs. 30.42 mn.

Total Investment

Rs. 326.83 Mn.

Under the Preview

State Institutions

State receiving home -01

Certified School 01

Remand Home -01

Sriliya Sevana Girls home -01

Volunteer Organizations

Children homes -59

Day care center -20

Safe house -02

Others

Children Courts -01

Courts -09

FTR Unit -01

Children desk unit -06

District child protection unit -05

Objective:

The main objective of the Department is providing protection, support and help to the affected children, & rehabilitation of

probationers and re socialization of institutionalized children, and providing skills development training for child offender.

Services:

The Protection of a child's rights should be given priority. To mitigate the child related crimes and violation several measures have been taken through probation and childcare services. Legal Protection to the Children, Rehabilitation and Re-Socialization of Children and Provision of care and Maintenance to Vulnerable Children are some of the services provided by this Department.

1. Legal Protection

Probation officers attend Courts to plead to mitigate child related crimes and to ensure the rights of the child through the legal process.

Types	2009	2010	2011
Sexually abused children	81	79	180
Physically abused Children	46	33	102
Psychologically abused	25	25	16
Attempt to Commit Suicide	2	20	23
Committed Suicide	9	10	02
Neglected children	2	24	103
Attempt to Commit Suicide	119	141	23
Juvenile Delinquency	13	55	108
Kidnapped children	3	6	20
Trafficking	1	14	05
Threatening	1	7	0
Separated children	0	20	15
Child marriages	0	13	45

Fit Person Orders & Payment

Children who have lost both parents will be provided alternative care through a Court Order namely "Fit Persons order". The department had made Cash assistance for 315 children in 2011. These children were provided a monthly assistance of Rs 500/= each to meet their immediate needs. All cases were reviewed and followed up by the respective Probation Officers. These children now enjoy paster parents care and attend schools due to interventions of this Department.

Transport for children to attend to their Cases



Orphan girl underwent heart surgery at Lady Ridgeway hospital

The Department provides transport for children from their temporary protection centers to Courts in case of need. This service is available for DNA testing in Colombo too, if necessary. A sum of Rs. 0.748 mn was spent during 2011 for this purpose which benefited many needy children.

Emergency Assistance

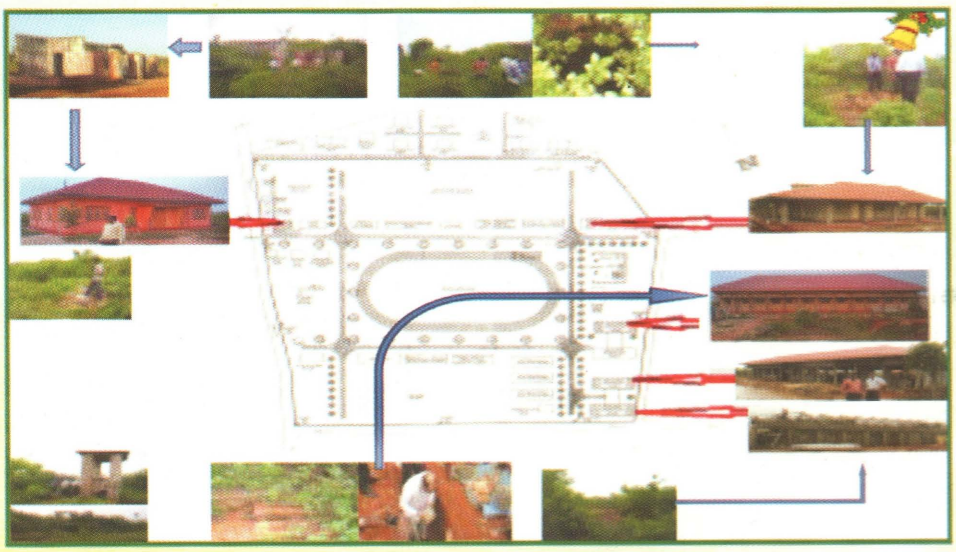
During this period needs of children were met and their families were provided with emergency cash assistance. More than 2550 children referred by courts to be admitted to safe houses or children's homes or certified school and state home were provided with financial assistance and Emergency kits according to their requirements by the Department.



Child at Save Home give transport to Mullaitivu Court

2. Rehabilitation and Re-socialization

Certified Schools & Safe Houses



Reconstruction of Certified School at Atchuveli,

The Department is involved in the correction and rehabilitation of young offenders and children in need of special protection.

As a first step towards setting up of permanent correctional and rehabilitation facilities in the province, the department has rented a building in Jaffna which was opened on 6th January 2006 and is currently used as a safe house for abused children.



Opened the renovated state receiving home at Kaithady

With regard to the Certified School, land clearing and fencing work were completed in 2009 at a cost of 1.8Mn. In 2010 an administrative block and Vocational training units were reconstructed at a cost of Rs. 19.07 million. In 2011 reconstruction of the Common hall and Vocational training unit was undertaken and internal electricity and water supply works were completed at a cost of Rs 15.02 million. The details are as follows.



Hon. Governor grant assistance to an orphan girl at Kaithady Child Home

State Receiving Home

This is an essential institution which has been established to house the children who have lost their parent or who have been separated from their parent due to the past conflict. In 2010 the Department refurbished the building at a cost of Rs 6.5 million. The children are maintained by the Department.

Sriliya Sevana Girls home



Sriliya Sevana Children Home at Vavuniya

Sriliya Sevana Girls' home is meant for orphaned girls. This home was declared open by the first Lady Mrs.Shiranthi Rajapaksa in June 2009 in Vavuniya, and is by the Department.

Tracing and Reunification of Separated and missing children by FTR Units

A total of 676 Tracing Applications have been received (364 males, 312 females) and the tracing of missing children is in progress.

Rehabilitation and Re-socialization of child surroundees

573 children who had formerly associated with armed groups and who went through the rehabilitation process have been reintegrated into their communities. Their well being is continuously monitored by this department from 2009.



Resettled child of Vavuniya

3. Institutional care for vulnerable children

The best place for children for their development is with their family. Unfortunately sometimes parental care is not available for children due to various circumstances. Therefore institutions for children are run by both the government and the private sector, including local and international NGOs, religious organizations, private businesses and concerned individuals. Some of these are registered with the Northern Provincial Council, while others operate independently.



Discussion with rehabilitated & reunified children at Vavuniya

Children's Homes Advisory Team

It is a must to regularize the functions of children's homes in Northern Province in order to assure a quality service for children.

Therefore, the Hon Governor of Northern Province has appointed "children's home Advisory team" for 05 districts for inspection and monitoring all registered and unregistered homes, in 2011. The mandate of these committees is to look into whether these homes are functioning according to the guidelines of minimum standards.

Receiving Maintenance Grant

year	No of Home benefited	Expenditure (Mn)
2009	24	9.397
2010	26	8.660
2011	12	7.220

No of Children Homes

year	No of Registered homes	No of Un registered homes
2009	54	26
2010	54	26
2011	41	31

Reunification & Follow up

In 2011, out of 1,455 children who sought admission to children's Homes only 368 children were duly admitted. A total of 494 children were reunified with extended families. Those who could not be admitted to Homes amounted to 1228.



Hon. Governor appointed Child Home monitoring team presenting their finding at Jaffna.

4.16 Major Development of the Northern Province

Infrastructure/ Road & Railways

- National Roads: 1,254km to be rehabilitated (ADB & Chinese funds, US$ 776.5Mn)
- 250 Km Provincial Rd & 100Km Municipal & Urban Rd to be rehabilitated (WB & ADB, US$ 79 Mn)
- Rural Roads - 935Km (Rs.1,140 Mn)
- 260Km reconstruction of Northern Railway Lines (Indian government funds)





Thiruketheeswaram Road



Maruthankerny Rural Road



Kanthasamy Nagar road - Vavuniya



Cassorina Beach Road,Karainagar

Mannar Bridge







Sangupiddy Bridge











OPENING OF
OMANTHAI RAILWAY
STATION



RECONSTRUCTION OF
MADAWACHCHIYA – MANNAR
RAILWAY LINE UNDER
INDIAN GOVERNMENT
ASSISTANCE

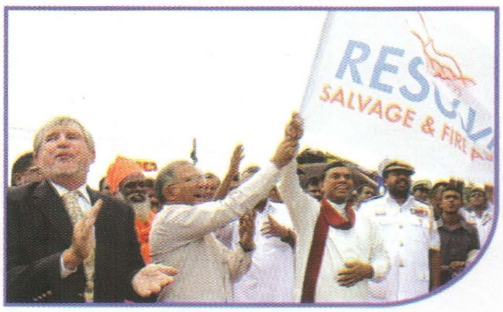






Wreck removal project in Kankesanthurai Port under Indian Government assistance - inaugurated on 26 July 2011





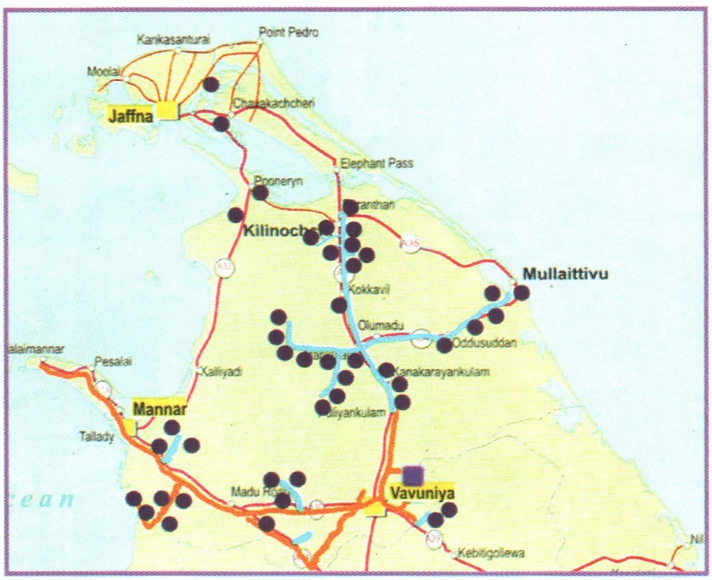


Announcement of Completion of wreck removal project in KKS Port on 18 January 2012





INFRASTRUCTURE/ ELECTRICITY



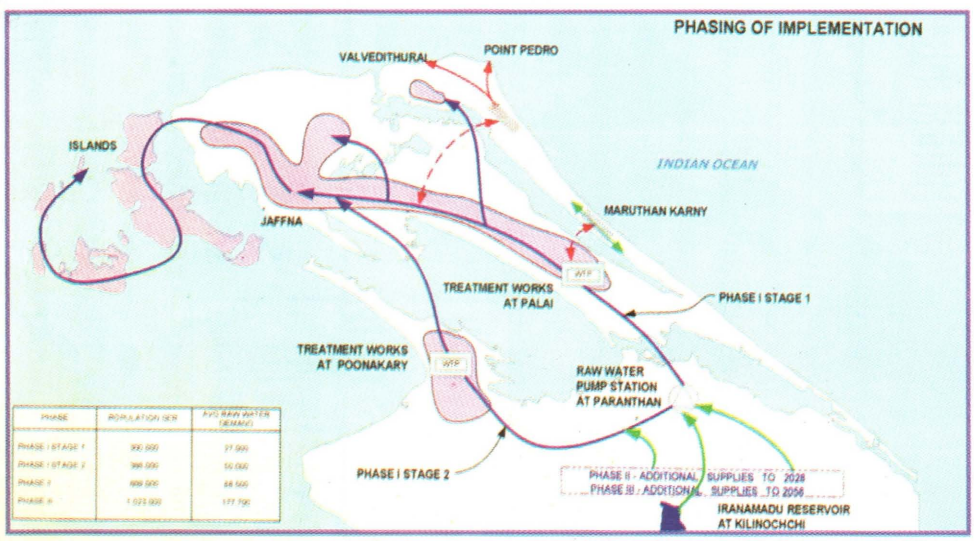
Legend

- MV lines constructed under Vadakkin Wasantham project.
- MV lines constructed before Vadakkin Wasantham project.
- Schemes constructed under Vadakkin Wasantham project.
- Vavuniya Grid Substation.

Projects

- Vavuniya to Jaffna 132 kV Transmission Line & two Grid Substations (Kilinochchi & Chunnakam) - Rs 6,759 Mn (ADB & JICA)
- Vadakkin Vasantham Distribution Development Project - Rs 5,297Mn
- Transmission Project, augmentation Vavuniya Grid Substation - Rs 7,024Mn

INFRASTRUCTURE/ WATER SUPPLY & DRAINAGE



S.No	Project Name	TEC (Mn)
1	Implementation of Major Jaffna Peninsula Water Supply Scheme (ADB Study – 2006)	20,000
2	Municipal Council Sewerage Scheme (ADB Study – 2006)	4,725
	Total	24,725

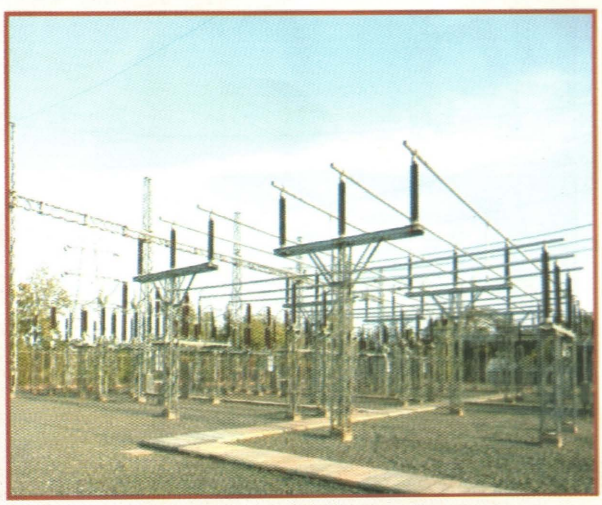
4.17 Ministry of Economic Development

DONOR FUNDED PROJECTS IN NORTHERN PROVINCE

Ongoing Multi Sectoral Donor Funded Projects
Ministry of Economic Development

PROJECT	Amount
World Bank (WB)	
RAP (Re Awaking Project) - WB	US$ 81.14 Mn
NEHRP (North East Housing Reconstruction Programme) - WB	US$ 143.41 Mn
ENReP (Emergency Northern Recovery Project) - WB	US $ 75.54 Mn
LGIIP (Local Government Infrastructure Improve. Project) – WB – Prov. Allocation	Rs 560 Mn
NELSIP (North East Local Services Improvement Project) - WB	US $ 86 Mn
Provincial Road Improvement Project – WB – Prov. Allocation	US $ 21 Mn
Asian Development Bank (ADB)	
Jaffna Kilinochchi Water Supply & Sanitation Project – ADB	US $ 195.94 Mn
NRCP (Northern Road Connectivity Project) – ADB – Prov. Allocation	US $ 28.23Mn
CARE (Conflict Affected Region Emergency Project) – ADB (Provincial Road Component)	US $ 39.80 Mn
NECORD – II (Supplementary Loan) – ADB-(agreement signed)	US $ 16.60 Mn
Dry Zone Water Supply & Sanitation Project – ADB	US $ 113.82 Mn
JICA	
PEACE (Pro-Poor Economic Advance and Community Enhancement Project) - JICA	US$ 24.44 Mn
GIZ – DETA Project	US$ 20 Mn



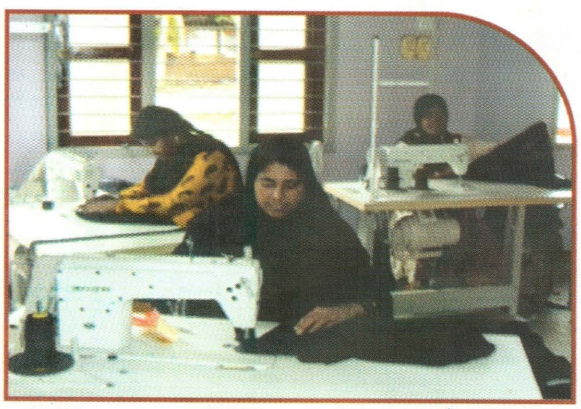


HE the President Mahinda Rajapaksa declared open the high tension electricity transmission line that connects the Northern Province to the national grid at the newly built Kilinochchi grid station.

Re- Awakening Project - Rap

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Department of Irrigation, Road Development Authority, Department of Agriculture, Provincial Councils –Central, Department of Animal Production Health & Divisional Secretaries
Commencement Date	:	January 2005
Completion Date	:	March 2013
Credit Amount	:	US $ 81.14 million (IDA– US $ 64.7 Million, GOSL– US $ 12.36 Million & Beneficiaries – US $ 4.08 Million)
Project Area	:	Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Mannar , Trincomalee, Batticaloa, Ampara, Anurathpura, Pollannaruwa, Puttalam & Monaragala
Project Scope	:	Help conflict affected communities in the North East Province and adjacent areas to restore livelihood, enhance agriculture and build income capacity for sustainable integration









North East Housing Reconstruction Programme - NEHRP

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Commencement Date	:	February 2005
Completion Date	:	December 2011
Credit Amount	:	US $ 143.409 million (IDA – US $ 121.2 Million, EEC – US $ 21.74 Million & GOSL– US $ 0.469 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Mannar, Trincomalee, Batticaloa & Ampara
Project Scope	:	Reconstruction of houses damaged due to the war, assisting the vulnerable among low income group to find permanent shelter





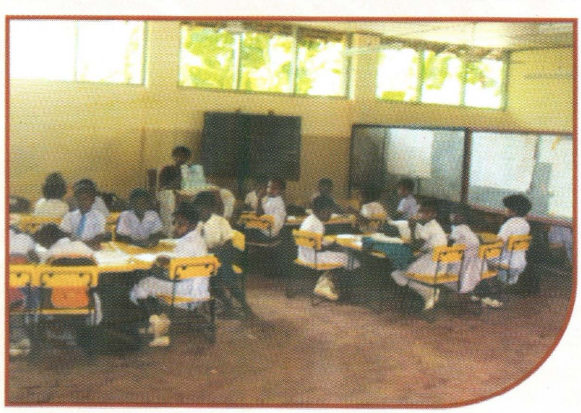
Emergency Northern Recovery Project - ENReP

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Commencement Date	:	January 2010
Completion Date	:	December 2012
Credit Amount	:	US $ 75.54 million (IDA – US $ 65 Million & AUSAID – US $ 10.54 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Mannar & Anuradhapura
Project Scope	:	Help the returnees resume farming and fishing activities, Generate immediate employment and rehabilitation of essential infrastructure facilities









Local Government Infrastructure Improvement Project - LGIIP

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Councils
Implementing Agency	:	Northern Provincial Council
Commencement Date	:	January 2006
Completion Date	:	April 2012
Credit Amount	:	LKR 560 million
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Vavuniya & Mannar
Project Scope	:	Improved urban management and living conditions for population in the Local Authority areas



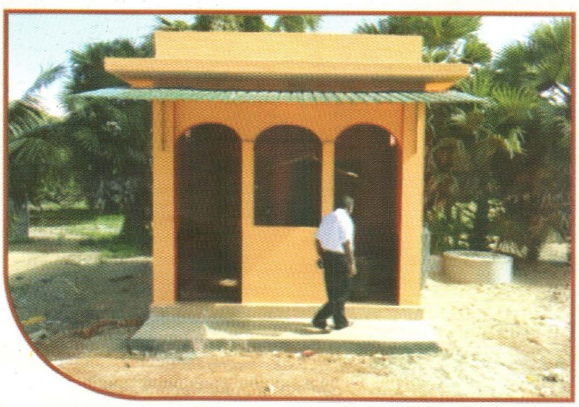



North East Local Service Improvement Project - NELSIP

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Councils
Implementing Agency	:	Provincial Council – North
Commencement Date	:	July 2010
Completion Date	:	December 2015
Credit Amount	:	US $ 86 million (WB– US $ 50 Million, GOSL– US $ 34 Million & Beneficiaries – US $ 2 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Mannar , Trincomalee, Batticaloa & Ampara
Project Scope	:	Infrastructure Service Delivery, Institutionalizing Accountabilities, Building Capacities, Assessment and Evaluation









PROVINCIAL ROADS PROJECT -PRP

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Councils
Implementing Agency	:	Provincial Council – North
Commencement Date	:	March 2010
Completion Date	:	March 2015
Credit Amount	:	US $ 21 Million
Project Area	:	Jaffna
Project Scope	:	Rehabilitation of 75 Kms of Provincial Roads





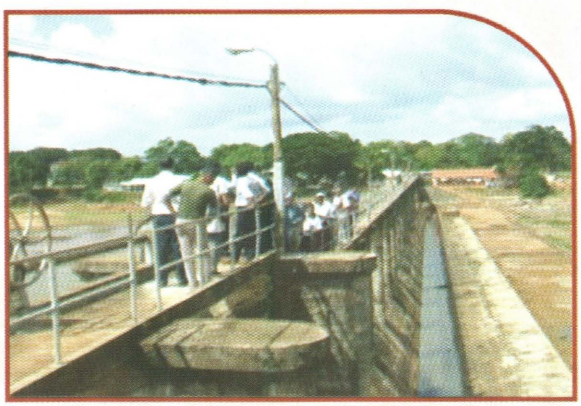




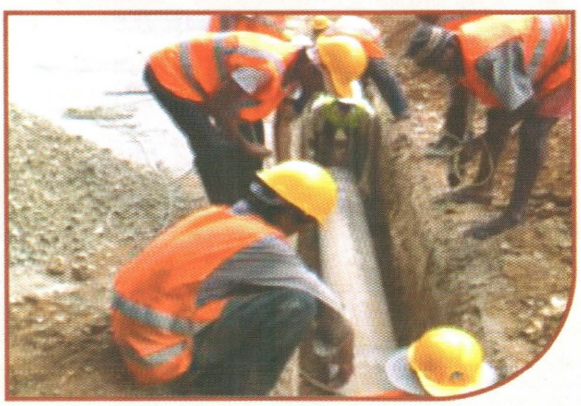
JAFFNA AND KILINOCHCHI WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION PROJECT

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Council Ministry of Water Supply and Drainage
Implementing Agency	:	National Water Supply and Drainage Board Northern Provincial Council
Commencement Date	:	February 2011
Completion Date	:	February 2016
Credit Amount	:	US $ 195.94 million (ADB – US $ 132.69 Million & GOSL – US $ 63.25 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna & Kilinochchi
Project Scope	:	provide safe drinking water to Jaffna and its surrounding urban and rural area.









NORTHERN ROADS CONNECTIVITY PROJECT
(NRCP – Provincial Road component))

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Council
Implementing Agency	:	Northern Provincial Council (NPC) – NPRDD
Commencement Date	:	October 2010
Completion Date	:	December 2015
Credit Amount	:	US $ 28.23 million (ADB – US $ 25.48 Million & GOSL – US $ 3.05 Million)
Project Area	:	Vavuniya & Mannar District
Project Scope	:	Rehabilitation of 140 Kms of Provincial Roads



Conflict Affected Region Emergency Project (CARE)

Executing Agency	:	Ministry Of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Northern Provincial Council (NPC) – NPRDD
Commencement Date	:	June 2010
Completion Date	:	June 2013
Credit Amount	:	US$ 39.80 million (Provincial Road - US$ 22.99 Million, MC/UC Roads, - US$ 14.15 Million, Additional allocation for Welioya region - US$ 02.66 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Kilinochchi,Mullaitivu , Vavuniya & Mannar
Project Scope	:	Rehabilitation of 170 Kms Roads





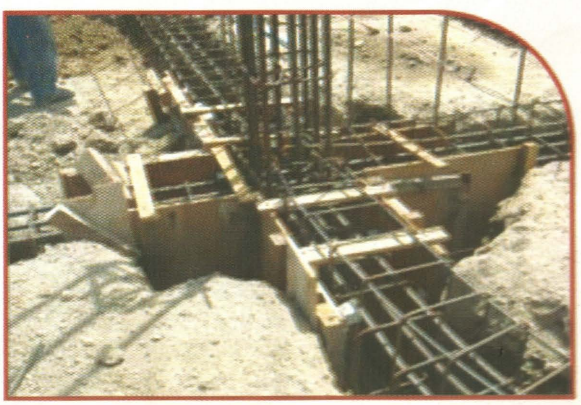




DRY ZONE WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION PROJECT

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Water Supply and Drainage
Implementing Agency	:	National Water Supply and Drainage Board
Commencement Date	:	July 2009
Completion Date	:	December 2013
Credit Amount	:	US $ 113.82 million (ADB – US $ 85 Million, & GOSL – US $ 28.82 Million)
Project Area	:	Vavuniya , Mannar & Puttalam
Project Scope	:	Improved Access to Safe drinking water & sanitation facilities









North East Community Restoration & Development Project – II Supplementary Loan (NECORD II Supplementary)

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Eastern & Northern Provincial Councils
Commencement Date	:	September 2010
Completion Date	:	December 2011
Credit Amount	:	US $ 16.6 million (ADB – US $ 12.8 Million & GOSL – US $ 3.8 Million)
Project Area	:	Jaffna, Kilinochchi , Mullaitivu , Vavuniya , Mannar & Trincomalee
Project Scope	:	Sub Project of the Community Development Component will redesign and rebuild the social and economic infrastructure facilities in the all sectors









Pro-Poor Economic Advancement and Community Enhancement Project - PEACE

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Commencement Date	:	February 2007
Completion Date	:	May 2011
Credit Amount	:	US $ 24.437 million (JPY – 1,721 Million, & LKR 387 Million)
Project Area	:	Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Mannar , Trincomalee, Batticaloa & Ampara
Project Scope	:	Increase production and productivity of 6,081 hec of irrigated land and increase income of 6,000 farm families









Development Oriented Emergency and Transition Aid - DETA

Executing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development
Implementing Agency	:	Ministry of Economic Development Northern Provincial Councils
Commencement Date	:	September 2010
Completion Date	:	August 2013
Credit Amount	:	€ 4.1 million
Project Area	:	Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu & Vavuniya
Project Scope	:	Support the reintegration of returning IDPs in the selected sub district of Vanni enable them to establish sustainable livelihoods.





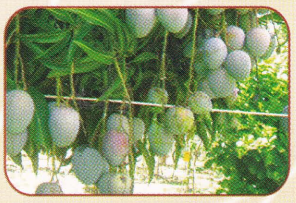


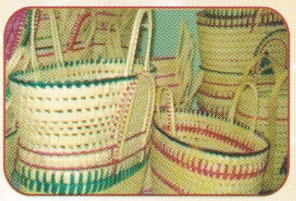
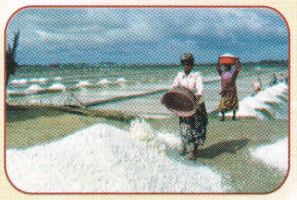


4.18 Potential Ventures

- Ice plants
- Nylon Fish Nets
- Canning of Fish and Prawns
- Cold storage plant
- Fibre glass boat production
- Fish Meal production
- Cattle feed and Poultry feed production
- Processed food products
- Dehydrated Potatoes and onions
- Fruit and vegetables processing
- Roofing tiles
- Clay bricks
- Mechanized carpentry
- Hotel Industries & tourism
- Glass Factory
- Coconut oil
- Gingily oil
- Bottling of toddy
- Straw boat production
- Leather products
- Agriculture implements
- Engineering workshops
- Medicinal herbs production
- Poultry products
- Ornamental Fish breeding
- Power Looms
- Aluminium Kitchen utensils
- Palmyrah products
  (Fibre, ornamental items, jaggery, toddy and arrack)
- Milk products
- Saltern
- Cement






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