

Ministry of Samurghi & Poverty Alleviation

Grant

Implementing Agency	Project	Agreement Date/Closing Date	Donor	Main activities	Currency	Amount in mn		In US\$ mn		Current Status
						Total grant	Dis. up to 30/03/05	Total grant	Dis. up to 30/03/05	
M/Samurghi & Poverty Alleviation	Community Development & Livelihood Improvement "Gemi Diriya" Project	29.07.2004 30.09.2008	WB	Enable the rural poor by improving their livelihood and quality of life.	SDR	34.2	0.66	51.7	1	<p>1. Development Grant Agreement between IDA and GOSL and the Project Agreement between IDA and Gemi Diriya Foundation signed on 29th July 2004.</p> <p>2. Subsidiary Grant Agreement between GOSL (MoF) and Gemi Diriya Foundation has been signed on 15th November 2004.</p> <p>3. DCA has been declared effective from 27th October 2004.</p> <p>4. 24 village organizations have been established and activities in progress. 1st batch of new village communities have been selected. ICE-Information, Education & Communication campaign has been started for villages in Badulla District.</p> <p>5. 11 proposals for community sub projects have been prepared. 09 have been appraised. 2 have been approved and 1st installment has been released to them.</p> <p>6. Capacity Building Fund - 1st installment has been released for 24 VOs and utilization is Rs. 1.3 million.</p> <p>7. Two infrastructure sub projects have been approved under Community & Social Infrastructure Facilities.</p>