

## THE DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSION FOR THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA IN SOUTHERN INDIA

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To: All well-wishers and members of the Sri Lankan community,

## Sourcing materials and funds for rescue and rehabilitation operations in Sri Lanka following catastrophic floods and landslides

In the aftermath of the devastating impact of the *Ditwah Cyclone* on Sri Lanka, the country is experiencing widespread calamities, including severe flooding and catastrophic landslides. These events have displaced thousands of individuals and caused extensive damage to lives, infrastructure, and livelihoods.

In this urgent context, the Government of Sri Lanka appeals to the Sri Lankan community and all well-wishers for financial contributions to support ongoing rescue, relief, and rehabilitation efforts.

Donations may be made to the following bank account:

Name of the Account :

Sri Lanka Deputy High Commission

Name of the Bank

Bank of Ceylon

Branch

Chennai

Account No

7580004693

Swift Code

BCEYIN5M

A formal acknowledgement of each financial contribution will be issued by the Deputy High Commission of Sri Lanka, Chennai.

In addition to monetary assistance, donations of the following essential rescue materials will be greatly appreciated;

No.	Item	Quantity
1	Mega Phone	250
2.	Rescue Rope	100
3.	Re Chargeable Torch	750
4.	Rescue Tube	350
5.	Search Light	585
6.	Safety Helmet	750
7.	Helmet with lamp	625
8.	Head mount torch	1,250
9.	Spine Board	125
10.	Submersible Water Pump	750
11.	Mobile Water Pump	50
12.	Boat with Engine capacity exceeding 40HP	50
13.	Chain Saw	207
14.	Flash Light	405
15.	Generators	250
16.	Harness	65
17.	Life Jackets	1,435
18.	Gum Boot	7,500
19.	Mobile Toilets	500

## For Agriculture Sector

No.	Item	Estimated cost in Million	
1.	Rehabilitation of affected paddy lands, vegetable and other crop cultivations	15,250	
2.	Rehabilitation of Minor Tanks	4,800	
3.	Rehabilitation of Anicuts	900	
4.	Rehabilitation of Canals	1,800	
5.	Rehabilitation of Minor Irrigation Systems	8,340	
6.	Fertilizer for 510,000 ha of recently cultivated paddy lands which have been washed off due to the recent floods. The following amount are required for recultivation		
	Urea	112,000MT	
	TSP	30,000MT	
	MOP	30,000MT	

Prospective donors may contact the Sri Lanka Deputy High Commission in Chennai through the following channels;

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Rescue material donations are requested on an urgent basis, preferably before 02<sup>nd</sup> December 2025.

Your contribution at this critical hour of need is sincerely appreciated.

Dr. Ganesanathan Geathiswaran Deputy High Commissioner