



The Project for Irrigation System for Promotion of Cotton Production

(Grant Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects)

Country Saint Christopher and Nevis



Field Agriculture, Irrigation

Grant Amount Up to 97,056 US dollars

Signing of Grant Contract March 29th, 2010

Recipient Nevis Sea Island Cotton Producers Cooperative Society Ltd

Project Site Indian Castle, Nevis Island

Outline of the Project

The purpose of this project is to support the work programme of Sea Island Cotton Producers Cooperative Society Ltd, as it seeks to improve the production of Sea Island Cotton and to increase the financial status of the cotton growers.

The grant was used for the establishment of proper irrigation for cotton, including the purchase of water tubes, shut off valves, a pump and filtration.

It is believed that the cotton industry will eventually replace the sugar industry via efforts like those initiated by this project, and the implementation of this project contributes significantly to improving Nevis' economic situation.

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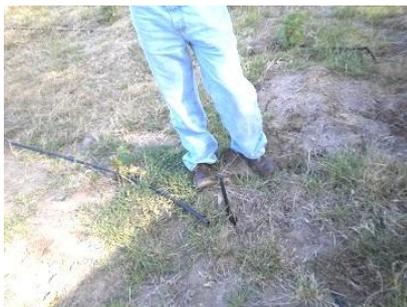
Cotton Field (Mar, 2011)



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Irrigation System (Mar, 2011)



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