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PRESS RELEASE

Japanese Government Funds Project for Renovating the Hurricane Shelter and the Storm Drain in Vulnerable Communities in Commonwealth of Dominica

The signing ceremony for the Grant Assistance for the Grass-roots Human Security Project (GGP) entitled “The Project for Renovating the Hurricane Shelter and the Storm Drain in Vulnerable Communities” will take place at 14:00 p.m. on February 26, 2015, at the Dominica Association of Local Community Authorities, Inc.(DALCA), Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica. Dominica Association of Local Community Authorities, Inc. will receive a grant of up to US\$84,513 from the Government of Japan for the renovation of the Hurricane Shelter and the Storm Drain, which will be used for the community of Fond Cole and Bagatelle in the Commonwealth of Dominica.

Mr. Takafumi Ura, Second Secretary of the Embassy of Japan and Mr. Yoland JNO-JULES, Director, Dominica Association of Local Community Authorities, Inc., will be in attendance for the ceremony. Honourable Gloria Shillingford, Minister for Social Services, Community Development & Gender Affairs is also expected to attend the ceremony.

The Government of Japan welcomes further opportunities to work with the Government and the people of the Commonwealth of Dominica, all with a view to strengthening the bonds of friendship and mutual understanding which exist between the two countries.

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