

PRESS RELEASE

JAPAN PROVIDES US\$70,821 FOR THE PROJECT OF THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING TO IDARA AL-KHAIR WELFARE SOCIETY IN KARACHI, SINDH.

KARACHI:

The Government of Japan extended **a grant of US\$70,821 (approx. Rs. 6 million)** to Idara Al-Khair Welfare Society for the project for the reconstruction of Al-Khair School at New Karachi, Sindh, under the scheme of the Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects (GGP).

The Agreement was signed in Karachi **by Mr. Masaharu Sato, Consul General of Japan, Karachi and Mr. Mohammad Mazahir, President of Idara Al-Khair Welfare Society.**

The Grant will be utilized for the renovation of the unutilized school building to accommodate outnumbered students due to the growing demand in the local communities of free education.

The Consulate General of Japan sincerely hopes that this project will help raise the standard of education and improve the literacy rate in the less privileged area. We also wish that this support from the people of Japan will strengthen the present amicable relationship between Japan and Pakistan.

At the signing ceremony, Mr. Masaharu Sato, Consul General, said that the better implementation of this project will surely be a driving force for the provision of educational opportunities to children in low-income groups.

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