

Grant Assistance for Japanese NGO Projects

Grant contract signing ceremony for the Establishment of the comprehensive rural healthcare support model in Lilongwe district

13th December, 2012



Top: His Excellency Fujio Samukawa and Ms. Yuko Harada signing contracts

Bottom: His Excellency Fujio Samukawa and Ms. Yuko Harada exchanging contracts whilst Mr. Humphreys Masuku looks on.

On 13th December 2012, the Embassy of Japan in Malawi hosted a grant contract signing ceremony for the Establishment of the Comprehensive rural Healthcare support Model in Lilongwe District. The ceremony was graced by Mr. Humphreys Masuku, Deputy Director of Preventive Health Services (EH) in the Ministry of Health. The grant contract was signed between His Excellency Fujio Samukawa, Ambassador of Japan to Malawi and Ms. Yuko Harada, Project Manager, Nippon International Cooperation for Community Development (NICCO).

Based on the grant contract signed, the Government of Japan provides NICCO with funds amounting to **USD518, 089.00 (MK165, 788, 480.00 at present value)** for the implementation of the first phase of the project scheduled from December 2012 to December 2013. NICCO plans to carry out various activities in areas of malaria prevention, Bilharzias prevention, construction of protected wells and ecological sanitation toilets, and mobile clinic services by a Japanese Medical doctor and nurse in Traditional Authority Malili in Lilongwe District.