

## Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects

### Handover Ceremony for the Project for Supply of Safe Water to T/A Wimbe and Santhe in Kasungu District (Pump Aid Malawi)

11th October, 2012



Top Left: His Excellency Fujio Samukawa pumps water in the presence of the community leaders and district officials.  
Down Right: All the stakeholders show their pleasure of the project completion.

On 11th October, 2012 His Excellency Fujio Samukawa, Ambassador of Japan to Malawi attended a hand-over ceremony organized by Pump Aid Malawi to launch 85 Elephant Pumps. The Government of Japan awarded Pump Aid Malawi a grant amounting to \$112,097 for the project for supply of safe water in T/A Santhe and Wimbe in Kasungu district. The project supported construction of Elephant Pumps and trainings of water point committees. An Elephant Pump is a protected shallow well built using locally available materials. It is expected that the 85 Elephant Pumps will improve access to safe water and also reduce occurrence of water-borne diseases among more than 11,000 beneficiaries.