



<p>Assignment Name: Supplementary Environmental Impact Assessment for the Proposed Colombo Port City Development Project</p>	<p>Country: Sri Lanka Location within Country: Colombo</p>																								
<p>Consultant : Center for Research & Development, Central Engineering Consultancy Bureau Ministry of Mahaweli Development & Environment</p>	<p>Client : CHEC Port City Colombo Pvt. Ltd. Project Proponent : Ministry of Megapolis & Western Development</p>																								
<p>Associate Consultants: GSMB Technical Services (Pvt.) Ltd. National Aquatic Resources and Research Agency Lanka Hydraulic Institute Ltd. Uni-Consultants, University of Moratuwa</p>	<p>Approx. Value of Services(in Rs): 5.9 Million Project Cost: 1.4 Billion USD</p>																								
<p>Start Date (Month/Year): 25th September 2015</p>	<p>Names of sub-consultants involved Mr. W. Wijesooriya - Independent EIA Specialist Prof. Pathirana - Civil Eng./ Model Studies Mr. Nishan Perera - Marine Biologist Eng. K. Weerasinghe - GIS Specialist</p>																								
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<p>Narrative Description of Project: Expansion of the Colombo Central Business District by reclaiming the sea was originally proposed under the Government-initiated Western Region Megapolis Regional Structure Plan dated July 2004. The Colombo CBD was to be expanded to release lands for real estate development by: (a)Reclaiming 145 ha of land from the sea to the South of the proposed Colombo South Port breakwater by 2010 (b)Relocating port related activities at the existing Jaye Container Terminals (JCT) to the Colombo South Port, releasing around 76 ha of land for real estate development, and (c)Creation of 221 ha of new waterfront lands adjacent to the Colombo Port, which includes a marketable land extent of 139.5 ha, to meet the real estate needs of Colombo CBD up to 2030</p>																									
<p>Description of Actual Services Provided by Your Staff: SEIA study was carried out for the expansion of the reclamation area of the Colombo Port City project from an area of 200 ha to 269 ha, together with the impacts of extraction of sand from the identified borrow areas and quarry material required for the entire landfill and protective works. The objective of the SEIA Study is to identify the areas that are environmentally sensitive and evaluate the various alternate technologies and approaches that can be adopted to minimise the negative impacts and enhance the benefits. The staff provided covers the following disciplines;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil, Geological and Geotechnical Engineering • Environmental Management and Environmental Testing • Ecology & Sociological Studies 	 <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Reclaimed area prior to suspension</i></p>																								

