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Release of Mobilisation Advance for Nine Projects under High Impact Community Development Projects (HICDPs)- Phase II

An amount of MVR 5.95 million has been released today by Government of India as mobilisation advance for nine community development projects. The agreements were signed during the visit of Foreign Minister of Maldives H.E. Abdulla Shahid to India on July 11, 2023. The projects, aimed at benefiting the local communities directly, are as follows:

- Development of Mental Health Unit at R. Ungoofaaruu Hospital
- Development of Volley Court in Sh. Kanditheemu
- Establishment of Geydhoshu Mas Plant in M. Dhiggaru
- Procurement of Furniture and Equipment for Sh. Foakaidhoo Community Centre
- School Digitalization Project in Th. Vilufushi
- Upgrading F.Nilandhoo Hospital
- Upgrading of school computer lab
- Utheemu Palace Roof Preservation and Development of Palace Surroundings Project
- Installation of Street Lights in GA. Kondey

2. India has extended a total grant of MVR 361 million for executing community development projects in Maldives. Till now, India has partnered with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, relevant Ministries and local governments to undertake 65 projects in Maldives across 21 atolls. These 65 projects relate to fields of sports, education, health, civic amenities, fisheries, tourism and culture - areas close to the Maldivian hearts. Of these, 27 projects have already been completed and 5 are nearing completion.
