Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects Handing Over Ceremony of

'The Project for Improvement of Water Supply and Sanitation for Kmaga Community'

On 13th August, 2019, a Handing Over Ceremony for 'The Project for Improvement of Water Supply and Sanitation for Kmaga Community' was held at Maringe District in Isabel Province. The ceremony was attended by approximately 300 people including Ambassador Shigeru Toyama, Provincial Senior Health Inspector, Deputy Premier and Director of Provincial Medical and Health Services.

The Government of Japan supported the community through grant assistance amounting to US\$62,500 (SBD\$498,125) to install the new water supply system(2 dams, 2 storage tanks, 30 stand pipes and pipelines) and 30 public toilets. Through the project, about 60 households/500 people will be able to get the better access of safer water and reduce water-borne diseases.

Ambassador Toyama said in his remarks, 'I am very glad that this project freed particularly women and children from those daily tasks and contribute to improve the public health service in your community.' The community performed Japanese National Anthem for the people of Japan and the chief appreciated the support by the Japanese government.







