

**A Memorandum of Cooperation (MoC) signed
between NILIM and NBRO of Sri Lanka, concerning joint research and development
in the field of landslide and sediment disaster risk management**

On January 24th, The National Institute for Land and Infrastructure Management (NILIM) and The National Building Research Organization (NBRO) of Sri Lanka exchanged a Memorandum of Cooperation (MoC) in the field of landslide and sediment disaster risk management

<Outline of the exchange of MoC>

Date: January 24th, 2018

Place: Ministry of Disaster Management of Sri Lanka

Signer: Director-General of NILIM, Dr. Koichi Fujita

Director-General of NBRO, Dr. Asiri Karunawardena

<Purpose of Cooperation>

1. To promote and maintain close relationship between NBRO and NILIM
2. To carry out and facilitate exchange of information in the field of landslide and sediment disaster risk management

<Scope of Cooperation>

1. Landslide and sediment disaster hazard mapping including numerical simulation
2. Early warning for landslide and sediment disaster
3. Slope protection works including survey, design and construction

* NBRO is an institute which works under the Ministry of Disaster Management of Sri Lanka and deals with early warning system, hazard maps, and measures to landslide and sediment disaster. NBRO covers a wide range of fields such as environmental science, housing planning, geotechnical engineering and building material engineering.

