

Message from Mr. Cho, Kyu Chan, Resident Representative of KOICA

It is my honor and pleasure to forward this felicitation message to the Association of KOICA Fellows in Sri Lanka (AKOFE) to be published in its web site.

AKOFE was founded on July 21, 1999 as an association of ex-participants who have been to Korea for their participation in fellowship and scholarships programs under KOICA's technical cooperation program. AKOFE annually organizes and conducts charity activities towards marginal communities in local area in Sri Lanka. In addition, annual get-together of members of KOICA, AKOFE members and Korean community in Sri Lanka is held with the support from KOICA in order to consolidate mutual friendship between our two countries. In addition, AKOFE has gained better recognition among the ex-participants of KOICA and wider acceptance in the Korean communities in recent years for its commitment towards promoting a spirit of fellowship among members.

Over the past 14 years members of the association have shown great interest and enthusiasm for the development of the friendly relations between Korea and Sri Lanka. Its further active role and support will make solid and strategic relations of two countries in coming years, I believe. As a Resident Representative of KOICA Sri Lanka Office, I am so proud to commend on the invaluable contributions made by all AKOFE members again and again and hope to work with them more closely during my tenure in Sri Lanka.

I take this opportunity to wish AKOFE all success and the very best in all its future endeavours.

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