

# GUIDELINE FOR JAPAN'S GRANT ASSISTANCE FOR GRASSROOTS HUMAN SECURITY PROJECTS (THE GGP/KUSANONE)

## 1. What is GGP?

Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects (GGP) is a small-scale assistance scheme offered by the Government of Japan since 1989. It provides financial support to non-profit organisations for implementing projects aimed at economic and social development at the grassroots level in areas such as health, education and poverty relief.

## 2. Applicants

Eligible	Not Eligible
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● NGOs (both local and international)</li> <li>● Local government offices</li> <li>● Educational institutions</li> <li>● Medical institutions</li> </ul> <p>With <b>at least 2 years</b> background of operation in the sector of the proposed project in Mauritius</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Individuals</li> <li>● Profit organisations</li> </ul>

## 3. What GGP funds and does not fund (examples)

Funds	Does not funds
(1) Construction/Renovation of buildings (2) Procurement of equipment (3) Technical or educational training/workshops to complement the above (1) and/or (2) activities	(1) Office and administrative expenses (2) Running and maintenance costs of equipment and facilities (3) Academic Research (4) Consumables (5) VAT (6) Only soft components such as capacity building and advocacy

## 4. Available Funds

The maximum grant amount per project is 10 million Japanese yen (approximately MUR 2.8 million).

## 5. How to Apply

If you are interested in applying for GGP, please do not hesitate to contact the Embassy of Japan before applying.

An applicant is requested to:

- (1) Fill in the application form and prepare required documents.
- (2) Submit a complete set of application documents to the Embassy of Japan in Mauritius by email (NOT ACCEPTABLE BY POST OR DROP-OFF).

Email: [ggpmauritius@mx.mofa.go.jp](mailto:ggpmauritius@mx.mofa.go.jp)

Subject: GGP Application: *Your organisation's name*

Attachment: Please refer to 'GGP Checklist for application'.

\*Kindly note that size of one message including attachments should be less than 10MB.

For further information and questions, please contact:

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