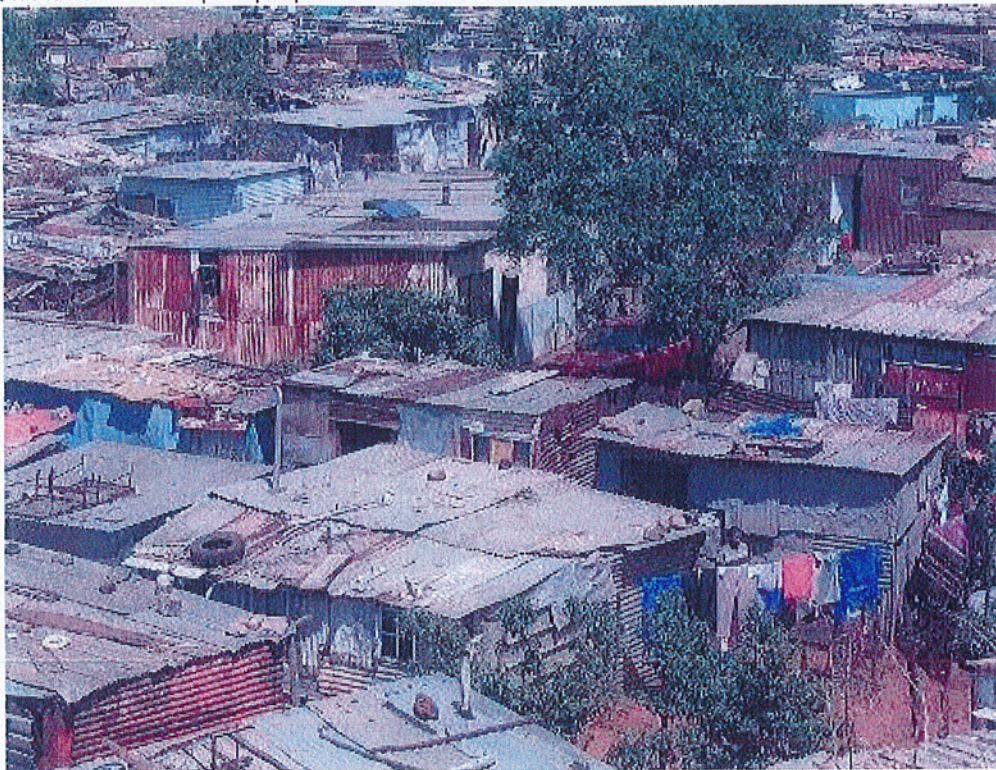


Projects of the Rathanathissa Peace Foundation

Preamble:

Sri Lanka is a beautiful country, an island blessed with natural beauty. It has a population of 21 million, but unfortunately, 9% of that population lives below the world poverty line which is an income of less than US\$ 1 per day! Per capita income in Sri Lanka is US\$ 10 per day. Couple this with the fact that 80% of the poor with an income of less than US\$ 3 per day live in rural areas, one can speak of a structural problem that can only be resolved by giving a helping hand to these poor people to get a foundation to build on to better their lives.

This is how the real poor people in Sri Lanka live:



There is no electricity, water or drainage for these shanties and the health conditions are horrible. Thousands of children die of malnutrition and sicknesses such as Dengue, kidney failure and diarrhoea every year due to lack of sanitation and health care.

We don't want to get entangled with the politics of Sri Lanka, therefore, what we would like to do is bundle our efforts to help these poor souls to get out of the hellhole that they're living in so that they receive a fighting chance to live in a humane and dignified manner.

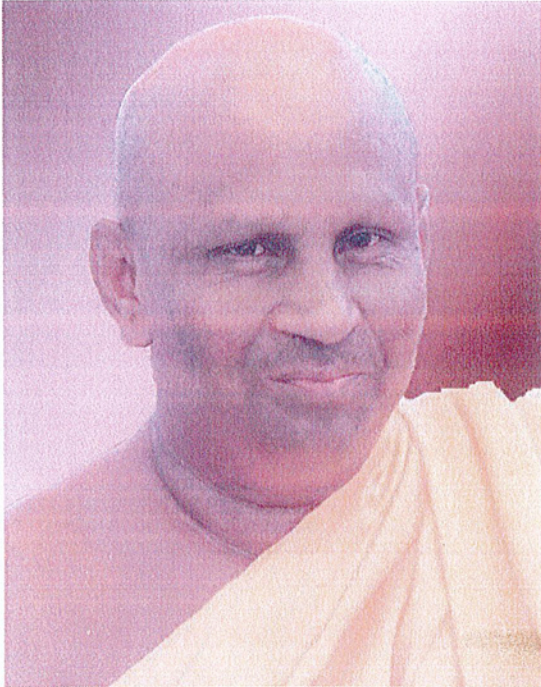
Sri Wapikaramaya in Palukadawala, Sri Lanka is a well-known Buddhist Temple in the country, famous for the site where the tallest Standing Buddha Statue of the world is being built. For details please refer to: <http://www.palukadawalabuddhaprathimawa.com/>

The prelate of this temple is the Venerable Eriyawe Rathanathissa Thero, a well-respected Buddhist monk for his service and help to the poor and misfortunate people of Sri Lanka. He is a man of very

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simple means, lives in the said temple with minimum needs and has offered his life to help poor people. He works tirelessly and round the clock to help the needy.



Venerable Rathanathissa Thero.

He is also the Main Organizer and Managing Director of the Rathanathissa Peace Foundation, holding offices at the same temple, stated above. This foundation is duly registered under registration number 301/15/02/72 since 02-01-2010 with the Sri Lankan authorities.

The goals of the Rathanathissa Peace Foundation are:

- To construct 10,000 houses for homeless people in Sri Lanka;
- To construct 100 Religious Worshipping venues in Sri Lanka;
- To give annual alms to 100 Buddhist Monks in Sri Lanka;
- To provide medical help to poor people in Sri Lanka;
- To provide scholarships for poor children in Sri Lanka;
- To set free cattle designated for slaughter;
- To conduct Buddhist religious classes and provide pre-schooling for children of poor families;
- To teach children to honour their parents.

Building houses for homeless in Sri Lanka:

As said earlier, the majority of people living in Sri Lanka are poor and have no house to live in. They have constructed shanties where ever they can and live in inhumane conditions. The Thero has set a goal of building 500,000 small houses for them so that they can live under humane conditions and educate their children.

Each house will have two bedrooms, one for the parents and one for the children, a living room/dining room, a kitchen and an outside toilet. He plans to build them with the help of the

villagers so that costs will be kept to a minimum. He has already built several hundred houses in this manner with the meagre means that he has gathered so far from generous donors. Each such house will cost US\$ 11.121,40 to build, therefore, he needs US\$ 111.214.000 in donations to achieve his goal.



The old house Villagers helping to build Ven. Rathanathissa Thero The new house

This is a the difference that you will make in the lives of these poor people with your generous donation. Please help!

Constructing Places of Worship in Sri Lanka:



Buddhist monks have taken a vow of poverty, so they have no income. They depend on donations for everything, including food and lodgings. They live in temples and preach their religion to the devoted believers of Buddhism. It's a struggle to survive as earlier said, Sri Lanka is a poor country and the devotees have nothing to give. They really need help to live.

Therefore Rathanathissa Thero has set a goal of building 100 worship venues (temples, kovils and mosques) in as much villages so that hundreds of thousands of people would be able to visit a temple in their neighbourhood to practice their religion instead of travelling long distances to find a temple.

Each venue will cost US\$ 9.680, therefore, the Thero needs US\$ 968.000 to achieve his goal.

To give annual alms to 100 Buddhist Monks:



This is a big event in the Wapikaramaya temple, to give alms to 100 Buddhist monks. The whole village participates in this ceremony for two days, one day for chanting prayers through the night and the following day for the almsgiving. This cost US\$ 100.000 per annum.

Please understand that this in contrast to the afore stated projects is a reoccurring project annually. Therefore an undertaking from you to help this project annually is greatly appreciated.

Medical help for poor people:

Although Sri Lanka officially has free health care for it's citizens, the hospitals have no medicine and have to be bought by the patients from outside pharmacies. This is a huge problem for the sick as they have to choose between food and medicine as they can't afford

both. Therefore, Rathanathissa Thero is trying now for years to help the sick people of his community to get medical help which in a lot of cases means life and death literally.



All these people are waiting to be helped by doctors and nurses who donate their time voluntarily. This project will cost **US\$ 70.000** annually.

Providing scholarships for students:

As Health care, education in Sri Lanka is also supposed to be free. Unfortunately, that doesn't happen in real life, parents have to pay the school to get a child admitted, then they have to pay monthly school fees and their books and other paraphernalia that the child needs and all sorts of other donations are asked, for example to pay the electricity bill of the school.

These poor parents can't afford that. So the Thero has developed a scheme to identify students who have the capability to study well and help them with their education. This project will cost **US\$ 20.000 per annum**. If more donations are forthcoming, he will be able to help more children.



A child receiving the books he needs for the calendar year for schooling.

To set free cattle designated for slaughter:

Buddhists don't believe in killing animals for food or any other reason. They don't believe in taking a life of any form. Therefore, they try to set as many cattle as they can free which are designated to be slaughtered for food.



The Thero buys the cattle from the butcher for the market price and set them free so that they can live. This is seen as a good deed in Buddhism. In the above photo, you see the butcher offering the cow with its ownership papers to Rathanathissa Thero in exchange for money.

The Thero wants to set at least 100 cattle free in the coming calendar year. It costs US\$ 670 to buy one cow/bull from a butcher. Therefore, this project will cost US\$ 67.000 for the coming calendar year.

To conduct Buddhist religious classes and provide pre-schooling for children of poor families:

Just as the normal education of the children is a problem, the pre-schooling of little children from the age of 3-5 is also a problem in Sri Lanka. It is important to give them this pre-education before starting school as then, they don't start with a handicap with regards to children who have received pre-school or Montessori education.

This is a pretty expensive project to conduct as the teachers and equipment needed for such a program is costly and unlike in higher education where at least the teachers are paid by the government, in pre-school, everything including the teachers have to be privately funded. This project will cost US\$ 150.000 per year.

To teach children to honour their parents:

It is important to educate the children to honour their parents who do everything in their power to provide them with everything they need as well as they possibly can. The Thero has designed a special program to educate the children in how and why they should honour their parents.



This project will cost US\$ 3.000 per year.

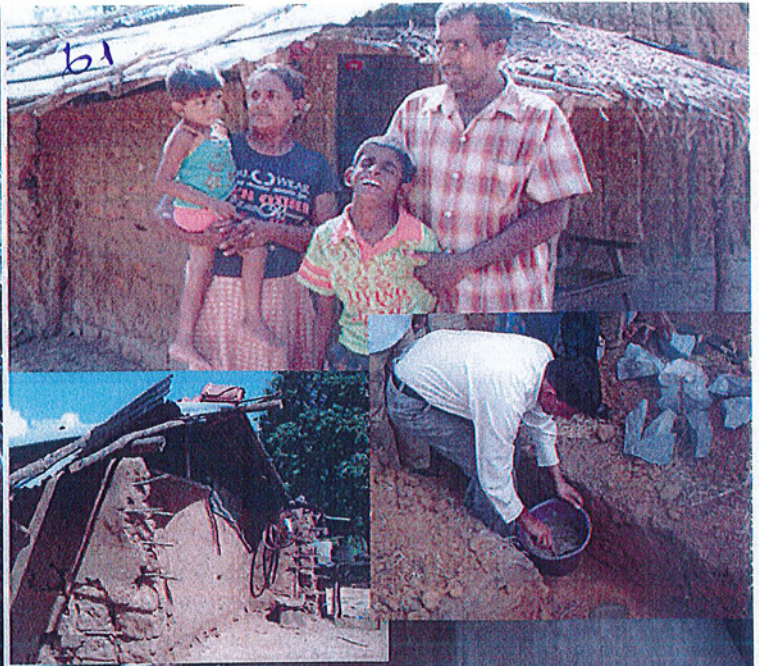
Summary:

Summarizing, the venerable Rathanathissa Thero is seeking the below aid from you to help the poor families in his community:

Project	Cost
Housing	US\$ 111.214.000
Temples	US\$ 968.000
Alms giving	US\$ 100.000
Medical help	US\$ 70.000
Scholarships	US\$ 20.000
Rescuing cattle	US\$ 67.000
Pre-school	US\$ 150.000
Honouring parents	US\$ 3.000
Total projects cost	US\$ 112.525.000

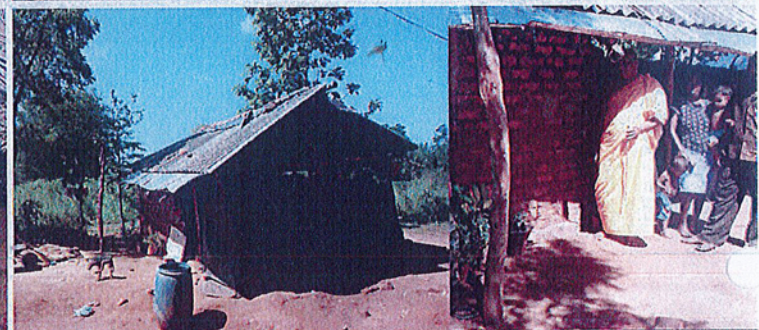
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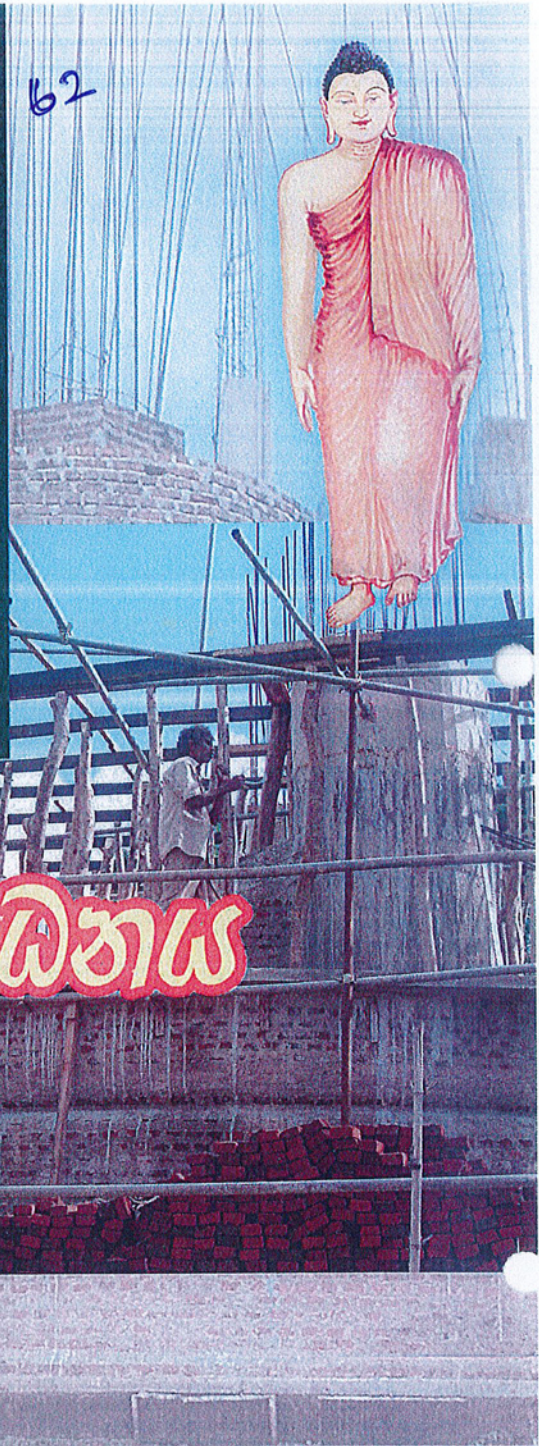
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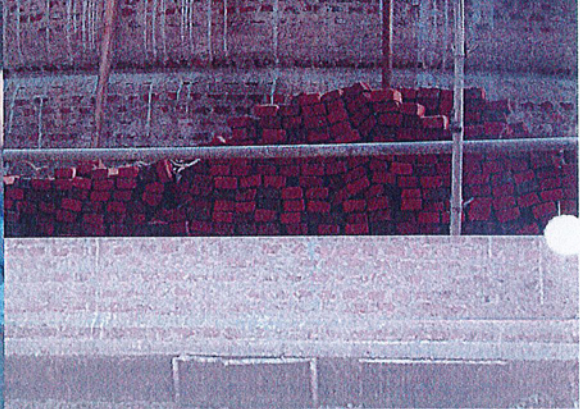


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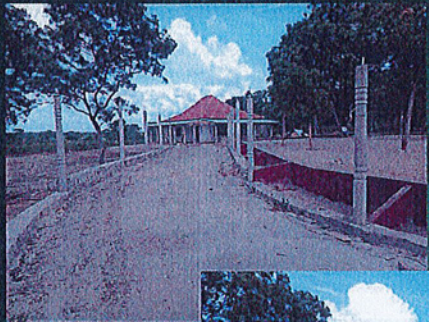
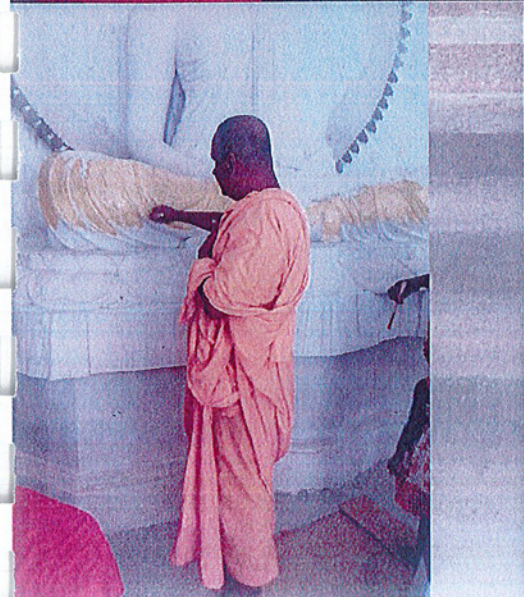
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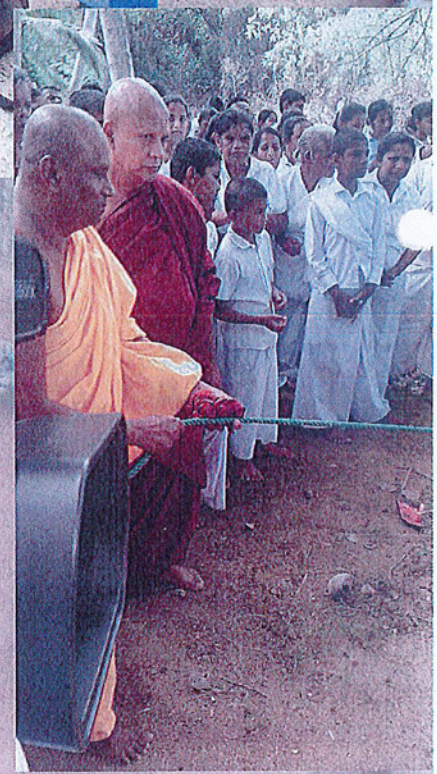
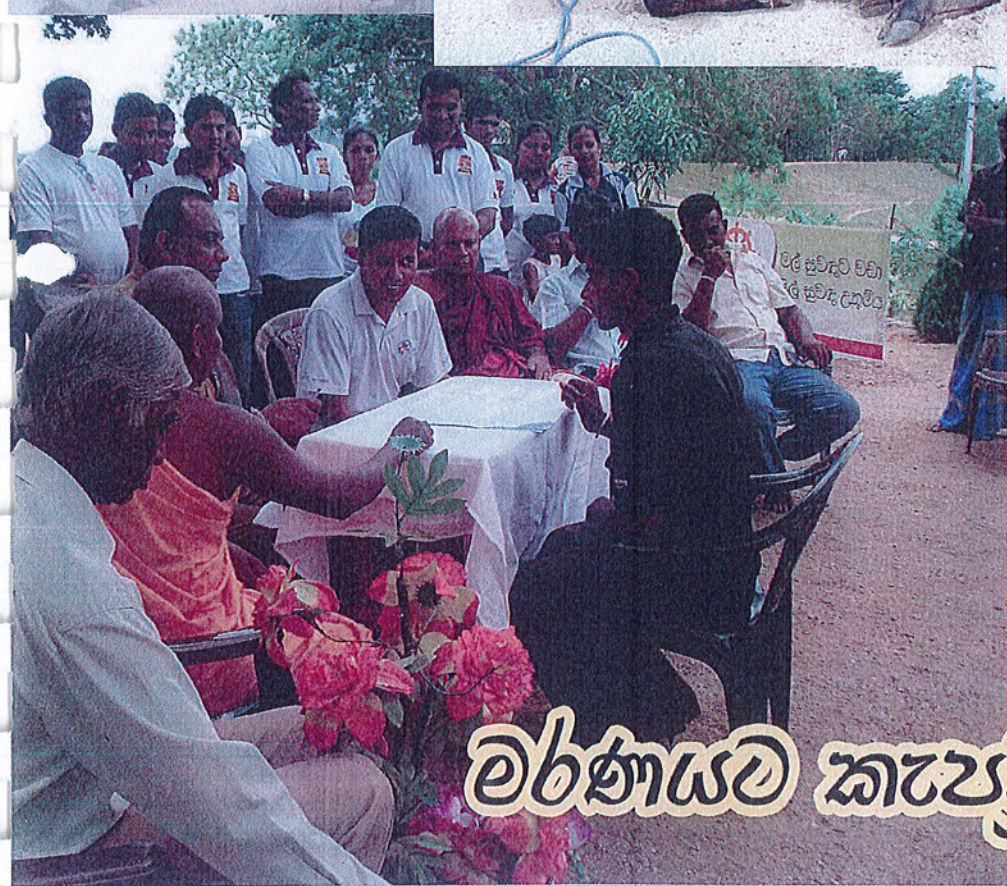
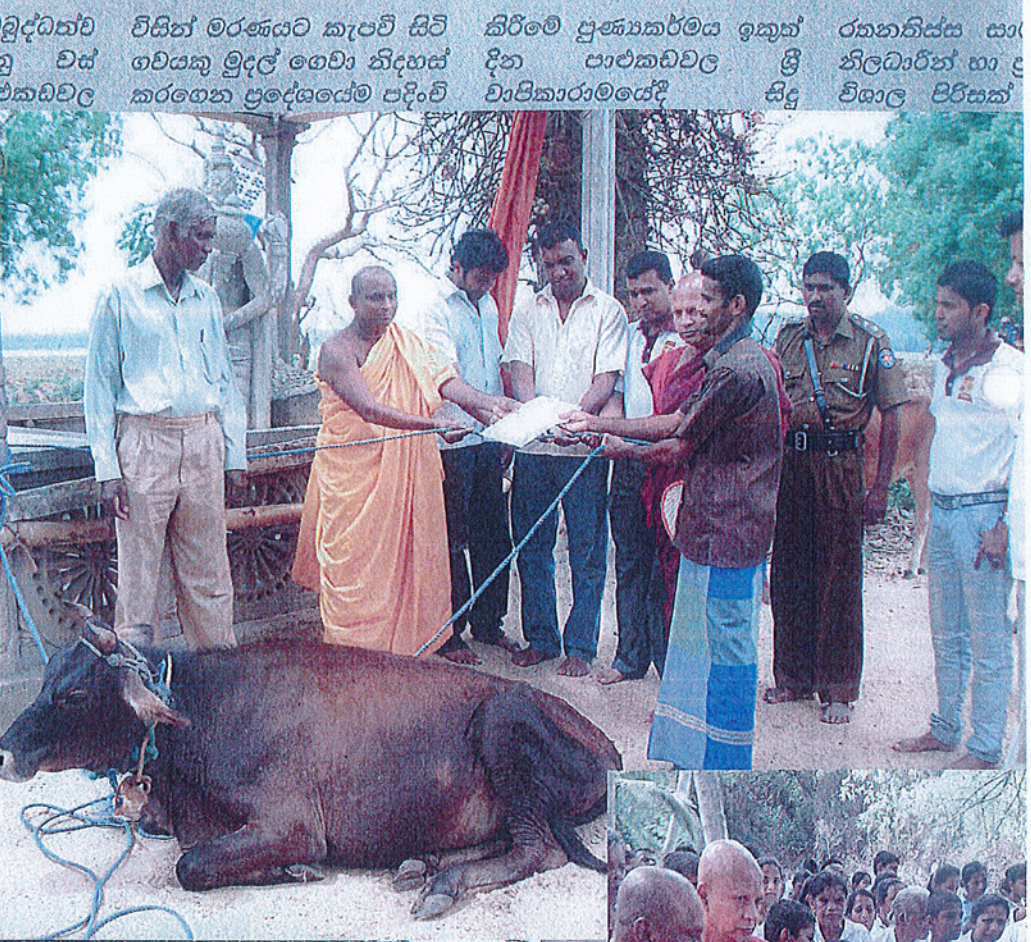
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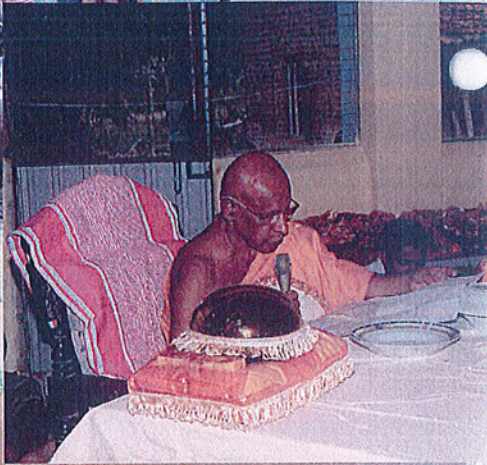
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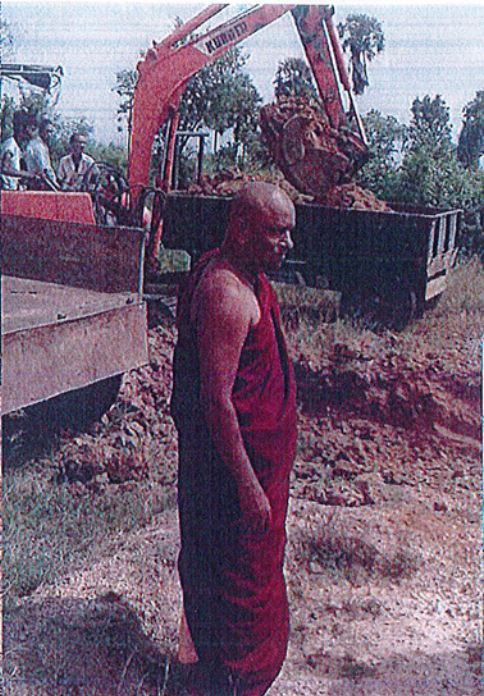
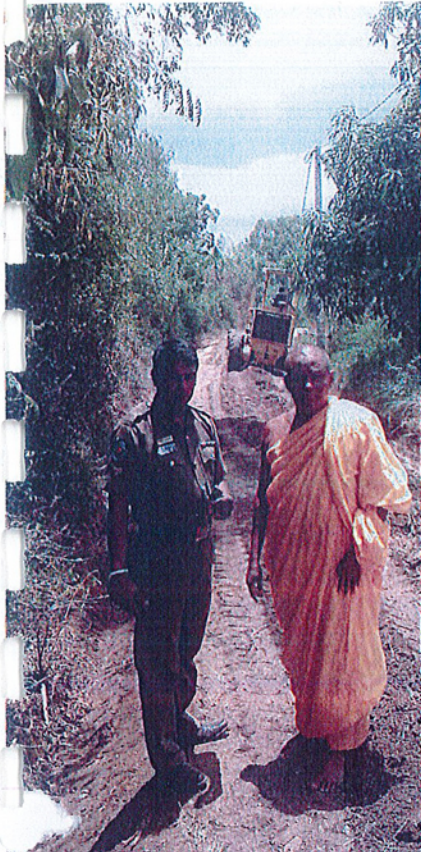
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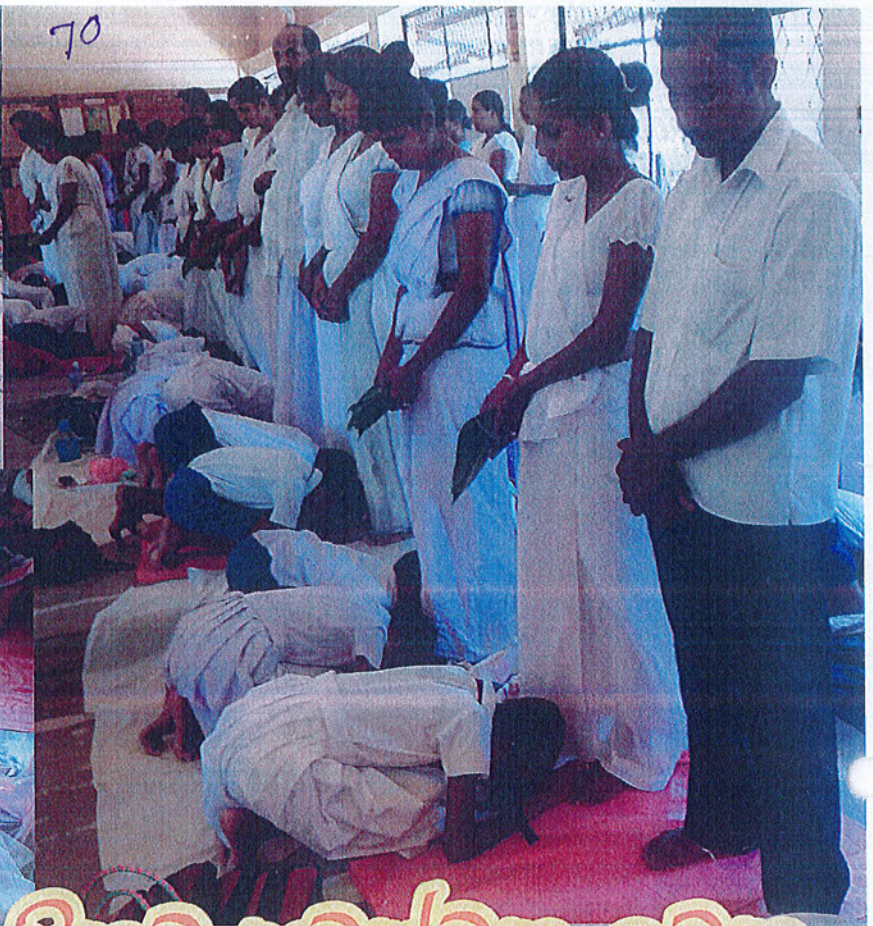


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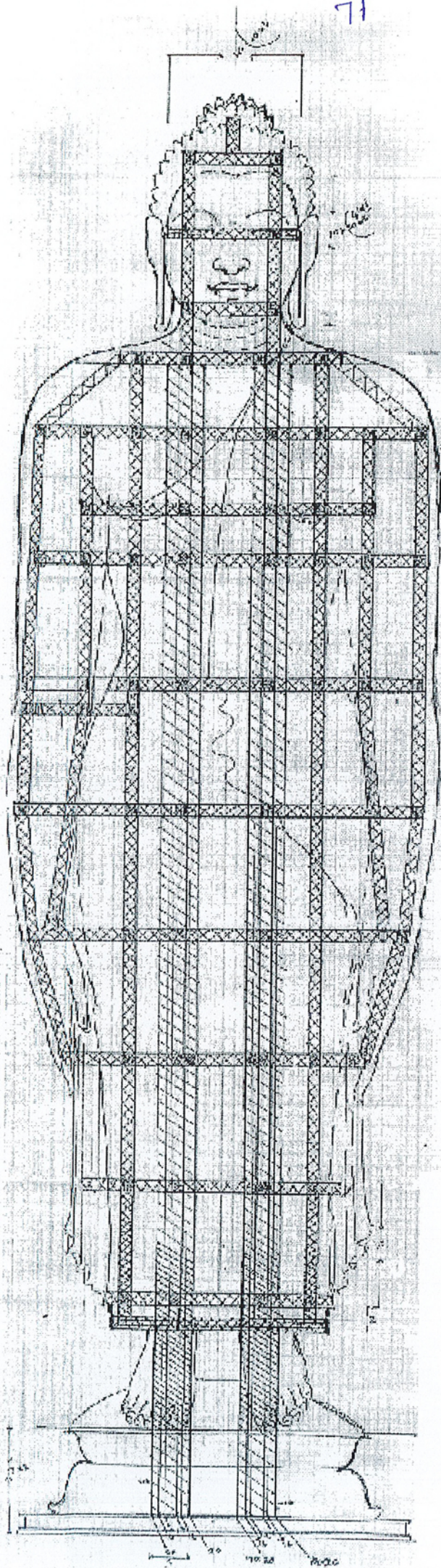


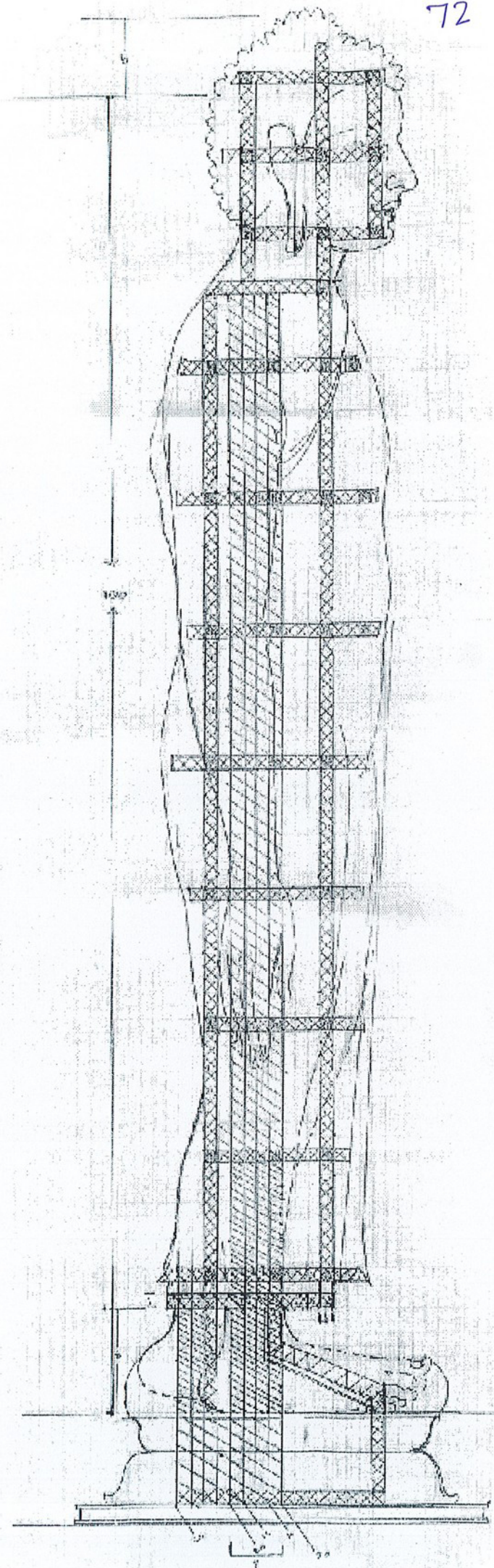
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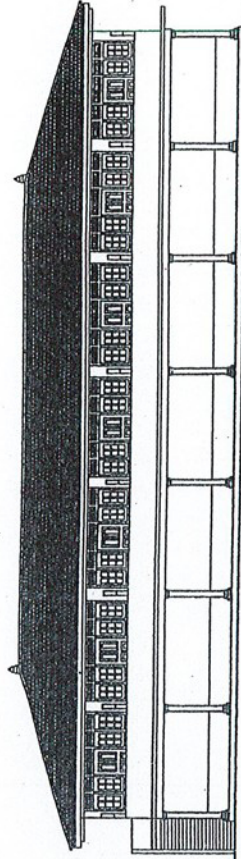
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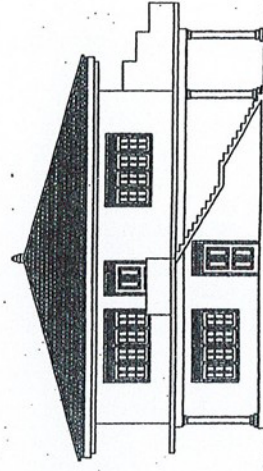




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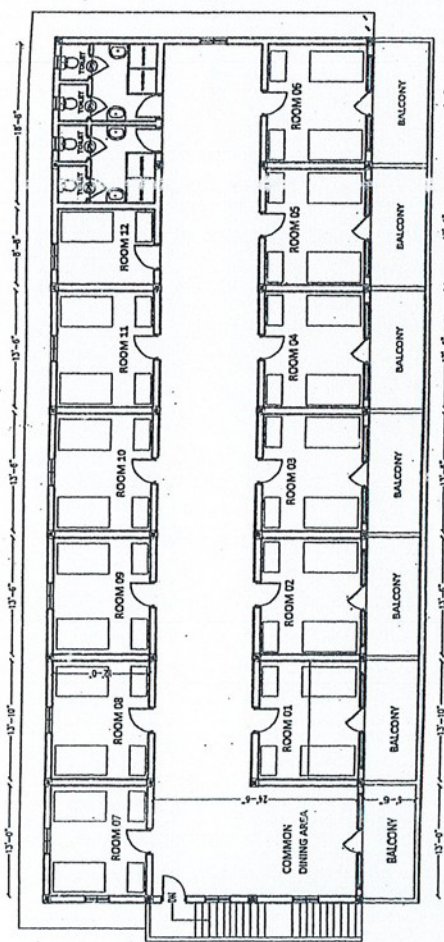
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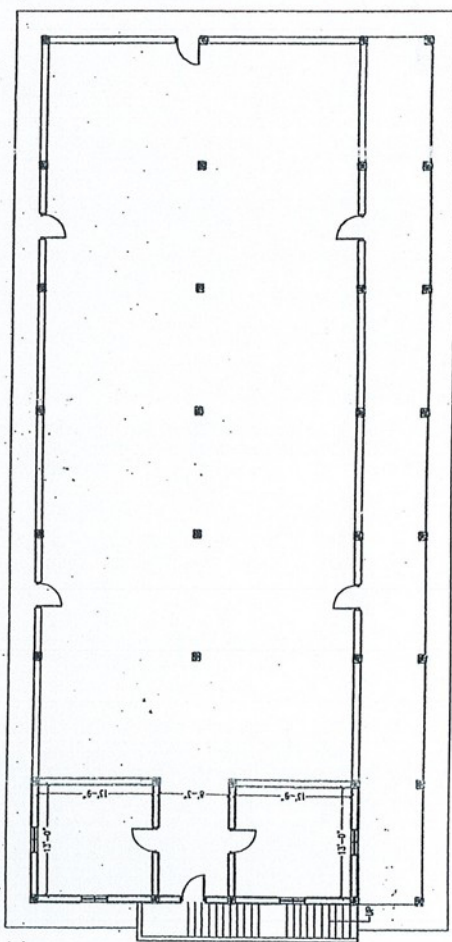
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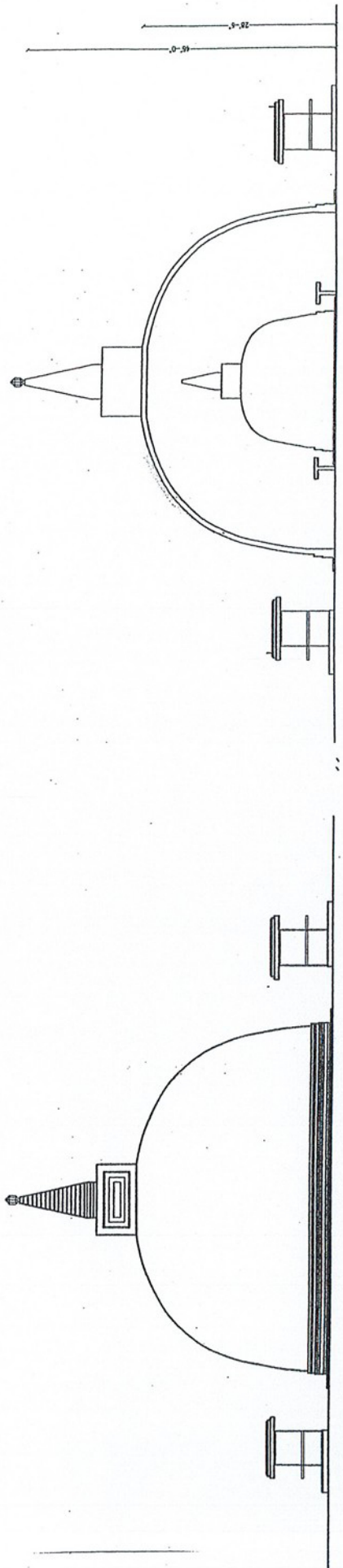
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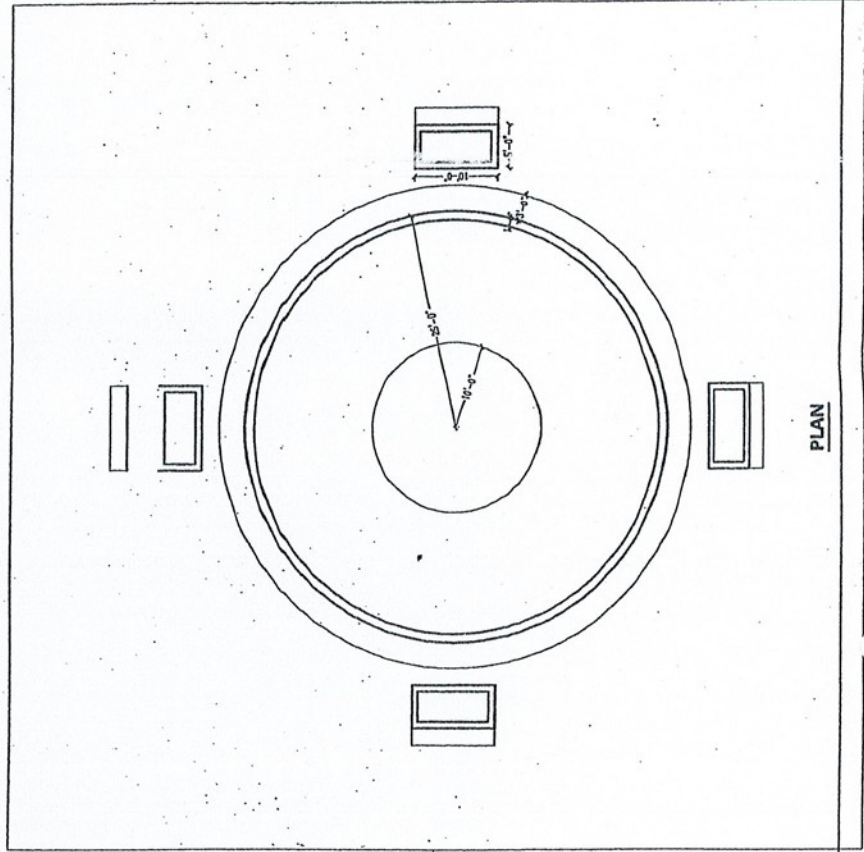
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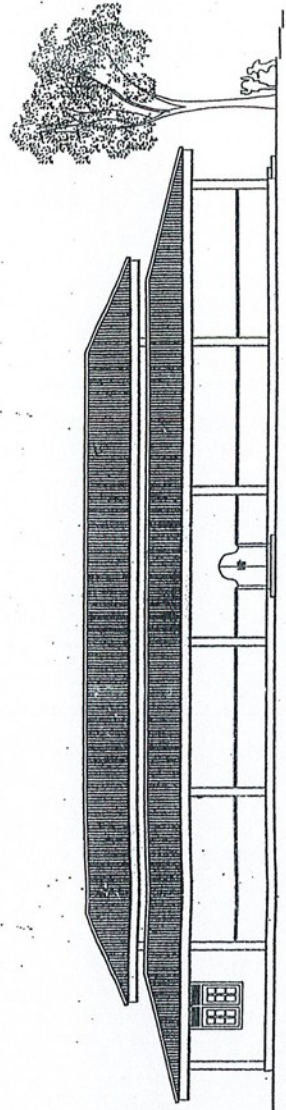


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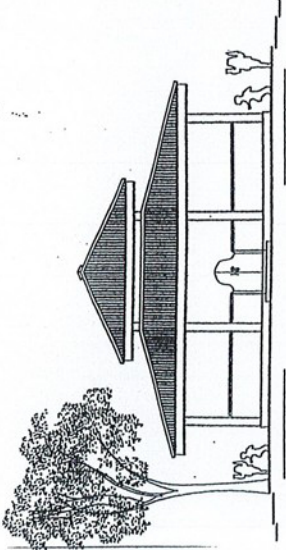


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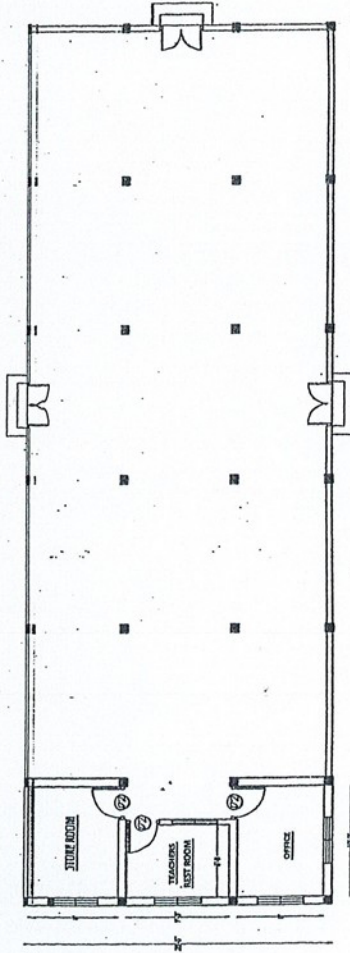
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CLASS AREA	3481 SQ.FT

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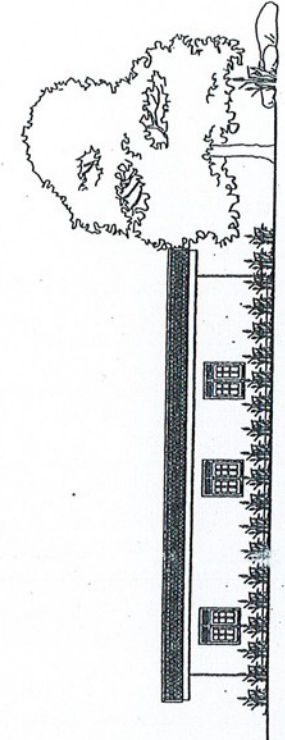
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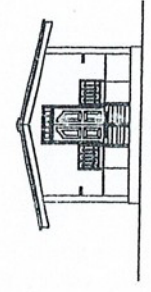
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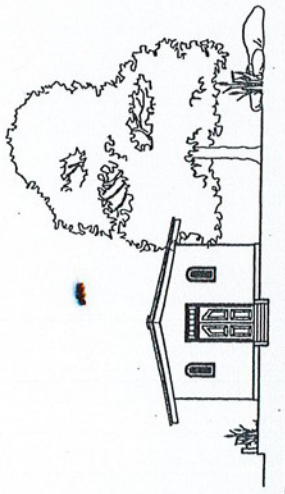
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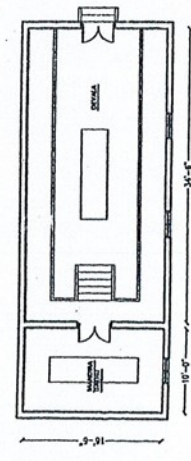
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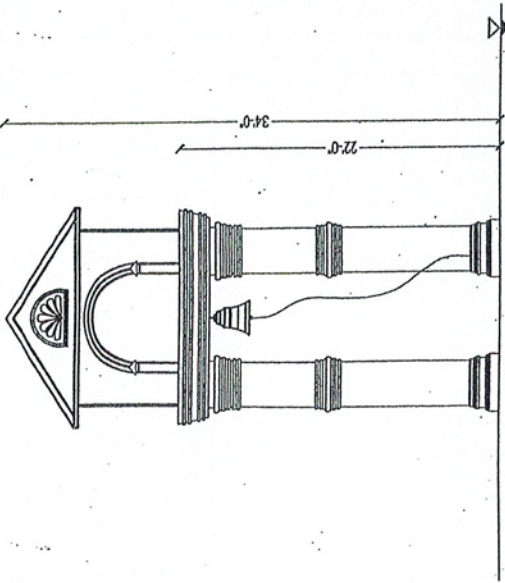
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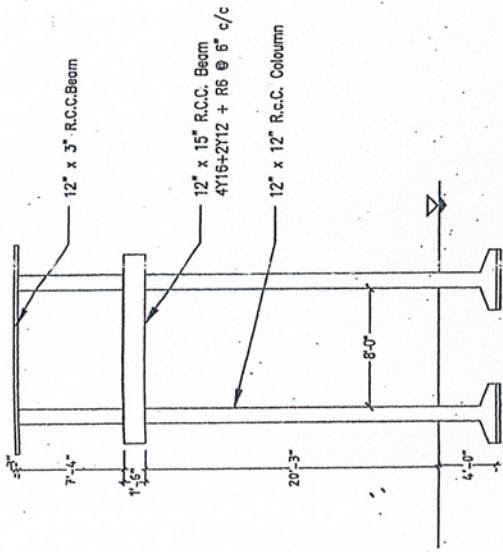
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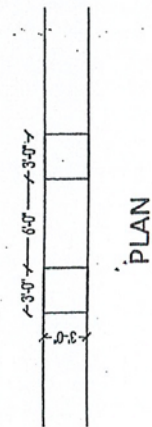
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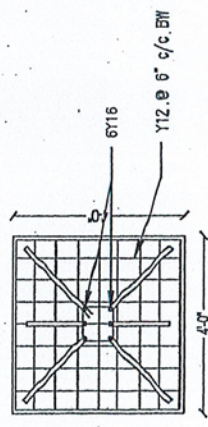
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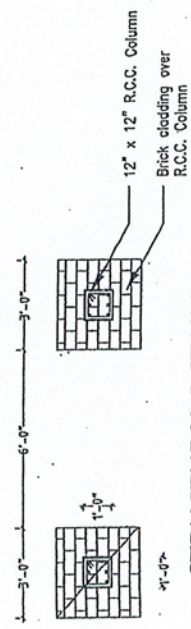
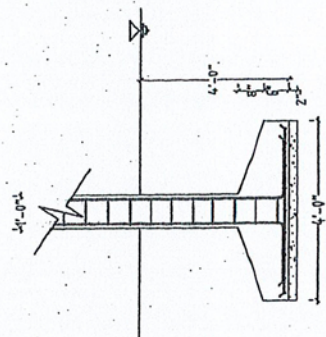
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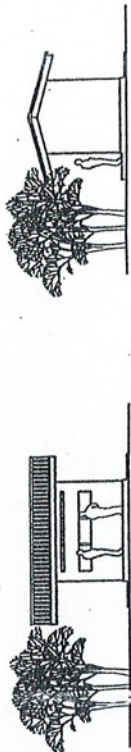
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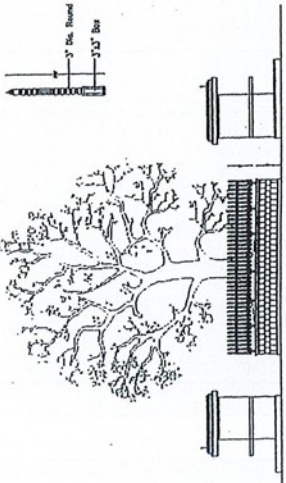
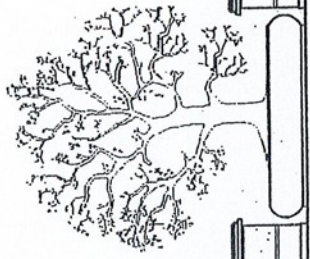
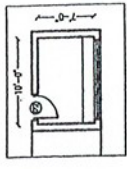
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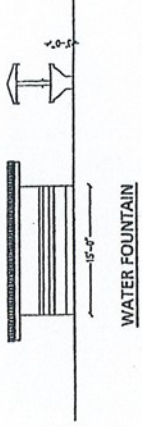
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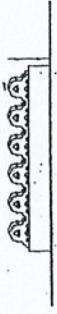
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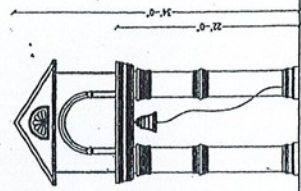
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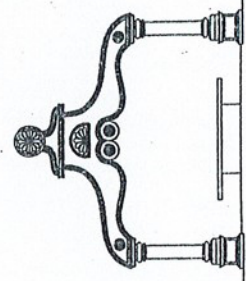
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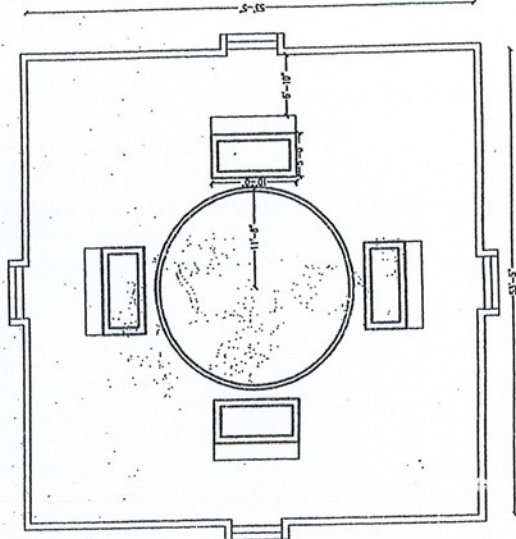
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ESTIMATE FOR DEVELOPMENT
AT SRI WAPIKARAMAYA
PALUKADAWALA, GALGAMUWA.

B.O.Q. SUMMERY

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	QTTY.	RATE	AMOUNT
1	Construction of 100 ft high 20 ft dia. Buddha statue.	Sum	1.00	250,000,000.00	250,000,000.00
2	Construction of 100'-0" x 46'-9" two storied Daana shaala and 12 rest rooms.	Sq.Ft.	10,810.00	6,000.00	64,860,000.00
3	Construction of two storied Sanga Awasa.	Sq.Ft.	6,308.00	6,000.00	37,848,000.00
4	Sum for construction of 30'-0" wide 27'-0" high Wahalkada Thorana as per the detail drawings.	Sum	1.00	2,350,000.00	2,350,000.00
5	Sum for construction of 12'-0" wide, 34'-0" High Bell tower as per the detail drawings.	Sum	1.00	1,620,000.00	1,620,000.00
6	Sum for Renovation and addition of existing Bodhi Prakara.	Sum	1.00	1,200,000.00	1,200,000.00
7	Sum for fabricate and fixing Gold plated fence at existing Bodhi prakara. (3'-0" high x 144'-0" long)	Sum	1.00	2,425,000.00	2,425,000.00
8	Sum for counstruction of Water fountain.	Sum	1.00	200,000.00	200,000.00
9	Construction of Office and Shoe care building.	Sq.Ft.	70.00	5,000.00	350,000.00
10	Fabricate and fixing 2 x 20'-0"x5'-0" Oil lamp house.	Sum	2.00	175,000.00	350,000.00
11	Construction of new Bodhi prakara. (Area -3000 Sq.Ft.)	Sq.Ft.	3,000.00	2,850.00	8,550,000.00
12	Renovation and addition to existing Devala. (New wing 10'-0' x 18'-0")	Sq.Ft.	772.00	3,250.00	2,509,000.00
13	Construction of new 25'-0" Dia. 46'-0" high Sthupa over existing sthupa as per the detail drawings.	Sq.Ft.	9,960.00	5,000.00	49,800,000.00
14	Construction of Cloud wall (Walakul Bamma) 4'-6" high x 1'-6" thick.	L.Ft.	680.00	3,850.00	2,618,000.00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	QTTY.	RATE	AMOUNT
15	Supply and laying precast concrete interlock paving blocks including 4" thick concrete side walls. Including cutting, Leveling, Compaction and 2" thick curry dust laying.	Sq.Ft.	30,900.00	190.00	5,871,000.00
16	Construction of two storied 12 Shops and 12 rest room complex.	Sq.Ft.	10,332.00	5,500.00	56,826,000.00
17	Sum for development works at <i>Nelum pond</i> .	Sum	1.00	2,500,000.00	2,500,000.00
18	Construction of single story building for <i>Aurweda Medicle Centre</i> .	Sq.Ft.	610.00	3,750.00	2,287,500.00
19	Sum for <i>Drinking water treatment plant</i> , water tank and external plumbing.	Sum	1.00	5,000,000.00	5,000,000.00
20	Sum for <i>Solar powerd electrical garden lighting system</i> .	Sum	1.00	2,850,000.00	2,850,000.00
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