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# Computerised land admin ops

Chairperson, once operational, the people of Zambia expect the following benefits: guaranteed ownership, security of tenure, higher productivity and use of land, and easy physical access nationwide," he said. Simuusa said modernisation of the land administration system would involve

digitisation and capture of all property and files in Zambia, decentralisation of operations of land functions, and a link to all provincial capitals. Other areas of development were automation of land survey departments and commissioning of modern map printing press. He said the ministry would

conduct a nationwide land audit, which would commence early next year, to ascertain the current status of land. Contributing to the debate, MMD Mpongwe Member of Parliament (MP) Gabriel Namulambe urged the Government to address the issue of foreigners acquiring more land at

the expense of Zambians. United Party for National Development (UPND) Kalomo MP Request Muntanga was impressed with some mechanisms the Government was introducing to clean up corrupt practices at the Lands ministry. He, however, said many

people complained of missing files and documents at the ministry because some officers wanted to corruptly get money in exchange for the files. Meanwhile, the House on Thursday approved the Ministry of Finance budgetary allocation to the Loan Investment amounting to K6.6 trillion.

## Japanese TICO hands over community school in Chibombo

By CHUSA SICHONE  
A JAPANESE organisation, Tokushima International Cooperation (TICO), has handed over a community school in Chibombo District for more than 500 pupils in a project that gobbled K700 million.

The project, at Nkonje Community School, encompasses a one by two classroom block, five lavatories and a teacher's house.

TICO country representative Chika Setoguchi said the project

was the second contribution to the education sector in Momboshi area since 2007.

Ms Setoguchi said the first project was Masaka Community School where three lavatories and a teacher's house were constructed.

At the same institution, TICO rehabilitated a classroom block with help from the community.

Ms Setoguchi was hopeful that the community school would help pupils learn from a conducive environment.



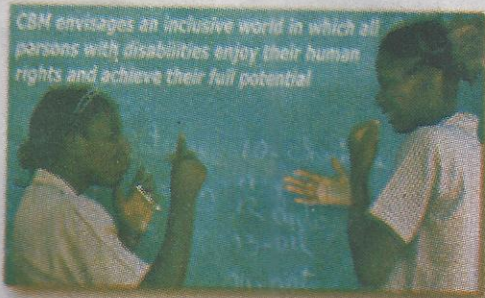
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