

# President meets drought-hit farmers in Polonnaruwa

President Mahinda Rajapaksa toured several areas in the Polonnaruwa district on Tuesday to look into the problems of the farmer community in Attanakadawela Jayasiripura and Kiriwewa Mahaweli G. Zone.



President Rajapaksa meeting the farmer community in Kiritidamana in Medirigiriya.



President Mahinda Rajapaksa addressing the farmer community in the Kiriwewa Mahaweli 'G' Zone.



The President speaking to farmers attached to farmer associations in Bedunela to ascertain their problems.



President Rajapaksa inspecting the damage caused to paddy cultivation in Unagalawehera 48 area coming under the Giritale project.



President Mahinda Rajapaksa giving a patient hearing to farmers.

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