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The Doing Good Index (DGI) 2022 reveals widespread pessimism about the future of Sri Lanka's social sector

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Optimism among social sector organisations in Sri Lanka is low, according to Doing Good Index 2022, a new report from the Centre for Asian Philanthropy and Society (CAPS) in partnership with the Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka (IPS). The social impact study exposes the underlying structural conditions preventing the region's social sectors from thriving. It also identifies opportunities for government, companies, philanthropists, and social delivery organisations (SDOs) to work together to address social and environmental challenges.

Sri Lanka's ongoing social, political and economic turmoil has created a challenging environment for social sector organisations. Only a quarter of surveyed organisations feel optimistic about the sector's future, less than half the Asian average of 56%.

"While the factors inhibiting Sri Lanka's social sector are embedded within a larger context of the circumstances facing the country, there are still steps that can be taken to make improvements", said Dr. Ruth Shapiro, Co-founder and Chief Executive of CAPS. "The need to

revive the social sector is urgent, and the Doing Good Index is a starting point to show us how the sector can be fortified.”

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