

KITCO has bagged an overseas order to prepare a project report for establishing a multi-specialty hospital at Seychelles. Seychelles is an island country comprising of 115 islands in the Indian Ocean, off East African coast, with a population of just 97000. All Seychellois citizens receive free medical care, provided by the Government, as enshrined in the constitution. The Health system comprises of a network of health care delivery institutions at primary, secondary and tertiary levels. There is no super specialty hospital for advanced treatment. This necessitates all residents to travel overseas for advanced treatments.

In order to obviate the gap in Healthcare by providing advanced medical facilities, an ambitious 200 bedded project called 'Seychelles International Specialist Medical Center', was started in the year 2006. Later, the project was shelved due to various constraints. Government of Seychelles now intends to establish a state-of-the-art private tertiary hospital on Main Island by reviving and converting the incomplete specialist medical Centre. Further, the government also expects to attract medical tourism from the region and mainland Africa into Seychelles, with the implementation of this project.

The EXIM bank on behalf of Government of India has offered to finance the Seychelles government for implementing the project. As the Seychelles Government does not have the required expertise, the EXIM bank has assigned KITCO Ltd as the consultant to prepare the technical and financial feasibility report and to prepare a road map for the revival and conversion of medical center project into a super speciality hospital in Seychelles. It is an important milestone for KITCO Ltd in expanding its operations at a global level, as it looks forward to getting diverse projects from across the world.