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FOREWORD

The Natural Resources, Energy & Science Authority (NARESA) of Sri Lanka is involved in coordinating Water Buffalo Research in Sri Lanka since 1982. The project was entirely funded by the Swedish Agency for Research Cooperation (SAREC) under its bilateral research cooperation programme. The Water Buffalo research project has produced a number of research publications, communications and higher degrees such as M.Phil and Ph.D's.

The bibliography was an attempt to compile references of all the research publications as far as possible. The bibliography is categorized under four major headings namely Health, Nutrition, Reproduction and Management.

Although the information available in the bibliography is not updated, it seems that it is worth publishing since such collection of information is not available elsewhere.

The bibliography will have very promising value to research students and planners in the area of Water Buffaloes.

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The bibliography has been prepared on the UNESCO bibliographical computer package micro CDS/ISIS. It was compiled at the Veterinary Research Institute.

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