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PREFACE

In response to a request from the Government of Bhutan, the Government of Japan decided to conduct a basic design study on the Project for Construction of Educational Facilities in the Kingdom of Bhutan and entrusted the study to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

JICA sent to Bhutan a study team from October 5 to November 13, 2004.

The team held discussions with the officials concerned of the Government of Bhutan, and conducted a field study at the study area. After the team returned to Japan, further studies were made. Then, a mission was sent to Bhutan in order to discuss a draft basic design from February 22 through March 3, 2005, and as this result, the present report was finalized.

I hope that this report will contribute to the promotion of the project and to the enhancement of friendly relations between our two countries.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the officials concerned of the Government of Bhutan for their close cooperation extended to the teams.

March, 2005

Seiji Kojima
Vice President
Japan International Cooperation Agency

March, 2005

Letter of Transmittal

We are pleased to submit to you the basic design study report on the Project for Construction of Educational Facilities in the Kingdom of Bhutan.

This study was conducted by Mohri, Architect & Associates Inc., under a contract to JICA, during the period of 6 months from October, 2004 to March, 2005. In conducting the study, we have examined the feasibility and rationale of the project with due consideration to the present situation of Bhutan and formulated the most appropriate basic design for the project under Japan's grant aid scheme.

Finally, we hope that this report will contribute to further promotion of the project.

Very truly yours,

Akira Yokoyama

Project Manager

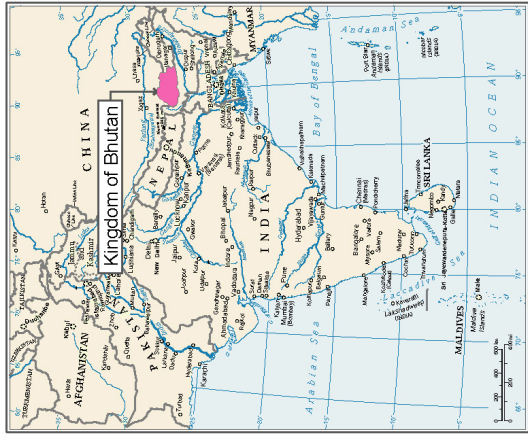
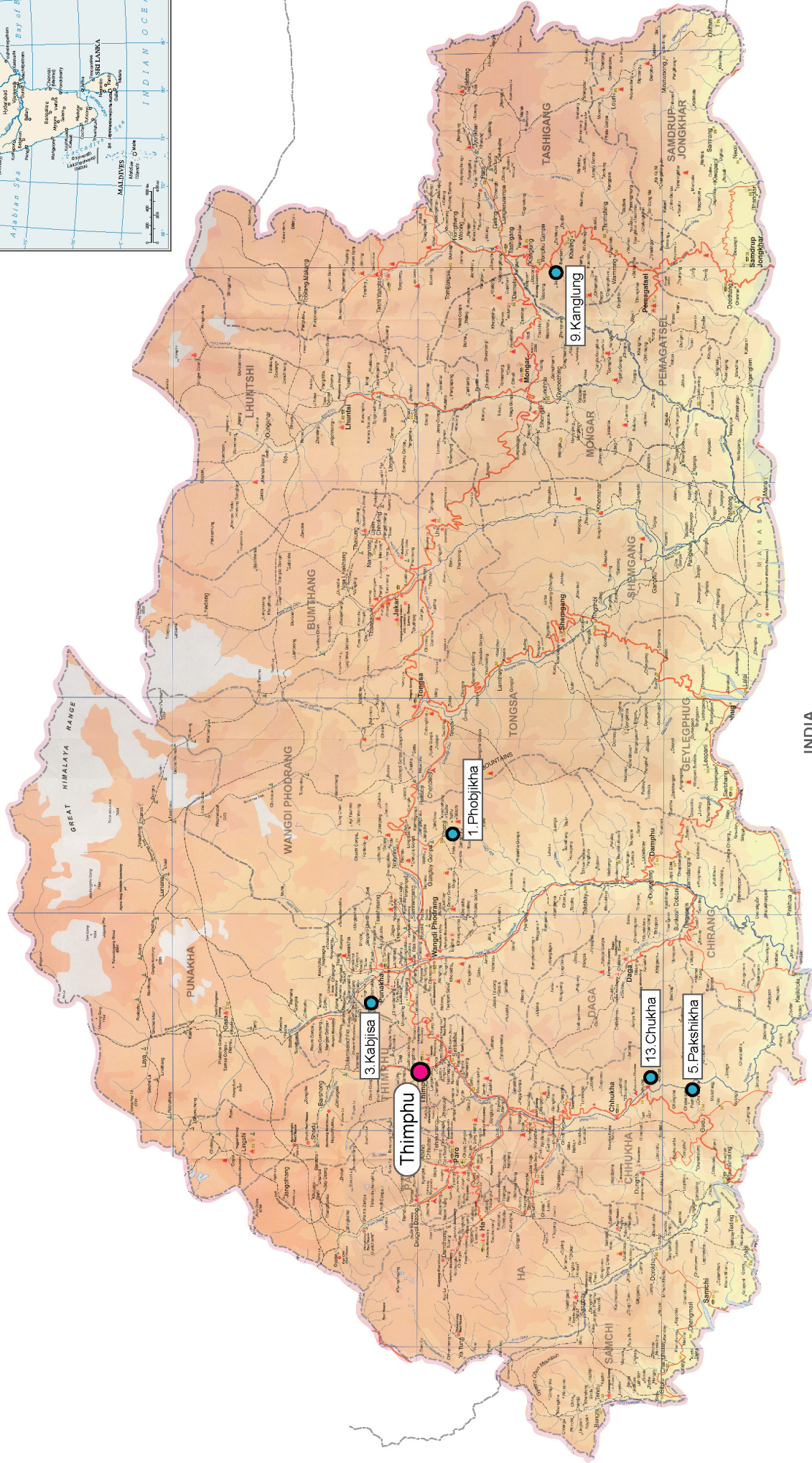
Basic design study team on the Project for
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in the Kingdom of Bhutan

Mohri, Architect & Associates, Inc.

Location Map of Project Schools

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