

**Training Course on Repair and Maintenance
of Irrigation Equipment under ITRTT Project**

A Follow-up Study

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