

# The BOC Ran Liya Loan Scheme benefits D M T Kumarihami



*D.M.T. Kumarihami, Founder, Samadhi Handicrafts.*

The BOC Ran Liya Loan Scheme has been transformative for women-led businesses in Sri Lanka, providing both financial support and practical guidance. One notable success story is D.M.T. Kumarihami, founder of Samadhi Handicrafts, who revitalized her business with the help of this initiative.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, Kumarihami faced severe challenges, risking the closure of her business that specializes in women's clothing and accessories. However, after securing a loan from the BOC, she stabilized her operations and received invaluable advice on managing finances and planning for growth.

Kumarihami emphasizes the importance of the support from Bank of Ceylon, stating, "They didn't just provide a loan; they guided me in making smart

investments.” Her experience reflects the success of the BOC Ran Liya Loan Scheme, which empowers women entrepreneurs by helping them access resources to expand their businesses.

She encourages aspiring businesswomen to consider the Bank of Ceylon for financial assistance, highlighting its reliability and supportive approach. The program continues to aid women in building sustainable ventures, contributing positively to the economy.