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**PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL**

**Government Notifications**

**CONSTITUTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA**

**Notification**

IT is hereby notified that the notification issued by me in the exercise of powers vested in me under Articles 44 (1), 45 (1) and 47 (1) (a) (b) respectively of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and published in the *Gazette* Extraordinary No. 2187/27 of 09<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 and amended by time to time, is further amended with effect from November 17, 2021 in the manner set out below.

**GOTABAYA RAJAPAKSA,**  
President.

Presidential Secretariat,  
Colombo 01,  
17th November, 2021.



- (1) “04. Institutional and Legal Framework” under the Heading “Presidential Secretariat – National Priority Programme” of the said Notification is as follows:-

#### 04. Institutional and Legal Framework

| Institution  | Laws and Acts to be Implemented  |
|--|--|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Board of Investment of Sri Lanka</li> <li>2. Colombo Port City Economic Commission</li> <li>3. Presidential Task Force to study and provide instructions on measures to be taken by all Armed Forces to prevent Corona virus infection among Members of the Tri-Forces</li> <li>4. Presidential Task Force to build a Secure Country, Disciplined, Virtuous and Lawful Society</li> <li>5. Covid-19 Ministerial Task Force</li> <li>6. Presidential Task Force for Archaeological Heritage Management in the Eastern Province</li> <li>7. Presidential Task Force on Sri Lanka’s Education Affairs</li> <li>8. Presidential Task Force for Economic Revival and Poverty Alleviation</li> <li>9. Presidential Task Force for the creation of a Green Sri Lanka with sustainable Solutions for climate Changes</li> <li>10. Presidential Task Force for to make study of the exploitation of Geological Resources for Development priorities and self-employment and to meet smallish economic livelihood needs of those engaged in traditional vocations and the sources and methodologies of extraction of such resources</li> <li>11. Presidential Task Force for National Deployment and Vaccination plan for COVID-19 Vaccine</li> <li>12. Presidential Task Force for Green Agriculture</li> <li>13. Presidential Task Force for One Country, One Law</li> </ol> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law (Board of Investment of Sri Lanka Law, No. 4 of 1978)</li> <li>• Colombo Port City Economic Commission Act, No. 11 of 2021</li> </ul> |

- (2) “03. Related Institutional and Legal Framework” under the Heading “No. 1.1 State Minister of National Security and Disaster Management” of the said Notification is as follows:-

#### 03. Related Institutional and Legal Framework

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations   | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented  |
|---|---|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Department of Registrar General</li> <li>2. Department of Immigration and Emigration</li> <li>3. National Disaster Management Council</li> <li>4. Disaster Management Centre</li> <li>5. National Disaster Relief Services Centre</li> <li>6. Department of Meteorology</li> <li>7. National Building Research Organization</li> <li>8. Rakna Arakshana Lanka Ltd.</li> </ol> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Births and Deaths Registration Act, No.17 of 1951</li> <li>• Kandyan Marriage and Divorce Act, No. 44 of 1952</li> <li>• Marriage and Divorce (Muslim) Act, No. 13 of 1951</li> <li>• Notaries Ordinance No. 1 of 1907</li> <li>• Registration of Documents Ordinance No. 23 of 1927</li> <li>• Marriage Registration (General) Ordinance No. 19 of 1907</li> <li>• Trust Ordinance No. 09 of 1917</li> <li>• Land (Restrictions on Alienation) Act No. 38 of 2014</li> <li>• Stamp Act, No. 12 of 2006</li> </ul> |

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations  | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented   |
|--|--|
| 9. National Authority for the implementation of Chemical Weapons Convention<br>10. National Dangerous Drugs Control Board<br>11. Defence Services College<br>12. National Defence Fund<br>13. Defence Research and Development Centre<br>14. Institute of National Security Studies<br>15. National Defence College<br>16. Ranaviru Seva Authority<br>17. Api Wenuwen Api Fund | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase of Fines Act, No. 12 of 2005</li> <li>• Revocation of Irrevocable Deeds of Gift on the Ground of Gross Ingratitude Act No. 05 of 2017</li> <li>• Apartment Ownership Act, No. 11 of 1973</li> <li>• Power of Attorney Ordinance No. 4 of 1902</li> <li>• Land Development Ordinance No. 16 of 1969</li> <li>• Adoption of Children Ordinance, No. 24 of 1941</li> <li>• Consular Functions Act, No. 4 of 1981</li> <li>• Registration of Deaths (Temporary) Act, No. 16 of 2016</li> <li>• Registration of Deaths (Temporary Provisions) Act, No. 19 of 2010</li> <li>• Registration of Title Act, No. 21 of 1998</li> <li>• Immigrants and Emigrants Act, No. 20 of 1948</li> <li>• Citizenship Act, No. 18 of 1948</li> <li>• Grant of Citizenship to Persons of Indian Origin Act, No. 35 of 2003</li> <li>• Grant of Citizenship to Stateless Persons Act, No. 5 of 1986</li> <li>• Grant of Citizenship to Stateless Persons (Special Provisions) Act, No. 39 of 1988</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Disaster Management Act, No. 13 of 2005</li> <li>• Chemical Weapons Convention Act, No. 58 of 2007</li> <li>• Private Security Agencies Act, No. 45 of 1998</li> <li>• Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, No. 1 of 2008</li> <li>• Drug Dependent Persons (Treatment and Rehabilitation) Act, No. 54 of 2007</li> <li>• National Dangerous Drugs Control Board Act, No. 11 of 1984</li> <li>• Ranaviru Seva Authority Act, No. 54 of 1999</li> <li>• Api Wenuwen Api Fund Act, No. 6 of 2008</li> </ul> |

(3) “04. Related Institutional and Legal Framework” under the Heading “No. 6.0 Minister of Finance” of the said Notification is as follows:-

**04. Related Institutional and Legal Framework**

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations   | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented  |
|---|---|
| <b>1. Treasury Affairs</b><br>i. General Treasury<br>ii. Department of Fiscal Policy<br>iii. Department of National Budget<br>iv. Department of Management Services<br>v. Department of External Resources<br>vi. Department of Public Finance<br>vii. Department of Treasury Operations<br>viii. Department of State Accounts<br>ix. Department of Trade and Investment Policies | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appropriation Acts</li> <li>• Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1956</li> <li>• Foreign Loans Act, No. 29 of 1957</li> <li>• Debits Tax Act, No. 12 of 2007</li> <li>• Betting and Gaming Levy Act, No. 40 of 1998</li> <li>• Casino Business (Regulation) Act, No. 17 of 2010</li> <li>• Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006</li> <li>• Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52)</li> <li>• Finance Leasing Act, No. 56 of 2000</li> <li>• Financial Transactions Reporting Act, No. 6 of 2006</li> </ul> |

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations   | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented   |
|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>x. Department of Information Technology Management</li> <li>xi. Department of Legal Affairs</li> <li>xii. Department of Management Audit</li> <li>xiii. Department of Development Finance</li> <li>xiv. Department of Public Enterprises</li> <li>xv. National Operations Centre</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public Fiscal Management (Responsibility) Act, No. 3 of 2003</li> <li>• Inland Revenue Act, No. 24 of 2017</li> <li>• Regulation of Insurance Industry Act, No. 43 of 2000</li> <li>• Lady Lochore Fund Act, No. 38 of 1951</li> <li>• Local Treasury Bills Ordinance, No. 38 of 1923</li> <li>• Nation Building Tax Act, No. 9 of 2009</li> <li>• Business Names Act, No. 07 of 1987</li> <li>• Companies Act No. 07 of 2007</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>2. Government Revenue Management Affairs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Department of Inland Revenue</li> <li>ii. Sri Lanka Customs</li> <li>iii. Department of Excise</li> <li>iv. National Lotteries Board</li> <li>v. Development Lotteries Board</li> <li>vi. Import and Export Control Department</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trade Marks Act No. 30 of 1964</li> <li>• Cheetus Ordinance No. 61 of 1935</li> <li>• Public Contract Act No. 03 of 1987</li> <li>• Prevention of Money Laundering Act, No. 5 of 2006</li> <li>• Import and Export (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969</li> <li>• Stamp Duty (Special Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 2006</li> <li>• Stamps Duty Act, No. 43 of 1982</li> <li>• Value Added Tax Act, No. 14 of 2002</li> <li>• Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971</li> <li>• Environment Conservation Levy Act, No. 26 of 2008</li> </ul>   |
| <p><b>3. Bank Financial and Capital Market Policies and Regulatory Affairs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Central Bank of Sri Lanka</li> <li>ii. All State Banks, Financial, Insurance and their subsidiaries and related institutions</li> <li>iii. Insurance Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka</li> <li>iv. Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation and its subsidiaries and affiliated companies</li> <li>v. Credit Information Bureau</li> <li>vi. Department of Registrar of Companies</li> <li>vii. Securities and Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka</li> <li>viii. Sri Lanka Export Credit Corporation</li> <li>ix. Housing Development Finance Corporation</li> <li>x. State Mortgage and Investment Bank</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tax Appeals Commission Act, No. 23 of 2008</li> <li>• Development Lotteries Board Act, No. 20 of 1997</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Export Credit Insurance Act, No. 15 of 1978</li> <li>• Monetary Law Act No. 58 of 1949</li> <li>• National Savings Bank Act, No. 30 of 1971</li> <li>• People's Bank Act, No. 29 of 1961</li> <li>• Bank of Ceylon Ordinance No. 53 of 1938</li> <li>• Banking Act, No. 30 of 1988</li> <li>• Recovery of loans by Banks (Special Provisions) Act, No. 4 of 1990</li> <li>• Securities and Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka Act, No. 36 of 1987</li> <li>• National Insurance Trust Fund Act, No. 28 of 2006</li> <li>• Employees' Trust Fund (Special Provisions) Act No. 19 of 1993</li> <li>• Employees Trust Fund Act, No. 46 of 1980</li> <li>• Excise (Special Provisions) Act, No. 13 of 1989</li> <li>• Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance No. 07 of 1937</li> <li>• Payment and Settlement Systems Act, No. 28 of 2005</li> <li>• Finance Business Act, No. 42 of 2011</li> <li>• Foreign Exchange Act, No. 12 of 2017</li> <li>• Insurance Corporation Act, No. 02 of 1961</li> <li>• Shrama Vasana Fund Act No. 12 of 1998</li> <li>• Tea Shakthi Fund Act, No. 47 of 2000</li> <li>• Kapruka Fund Act, No. 31 of 2005</li> <li>• Local loans and Development Fund Act No. 22 of 1916</li> <li>• Thurusaviya Fund Act, No. 23 of 2000</li> <li>• Credit Information Bureau of Sri Lanka Act, No. 18 of 1990</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>4. Funds Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Lady Lochore Fund</li> <li>ii. Strike, Riot, Civil Commotion and Terrorism Fund</li> <li>iii. National Insurance Trust Fund</li> <li>iv. Employees' Trust Fund</li> <li>v. Shrama Vasana Fund</li> <li>vi. National Health Development Fund</li> </ul>  |  |

| <b>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</b>   | <b>Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented</b>  |
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| <p>vii. Kidney Fund<br/>viii. Tea Shakthi Fund<br/>ix. Kapruka Fund<br/>x. Public Service Pensioners' Trust Fund<br/>xi. Skills Development Fund Ltd.<br/>xii. Local Loans and Development Fund<br/>xiii. Sri Lanka Inventors Fund<br/>xiv. Thurusaviya Fund</p> <p><b>5. Institutions to be liquidated or amalgamated with other Institutions</b></p> <p>i. Department of Telecommunications<br/>ii. Wildlife Trust<br/>iii. Sri Lanka Media Training Institute<br/>iv. Internal Trade Department<br/>v. Pulse Crops, Grain Research and Production Authority<br/>vi. Janatha Fertilizer Enterprises Ltd<br/>vii. Protection of Children National Trust Fund<br/>viii. Institutions coming under the Revival (Removal) of Underperforming Enterprises or Underutilized Assets Act vested to the Secretary to the Treasury</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rehabilitation of the Visually Handicapped Trust Fund Act No. 9 of 1992</li> <li>• Sri Lanka State Mortgage and Investment Bank Act, No. 13 of 1975</li> <li>• Payment Devices Frauds Act, No. 30 of 2006</li> <li>• Housing Development Finance Corporation Act, No. 07 of 1997</li> <li>• Revival (Removal) of Underperforming Enterprises or Underutilized Assets Act, No. 12 of 2019</li> <li>• Institute of Chartered Accountants Act, No. 23 of 1959</li> </ul> |

(4) "04. Related Institutional and Legal Framework" under the Heading "No. 8.0 Foreign Minister" of the said Notification is as follows:-

| <b>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</b>   | <b>Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented</b>  |
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| <p>1. Diplomatic Missions abroad<br/>2. National Oceanic Affairs Committee Secretariat<br/>3. Secretariat for Non-Governmental Organizations</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consular Functions Act, No. 4 of 1981</li> <li>• Diplomatic Privileges Act, No. 9 of 1996</li> <li>• Voluntary social Service Organizations (Registration and Supervision) Act, No. 31 of 1980</li> </ul> |

(5) "03. Related Institutional and Legal Framework" under the Heading "No. 10.3 State Minister of Skills Development, Vocational Education, Research and Innovation" of the said Notification is as follows:-

### 03. Related Institutional and Legal Framework

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations   | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented   |
|---|--|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. National Institute of Business Management and affiliated institutions</li> <li>2. University of Vocational Technology</li> <li>3. National Institute of Fisheries and Nautical Engineering (Ocean University)</li> <li>4. Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka</li> <li>5. National Apprenticeship and Industrial Training Authority</li> <li>6. Ceylon German Technical Training Institute</li> <li>7. Department of Technical Education and Training</li> <li>8. National Institute of Fundamental Studies</li> <li>9. Sri Lanka Inventors' Commission</li> <li>10. National Engineering Research and Development Centre</li> <li>11. National Research Council</li> <li>12. Coordinating Secretariat for Science, Technology &amp; Innovation</li> <li>13. Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission</li> <li>14. National Science Foundation</li> <li>15. Planetarium of Sri Lanka</li> <li>16. Arthur C. Clarke Institute for Modern Technologies</li> <li>17. Hardy Institute of Technology</li> <li>18. National Innovation Agency</li> </ol> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University of Vocational Technology Act, No. 31 of 2008</li> <li>• Ocean University of Sri Lanka Act No. 31 of 2014</li> <li>• National Institute Of Business Management Law, No. 23 of 1976</li> <li>• Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka Act, No. 12 of 1995</li> <li>• National Innovation Agency Act No. 22 of 2019</li> <li>• Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994</li> <li>• Sri Lanka National Research Council Act, No. 11 of 2016</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Inventors Incentives Act, No. 53 of 1979</li> <li>• National Institute of Technical Education of Sri Lanka Act, No. 59 of 1998</li> <li>• State Industries Corporations Act, No. 49 of 1957</li> <li>• Tertiary and Vocational Education Act, No. 20 of 1990</li> <li>• Institute of Fundamental Studies, Sri Lanka Act, No. 55 of 1981</li> <li>• Ceylon German Technical Training Institute. Act, No. 15 of 2017</li> </ul> |

(6)“04. Related Institutional and Legal Framework” under the Heading “No. 30.0 Minister of Mass Media” of the said Notification is as follows:-

### 04. Related Institutions and Legal Framework

| Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations   | Laws and Ordinance to be Implemented   |
|---|--|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Right to Information Commission</li> <li>2. Department of Government Printing</li> <li>3. Department of Government Information</li> <li>4. Sri Lanka Press Council</li> <li>5. Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation</li> <li>6. Independent Television Network</li> <li>7. Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation</li> <li>8. Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd.</li> <li>9. Lanka Puwath Ltd</li> <li>10. Selacine Rupavahini Institute</li> <li>11. Sri Lanka Foundation</li> <li>12. Postal Department</li> <li>13. Sri Lanka Institute of Printing</li> </ol> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Right to Information Act, No. 12 of 2016</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Press Council Act, No. 5 of 1973</li> <li>• Ceylon Broadcasting Corporation Act No. 37 of 1966</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation (Special Provisions) Act No. 8 of 1996</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation Act No. 6 of 1986</li> <li>• The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon, Limited (Special Provisions) Act No. 28 of 1973</li> <li>• Newspapers Ordinance, No. 5 of 1839</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Foundation Law No. 31 of 1973</li> <li>• Stamp Ordinance, No. 22 of 1909</li> <li>• Post Office Ordinance, No. 11 of 1908</li> <li>• Sri Lanka Institute of Printing Act, No. 18 of 1984</li> </ul> |