

HOUSE SHOUTS 'YES' AND 'NO' TO 20A BILL

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The Bill titled 20th amendment to the Constitution was presented to Parliament and passed its first reading amidst the echoes of protests and jeers from the Samagi Jana Balawegaya members in Parliament yesterday.

At the commencement of public business, Justice Minister Ali Sabry presented the bill to the House and a tense situation ensued when the SJB members began to shout slogans 'No to 20th amendment' which urged a section of government side members to reiterate 'Yes to the 20th'.

State Minister Shehan Semasinghe said that the 6.9 million people of the country mandated twice to bring the

20th amendment and then a new one. He added that hence the SJB with a little number of MPs protested against the people's mandate. He also said that despite their protest the government would fulfill its election pledge to the people by bringing in the 20th amendment to the Constitution.

SJB members who were wearing black armbands and badges stating 'No to 20' shouted against the government.

Some of them held placards denouncing the 20th Amendment.

Some SJB MPs were seen coming to the well of the House and then the government MPs too came down to the House and shouted 'Yes to 20'.



Opposition MPs carrying slogans protesting the Twentieth Amendment Bill in Parliament yesterday. Picture by Wimal Karunatilake.

While the protest was on, the Speaker continued proceedings. Serjeant-at-Arms Narendra Fernando and his deputy Kushan Jayaratne were seen standing before the Mace protecting it from the protesting MPs.

Trade Minister Dr. Bandula Gunawardena moved a num-

ber of Orders under the Special Commodity Levy Act for the debate continuing the business of the day. However the SJB members were continuing their protest in the Well before the Speaker's chair. In the meantime Samurdhi, Household Economy, Micro Finance, Self Employment, Business Development and Underutilized State Resources Development State Minister Shehan Semasinghe seconded the motion.

State Minister Semasinghe while the protest was in progress spoke and said that the opposition had selected the wrong ground and means to protest. He added that the SJB members can now go before

court and point out their concerns. "They have one more option, State Minister Semasinghe said. "That is to secure two third power in parliament and defeat the bill. Without doing any of them they shout here to disrupt sittings and thereby to waste the public funds. During the time they were in the government we remember how they brought in no confidence motions. They did so after suspending the Standing Orders of the House. The then Speaker Karu Jayasuriya suspended Standing Orders to allow JVP MP Vijitha Herath to move the motion. We do not act in such undemocratic manner. People have given us a mandate to do away with the 19th Amendment. We act according to that mandate." **▶ TO PAGE 02**

OPPOSITION HAS OPTIONS THAN SHOUT AGAINST 20A - MINISTER

The Opposition shouting and protesting in Parliament against the 20th Amendment has no other outcome than wasting public money, Samurdhi, Household Economy, Micro Finance, Self Employment, Business Development

and Underutilized Stat Resources Development State Minister Shehan Semasinghe said yesterday.

State Minister Semasinghe made this observation when the Opposition was demonstrating against the tabling of

the draft 20th amendment to the Constitution in the House while interrupting the proceedings. Semasinghe had to carry out his speech on the debate on several amendments proposed for the National Building Tax Act.

Semasinghe said: "There are two ways to demonstrate Opposition's disagreement with these amendments. One, they can go to courts. Second they should get a two thirds majority. Other than that, there is no option." **▶ TO PAGE 02**

Maithri, Ranil to testify at Easter attack PCoI on Oct 5,6



Former President Maithripala Sirisena who arrived at the PCoI to hear evidence leaving the Commission office and former IGP Pujith Jayasundera leaving the building. Pictures by Sulochana Gamage.

Former President Maithripala Sirisena will be providing evidence before the Presidential Commission of Inquiry (PCoI) probing the Easter Sunday Carnage on October 5.

According to Commission sources, his testimony will be followed by former

Prime Minister Ranil Wickremesinghe's testimony on October 6. This will be the first time the duo will be appearing before this Commission. Meanwhile, former IGP Pujith Jayasundera gave evidence before the Commission yesterday.

Sirisena's press release undermines PCoI's authority - Counsel

No harm intended, former President ready to testify - PC Gunaratne

LAHIRU FERNANDO

Attorney Dilshan Jayasuriya appearing on behalf of former Defence Secretary Hemasiri Fernando yesterday (22) requested the Presidential Commission probing Easter Sunday Carnage to take legal action against former President Maithripala Sirisena and his Personal Secretary Sameera de Silva over a

media release issued on September 20. Jayasuriya said this media release, which stated that what Fernando had told the PCoI about Sirisena is completely untrue and malicious was taken up before the Commission by Fernando's lawyer on Monday (21) and said such a statement undermines the authority and the respect of the Commission. **▶ TO PAGE 02**

Cocaine found in Payagala beach

Police have found a stash of cocaine concealed in a parcel along the Gibson beach in Payagala worth over Rs.10 million. The police

division said the parcel was discovered following a tip-off around 8.30 am yesterday. Payagala Police are conducting further investigations.

Attorney petitions against 20A Bill

LAKMAL SOORIYAGODA

A Special Determination petition challenging the constitutionality of the bill titled "Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution" was filed before the Supreme Court yesterday.

Petitioner Indika Gallage, an attorney-at-law is seeking a declaration that the bill in whole or in part thereby requires the approval by people at a referendum and requires a two-thirds majority in Parliament.

The petitioner stated that a bill titled "Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution" was published in the supplement issued on September 2, 2020 to the part two of the gazette notification issued on August 28, 2020 and has been placed on Order Paper of the Parliament on September 22, 2020. **▶ TO PAGE 02**



Rain, gusty winds to continue - Met Dept

MENAKA INDRAKUMAR

The Meteorology Department warned that inclement weather may continue with gusty winds and thundershowers in the Sabaragamuwa province, other areas of the Western, Central, North-central and North-western provinces and in Galle and Matara districts. **▶ TO PAGE 02**

Buses, office, school vans to take left lane today

Bikes, tuks off priority lane

DINULI FRANCISCO

The recently implemented Bus Priority Lane in Colombo will be only for the use of passenger transport buses, office and school transport services, Police media spokesperson SSP Jaliya Senarathne said.

He said that three wheelers and motorcycles will not be permitted to use the bus lane from today.

Speaking to the media at the Police headquarters yesterday SSP Senarathne said three wheelers and motorcycles can use the outer lane, preferably the second lane. He also added that when using the BPL, passengers must board and disembark only at bus halts and not to get down elsewhere other than in stops. **▶ TO PAGE 02**

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Common mechanism to resolve water woes

PM to chair stakeholder's meeting next week

A common mechanism that will apply to the whole country for a strategic means to resolve issues arising from both water and waste management will be formulated.

This was announced at a meeting chaired by Prime Minister's Secretary Gamini Senarath, held at Temple Trees. Officials from 15 state institutions including the Ministry of Water Supply, Irrigation, agriculture and Tanks, Reservoirs and Irrigation Development,

Mahaweli, Infrastructure Development, Mahaweli Authority, Department of Irrigation among others were present.

The first meeting of the committee will be held next week under the leadership of the Prime Minister where the committee members will be expected to share their experiences and come to a common understanding on the way forward in keeping with the policy of 'Vistas of Prosperity and Splendour'. **▶ TO PAGE 02**

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President to visit each village to solve problems

First Meeting in Haldummulla on Friday

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa will visit every village in the country to speak with people to identify their concerns and find immediate solutions.

The Haldummulla Divisional Secretariat area in Badulla district has been selected for his first such visit. The public meeting will begin at 10.00 am on Friday (25) at Kumaratenna College, 100 Acres Village, Haputale.

During the Presidential and

General Elections, President Rajapaksa's nationwide visits showed the difficulties people in rural areas were undergoing and their long felt need for immediate solutions to some of their basic needs and issues.

These include unresolved economic, social problems as well as shortage of land, inadequate health and transport services, children's education, shortage of schools, shortage of drinking water, wild-

life poaching, elephant attacks and many more.

Another major problem is the indifference and inefficiency of government agencies and their inability to understand the plight of the rural population and assist in resolving them expeditiously.

People are requested to come to public meetings and inform them of their problems. It is the intention of the President to provide immediate solutions to the prob-

lems that are reported to him. There are two Grama Niladhari Divisions in the Haldummulla Divisional Secretariat which have been selected for the observation tour on Friday. They are home to 222 families. Their main sources of income are paddy, pepper and cinnamon cultivation and chena cultivation. There are 17 students studying at Kumaratenna Vidyalaya where the public meeting is being held.



Leopard shot dead in Maskeliya



A leopard of about six years old was found shot dead in Bronlow estate in Maskeliya early yesterday. The carcass was handed over to Wildlife Department officers in Nalathanniya. The leopard has been shot three times in the head according to officers. (Asela Kuruluwansa).



Gem Authority cracks due to piling next door...

National Gem and Jewellery Authority employees held a protest against the piling of a land adjacent to Authority's building in Colombo 2. Employees said cracks have developed in their building with the start of construction. The employees have refused to report for duty today. Pictures by Sulochana Gamage.

Chief suspect in wetlands destruction surrenders

PRASAD PURNAMAL, Puttalam district group

The chief suspect responsible for causing destruction to the Anavilundawa wetlands, Jagath Samantha, surrendered to courts yesterday. The Chilaw Magistrate

courts ordered that he be remanded till September 24. Jagath Samantha is a member of the Arachchikattuwa Pradeshiya Sabha Jagath and was named as one of the main individuals responsible for destruction of the

Anavilundawa wetlands. It was reported that he had destroyed the wetlands in order for him to construct a shrimp farm. He is the brother of State Minister Sanath Nishantha. Jagath Samantha was named

as one of the main individuals responsible for the destruction in the committee report appointed by Wildlife and Forest Conservation Minister on the Anavilundawa environmental destruction.

13 PNB men further remanded

SHAVINI MADHARA

The 13 Police Narcotics Bureau (PNB) officers arrested for alleged drug trafficking charges, were ordered to be further remanded till September 28 by Colombo Chief Magistrate

Mohammed Mihail yesterday. The thirteen PNB officers were not brought before the court yesterday. Prisons Department officials informed court that the suspects are being currently detained at the Angunakolape-

lassa Prison as a precautionary measure following the COVID-19 pandemic. Deputy Solicitor General Dileepa Peiris appearing on behalf of the Attorney General submitted written submissions before the Magistrate.

House shouts... From page 01

He also said that despite their protest the government would fulfill its selection pledge to the people by bringing in the 20th amendment to the Constitution.

Thereafter SJB Kegalle District MP Kabir Hashim rose to his feet. The SJB members were seen shouting around him interrupting the business of the day. However MP Hashim commenced to speak and said there are two groups in this House. One group ruled this country for 20 years. "We were in power

for five years," Hashim said. "Their need for more powers to develop this country is groundless."

Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa pointed out that MP Hashim had not got the TV Camera on them and SJB MPs shouted demanding the Camera for MP Hashim.

MP Hashim said that it was his right to get the camera. If this is the manner the government ensures the rights of MPs before the 20th Amendment, what



will happen to us after it becomes the law?

The Speaker instructed the officials to give the camera to the MP. When MP

Hashim got the camera, SJB MPs stood around him holding placards to the camera. Minister Mahindananda Aluthgamage: This is a government of people. We would not bring anything against people's aspirations. We maintain democracy. During the times when you were in the government you did not hold elections. There are many MPs in the opposition who want to join our government. As per this morning there are 17 opposition MPs who are pre-

pared to join us. "We will get 20 MPs from the opposition to win this bill," Minister Aluthgamage said. "You do not worry about the powers of Prime Minister. You had passed the 19th Amendment to prevent Rajapaksa coming to power."

Industries Minister Wimal Weerawansa raising a point of order said that MPs cannot demand for camera. "Whenever there is a protest in the House, the camera should focus either

on the Speaker or the Mace," Minister Weerawansa said. "That is the procedure. It was introduced by the former Speaker W.J.M. Lokubandara. Now the MPs demand the focus of the camera. That is to put up a show."

However amidst the protest MP Harin Fernando was seen walking from member to member carrying a placard of black colour rolled like a torch. He also had a blue colour lighter in his hand.

Rain, gusty winds... From page 01

The weather report yesterday said strong gusty winds are expected at 50 kmph and can be expected across the Northern, North-central and North-western provinces, Hambantota and Trincomalee districts and in the western slopes of the central hills.

Showers will occur in several places in the sea areas, around the country. Winds will be south-westerly in the sea areas around the island and the wind speed will be (30-40) mph.

It's expected that the wind speed can increase up to 60 kmph in the deep and shal-

low sea areas off the coasts, extending from Puttalam to Trincomalee via Kankesanur and in the sea area extending from Hambantota to Pottuvil.

The sea areas extending from Puttalam to Trincomalee via Kankesanur and in the sea area extending

from Hambantota to Pottuvil can be rough at times. The other sea areas around the island can be fairly rough at times. In the past few weeks, the weather condition in the island has been engulfed with strong winds, constant heavy showers, landslips and earth slips.

Opposition has options... From page 01

Shouting and disturbing the proceedings won't achieve anything. It only wastes public money and our time. We are not acting in a dictatorial manner like they did in the House. We remember how the Standing Orders were disregarded during the previous Parliament. We shall never withdraw 20th amendment just because some losers protest against it. We got two mandates to remove

the 19th amendment and create a new Constitution. We only listen to the general public.

The Opposition cannot even protest properly. Those who initially joined the protest are now leaving and abandoning Sajith Premadasa, the same way they did during the election. In the future this support will also dwindle."

Speaking on the proposed amend-

ments Semasinghe said, "The present government, unlike the Yahapalana government, will continue with a solid tax policy that will not change constantly. Following these amendments we will not introduce more amendments. The public kicked out the previous government for reasons. They had a taxation policy which was not investor-friendly. It was suppressing the people," he said.

Common mechanism... From page 01

The purpose of the committee will be to resolve water woes through the efficient use of natural resources and conservation. The committee will also review existing policies to form an integrated water resource management and development plan.

The committee is expected to consider existing policies which are executed to meet the demand for water, formulation of strategies for collaboration between state agencies, ensuring adequate water supply to all, development of existing water resources, conservation and water management. The attention

of the committee was also directed to water woes where there is an increased disparity in water supply in several places.

Prime Minister's Secretary Gamineni Senarath drew attention to the issues faced by individuals residing in housing schemes emphasizing that there is no orderly water and sewage system.

It was also mentioned that sporadic and ad-hoc constructions on drainage lines have been one of the main causes of floods and rehabilitation of such roads or waterways need to be curtailed or managed.

It was reported that floods in the

Western Province have become an annual occurrence causing more than \$300 million in damages. It was revealed at the meeting that there was no shortage of water in the country and only 50% of the total water supply was being utilized while the rest was wasted.

The new committee, which will begin work next week is scheduled to meet once a month to address these issues relating to water resource management. It was decided that the committee would submit its project proposals and recommendations to the respective institution for further action.

Buses, office, school vans... From page 01

SSP Senaratne said buses can enter the outer lane to overtake another bus if a bus is stopped to board or disembark a passenger. Or else the outer lane is strictly prohibited for buses.

Moreover he stressed the motorists to stick to relevant lanes and refrain from overtaking vehicles in an erratic manner.

And also he added that re-implemen-

tation of traffic lane laws have contributed in reducing the heavy traffic congestion and road accidents.

He also said that as the first step, drivers who violate the traffic lane regulations will be highly advised and the police will keep notes to mark if further violated. By yesterday around 1000 drivers have violated the regulations, he added.



Sirisena's press release... From page 01

The press release by the former head of state, who is also a sitting member of the current parliament causes to drive fear into his client as well, Jayasuriya said.

Maithri Gunaratne, PC appearing on behalf of former President Sirisena made his submissions in response to Jayasuriya before the Commission yesterday.

He said his client was ready to provide evidence before the Commission at anytime. Therefore, by issuing such a press statement he had not intended to undermine the PCoI's mandate.

Additional Solicitor General Ayesha Jinasena, PC representing the Attorney General commented on this issue yesterday and said such media releases which are issued while the commission proceedings are going on can be considered as an involvement to the commission's affairs which is equal to the judiciary and also undermining of the commission's authority.

Referring to a media release issued by the Colombo Archdiocese condemning a statement given to the Commission by SJB MP Harin Fernando on September 19, which

Gunaratne, PC brought up as a similar incident to client's press release yesterday, ASG Jinasena, PC said that a press release of that nature should not have been issued by them as well relating to the proceedings of the PCoI.

She pointed out the former President could be penalised under the provisions of the Presidential Commission Act and also the Victims and Witnesses Protection Act.

While informing that the aforesaid controversial media release is still available on Sirisena's Facebook page, the ASG said it should be taken out of his page with immediate effect.

In addition, she also told the commission that she agreed the request made by Attorney-at-Law Jayasuriya on Monday to summon Sameera de Silva before the Commission on this matter.

Next, the Lawyer representing Archbishop Cardinal Malcolm Ranjith told the PCoI that there is a difference between the two press releases issued by his client and the former President as the Archbishop has already completed giving evidence

before the Commission. It was issued just to educate his followers and not to disrespect the Commission, he said. However, in response to these comments by the three parties, Gunaratne PC said it was the purpose of Sirisena too to educate his supporters and not to disrespect the Commission's authority. This was issued by his client as it would take time further for him to cross-examine Hemasiri Fernando who has been testifying before the Commission for several days. "This causes damage the image of my client, former President Sirisena. But we are ready to remove that post from Facebook if it damages the Commission's authority," Gunaratne further said.

Considering all the presentations, the PCoI informed the respective parties that the final decision on this incident will be announced today.

Former President Maithripala Sirisena was present in the Commission yesterday to listen to the hearings and he is expected to give evidence on October 5 which is followed by former Prime Minister Ranil Wickremesinghe on October 6.

Attorney petitions... From page 01

This special determination petition was filed through counsel Dharshana Weraduwage.

The petitioner stated that clause 3 of the bill removes Article 33 of the existing constitution, which imposes Enforceable Duties on the President. These rights are enforceable duties under Article 126 fundamental rights to jurisdiction; and may even under writ jurisdiction of the Supreme Court when it comes to election matters.

The petitioner further said that clause 5 of the bill removes Article 35 of the existing constitution, which enabled the citizens of this country to challenge

the actions and/or omissions of the President by way of Fundamental Rights petitions under Article 126.

The petitioner further said that clause 15 of the bill removes Article 78(1) of the existing constitution, which mandated that the bills be 14 days prior to bill being placed on the Parliamentary Order paper.

The petitioner said clause 17(4) of the bill removes dual citizenship disqualification for the MPs to be elected. He alleged with the removal of the said disqualification such a Member of Parliament can be appointed to even to be, the Prime Min-



ister, cabinet minister or State Minister or a Deputy Minister. The petitioner fears this is a threat to the national security of the country which includes economic security as well. The petitioner further alleged that with the repeal of article 104GG, Election

Commission can no longer take penal action against those individuals or organizations who had failed to carry out their orders or regulations; which will make the election commission irrelevant.

The petitioner is of the view that "Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution", as a whole or in part, is in vehement infringement of many entrenched Articles of the Constitution including, Articles 01, 03, 04(d), 12(1), 14(1)(g), 27(2)(a), 27(3), and duly require the approval of the people at a Referendum by virtue of the provisions of Article 83.

Naval personnel in rescue of injured MT New Diamond engineer commended



Navy Commander Vice Admiral Nishantha Ulugetenne presented Letters of Commendation to naval personnel who rescued the injured third engineer of the fire-stricken crude oil tanker MT New Diamond, at the Navy Headquarters.

'Ranarisi' fulfilling an international obligation of a coastal state, to retrieve the lives that were at stake following the oil tanker catching fire subsequent to an explosion in its engine room.

As a measure of recognition for the meritorious act carried out in special circumstances, the Commanding Officer of SLNS 'Ranarisi' Commander KRGRS Rantenna, Lieutenant KGASM Wijerathne, Leading Engineering Mechanic, DLK Mudiyanse and Able Seaman WGGU Senarathne were commended by the Navy Commander.

SI arrested for sexual bribe further remanded

SHAVINI MADHARA

A sub inspector who was arrested for a sexual bribe was further remanded till October 6 by Colombo Chief Magistrate Mohamed Mihaal yesterday.

Officers of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruptions (CIABOC) informed the Magistrate that the suspect of the Horana Police was arrested following a complaint by a woman with the CIABOC.

The officers had earlier stated that the suspect has been taken into custody in Ingiriya, when he was attempting to solicit a sexual bribe from the complainant to issue a copy of a complaint lodged in the police station about a lost motorcycle of the complainant's son. The officers had earlier told the Magistrate that the suspect had asked the complainant to come to a hotel to provide her with the receipt.

Parliament staffer arrested for bribe further remanded

SHAVINI MADHARA

The Parliament Goods Receiving Officer, who was arrested by officials of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption (CIABOC) while allegedly soliciting a bribe of Rs 60,000 from a fruit supplier, was further remanded till September 29 by Colombo Chief Magistrate Mohamed Mihaal.

When the matter was taken up, the Bribery Commission officials informed Court that the arrest was made in Kaduwela, when the suspect was allegedly accepting the bribe from a fruit supplier.

Bribery officials informed

the Magistrate that they are carrying out further investigations through CCTV footage.

The suspect had allegedly solicited a bribe of Rs.30,000 per month from a businessman not to reject his supplies and ensure that he would continuously get the order," Bribery officials alleged.

The officials further told Court that the plaintiff had lodged a complaint with the CIABOC on August 20. The suspect was identified as a resident of Kaduwela.

The suspect had asked the businessman to come to Kaduwela with the arrears for January and February.

Writ petition against beach pollution

Notices re-issue on respondents

LAKMAL SOORIYAGODA

The Court of Appeal (CA) yesterday re-issued notices returnable for November 12 on respondent parties including Director General of Coastal Conservation and the Coastal Resource Management Department in connection with a writ petition filed against beach pollution and discharge of waste materials into the ocean.

Court of Appeal President Justice A.H.M.D. Nawaz, and Justice Sobhitha Rajakaruna made the order pursuant to a writ petition filed by the Centre for Environmental Justice (CEJ) and its Executive Director.

The Court of Appeal permitted the

petitioner to file additional documents pertaining to the writ petition.

The petitioners are also seeking legal action against the recent Mount Lavinia Beach nourishment project (sand filling) and beach pollution.

The petitioners have cited Coast Conservation Department (CCD), Central Environmental Authority (CEA), Minister of Environment, Marine Environment Protection Authority (MEPA) and the Attorney General as respondents.

The petitioners are further seeking an order directing the Central Environmental Authority (CEA) and the subject Minister to investigate the Mount Lavinia Beach Nourish-

ment Project and ascertain whether the project was implemented in accordance with the provisions of the Coast Conservation, Coastal Resource Management Act, No. 57 of 1981.

The petitioners are further seeking an order directing the respondents to take necessary measures in terms of the law to investigate discharge of waste materials to the ocean which were washed up to several coastal areas and to punish the perpetrators who are responsible for discharge of waste and other effluents into the ocean. Counsel Ravindranath Dabare with Nilmal Wickremasinghe appeared for the petitioners.

Madurankuliya-Mahakumbukkadawala Road construction begins

Rural Roads and Other Infrastructure State Minister Nimal Lanza yesterday inspected the construction work of the Madurankuliya-Mahakumbukkadawala Road. The work commenced following a request made by the people during a recent visit of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa to the Madurankuliya Model College.

The State Minister said that the construction work of the 17 km-long road is carried out under the national programme to develop 100,000 km roads across the country. He said that the authorities have been instructed to con-



State Minister Nimal Lanza and other officials inspecting the road construction work.

struct the road following the international standards as some parts of the road have flooded during the recent heavy rains.

Rural and Divisional Drinking Water Supply Projects Development State Minister Sanath Nishantha, Parliamentarians

Priyankara Jayaratne, Ashoka Priyantha, Highways Ministry Secretary R.W.R. Pemasiri were present.

'EC's wings will be clipped under 20th Amendment'

PRIYAN DE SILVA

The Centre for Monitoring Election Violence (CMEV) National Coordinator said that voting in favour of the 20th Amendment to the Constitution will have a significant impact on the democratic principles upheld by the Election Commission (EC).

He said that if the 20th Amendment is passed, the Election Commission will no longer be independent, as it is the President who will be appointing its three members who in turn will be appointing its Commissioner General.



CMEV National Coordinator Manjula Gajanayaka

20th Amendment. The EC will have its wings clipped and may no longer be in a position to conduct a free and fair election as provision 104gg of the Constitution is then repealed," he said.

All four top posts of the EC, therefore, will be held by persons named by the Government directly or indirectly, he said.

"The provision in the Constitution that stipulated that at least one member of the EC should have held the post of Deputy Election Commissioner or above will be repealed by the

Eighteen more COVID-19 patients recover

MENAKA INDRAKUMAR

The Health Ministry Epidemiology Unit reported yesterday that 18 more coronavirus patients have recovered and discharged from hospitals

Seven persons from the Welikanda Base Hospital, six from the Iranawila Hospital and five from the National Institute of Infectious Diseases (NIID) have been discharged.

The total number of recoveries now stands at 3,118.

The unit further stated that 168 patients are still at various hospitals, while 3,299 cases have been confirmed in the country this far.

One death was reported a few weeks ago, taking the death toll to 13.

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ANIL PAGODA ARACHCHI

It is heartening to see that the new government has taken a great interest in bringing in education reforms, and the Education Minister and the State Ministers concerned have already initiated the process. There is no denying the fact that teacher education is strategic in enhancing the quality of education in any society. Therefore, those who are involved in formulating a new education policy should have sound answers to the following questions: What ends should teacher education serve? What should the role of the teacher be in the efforts to realize those ends? What are the major challenges facing Sri Lankan society in the digital age? How can the present teacher education be restructured to meet those challenges?

Admittedly, national educational policy and its implementation in any education system is geared by the quality of the teachers and teacher education. On the other hand, the national economy of any country is dictated by the products of teachers and the education system. Further, models and frames used for teachers' professional development and the national goals of education embedded in national educational policy revolve around the frame of teacher education.

Policy issues

What is the teacher development policy in Sri Lanka? Or else, is there a comprehensive teacher development policy? At present, teacher development courses are conducted by traditional universities such as Colombo University, Peradeniya University, Rajarata University, the Open University, and the NIE, National Colleges of Education (NCOEs), Teacher Colleges as well as a few universities in the private sector. However, when we critically examine the curricula, teacher development pedagogy, assessment and evaluation procedures of these courses, there is no compatibility among them. Thus, the products of these institutes vary in their theoretical and pedagogical aspects and hence some of them bear no affinity with national educational goals.

For example, the nature and procedures of teacher development courses conducted by NCOEs, which I think are the best, to a greater extent differ from those of the other institutions. Can this situation be attributed to the idea that we do not have a comprehensive teacher development policy? The term 'policy' refers to the statement of aims or ideals, especially one made by the government. Therefore, educational policy contains



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guidelines of nationally derived conceptions, philosophy, aims, ideals, practices, direction, structure, professional preparation, values, certification, ethical framework and much more. Furthermore, ongoing socio economic,

political and cultural pressures must also be integrated into it. Whatever institute is involved in teacher education, their courses must be prepared with the guidelines given by the national teacher development policy.

National teacher development authority

The best solution to the problems we have so far discussed is to establish a national teacher development authority (NTDA) which specifies and determines the teacher development policy framework, curricula, and teacher development pedagogy and assessment and evaluation procedures. The teacher development courses conducted by different institutes, both in the government and private sectors, have to abide by the policy and guidelines stipulated by this



authority. At the same time, it is very important to introduce a solid and effective supervision mechanism in order to find out whether such courses have been designed and implemented according to the guidelines given by the NTDA. The licence for teachers can be issued by this authority to be renewed periodically through either an examination or an interview.

Academics or professionals

There is an ongoing debate in many parts of the world including European countries whether teacher education must be done by universities or professionals with the expertise in the field of education. Those who argue for the notion that it must be handled by the universities argue that teacher development is more academic and therefore it must be undertaken by the universities whereas others point out that it is the professional teachers in the field who can produce better teachers. In this respect, it is the teacher educators working in National Colleges of Education, teacher centres and teachers' colleges who can do a better job because they have been recruited to the colleges through the rigorous procedure of a competitive examination and interview in which their competency to teach, necessary qualifications and their experience are scrutinized.

NCOEs as independent colleges

The present clamour by the teacher educators to convert the NCOEs to universities and the government decision to offer a uni-

versity degree to the prospective teachers point to a light at the end of the tunnel. But my personal view is different. My suggestion is that NCOEs must be converted to independent teacher development colleges which offer both undergraduate and postgraduate degrees in education. We can find such colleges in USA and in many European and East Asian countries. This can be done in stages. Professor Prasad Sethunga in a report presented to the Education Ministry has shown the feasibility of the NCOEs to work as independent teacher development institutes. In this process, the status of the teacher educators should be upgraded to the level of lecturers working in other universities by offering both local and foreign scholarships for reading for doctoral degrees.

The creative teacher

Since 1985 when the NCOEs were established, myriads of changes have occurred in the nature and procedure of teacher development elsewhere in the world. However, there have not been any changes in the structure of the teacher development process in NCOEs. The present day need of the country is to produce a creative teacher because we have intricacies even regarding the competency-based education which is generally grounded in the past and present situations. No one can predict the competencies teachers will want in the future because the changes to occur are unpredictable.

A creative teacher has the ability to adapt himself or herself to any changes in the future. Hence, teacher education has to be futuristic. Therefore, the teacher development structure of the NCOEs needs drastic changes. One such change is to provide more opportunities for the teacher educators and prospective teachers to work independently and to be involved in comprehensive research work for them to generate new knowledge relevant to their own disciplines. And the traditional methods of evaluation must be done away with replacing them with more independent work.

In conclusion, teacher development colleges can play a big role in reshaping and restructuring the teacher development process of the country.

Benefits of studying Technology at the Advanced Level

Dr. ROHAN S. DASSANAYAKE

We live in a digital era where almost all fields and industries from scientific research to forest and agriculture, biotechnology, environment, health, food, transportation, information and communication and construction rely heavily on technology. The technological advancements in these fields and industries have made the world a better, safer and faster place while enabling people to stay connected more than ever before.

Why study Technology?

Technology has become an essential part of our daily lives with most of us using some form of technology, whether it is our smart phone or laptop, on a daily basis. There is no doubt that our dependency on technology is only going to grow in the years to come. New ideas and innovations are integral for the survival and sustainable development of contemporary societies. Advancement in technologies contribute to the development, cultivation and renewal of knowledge and skills. This will pave the way to solve complex problems and change the way people live their lives across the world.

Technology is also considered to be a key component in STEM education. STEM refers to the integrated teaching and learning of the subjects in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics and it has been a well-established approach to curriculum development for many years. However, out of these four main streams, it is the Technology stream that has gained significant attention over the recent years. A degree in Technology will always equip you with knowledge and skills not only to develop new technologies, but also to come up with innovative solutions to complex real-world problems.

Undergraduate degree programmes in Technology

Newly introduced Technology degree programmes in Sri Lanka consist of conventional and cutting-edge tools and techniques of modern technology, and state-of-the-art instrumentation. These degree programmes

include excellent laboratory training sessions and workshops to produce industry-ready graduates who would then be able to gain employment as technologists.

It is important that a student understands both the basis of the subject matter and how to apply that knowledge to problems. Such abilities of application and critical thinking will enhance a graduate's capacity to gain employment in the industry and become successful in their future careers. Therefore, the courses in these technology degree programmes are designed to include application of theoretical knowledge and concepts into 'real world' settings and scenarios.

Technology degrees are also creative and perfect for those of you who would like to venture into the world of entrepreneurship in a wide array of fields and industries. This is the reason as to why the Technology degrees have made the top of the list for entrepreneurs. Upon completion of a degree in Technology, students will have the ability to develop and apply new concepts to address various problems and challenges. They will also gain capabilities of solid scientific and analytical reasoning and decision-making with a desire to remain up to date with ongoing technologies.

Students who pursue their higher studies in the Technology stream at the university level have several degree programmes to choose from.



The recently opened flagship Faculty of Technology at Sri Jayewardenepura University, Pitipana, Homagama

Students who study technology in Sri Lanka will find that there is no shortage of demand for the knowledge and skills that they have acquired as part of their degree programme.

These degrees include a diverse range of industry-based focus or specialty areas. The Faculty of Technology at the Sri Jayewardenepura University, which is also the first technology faculty in Sri Lanka, offers three bachelor's degrees in Technology with specialties as shown in the table.

Jobs for technologists

With the continuous development of new technologies, there is a constant demand for technologists across the globe. According to the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, the job opportunities for technologists will increase by 20 percent over the next 10 years. Yet, the degree pro-

Upon completion of a degree in Technology, students will have the ability to develop and apply new concepts to address various problems and challenges.

grammes in the US are currently preparing only half of what is required by the industry.

Moreover, the demand for the next generation of skilled technologists in Sri Lanka is also growing. This is a clear indication of the potential need for future technologists. This means that jobs in the field of technology will continue to increase exponentially both locally and internationally. However, a proper estimation of open

With the continuous development of new technologies, there is a constant demand for technologists across the globe.

technology-based jobs in Sri Lanka is yet to be predicted.

Employers search for well-educated and highly skillful graduates who understand the current developments of technology to fill their technology-based jobs. Students who study technology in Sri Lanka will find that there is no shortage of demand for the knowledge and skills that they have acquired as part of their degree programme. Also, having a career as a technologist will offer you with a highly lucrative and life-rewarding experience.

Technology is part of our future. It is up to you, as the younger generation to decide how to use it to create a positive impact on our nation and subsequently, on the whole world.

(Dr. Rohan S. Dassanayake is Senior Lecturer at the Department of Biosystems Technology, Faculty of Technology, Sri Jayewardenepura University)

Bachelor's Degrees in Technology offered by the Faculty of Technology, Sri Jayewardenepura University

Degree Programme	Focus areas
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Bachelor of Biosystems Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agriculture and Environment Technology Industrial Biosystems Technology Food Processing Technology
Bachelor of Information and Communication Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multimedia Technology Network Technology Software Technology





Ashirwadha pooja at the Anuradhapura Ruwanweli Maha Seya. Picture by Nimal Wijesinghe

Pooja to eradicate drug menace

NIMAL WIJESINGHE
Anuradhapura Additional District Group Corr.
A special Ashirwadha Pooja for eradicating the drug menace was recently held at the Anuradhapura Ruwanweli Maha Seya. The pinkama was organised by the National Dangerous Drugs Control Board (NDDCB). Around 100 Bikkhus participated in the religious event.

The Mahaadhistana Pooja commenced after the Kapruka Pooja and a special Sabdha Pooja. Addressing the participants, NDDCB Chairman Laknath Welagedara said that the Ashirwadha Pooja was organised for evoking blessings for the mission of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa to eradicate drug addiction in the country, as stated in the President's 'Vision of Prosperity' policy.

Over 1,200 trained personnel to nab narcotic dealers outside schools

S.M.WIJAYARATNE, Kurunegala Daily News Corr.

The Police will deploy 1,200 trained personnel to nab narcotic dealers who sell various drugs to schoolchildren in the Kurunegala, Puttalam and Anuradhapura Districts.

The operation will commence next week. About 6,200 schoolchildren have been found taking drugs by the Police during past nine months.

Two hundred educational programmes on consequences of drug and liquor addiction have been organised at schools of the Kurunegala District this month, Kurunegala District Senior Education Director W.M.Balasoorya speaking at a recent meeting of school teachers of the Kurunegala District in Bingiriya said.

Suspect arrested with cannabis

AMPARA DISTRICT GROUP CORR.

A 25-year-old suspect was arrested in the 11th Colony area in the Central Camp Police Division in Kalmunai with 1.155 kg of cannabis by the Special Task Force (STF) on Monday, while he was loitering in the area.



The cannabis

Special Task Force Commanding Officer, Deputy Inspector General of Police Varuna Jayasundara with the guidance of Ampara Region Commander, Senior Superintendent of Police J.R. Senadheera along with District Commanding Officer K.G. Nalin Perera, Kaluwanchikudi Special Task Force Chief Inspector R.M.M.U.K.V. Tennakoon led the the raid along with the STF.

The suspect was handed over to the Central Camp Police.

Women, youth representation in Parliament inadequate – Deshapriya

National Elections Commission (NEC) Chairman Mahinda Deshapriya said that the representation of youth and women in Parliament is inadequate and such discrimination should be eliminated. He was speaking at a conference in Anuradhapura to mark the International Democratic Day, which fell on September 15. The NEC Chairman said

that the Parliamentarians have demanded that the Provincial Council elections be held without further delay. Chairman Deshapriya said that the Right to Information in the 19th Amendment will not be scrapped. He said that this legislature is important to ensuring checks and balances. The District Election Office Staff headed by Assistant Elections Commissioner B.M. Sufyan and trainees at the Sri Lanka Vocational Training Institute in Anuradhapura were present.

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Dr Chelvathurai Thiruchelvam was conferred the honorary title "Deshabandu Vishvakeerthi Lankaputra" by the "Samastha Lanka Nena Guna Padanama" for his valued services for the past ten years by giving hands to the students of Schools and Sunday Schools with less facilities, supporting poor families with basic needs and donating essentials for hospitals in different parts of Sri Lanka.

Loans with 4 % interest to pay tourism employees' salaries – Minister Ranatunga

Tourism Minister Prasanna Ranatunga said that the Government will issue loans at 4 per cent interest to pay salaries of employees of tourist hotels, destination management companies and travel agents.

The Minister said that the benefit could be availed by those who had registered with the Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority as at March, 2019.

Responding to a question by Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa in Parliament yesterday on the situation in the tourism industry, the Minister said that there

were several reasons for the massive setback of the tourism.

"The first is the Easter Sunday terrorist attack, which occurred due to the gross negligence of the previous government. The other main reason is the restrictions imposed on tourism throughout the world following the COVID-19 pandemic. We implemented several initiatives to safeguard those in the tourism industry," he said.

He said that although the opposition claims their government granted sweeping concessions to those in the



tourism industry who were hit by the Easter attacks, in reality, whenever we have sat down with industry representatives, they all say the same thing as soon as discussions begin. They say that though the then government promised many concessions, they received

none. "They keep appealing to us not to act like the previous government and to follow through on promises to aid them."

The Minister said that a Cabinet memorandum submitted regarding granting of concessions to the tourism industry following the COVID-19 pandemic was approved on June 10, 2019. As per this memorandum, the following proposals were approved:

A loan would be granted by state banks based on EPF/ETF records and has a grace period of two years and should be paid off in

five years. The Cabinet has also approved a proposal to grant a loan facility to pay up to Rs 15, 000 each per month for six months to employees of restaurants, tourist friendly dining establishments, fitness centres, aquatic centres and spas and other establishments registered under the SLTDA, the Minister said.

"The Cabinet has also approved a proposal to allow registered tourist hotels to settle their water and electricity bills for March 1, 2020 to Aug 31 in 12 installments from Sept 1.

Govt. will improve education – Prof. G.L. Peiris

Education Minister Professor G.L. Peiris said that the Government is committed to uplifting the standards of schools to improve the quality of education.

He said that the Government is aware that there are many shortcomings at the plantation schools.

He said that to rectify these shortcomings, it is necessary to recruit teachers to fill the vacancies.

"However, it is simply not enough to recruit teachers, they should be given a proper training and prepare them, so that the students can benefit. One of the biggest



issues we have today in our schooling system is the huge disparity.

There is a big rush to admit students to popular schools.

This is the result of some schools having better facilities than others.

There are some steps that we need to overcome these disparities," he said.

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Lord JESUS, by faith in Your merits, I now take Your precious blood and sprinkle it over myself and my family right from the crown of my head to the very soles of my feet.

I claim total and complete protection for my life and my family. Lord JESUS, keep me free today from evil, sin, temptation, Satan's attacks and afflictions, fear of darkness, fear of man, sicknesses, diseases, doubts, anger, all calamities and from all that is not of Thy Kingdom.

Fill me Lord JESUS with the gift of your Holy SPIRIT and grant me the gift of wisdom, knowledge, understanding and discernment so that I will live today in Your Glory by doing that which is right.

- I Praise You, Jesus
- I Thank You, Jesus
- I Love You, Jesus
- I Adore You, Jesus

Holy Spirit, You who makes me see everything and shows me the way to reach my ideals; You who gives me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me, and You who are in all instances of my life with me; I in this short dialogue want to thank You for everything and affirm once more that I never want to be separated from You, no matter how great the material desire may be.

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Previous regime carried out projects set by MR Government – State Minister Godahewa

Most of the projects that were initiated during the Good Governance Government were planned and designed during the previous Mahinda Rajapaksa Government including the Ambatale pumping station to pump water out during the high rainfall, Urban Development, Coast Conservation, Waste Disposal and Community Cleanliness State Minister Nalaka Godahewa yesterday said.

He was responding to a query by Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) Parliamentarian S. M. Marikkar stating that the construction of the Ambatale Pump Station was commenced during the Good Governance Government on his request. He queried if such pump stations were planned to



be constructed in Kaduwela and Seethawaka. He added members of this Government attempted to say that the Aruwakkalu Project was also planned during the Mahinda Rajapaksa's Government.

State Minister Nalaka Godahewa said that it was planned during the Mahinda Rajapaksa Government, while two other pump stations were planned. He said that floods occur not only in rain but in increase of the water level in the Kelani

River with the heavy rainfall to the upcountry. He said that, therefore, projects will be set up to prevent flooding of 10 rivers under the Climate Resilience Improvement Project and the Kelani River too will be covered with the same project. He said that it was planned and designed in 2014 under the Mahinda Rajapaksa Government when President Gotabaya Rajapaksa was the Defence Secretary.

State Minister Godahewa said that he went to see the Aruwakkalu project. He added that during the Mahinda Rajapaksa Government, it was planned to set up in Aruwakkalu but was shifted to some other place by the successive governments wasting Rs. 24 billion.

Prof. Charitha Herath COPE Chairman

Prof. Charitha Herath has been appointed the Chairman of Committee on Public Enterprises (COPE). The COPE of new Parliament met for the first time yesterday at the committee room section in the Parli-

mentary complex. Prof. Herath's name was proposed to chair the Committee by Agriculture Minister Mahindananda Aluthgamage and was seconded by State Minister Jayantha Samaraweera.



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A poppy was pinned on Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena yesterday at the Parliamentary premises.

MP Athaullah leaves House amidst protest over his Afghan Pashtun vest

National Congress Leader MP A.L.M. Athaullah was informed to leave the Chamber yesterday because other MPs protested against since he came to the House wearing an Afghan Pashtun vest over his dress.

Soon after the protest by the Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) MPs over the presenting of the 20th Amendment to the House, MP Athaullah arrived in the Chamber.

Raising a Point of Order,

Colombo District SJB MP S.M. Marikkar said that there is a dress code for MPs, but Athaullah came in wearing a dress that does not comply with the formal dress code, and the latter should be removed from the Chamber.

Kurunegala District SJB MP Nalin Bandara said that there was nothing racial or personal about the member, but the MPs should come to the House in proper dresses.

The dress the MP



of the dress. Initially, he had only the top button of his vest fastened and the rest were left unfastened, when the Opposition MPs started to protest.

Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena said that MP Athaullah had come in a dress denoting his communal identity.

MP Bandara said that there are Standing Orders about the Dress Code of MPs, and those orders did not permit the dress of MP Athaullah.

Fisheries Policy soon – Fisheries Minister

The Government will formulate a fisheries policy in the near future, Fisheries Minister Douglas Devananda said.

He was responding to a question by MP Charles Nirmalanathan in the oral answers round. Minister Devananda said that the matter will be discussed with the stakeholders and formulate the policy and have it presented to Parliament. He said that this policy will address many of the issues faced by the fisheries sector and the Government will provide sustainable solutions to them. He said that around 45,000 persons are in the fishing industry from the Northern Province including the Mannar, Killinochchi, Mulaithivu and Jaffna Districts and it sustains around 200,000 families. The Minister said that Indian fishing vessels sailing into Sri Lankan territorial waters greatly affect the local fishermen, and they find it difficult to fishing. He assured that the Government will take measures to implement a proper mechanism to prevent the Indian fishing vessels from illegally entering Sri Lankan waters.



Forty three regulations taken up for debate in Parliament

Seven Regulations under the Finance Act, five Regulations under the Foreign Exchange Act and 31 Regulations under the Special Commodity Levy Act were taken up for debate in Parliament yesterday.

Commencing the debate, Trade Minister Bandula Gunawardena said that the farmer has been ensured a safer market under the Government of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa. He said that these ordinances protect the local farmer where necessary and the consumer when required.

He said that while required raw materials would be permitted to be imported, unrestricted import has been curtailed to protect the local industry.

Previous Government built only 4,000 houses – State Minister Indika

The previous Good Governance Government had constructed only 4,000 houses under the Udagamma Programme during their tenure whereas the Government has almost completed 6,000 houses, Rural Housing and Construction and Building Material Industries State Minister Indika Anuruddha Herath yesterday said.

He added that the previous Government's Housing Ministry had spent much on Propaganda than building houses. He was responding to a query by Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) member Welu Kumar in Parliament.

SLFP/UPFA ruled country for 20 of past 25 years – Kabir Hashim

Raising a Point of Order in the midst of the commotion in Parliament yesterday, Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) MP Kabir Hashim said that out of the past 25 years the majority of around 20 years the country was ruled by the United People's Freedom Alliance (UPFA) faction.

"Today, two major forces represented in Parliament. One faction is those who ruled the country for 20

years and the other the United National Party (UNP) who ruled the country five years. If you take these two major factions, it is the same UPFA or the SLFP faction that has had the majority rule. I am surprised that this same faction comes here and claims that the country is faced with major financial and economic crises; the agricultural sector has collapsed, and the domestic production has



crashed. Should not those who ruled the country for 20 years take the blame for it?" he asked. Referring to MP Shehan Semasinghe's statement that taxes were reduced under his Government. MP Hashim said, "Yes the VAT was reduced to 47 per cent, but were you able to reduce the price of a single item? To whose pocket did the savings from the tax reduction go? The country was deprived of the tax benefit, but none of the commodities such as sugar, dhal, rice or salmon was reduced by even a cent.

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8. 16/19 RII
9. 08/20 RII

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4. 334/19 Writ of Cert
5. 420/19 Writ of Cert
6. 470/19 Writ of Cert
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9. 300/20 Writ of Cert

NOTICE RETURNABLE
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Probe this tragedy

Prompt action is called for from the concerned authorities to uncover the real cause for the collapse of the five story building in Sangamitta Mawatha Kandy which snuffed out the lives of a young couple and their 40 day old infant in a house below into to which the giant edifice caved in. This is because there is the very real danger of other structures too built haphazardly without due sanction on precarious terrain meeting with a similar fate with further loss of lives. Steps should also be taken, immediately, to identify other similar vulnerable spots in the hill country and residents evacuated. An immediate halt too should also be called to sanctioning all constructions in the hill country until all contingencies are put in place and the areas declared safe following due inspection by experts. The Bar Association of Sri Lanka (BASL) has already called on the Acting IGP to conduct a thorough probe into the building collapse in Kandy not because the lady who died was one of its members but also because such incidents are starting to become all too common. It points to the building that collapsed in Wellawatte near the Savoy theatre, some years ago, in similar fashion, but after the initial flurry of investigations the matter had been dropped altogether. The BASL warning should be taken with the seriousness it deserves since it is now been reported that some 50 percents of the constructions in the Kandy, Nuwara-eliya and Matale districts have been erected on slopes on loose soil that could meet with the same fate of the collapsed building in Kandy.

There are of course the usual claims and counter claims. While the owner of the collapsed building vouch that he had obtained the standard authorization and the building constructed confirming to all the laid down regulations, investigations are being conducted to ascertain whether the original plan of the structure had been changed. According to Geological Survey and Mines Bureau Director Udaya de Silva, the foundation of the ill fated building had not been built with sufficient strength to hold five stories, while Senior Chartered Geologist Laksiri Indratilake had told a newspaper that the collapsed building was an ad-hoc construction which had been erected blocking a valley path across which water flows from above. It has also been revealed that, not just residences, but even roads in the hill country have been built across slopes. One dreads to think of the terrible disaster beckoning when considering that heavy vehicular traffic including monster trucks and containers ply on these roads on a regular basis. Would these roads be able to continually withstand the strain? According to Peradeniya Senior Professor Athula Senaratne, the compulsory inspection of buildings built on the slopes by the National Building Research Association came into effect only after 2011, hence there is an urgent need to pay attention to the buildings constructed on slopes prior to that which could be vulnerable.

In the meantime steps have been taken to evacuate residents from the immediate vicinity as a precautionary measure pending a full investigation as to the vulnerability of the area.

Be that as it may, the Kandy incident should be an eye-opener to the authorities for ensuring that the laid down regulations are strictly adhered to before constructions are permitted not just in the hill country but elsewhere as well. It is well known how plans are drawn up for buildings and residences after greasing the palms of the local authorities and the approval obtained. The building that collapsed in Wellawatte too had passed muster in this fashion. The attention of the authorities should also focus on illegal structures and squatter dwellings that dot the city landscape that are a major contributory factor for flooding. True, construction of buildings go hand in hand with development but care should be taken to have them built in a planned manner after following expert opinion and due sanction.

The hill country had long been at the receiving end of the vagaries of the environment, or, to be precise, environmental destruction. The ecological imbalance could also lead to disasters of the type witnessed in Kandy. Therefore a probe should also be conducted to ascertain if the environment destruction could also have a hand in the type of vulnerabilities pinpointed by the Building Construction Research Organization and other experts. The tremors that recently occurred in Kandy where huge cracks appeared in the walls of residences were attributed by some to a nearby limestone quarry. Similarly, large scale soil erosion resulting from sand mining and other damage caused to the environment could also lead to the risk of buildings caving in like in Kandy.

Hence, there is an immediate needs to clamp down on such destructive act and offenders punished irrespective of their positions or political affiliations. The recent destruction of forest land and clearing of marshes and mangroves for commercial purposes by elements with political backing, needles to say, is going to have dire repercussions on the environment and ecological balance. It behoves on the leaders of this country to bequeath a nation in all its natural beauty and splendour to the future generations so that they may enjoy its bounty to the fullest.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

This was not an act of God. The negligence was pretty clear cut. - Joe Russo



20A comes to Parliament



THE GAZETTE OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA
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TWENTIETH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION
A BILL
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The 20th Amendment Bill

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa



Minister Udaya Gammanpila



Minister Wimal Weerawansa



Minister Ali Sabry



State Minister Arundika Fernando speaking to mediamen from a coconut tree when he tested a plucking contraption

More questions than answers remain as the proposed 20th Amendment to the Constitution (20A) went to Parliament for the first reading in the midst of varying opinions by political as well as civil society representatives.

Justice Minister Ali Sabry PC presented the Bill in Parliament yesterday on behalf of the Government amidst the interruptions from the Opposition. The Opposition MPs wore stickers and held placards saying "No to destructive 20A".

The Amendment seeks to do away with the 19th Amendment (19A) except for a few Clauses, practically returning to the status quo that prevailed prior to 2015. Political observers point out the balance of power will tilt towards the Executive and the legislative, judicial and institutional organs will undergo significant changes under the 20A.

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa had been firm at last week's Cabinet meeting that he needs a free hand to deliver what the people expect from him and that he perceives the 19th Amendment as a constitutional barrier to achieve that end. His position had been that the 20A would be a transitional amendment and a new constitution could attend to all the concerns raised.

Putting the doubts on who would take the responsibility for drafting the 20A to rest once and for all, the President said in no uncertain terms that he takes its full responsibility. He was of the opinion that the people, with their resounding mandate, have expressed their desire to see the back of the 19th Amendment.

Petitioning time starts

It was no secret that there were conflicting opinions within the Government itself on the proposed Bill and its political allies wanted some of its Sections dropped. It was in this wake that Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa appointed a nine-member committee chaired by Education Minister and Constitutional Expert Prof G.L. Peiris to study the proposed changes. Its report was handed over to the PM last week, but its content was not yet available in the public domain.

Minister Udaya Gammanpila, who was a member of the said committee, told the Mahanayake Theras when he called on them last week in Kandy that the Audit Service should not be weakened and that he was not in favour of removing its powers to audit companies with more than 50 per cent stake to the Government. He said this point was included in the report.

Another Committee Member Minister Wimal Weerawansa openly registered his opposition to the removal of

the Clause that prevents dual citizens from contesting the Parliamentary or Presidential Elections. When this matter came up at the Cabinet meeting it was reported that Ministers Gammanpila, Weerawansa and Vasudeva Nanayakkara spoke in favour of retaining the restriction, while Ministers Prasanna Ranatunga, Pavithra Wanniarachchi, Rohitha Abeygunawardena and S. M. Chandrasena counter-argued.

Cabinet Spokesman Minister Keheliya Rambukwella told the last week's Cabinet press briefing that it was agreed to present the 20A in Parliament in its current shape and accommodate any further amendments at the Committee Stage (third reading) after debating it in the House.

A drawback of this approach is that the citizenry will not be able to know what contentious Clauses will remain and what will be shelved until the last minute. It was barely a month ago that PM Rajapaksa, speaking at the Parliament's orientation programme, reminded that every minute detail in the Constitution, even a comma or a full stop, matters to the people's lives. It is in this spirit, legislative making process, especially that of making the country's supreme law, should be above-board and transparent.

With the tabling of the 20A in Parliament, doors are now open for political parties, civil society activists and any concerned citizen to petition to the Supreme Court within seven days. The main Opposition Party, the Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) has already stated its intent on challenging the validity of certain provisions of the 20A Bill including the Clause that enables the President to dissolve Parliament one year after a General Election. Several other parties and civil society organizations are likely to follow suit.

Exciting days ahead

A legal battle on the constitutionality of the 20th Amendment will ensue at



Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa in Parliament yesterday.

the Hultsdorp premises as legal luminaries representing the petitioners and respondents make their submissions in the coming weeks. The Supreme Court can take up to three weeks to conclude the hearing and inform its judgement to the Speaker.

The Court verdict will shed light into some specific changes the 20A will undergo in the third reading. The Government looks forward to take up the 20A for debate in Parliament early November before the presentation of its maiden Budget. Going by the current political developments, political analysts believe that the month of November could see the first few cross-overs of the new Parliament.

Tamil Progressive Alliance (TPA) Leader Mano Ganesan told the media over the weekend that several MPs of his Party and several MPs of the Sri Lanka Muslim Congress (SLMC) and the All Ceylon Makkal Congress (ACMC) were in discussion with the top rung of the ruling party. This could be a contingency plan of the Government to make sure that the 20A would sail through Parliament quite effectively. It was reported that SJB General Secretary Ranjith Madduma Bandara had warned the SJB members against supporting the 20A after learning about some behind the scenes discussions.

Meanwhile, United National Party (UNP) new Deputy Leader Ruwan Wijewardene, issuing a lengthy statement, said that the UNP would "wage a ground battle" against the 20A. He complained that the proposed Amendment reverses the hardly won democratic gains of the country and suppresses the people's rights.

Ironically, in a political scenario where the UNP has no say in Parliament, its political involvement has indeed been reduced to "ground level". One and half months since the Election, it has been unable to name its nominee for the one and only National

List seat it managed to secure in Parliament.

Coconut prices

In an entirely a different political scene, 'Coconut, Kithul, Palmyrah and Rubber Cultivation Promotion and Related Industrial Product Manufacturing and Export Diversification' State Minister Arundika Fernando spoke to the media atop a coconut tree on soaring coconut prices last week.

The State Minister climbed a coconut tree at his home garden in Dankotuwa with the help of a 'coconut tree climbing machine' manufactured by a person in Warakapola amidst the presence of provincial media personnel as well as the Ministry's own media.

The price of a coconut has shot up to about Rs.100 in the market. Certainly, the State Minister's bizarre action or what he said atop the tree was of little help to solve the problem.

"We hope to minimize post-harvest losses of coconuts taken for domestic use, while promoting coconut cultivation as much as possible. The long term solution to the shortage was expanding the cultivation and we hope to take several short term measures too to bring down the prices," Fernando said atop the tree after plucking a few coconuts, but he did not elaborate what his short term plans were.

If not for stealing the media attention, the State Minister's action made little sense. One could say his intention was to test the new coconut tree climbing machine, but he could have got that done by a real coconut plucker.

About two weeks ago, President Rajapaksa, in a meeting with the State Ministers to review the scope and role of the recently established State Ministries, asked them to "take their plans to the ground without having them in files". One may even feel that State Minister Fernando has taken those words literally.

"Strategies and plans are useless if they are confined only to their files and folders. You have to take them to the ground and make them a reality. It is the key role of a State Minister," the President emphasized.

Suggesting a few ideas to improve coconut production, the President added, "We permitted 'Govi Jana Seva' Centres to cultivate other crops in barren lands. They can also plant coconut trees in them. There are a number of barren lands along the Southern Expressway. If coconut trees were planted in these lands, people will get the immediate impression that the respective Minister is actually doing some work. The Ministries have a long term vision, but at the same time there are plenty of things that could be done in a short time."

RAJPAL ABEYNAYAKE

The advent of Ruwan Wijewardene to the UNP deputy leadership is after all a non-event, and you'd be excused for being indifferent to it except of course that this is despite the fact that there are newspaper articles claiming it is in fact an event.

It's an event to the extent that your kid's birthday is an event. Everything is an event in that case, and this includes forgetting your wife's birthday. Now, that's an event.

But non-events get obligatory press coverage because society takes time to outgrow certain rituals. Reporting about everything that's happening within the UNP was a ritual. So, journalists and others are doing what they do by force of habit - the UNP has a deputy leader they are told, so they report that fact.

What hangs by that story though? Nothing turns on it, to use quasi-legal terminology. There can be no importance attached to a deputy leader appointment from what is for all intents and purposes now a non-party.

So the ritual element is obvious. The newspapers have been reporting UNP politics, but they don't see this as a trend they can sustain, obviously.

But there is another element to this reporting, which is that there are people who still think that there is a given way in which Sri Lankan politics is headed, or needs to be headed. Though the public is indifferent, there are people who are intent on projecting themselves as future leaders because they feel that sense of entitlement.

The Ruwan Wijewardene story is mostly coming from that place. There is some element of thinking that despite the UNP being a non-party today, that eventually Wijewardene will be on his way to national leadership because this is what these families do.

The story is reported with that fond wish in mind. It doesn't matter who is pushing it, that's irrelevant. But with a little catalyzing push even journalists are corralled into the task of projecting this idea that maybe, just maybe, just against all odds even, Ruwan maybe one day be headed for national leadership.

So that's how non-events become events. There are people who buy into the story almost half heartedly with the thought there may be something here, perchance. So they report - and of course it's partly because they have nothing better to do as well.

Helicopter

But politics anywhere and particularly in Sri Lanka, has never been preordained. There is no trajectory, even though people do their best to believe that there is a general direction. They believe that perhaps Premadasa junior, the late President's son may become president one day.

But it won't happen. It didn't happen. Chances are that it's never likely to happen either. But there are enough folk quite hell bent on projecting the theory of the 'trajectory'. Premadasa Jr's family behaved as if they are already the anointed leaders in the run up to the 2019 November campaign, and who doesn't remember that? One family member was seen waving to all around her as if she was rock star material, but people had to ask who she was as her retinue of family waited for the helicopter to hop by.

So, time and again this trajectory theory has proved to be absolute unadulterated nonsense. It is true that there was the late D. S. Senanayake and his son Dudley that fol-

lowed him to the premiership after a memorable premier stakes, but that was eons ago.

There was the late Sirimavo Bandaranaike and her daughter Chandrika, but even that was an aberration of sorts because the son Anura was the anointed individual. But since then in particular, the trajectory template of politics has changed irrevocably.

There were a host of political outriders who became the successors to certain traditions, blowing the trajectory theory to smithereens. The Rajapaksa family was one such outrider family. In the SLFP leadership stakes, as Mr. Mahinda Rajapaksa would admit any day, he was not the anointed one. The honour went to the late Anura Bandaranaike.

In the outrider Rajapaksa family that blew the trajectory theory, Gotabaya Rajapaksa was an outrider among outriders. He wasn't even a professional politician until he became president.

So the long and the short of the story is that the days are long gone

since politics in Sri Lanka followed the preordained route. It's a free country, and people can think until the cows come home that they are the ordained, but in the larger scheme nobody gives, as they say, two hoots about what folks may think.

Solicited

In opposition politics today, there are many new faces and this includes those in the UNP and the SJB. But none of them seem to show any significant promise as future leadership material. In fact it's so hilarious that the hopefuls are mostly stay at home politicians.

Ruwan Wijewardene is a stay at home politician. Ravi Karunanayake is a stay at home politician as well. Sorry, folks, there is nothing to see there - there isn't an iota of a difference these gentlemen can make from the comfort of their apartments, be it that these digs were bought, rented, gifted or solicited. In the SJB, Premadasa has turned

out to be the next serial loser in right wing politics, following close on the heels of the record breaking Mr. Ranil Wickremesinghe.

The example of the Rajapaksa shows that entrenched political lineages doesn't mean a thing, because if they did a Bandaranaike would have been president today, or a Premadasa would have been in President's House. When Gotabaya Rajapaksa emerged as the successor to the progressive nationalist movement, people such as Premadasa and Chandrika didn't know what hit them.

That will be true for the future also, which is why Ruwan Wijewardene taking over the deputy leadership of the UNP is such a non-event by any yardstick, no matter who wanted to project what ...

The right-wing opposition is at the moment essentially leader-less which is to discount the leadership of Sajith Premadasa for a very good reason. If Wijewardene was a non-event, Premadasa is a series of non-events coupled with some periodic

accidents rolled into the eventless itinerary.

That's a dead end. For the SJB to hope to re-emerge as the governing party there is no open path with Sajith at the helm; it's only a cul-de-sac there. So that particular trajectory theory is stillborn too, and it means that there are others in the future who will take the right wing opposition in a direction that is hitherto unmapped.

Leadership

Who are these others? Search me. If a Gotabaya Rajapaksa can emerge from relative obscurity to helm the progressive nationalist movement in such a short period of time, the right wing will probably have its own story. Certainly, non-events will have no bearing on who future national leaders are, and that can be said with a great degree of certainty.

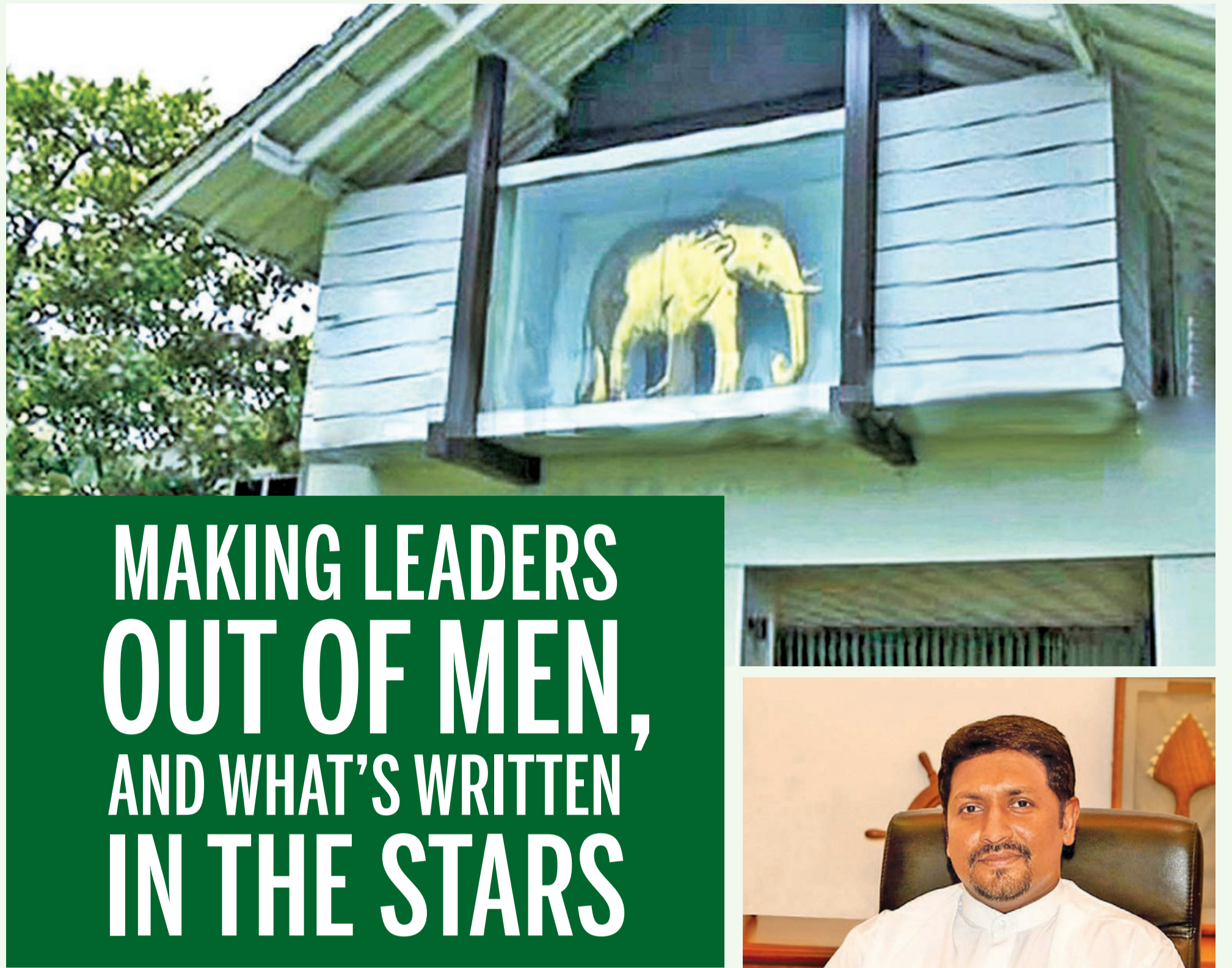
But it's strange anyway that there is nobody in the opposition right now that's in pole position to chart a course towards future national lead-

ership. That's something that has not happened in years. Even in their worst doldrums, parties have had leaders in waiting. The opposition today has none whatsoever.

God forbid also, that they will have interim leaders such as Maithripala Sirisena. They need to have a vision beyond having somebody merely filling the vacancy. In those terms, they have nobody anywhere on the horizon. That is a bit bewildering but it's also interesting. Opposition politics today is very much unexplored frontier territory.

Families are all basically marking time until they fade out, Premadasas, Dissanayakes, whoever. Are there any bright young stars, such as Mahinda Rajapaksa who took over the SLFP fortunes at the most unlikely moment, as a singular force because his family was not in politics at that point in time though his long departed father had been?

In the opposition, at the moment, there is nobody even knocking on the door.



MAKING LEADERS OUT OF MEN, AND WHAT'S WRITTEN IN THE STARS

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UNP Deputy Leader Ruwan Wijewardene.

Britain to impose new virus curbs as US nears 200,000 deaths

LONDON: The British government will announce fresh steps Tuesday to try and stop a coronavirus surge in England, while the United States was on the verge of 200,000 Covid-19 deaths.

The pandemic is showing no signs of slowing down - more than 31.2 million infections have been detected worldwide, with 964,000 deaths - and nations are scrambling to contain new outbreaks.

The ramped-up response in Britain follows warnings that the country could see up to 50,000 cases a day by mid-October, and a month later exceed 200 deaths every day.

France and Spain are battling similar surges.

"If we don't do enough, the virus will take off and at the moment that is the path that we are clearly on," said Chris Whitty, the British government's chief medical officer.

"And if we do not change course, then we are going to find ourselves in a very difficult problem." Under new rules to come into force on Thursday, English pubs, bars and other hospitality

venues will be required to close at 10 pm. Food and drink outlets will also be restricted to table service only.

Many nations in Europe were easing restrictions after largely overcoming initial outbreaks, but the resurgence of the virus has forced them to tighten curbs again.

In the Czech Republic, Prime Minister Andrej Babis admitted Monday that the government had loosened restrictions too quickly.

"Even I got carried away by the coming summer and the general mood," he said.

"That was a mistake I don't want to make again."

Lies and incompetence

The number of deaths in the United States was close to 200,000 on Tuesday, with infections in the worst-hit nation in the world approaching seven million. Overall, the US accounts for four percent of the world's population and 20 percent of its coronavirus deaths.

President Donald Trump has faced intense criticism of his han-

dling of the crisis ahead of the November election.

"Due to Donald Trump's lies and incompetence in the past six months, (we) have seen one of the gravest losses of American life in history," his Democratic rival Joe Biden charged on Monday.

"With this crisis, a real crisis, a crisis that required serious presidential leadership, he just wasn't up to it. He froze. He failed to act. He panicked. And America has paid the worst price of any nation in the world." Trump insisted Monday that the United States was "rounding the corner with or without a vaccine".

But US Federal Reserve boss Jerome Powell will warn Tuesday in testimony before a Congressional committee that a full recovery in the world's biggest economy "is likely to come only when people are confident that it is safe to reengage in a broad range of activities", according to prepared remarks.

I'll never return

A vaccine is considered crucial to ending the pandemic -

with multiple development efforts underway around the world - but there are concerns that the poorest nations may not be able to access it.

More than 60 wealthy nations - but not China and the United States - have joined a program backed by the World Health Organization to facilitate poor countries' access to vaccines, according to a list published Monday.

Until one is available, the options for treatment available to the less privileged are limited.

In Mexico, where more than 73,000 people have died, many are choosing to stay at home when they fall ill instead of seeking treatment at creaking public hospitals.

Jessica Castillo in Hidalgo state said she suffered for a week at home, and even had suicidal thoughts.

"I felt that the air I was breathing wasn't entering my lungs," said 43-year-old pastry chef, whose coronavirus recovery took more than a month.

"But I said: 'If I go to hospital, I'll never return'." (AFP)

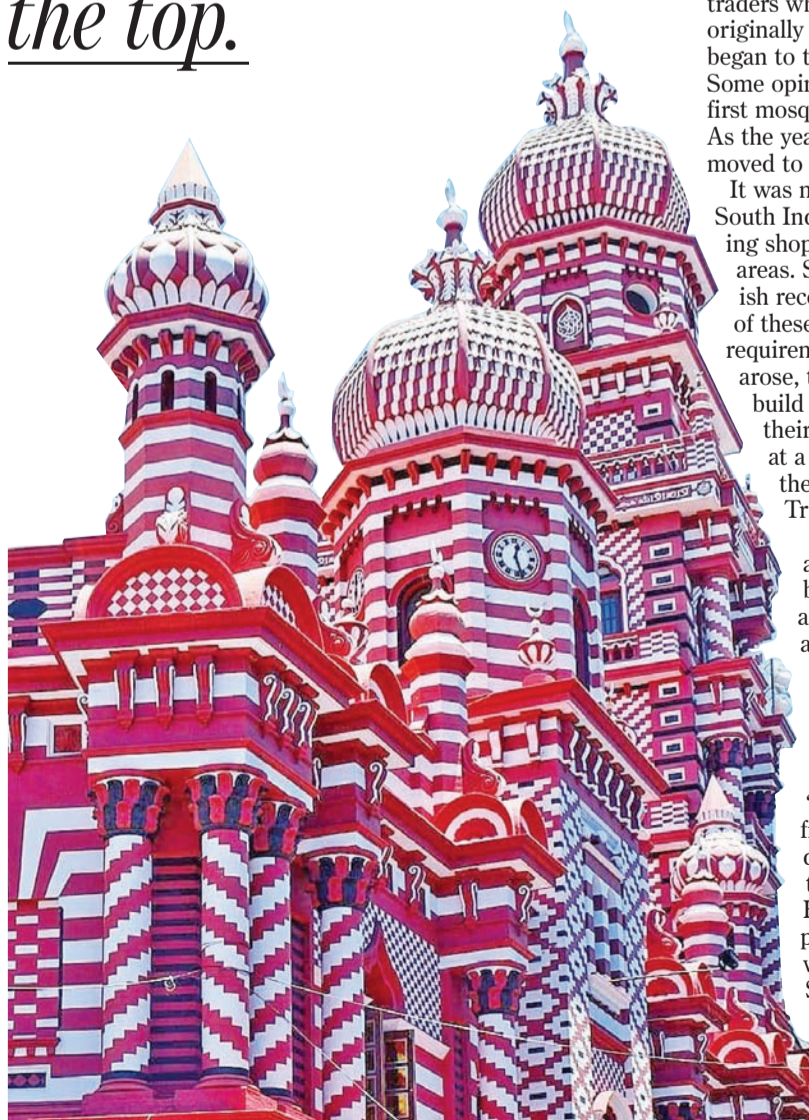


The MOSQUE with 49 MINARETS



Inner courtyard

Many believe this is the only mosque in the world to have a dome in the shape of a pomegranate with a half crescent at the top.



Domes and minarets

DISHAN JOSEPH

The general vicinity of Pettah is always crowded with vendors and shoppers. It is in a sense a melting pot which unknowingly unites all of us in this beautiful city as well as thousands who come to the Fort Railway Station. Along Main Street there are many shops that specialize in textiles, shoes and fancy goods. As you walk along Second Cross Street or enter the area via Main Street your eyes connect to the beautiful dome of the Red Mosque, quietly heralding its presence.

This mosque is an architectural gem and a cultural icon for Muslim devotees and all Sri Lankans. Its contrasting red and white design has been a stimulating sight that makes us pause and admire its architecture. The mosque is testament to the dedicated work of its pioneer builders who infused this edifice with so much beauty.

I have passed this way countless times, when returning from Lake House, which is a stunning building in its own right and the remarkable birthplace of print media in Ceylon. Local traders commonly refer to this mosque in Sinhalese as Rathu Palliya. It is also called Samankottai palli in Tamil. The Red Mosque is not to be confused with the Colombo Grand Mosque. During the mandatory Friday prayers hundreds of men congregate inside the mosque at Main Street. At the entrance, we encounter a few talkative men selling prayer caps and tiny glass bottles of perfumes from across the Middle East.

It is a timely reminder of the lasting ties our island has enjoyed with Arab traders from centuries ago. It was these pioneer Arab traders who settled in coastal towns embracing our culture and gently influencing our own culture in turn. After removing my shoes, I entered the mosque, where prayers had already begun. According to some seniors who took time to talk with me, they reckoned since the seventh century the Island of Serandib (meaning the 'land of rubies') had attracted Arab traders who sailed to our island and originally settled in Beruwela. They began to trade in gems and spices. Some opine that these traders built the first mosque in Beruwela in 920 CE. As the years went by, these traders moved to Colombo with their families.

It was much later that Muslims of South Indian origin set up their trading shops in the Pettah and Fort areas. Subsequently, the ruling British recognized the economic output of these Muslim traders. As the requirement for common worship arose, the businessmen decided to build a small mosque close to their shops. They purchased land at a cost of Rs. 500 and donated the property, duly setting up a Trust.

Islam teaches that prayer is a pillar of the religion. Prayer builds a personal and spiritual bond between the Muslim and his Creator. Prayer when performed correctly fills the heart of the worshipper with contentment and peace. It is an act of submission to Allah. Quran 29.45 says "Verily, prayer prevents one from shameful and evil deeds." The task of building the mosque was assigned to H.L. Saibo Lebbe, an accomplished builder of that era. He was not a qualified architect. Saibo Lebbe began work in 1908 and built a two-storey mosque with a clock tower and dome (*kubba* in Arabic language) reflecting Indo-Saracen architecture. The clock was brought down

from Ukraine. The large teak support columns were procured from trees in the Puttalam area. The builder chose to have the dome in the shape of a pomegranate fruit. When you cut a pomegranate, you see the red and white colours. This was the builder's inspiration for the unusual colour scheme, as the traditional colours of the Muslim community are green and white.

Many believe this is the only mosque in the world to have a dome in the shape of a pomegranate with a half crescent at the top. Another feature in the mosque design is the minaret – an idea from the ancient Arab King Abdul Malik. The Red Mosque has 49 such minarets, further accentuating its glorious design. Once the mosque was

Every single brick was lovingly painted by hand. The red bricks are built in four designs – jagged, spiral, striped and chequered.



The entrance

completed the Trustees named it Al Masjid-al Jamiul Alf. The word 'Masjid' means 'mosque', 'Jamiul' denotes a mosque which is dedicated to congregational prayers on Friday and the word 'Alf' means 'success'. The erection of this mosque in 1909 was a manifestation of the unity and devotion of the Muslims in Colombo. Every beautiful story has a stroke of tragedy and some believe that the prudent builder Saibo Lebbe was killed when a horse cart accidentally reversed into the spot where he was standing outside the mosque, knocking him down.

I was fascinated by the amazing designs and intricate brick work of hundreds of men who had patiently worked here. The Red Mosque has an open courtyard to take in sunlight and fresh air. I noticed the large marble pond of ablution – where men stop and washed their face, hands and feet,



Prayer caps

an outward sign of purification before engaging in prayer.

The steps of white marble lead to the first floor. A large chandelier was suspended from the roof, dominating the aura within. I am showed the minbar (pulpit) where the chief Moulavi would deliver his sermon. The red carpets embossed in ancient designs of Iran are a work of art. Beautiful carpets are indeed synonymous with the ancient city of Iran. The red and white bricks enrich the visual majesty of this grand edifice. Every single brick was lovingly painted by hand. The red bricks are built in four designs – jagged, spiral, striped and chequered. On the edge of the outside border is calligraphy painted by hand.

In 2007, the Trustees realized the need to expand this mosque and began building. They built around the original mosque of Saibo Lebbe and today, this edifice has six floors with a capacity for 10,000 men to unite in prayer. At present, the masjid has seven domes. On special days, the mosque sees a multitude of almost 15,000 worshippers with people gathering from outside Colombo. The mosque feeds 2,000 people daily during this period of annual fasting, when the fast is broken. During this period, shops sell tasty samosas that goes down well with a chilled glass of faluda. From the sixth floor of the masjid the view of the busy bazaar below is a reminder of our multi-ethnic city and the strength of our diversity as Sri Lankans.

This mosque is an architectural gem and a cultural icon for Muslim devotees and all Sri Lankans.

Side view of the Red Mosque

AASL staff recognised for services to aviation sector

IRANGIKA RANGE

Tourism Minister Prasanna Ranatunga said recently that the assistance and understanding of employees of Airport and Aviation Services (Sri Lanka) (AASL) is of utmost importance in reviving Sri Lanka's civil aviation industry which has been

badly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. He made these remarks during the 'Sewabhiman' awards ceremony organised by AASL and held at the auditorium of the Civil Aviation Authority.

The event was organised to recognise the dedication, commit-

ment and contribution of AASL employees to the aviation sector. "The COVID-19 pandemic has had a huge impact on the civil aviation industry as well as the tourism industry in Sri Lanka. Although many private companies had made cut backs in number of staff and salaries, we did

not do that. We cannot predict how long it would take to revive the sector. But today, the AASL faces a crisis due to this global pandemic. Therefore, both the Board of Directors and the staff should work in collaboration to address this situation," Minister Ranatunga said.

SP institutions get Rs. 984 mn

MAHINDA P. LIYANAGE
Galle Central Spl. Corr.

During the past eight months, Rs. 984 million has been reimbursed to 49 Local Government institutions of the Southern Province from the revenue collected as stamp duties and fines, Southern Province Governor Dr. Willie Gamage disclosed.

"We have made arrangements to release about Rs. 200 million each month to the Local Government bodies which practice had been halted in the recent past. However, I have instructed officials to release all dues as stamp duties and fines to these state institutions with arrears under a justified method," the Governor said.

"Moreover, we have arranged to release funds to the LG bodies for special purposes also. We gave Rs. 30 million to Galle Municipal Council for the renovation of its buildings while Rathgama Pradeshiya Sabha was paid Rs. 100 million for development projects. We extended our fullest cooperation to them under the CoVID-19 crisis," the Governor said.

21.09.2020 - TOTAL PRIZE WINNERS PRODUCED BY NATIONAL LOTTERIES BOARD **734,340**

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTED AMONG WINNERS **28,134,790.00**

Rs. 2,000,000.00 PRIZES **01** Rs. 1,000,000.00 PRIZES **01** Rs. 100,000.00 PRIZES **25**

Vasana Sampatha

Official Results
Draw No. 1615
Date 2020.09.21

English Letter **O**
ONCE A HERO
Winning Nos. **40 42 48 49**

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
01 Prize	If only Four Numbers are correct	1,000,000/-	-
02 Prize	If Three Numbers and English Letter are correct	100,000/-	02
03 Prize	If only Three Numbers are correct	2,000/-	73
04 Prize	If Two Numbers and English Letter are correct	500/-	153
05 Prize	If only Two Numbers are correct	100/-	3,792
06 Prize	If one Number and English Letter are correct	60/-	2,249
07 Prize	If only One Number are correct	20/-	56,122
08 Prize	If only English Letter is correct	20/-	9,169

Total prize money won in this Draw
Rs. 2,242,460.00

Next Super Prize
Rs. 23,842,927.40

MAHAJANA SAMPATHA

DATE: 21-09-2020

WINNING LETTER **X** WINNING NUMBERS **9 2 9 9 5 8**

Prize structure - from right to left

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
1st Prize	9 2 9 9 5 8	Rs. 2,000,000/-	01
2nd Prize	2 9 9 5 8	Rs. 100,000/-	12
3rd Prize	9 9 5 8	Rs. 10,000/-	107
4th Prize	9 5 8	Rs. 1,000/-	1,093
5th Prize	5 8	Rs. 100/-	11,018
6th Prize	8	Rs. 20/-	109,008

Prize structure - from left to right

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
7th Prize	9 2 9 9 5	Rs. 10,000/-	12
8th Prize	9 2 9 9	Rs. 1,000/-	105
9th Prize	9 2 9	Rs. 100/-	1,076
10th Prize	9 2	Rs. 50/-	10,933
11th Prize	X	Rs. 20/-	43,416

Value of prizes won in this draw - **Rs.10,392,530.00**

The Super Prize of next draw **Rs.11,443,833.00**

Govisetha

OFFICIAL RESULTS

DRAW NUMBER 2547 DRAW DATE 21.09.2020

ENGLISH LETTER **K** WINNING NUMBERS **23 38 46 51**

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
1 PRIZE	IF ALL 4 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 1,000,000.00	01
2 PRIZE	IF LETTER & ANY 3 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 100,000.00	04
3 PRIZE	IF ANY 3 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 2,000.00	191
4 PRIZE	IF LETTER & ANY 2 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 1,000.00	393
5 PRIZE	IF ANY 2 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 100.00	10138
6 PRIZE	IF LETTER & ANY NUMBER CORRECT	Rs. 40.00	6677
7 PRIZE	IF ANY NUMBER CORRECT	Rs. 20.00	168329
8 PRIZE	IF ONLY THE LETTER IS CORRECT	Rs. 20.00	30544

TOTAL WINNERS OF THIS DRAW **216,277**

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY WON IN THIS DRAW
Rs. 7,433,340.00

SUPER PRIZE FOR THE NEXT DRAW
Rs. 63,191,368.00

Mega POWER

OFFICIAL RESULTS

DATE 2020.09.21

English Letter **S** Super Number **20 29 36 74 80** Winning Numbers **01 33 37 57**

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
1st PRIZE	If all 4 Numbers are correct	1,000,000.00	-
2nd PRIZE	If only 3 Numbers with English Letter is correct	100,000.00	07
3rd PRIZE	If all 3 Numbers are correct	1,000.00	155
4th PRIZE	If only 2 Numbers with English Letter is correct	500.00	359
5th PRIZE	Only 2 Numbers are correct	100.00	8,566
6th PRIZE	If only 1 Number with English Letter is correct	40.00	5,689
7th PRIZE	Only 1 Number are correct	20.00	142,716
8th PRIZE	Only English Letter are correct	20.00	25,940

Next Mega Super Prize **Rs.236,066,797.55**

Next Power Super Prize **Rs.10,831,844.80**

Next Grand Super Prize **Rs.16,293,243.60**

Total Prizes Won In This Draw
Rs.5,490,980.00

OFFICIAL RESULTS

DATE 21/09/2020

DRAW NUMBER 1537

SUPER NUMBER **01** WINNING NUMBERS **01 33 37 57**

Prize	Prize Structure	Prize Money	No. of Winners
1 PRIZE	ALL 01 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 500,000.00	-
2 PRIZE	SUPER NUMBER & 03 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 15,000.00	08
3 PRIZE	03 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 1,000.00	106
4 PRIZE	SUPER NUMBER & 02 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 200.00	348
5 PRIZE	02 NUMBERS CORRECT	Rs. 100.00	4845
6 PRIZE	SUPER NUMBER & 01 NUMBER CORRECT	Rs. 60.00	4383
7 PRIZE	01 NUMBER CORRECT	Rs. 20.00	61264
8 PRIZE	ONLY THE SUPER NUMBER IN CORRECT	Rs. 20.00	15356

TOTAL PRIZES WON IN THIS DRAW
Rs. 2,575,480.00

SUPER PRIZE OF THE NEXT DRAW
Rs. 20,997,023.08

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Hon. Minister of Labour

Message from Hon. State Minister
Piyanakara Jayaratne, M.P.
Hon. State Minister of Foreign Employment, Promotions and Marketing Diversification

Message from Chairman of SLBFE
Kamal Ratwatte
Chairman, Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment

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Mohamed Mahroof Mohamed
President SEARAA

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New Zealand's Ardern leads poll as first election debate held

New Zealand Prime Minister Jacinta Ardern

WELLINGTON: Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern urged New Zealanders to trust her Covid-19 response Tuesday, as an opinion

poll showed her in a commanding position ahead of the October 17 general election.

In the first televised debate before the vote, Ardern said she stood by a virus programme that has limited the outbreak's toll to 25 deaths in a population of five million.

"I know there is a huge amount of uncertainty right now. That's why a plan is necessary, so is optimism, that's what Labour will bring," she said.

Judith Collins, who leads the main opposi-

tion National Party, said Ardern's government had failed to secure New Zealand's borders.

The TVNZ/Colmar Brunton poll put Ardern's centre-left Labour Party at 48 percent, well short of the record 59 percent it enjoyed in mid-May but enough to retain power with minor party support.

The conservative National Party was on 31 percent, down one percent, while a range of minor parties showed small increases in support.

Ardern's backing as preferred prime minister was steady at 54 percent, while nearest challenger Collins dipped two points to 18 percent since the last poll in late July.

Ardern, 40, rose from political obscurity to

win the last election in 2017 with support from minor coalition parties.

She won international praise for her empathetic and decisive response to last year's attack on two Christchurch mosques by a white supremacist terrorist, in which 51 Muslim worshippers died.

Ardern also implemented tough lockdowns when then the coronavirus pandemic erupted, which health experts say has helped contain the virus.

Collins has endured a rocky start after taking over as National's fourth leader since the 2017 election and its third this year.

The centre-right party has campaigned

hard on its economic management credentials but admitted over the weekend it made a NZ\$4.0 billion (US\$2.7 billion) mistake in its tax policy.

Collins dismissed the blunder as "inconsequential". (AFP)

Pandemic fails to halt drug flows, record cocaine hauls: EU agency

PARIS: Record seizures of cocaine indicate that the drug is more available than ever in Europe, and there is little sign that the coronavirus pandemic has disrupted smugglers and dealers, the EU narcotics agency said Tuesday.

The European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction's annual report also noted large seizures of heroin as well as a scaling up of synthetic drug production.

During the Covid-19 outbreak, organised crime groups had "quickly adapted their modi operandi" to keep up the cultivation, smuggling and sale of drugs.

"There are fears that innovative drug distribution models developed during lockdown, along with the economic impact of the pandemic on vulnerable communities, will add to the challenges already posed by an abundant supply of drugs," the agency said.

Increased seizures of large quantities of cocaine, cannabis resin and heroin - transported by sea - raised concerns that organised crime was infiltrating legitimate supply chains, shipping routes and large ports.

Cocaine purity has increased and cocaine seizures were at an all-time high of 181 tonnes in 2018, the year for which data is examined in the 2020 report, some 40 tonnes more than in 2017.

"Indicators point to high availability of cocaine on the European market and signs of growth in countries where it was previously uncommon," the report said.

The volume of heroin seized in the EU nearly doubled from 2017 to 2018, the report added.

While street dealing had been affected by restrictions during the height of the pandemic, it said consumers and dealers had been turning to online "darknet" markets, social media and home delivery.

Smuggling by plane declined, but trafficking by ship "continued at pre-pandemic levels," it said.

Seizures and intelligence data did not suggest "any immediate major disruption" to drug trafficking activities using methods such as concealing drugs in shipping containers.

Synthetic drug production and cannabis cultivation in Europe also "did not appear to be seriously affected".

The report warned that "the events of 2020 are likely to have a long-term impact on the future challenges arising in the drugs area".

During the pandemic there were signs of "declining interest in substances like MDMA (commonly known as ecstasy) and cocaine that are commonly used in social settings".

But there were also reports of a greater use of more novel substances such as the psychoactive drug benzodiazepines, "possibly driven in part by shortages of more established drugs".

"We must be concerned that... as the economic repercussions of the crisis take effect, some in our communities may become more vulnerable to drug problems," agency director Alexis Goosdeel said. (AFP)



Record cocaine hauls in Europe

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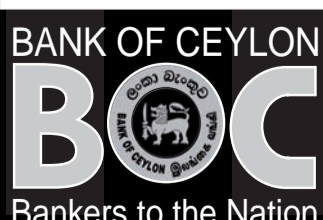
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If Arctic ice melt doesn't boost sea levels, do we care?



Spain calls on Madrid residents to restrict movements



MADRID: Spain's health minister on Tuesday called on residents of Madrid to limit their movements and social contacts to the "essential" to put the brakes on a surge in Covid-19 infections, a day after new restrictions came into effect in part of the region.

Spain is struggling to contain a second wave of the virus, which has already infected over 670,000 people and claimed over 30,000 lives, one of Europe's highest tolls.

Madrid has become the epicentre of the contagion with a rate of infection of nearly 700 cases per 100,000 inhabitants in the last two weeks – nearly three times the national average.

"I would recommend residents of Madrid to limit to the maximum their movements, that they scrupulously respect the measures dictated by the health authorities in the region and minimise their movements to what is essential and their contacts to those closest to them," Health Minister Salvador Illa said during an interview with radio Cadena Ser.

His comments come a day after a partial lockdown came into effect on some 850,000 people in the Madrid region – mostly in densely populated, low-income districts in the south – who account for 13 percent of the region's population of 6.6 million but 24 percent of virus infections.

The restrictions which came into force on Monday prevent people from entering or leaving the affected areas, except for work, education or to seek medical care but they can move around freely within their zone.

The affected areas have all counted more than Covid-19 cases per 100,000 inhabitants – around five times the national average, which in itself is the highest in the European Union.

The regional government of Madrid, which is responsible for health care, also reduced the maximum size of permitted social gatherings across the entire region from ten to six.

Many epidemiologists have expressed doubts about the effectiveness of Madrid's new measures but Illa said he believed they could help control the spread of the virus and that it would not be necessary to declare a state of emergency in the region, a step which would allow the government to confine people to their homes.

Since the central government ended its state of emergency on June 21, lifting all national lockdown restrictions, responsibility for public healthcare and managing the pandemic has been left in the hands of Spain's 17 autonomous regions. (AFP)

PARIS: US government scientists reported Monday that the Arctic Ocean's floating ice cover has shrivelled to its second lowest extent since satellite records began in 1979. Until this month, only once in the last 42 years has Earth's frozen skull cap covered less than four million square kilometres (1.5 million square miles).

The trend line is clear: sea ice extent has diminished 14 percent per decade over that period. The Arctic could see its first ice-free summer as early as 2035, researchers reported in Nature Climate Change last month.

But all that melting ice and snow does not directly boost sea levels any more than melted ice cubes make a glass of water overflow, which gives rise to an awkward question: who cares? Granted, it's a red flag.

"The decline in Arctic sea ice in summer is one of the clearest, most unequivocal signs of climate change," said Julien Nicolas, an Arctic expert at the European Union's Earth observation programme. And it is certainly bad news for polar bears, which are already on a glide path towards extinction, according to a recent study.

But if our bottom-line concern is the impact on humanity, one might legitimately ask, "So what?"

As it turns out, there are several reasons to be worried about the knock-on consequences of dwindling Arctic sea ice.

Feedback loops

Perhaps the most basic point to make, scientists say, is that a shrinking ice cap is not just a symptom of global warming, but a driver as well. "Sea ice removal exposes dark ocean, which creates a powerful feedback mechanism," Marco Tedesco, a geophysicist at Columbia University's Earth Institute, told AFP.

Freshly fallen snow reflects 80 percent of the Sun's radiative force back into space.

But when that mirror-like surface is replaced by deep blue water, about the same percentage of Earth-heating energy is absorbed instead.

And we're not talking about a postage stamp area here: the difference between the average ice cap minimum from 1979 to 1990 and the low point reported today – more than 3 million km² – is twice the size of France, Germany and Spain combined.

The oceans have already soaked up 90 percent of the excess heat generated by manmade greenhouse gases, but at a terrible cost, including altered chemistry, massive marine heatwaves and dying coral reefs. And at some point, scientists warn, that liquid heat sponge may simply become saturated.

Altering ocean currents

Earth's complex climate system includes

interlocking ocean currents driven by wind, tides and something called the thermohaline circulation, which is itself powered by changes in temperature ("thermo") and salt concentration ("haline").

"A change in sea ice could disrupt this 'great conveyor belt', as its known, in ways that would have major consequences on the climate of Europe," Nicolas told AFP.

Nearly 13,000 years ago, for example, as Earth was transitioning out of an ice age into the interglacial period that allowed our species to thrive, global temperatures abruptly plunged several degrees Celsius. They jumped back up again about 1,000 years later.

Geological evidence suggests a slowdown in the thermohaline circulation caused by a massive and rapid influx of cold, fresh water from the Arctic region was partly to blame.

"The fresh water from melting sea ice and grounded ice in Greenland perturbs and weakens the Gulf Stream," part of the conveyor belt flowing in the Atlantic, said Xavier Fettweis, a research associate at the University of Liege in Belgium.

"This is what allows western Europe to have a temperate climate compared to the same latitude in North America." The massive ice sheet atop Greenland's land mass saw a net loss of more than half-a-trillion tonnes last year, all

of it flowing into the sea. Unlike sea ice, which doesn't increase sea levels when it melts, runoff from Greenland does.

That record amount was due in part to warmer air temperatures, which have risen twice as fast in the Arctic as for the planet as a whole.

But it was also caused by a change in weather patterns, notably an increase in sunny summer days. "Some studies suggest that this increase in anticyclonic conditions in the Arctic in summer results in part from the minimum sea ice extent," Fettweis told AFP.

Bears on thin ice

The current trajectory of climate change and the advent of ice-free summers – defined by the UN's IPCC climate science panel as under one million km² – would indeed starve polar bears into extinction by century's end, according to a July study in Nature.

"Human-caused global warming means that polar bears have less and less sea ice to hunt on in the summer months," Steven Amstrup, lead author of the study and chief scientist of Polar Bears International, told AFP.

"The ultimate trajectory of polar bears with unabated greenhouse gas emissions is disappearance." (AFP)



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COMMENT

BY ELMO RODRIGOPULLE



Strategy lessons from England/Aussie selectors

For us in Sri Lanka it's always useful to follow the way selectors in major cricket playing countries calculate their approaches. We can form our own strategies by critically analyzing them.

With England showing that they have class in them by beating West Indies and Pakistan and then beating Australia in the T20 series, question asked in cricket circles is as to why Eoin Morgan is not being persisted with in the England Test team?

Left handed, stylish and able to hit the covers off the ball when necessary, Morgan will add muscle to the middle order if he is slotted in the longer version of the game.

Morgan is now planted as captain of the T20 and Limited Overs game. He has done a wonderful job as captain showing a calculated strategic approach.. He underlined this by leading England to win the previous World Cup in the history of English cricket beating New Zealand in the final.

Morgan is a batsman with strokes all round the wicket and once he settles down and gets going, bowlers find him difficult to dislodge and he keeps the scoreboard moving rapidly.

England selectors may even try him as an opening batsman. New ball bowlers hate the sight of opening batsmen who begin to make strokes from ball one.

Also watching Aaron Finch, the Aussie T20 and 50-over captain hitting the ball strongly and daring to hitting the ball over the top and keeping the scoreboard moving it is inexplicable why the Aussie selectors are reluctant to make him face the new ball in the established game.

With dashing left hander David Warner who always looks to hit the ball unmercifully if the selectors take the risk and partner him with Finch and if they get going the pair will be the nicest thing that happened to Test cricket and if the pair speeds on, they will build a strong foundation for the Aussie batsmen who follow.

We are certainly not trying to teach the Engln and Aussie selectors their jobs, but this is the consensus among cricket fans who have watched Morgan, Warner and Finch in the recent series.

Having said that, In the good old days coaches used to tell their opening batsmen, not to make strokes straightaway, but get their eye in till the shine of the ball is gone and then look to making runs.

There were many opening batsmen who followed that rule and rarely did you see an opening pair of batsmen going for runs from the first ball. The first England batsman who the writer remembers to break that rule was the burly Colin Milburn the right hander.

But unfortunately at the height of his career he was unfortunate to meet with a motor accident and lose the sight of one eye that put an end to his career. That was unfortunate.

Then there was Aussie right hander who was a dashing right hand opening batsman in Keith Stackpole. Stackpole used to pole axe opening bowlers showing no regard whether the bowlers were bowling line or length. He was a treat to watch when in full cry and when his playing days were over turned commentator for ABC Radio.

Then came the Windies master blasters who threw caution to the winds and sent fast bowlers of class all around the field and over it from the first ball bowled at them. They took guard and made their bats do the talking hitting boundaries from ball one.

They had based their batting on the fact that the ball is there to be hit, and hit hard and not to be poked or played back to the bowler. Their batting style and approach were ferocious.

With ever ready power, admirable footwork they had Swiss timing as the left fielders watching in amazement the ball sizzling to the boundary or over it like shots from guns.

First to set the ball rolling was that dashing right hand opener Gordon Greenidge who had Desmond Haynes supporting him. Then came that left handed batting sensation in Roy Fredericks to whom there were no good or bad balls.

He used his feet cleverly and out of this world timing to dispatch the ball to where ever in the field or over it.

Then hitting the cricketing sky like a meteorite the man mountain Christopher Gayle who all opening bowlers would love to hate and would unwind deliveries on him hoping to have him out early before he could start mauling them.

Standing nearly seven feet, he used the bat to scatter all fast bowlers with ease. Sixer hitting was his forte and he does it with such ease that one wonders from where he finds the power to send the ball out of the park regularly and with ease.

Then India gave to the cricket world the dazzling and dashing right hander Virender Sehwag who showed no respect to opposing fast bowlers. When he was in full cry the scoreboard moved at jet speed.

Then came another Indian right hander in Rohit Sharma who too had penchant to cane opposing fast bowlers.

He is the record holder with the highest score of 264 not out against Sri Lanka in 50 over cricket. During that innings he mauled and massacred the Sri Lankan bowlers who went through the motions of bowlers and only watch the ball hitting the boundary boards or sailing over it.

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DR MAIYA TOP CLASS RUGGERITE, COACH AND ADMINISTRATOR

ALTHAF NAWAZ

It is very rare to find present day sportsmen or women imbued with sound professional qualifications . But in the 1970s and 80's it was a different scenario where most of the men and women, who took part in sports were engaged in various professions, which enabled them to reach the top particularly in sports including International level. Doctor Indrajith Maiya Gunasekera a leading surgeon by profession, well known as 'Maiya' both in the field of Sports and Medical fraternity is one of them who excelled in both fields.

Maiya who is in his late sixties, continued his academic career with Royal College, Colombo from 1963 to 1971. He was engaged in Rugby, Basketball and Athletics at school out of which he was very enthusiastic in playing rugby. He joined the College under -15 team in 1965 which was the stepping stone for him in his rugby career which spanned over a decade. While being engaged in studies, his body structure enabled him to engage in all three sports which was an added advantage, where he grabbed college colours in Rugby and Basketball. He was first selected for the first fifteen team in 1968 under C.R.de Silva where he played a few matches. In 1969, under Harin Malawatte he played a full season and obtained college rugby colours.

In the same season he was in the pool, formed to pick the final line

up for the Bradby Shield, where initially he was not considered. On the penultimate day's practice session at around 5.30.p.m coach Geoff Weinman spotted his line out skills, where he outjumped almost all opponent teams players. Subsequently, Geoff instructed Maiya to bind in the front row as a makeshift prop forward, which he obliged perfectly by outshoving their opponents in both legs of Bradby Shield in Kandy and Colombo, due to the two Fred's Perera and Amarasinghe who remained unchallenged in the second row position. He consolidated his place in the team and went back to play in his regular position of second row in 1970 under Jagath Fernando.

In his final season at school, due to the insurrection in the country that year, a curfew was imposed daily at 4 p.m. in the evening. Both Royal and Trinity rugby committees agreed to play the match at Longden Place instead of their regular annual encounter for the 'Bradby Shield'. Royal led by Fred Perera went on to drub Trinity led by YS Ping by 22 points to 3 in the presence of a sparse crowd where the match started at 1.30 p.m. as all spectators and the players rushed to their homes soon after the match. Two days later Trinity Principal E Lionel Fernando offered the Bradby Shield to Royal for their belligerent performance. Lionel made a surprise visit to Royal College and stated "I am a



voice from the Valley of defeat to the mountain of triumph. You beat us in every department of the game against all expectations. I am doing what my heart tells me to do. But my brain tells me not to do this but I am listening to my heart and awarding the Bradby Shield to you because you fully deserve it and we were well and truly beaten". Dr.Fred Perera, Upali Samarage, Ray de Silva, Ajith Pasqual, Thanula Wijewardena, Cargo Siriwardena, Dushy Perera and Michael Muller were some of his team mates that year. Mahesh Rodrigo, Geoff Weinman and Stanley Unamboowe were his coaches at school.

In 1972 he was called for National duties soon after he joined the Colombo Medical College as a medical student. While attending classes there he also engaged himself in rugby and

played in the third and fourth Rugby Asiad held in Hong Kong and Sri Lanka respectively, under Y.C.Chang's captaincy. He completed his entire medical career while involved in sports which is a rare occasion never happened before and will never happen again.

Four players namely Maiya, Hafi Abdeen, Kevin Speldewinde and Tikiri Marambe were called for the National pool, where Maiya and Hafi were selected. At the time he represented the National team he was weighing 112 pounds whereas all other colleagues in the pack were over 140 pounds. His regular practice sessions and continued hard work made him stronger and fitter to retain him in the National team and continue his unbroken rugby career.

While being an intern medical officer he led the University Rugby team in 1975 and later he represented the country at the Hong Kong sevens tournament too. He was awarded the Leslie Handunge Trophy for the most outstanding sportsman of the University of Peradeniya and Colombo in 1974.

He also represented the university in all three sports which he engaged at school. His medical career ended in 1976 after enrolling in 1972 by passing out with honours while playing rugby for the National team. Indrajith Coomaraswamy, Hadji Omar whom he rates as his mentor, Y.C.

Chang, Omar Sheriff, Didacus de Almeida, Anton Benedict, Desmond Harridge, Jeffrey de Jong, Ronald Rodrigo and Ronnie Schokman are some of the players who played with him for Sri Lanka. Nimal Maralande, Bertie Dias and Kavan Rambukwella were the coaches in that period.

He joined CR and FC in 1978 and went on to play until 1981. He finally called it a day as a rugby player and opted to get into administration and coaching. His first assignment was coaching his school from 1992 to 1995 during which he produced several talented players who donned the National jersey while transforming some of them as doctors.

Coinciding with coaching Royal he was assigned as the National Rugby coach from 1993/94 season for the Hong Kong sevens team. From 1995 to 1997 he was the Manager of the National Rugby team. He was elected to the top chair of the Sri Lanka Rugby (SLR) in 1998/99 season and went as Chef de Mission for the Commonwealth Games in Malaysia in 1998. He was rewarded by being made a life member by Western Province Rugby Football Union and SLR for the yeoman service rendered for the betterment of the game including as a national selector from 2001 to 2004. He was appointed to the National Sports Council by Ministers Gamini Lokuge, C.B.Ratnayake and Mahindananda Aluthgamage.

St. John's College, Panadura Under 18 Volleyball Champions

St. John's College Panadura emerged as the Kalutara District Divisional Under 18 Volleyball Champions for the year 2020. Squatting in front L/R - Thenuka Siseru, Hasindu Weerapana, Randika Yasiru, Janidu Hirantha Back Row Standing L/R - Mrs. Rohini Hettiarachchi (teacher in charge of Volleyball), Suresh Nuwanjana (Sports Coach), Lakindu Thihana, Chamath Dananjaya, Ravi Perera (Coach), Lahiru Rashmika, Tharindu Dilshan, Dumidu Nadeesha, Deepal Piyatissa (Prefect of Games) (Picture by Dilwin Mendis, Moratuwa Sports Special Correspondent)



Kandy Garden Club helps to promote sports in the town

(UPANANDA JAYASUNDERA-KANDY Sports Special Correspondent)



The Original Club House,with a little renovations. (Pics. By Upananda Jayasundera)

The Kandy Garden Club which counts over 100 years of existence was established in 1878. It was started by the British especially for planters to play tennis over the weekends. It continued to be so till about 1945, when a special class of Ceylonese were permitted to join the Club. By 1950, it was open to the Ceylonese and the first President was Col.S.D.Ratwatte, who was elected in 1950 while Chandra.Wijenayake was elected as the Secretary. The original Club House built in 1878 is still intact, with a few renovations.

The Club now provides several facilities to members, which include Tennis, billiards, Snooker, Table Tennis and card games like Bridge. In Billiards too they have promoted the game by inviting the World Billiard Champions, Paul Mifsud, Norman D'Agley, Michael Ferreira, M.J.M.Lafir and others to play exhibi-

tion matches at the Club table. In 1989 they staged the second Snooker test between Sri Lanka and Pakistan at the Club. Traditionally over the years, they have awarded distinguished personalities honorary membership in the Club as it has a well equipped Bar and a Restaurant. There are four well maintained Tennis Courts for adult and Student Members and a special feature is that flood lit tennis is available for those who wish to play tennis in the night. The Club also conducts Tennis coaching camps for beginners and organizes Tennis tournaments for children of International

and National Schools in the Central province. They organise ranking tennis tournaments and have produced several national level players in the recent past. Over the years Kandy Garden Club has maintained a very high standard in both Billiards and Snooker and World class players like M.J.M.Lafir and Leslie Driffield were seen in action at these tournaments. Facilities are also provided to school children to play Table Tennis at the Club. Another popular game the members engage in is Bridge, a card game. Bridge tournaments are conducted at the club for over 50 years.

CPCA out to promote cricket in Kandy

HAFIZ MARIKAR

The Central Province Cricket Association headed by Sarath Ekanayake is determined to put the game of cricket on the correct path. When he was Chief Minister he gave his maximum support for all sports, During his schooldays he was a fine Elle player. He was elected president of Central Province Cricket Association in 2016 and is all out to put things in order and promote cricket.

The Kandy clubs should be looked after. This is one of the most neglected areas when it comes to cricket. Everyone is expecting Sarath Ekanayake who did a lot for basketball at local and national level, and is a great sports promoter, to score for the game and put things in order. Sarath Ekanayake was at one time president of one of the oldest cricket playing clubs in the country Kandy Cricket Club in 2016-17 Vice Presidents: R. Weerasinghe, T. Jayasinghe, H. Marikar, S. Jayasundara, S.Godaliyadda, Secretary: J. Pathirana, Assistant Secretary:

P. Walalawala, Treasurer C. Giriagama, Asst Treasurer: M Azary, Cricket Secretary: C. Giriagama, Committee: S. Fernando, S. Peries.A. Jayasinghe, S. Wickramaarachchi, D. Bandara, S. Perera, S. Dissanayake, S. Silva, L. Panditharatne and C.N Dissanayake.

Kandy Cricket Club was formed in 1970's due to Kandy SC failing to play a match on the due date and they were suspended from cricket. Then some keen cricket promoters who were with the club like Mervin Berenger, Bertie Gomes, M.E. Marikar, ArthturAlwis, Dr. C.D.L Fernando changed the name to Kandy Cricket Club and continued the game, that is how Kandy CC came into the game.

Today in Kandy schools and clubs are finding it extremely difficult to keep the sport going. One reason is that there are no proper grounds. Sarath Ekanayake is all out to help in this matter. He studied in three schools and ended up at St. Anthony's College Wattala, and had his higher education at Oslo University, Norway.

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Ranindu, Nethmi win top titles at Chess Nationals

DHAMMIKA RATNAWEERA

Ranindu Liyanage of Ananda College Colombo and Nethmi Fernando of Girl's High School Kandy emerged men's and women's champions at the National Chess championship concluded at the Taj Samudara Hotel on Monday. After the first half of this tournament which was held at the Chess Federation Headquarters, Nugegoda both Ranindu and Nethmi were able to come on top with a clear lead to win the major titles.

Ranindu Liyanage the 16 year old promising player finished with 10.5 points to win the men's title. However Ranindu suffered an unexpected defeat at the hands of CC Weerasinghe in the penultimate round and gave only three draws to Susal de Silva, Lakshitha Randil and Gayantha Dissanayake and beat all other opponents to reach the top spot.

He bagged the National Chess Champion title, cash award of Rs. 100,000, a trophy and Gold medal while Minul Sanjula Doluweera of Royal College Colombo finished first runner up with 10 points and third runner up was 14 year old Nalandian Susal de Silva who obtained 8 points.

He was the youngest among these 14 players showed his potential for the future. In fact Denuwan Thieekshana of Ananda who was at 9th ranking after the first half made a good come back during the second half finished in 4th place with equal 8 points.

Meanwhile in the women's section Tharushi Sandeepani of Devi Balika Vidyalaya who was at ranking 7th after first half came up



Women's National chess champion Nethmi Fernando receiving award from the CFSL President and General Secretary of South Asian Chess Council and Commonwealth Chess Association Luxman Wijesuriya

with a fine display to finish in second place with 9.5 points. Sandeepani beat Nethmi Fernando in the eighth round and drew with former National champion Sachini Ranasinghe in the 10th round making a good come back during the second half of this tournament. Women's champion 16 year old Nethmi Fernando lost to Sandeepani (8th round) and Newanjee Hewawasam of Visakha in the 9th round but she had the advantage of a first half lead to claim this major title.

Former National champion Sachini Ranasinghe with 8.5 points managed to finish in fifth place this time. The tournament was conducted by Chess Federation of Sri Lanka (CFSL) according to a round robin system and 14 players were battled out in the men's and women's sections. CFSL this time offered record

prize money of Rs. 3,20,000 cash awards with other attractive prizes. Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany Holger Seubert was the chief guest at the awards ceremony while Mrs. Sandamali Aviruppola, Principal, Visakha Vidyalaya and Luxman Wijesuriya, The President of Chess Federation and General Secretary of South Asian Chess Council and Commonwealth Chess Association and Vice President of Asian Chess Federation gave away awards.

Meanwhile The Chess Federation donated Rs. 250,000 rupees cash to the Sri Lankan chess hero Harshana Thilakarathne of Maliyadeva College who reached the 2400 in the FIDE Ranking and received the International Master Title from FIDE, the World Chess Federation.

He reached this rating 36 years



Men's National chess champion Ranindu Liyanage receiving award from the chief guest German Ambassador Holger Seubert at the awards ceremony held at Taj Samudra Hotel

after FIDE Master Harsha Aturupane achieved this feat in 1986.

Men's final ranking after 13 round

1. Ranindu Dilshan Liyanage (Ananda College) 10.5 pts 2. Minul Sanjula Doluweera (Royal) 10 pts 3. Susal de Silva (Nalanda) 8pts, 4. Denuwan Theekshana (Ananda) 8pts, 5. Romesh Weerawardena- 7.5 pts, 6. Randil Lakshitha (Japura Chess Club) 7pts 7. D.M.G.W. Dabarera (Maliyadeva) 6.5pts, 8. Anuruddha Chintaka (YMCA Chess club) 6.5 pts, 9. A.C.B. Amarasinghe (Japura chess club) 5.5 pts 10. K.P.R.N. Samaranyake (Knights chess club Kandy) 5.5 pts, 11. Danushka Bandara (YMCA Chess club) 5pts, 12. S. Shivathanujan (Kokavil Hindu College) 4pts, 13. C.C. Weerasinghe (Maroons chess club) 4pts, 14. M.G.S.T. Dassanayake (St Sylvester, Kandy) 3pts

Women's final ranking after 13 round

1. Nethmi Fernando (Girls High School Kandy) 10pts, 2. Tharushi Sandeepani (Devi Balika) 9.5pts, 3. Ashvini Pavalachandran (Wycherley International) 9.5 pts, 4. Niklesha Tharushi (Viskha) 9pts, 5. Sachini Ranasinghe (N3 chess club) 8.5 pts, 6. Sayuni Gihansa Jayaweera (Dharmasoka) 7.5 pts, 7. Michela Ehsha Pallie (Visakha) 7pts, 8. M.M.N.W. Wijesinghe (Girls High School Kandy) 7 pts, 9. Newanji Hewawasam (Visakha) 6.5 pts, 10. Janandani Abeyasinghe (NSBM Green University) 5pts, 11. Lasandi Menithma (Visakha) 3.5 pts, 12. Tharuli Vihansa Ranganath (Sokanji International) 3pts, 13. C.T. Koswatte (Airport & Aviation) 2.5 pts 14. M.M.W.H. Mapa (Girls High School Kandy) 2.5 pts

SLR, SLSRFA ready with proposals for Sports Minister

ALTHAF NAWAZ

Sri Lanka Rugby (SLR) in alliance with Sri Lanka Schools Rugby Football Association (SLSRFA) is awaiting Sports Minister Namal Rajapaksa's appointment to submit their respective proposals to resume their domestic tournament which is to commence later next month.

SLR, President Rizly Ilyas after discussions with SLSRFA officials headed by its President, B.A. Abeyratne, have written to the Sports Minister to seek the all-important appointment to discuss plans of resuming the respective tournaments, while obtaining the necessary approval from the related Ministries including the Health Ministry.

SLR conducted a Workshop last week with the assistance of Dr. Namith Sankalpana, the World Rugby panel doctor, on the theme 'Getting back to play the game of Rugby' highlighting the precautionary measures to be taken. SLR further granted an opportunity for the participants to raise questions if they had any doubts, which they have documented to submit to concerned authorities for their perusal and approval.

Countries like New Zealand, United Kingdom along with some other countries have already started their tournaments under closed doors complying with strict health measures. With the winter season approaching, they still face a stiff challenge of the virus spreading among their communities. However, they have put in place adequate measures to follow health guidelines and get the sports going.

Nevertheless, all praise should go to President, Prime Minister, Health Minister and the other stakeholders who have done a wonderful job to control the pandemic and restrict it to a minimum. But as a country we have to box on and sporting events too have to continue, bearing in mind sports plays a pivotal role in the country's economy.

It is expected that the young energetic Sports Minister who has already indicated his willingness to grant permission to resume certain sports, will get on board to extend his full support to start the oval shaped ball game, which has changed gears recently and is in the process of infusing a new look format to rejuvenate the game, starting up with the Club sevens tournament.

On the other hand, it is also important that school's rugby too should be given a kick start from where they stopped last March. The children playing their last year will be deprived of their College colours if they wind up for this year in their respective sports including rugby. It is expected the concerned Ministries will consider these factors and stipulate some guidelines to conduct these tournaments for both the schools and the club arena.

"We had a healthy discussion with Sri Lanka Rugby and decided to write to the Sports Minister seeking an appointment. We have submitted our proposal to SLR to conduct a tournament - either sevens or ten-a-side - in a worst case scenario. We want to be fair by last year players who are in the under-19 age category. They will lose their College colours if the tournaments are cancelled. Hence, we want to meet the Sports Minister along with SLR officials and to take it up further, at least to start up a tournament soon after the Advanced Level examination in November," said Abeyratne.

National Surfing C'ships 2020 at Arugambay

'Mobitel' set to take care of Surfing in Sri Lanka

BERNARD PERERA

Mobitel the National Mobile Service Provider has come forward to sponsor the National Surf Championship 2020 as its Official Telecommunication Partner. The event is organized by the Surfing Federation of Sri Lanka (SFSL). The National Surfing Championship is one of the most anticipated events in the water sports calendar. The event is set to take place in Arugambay on

September 26 and 27.

The surfing Championship is a timely initiative by the Ministry of Youth affairs and Sports and Ministry of Tourism. The combination of these two ministries towards SFSL in conducting these events not only set a fine start for the local surfing fraternity and to foreigners who eagerly awaits this sport here in Sri Lankan waters. These events which get off the mark will also help revive the tourism industry that had a setback due to covid-19 pandemic.

Though tourists are not expected to arrive for the open event due to travel restrictions imposed as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic issue, tourists who were keen on surfing and who could not return to their motherland will take

this great opportunity to compete in the event along with local surfers on this day.

Their participation will sure to add colour to the open event while it will be vital for our local surfers to gain experience facing foreign competition at the highest level in local waters. These foreigners are here for competitive sport but our local surfers are to face stiff challenge from these foreign competitors on these two days.

The National Championship will consist of over 50 surfers while the open championship includes 28 foreigners. The locals expected for the open event will be the top 16 surfers. There will also be few women surfers who have consented to take part in this while a junior event too is to be introduced with the intention of promoting the sport among our local sport loving youngsters.

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Athletic coaching course from Sept. 25

DHAMMIKA RATNAWEERA

The athletic coaching course conducted by the Sri Lanka Athletics will be held from September 25 to October 6 at the lecture hall of the Hockey grounds, Reid Avenue.

According to the Vice President of Sri Lanka Athletics G.L.S. Perera Sports Minister Namal Rajapaksa and top athletic officials had a successful discussion about the progress of the athletic activities and finally decided to give coaching license for all coaches. The coaches who have not got this license will

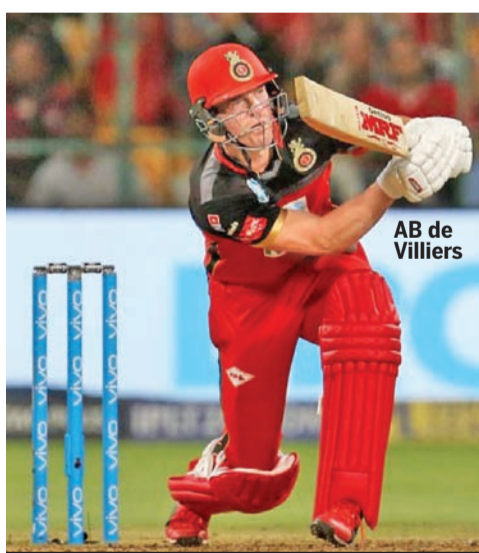
not be able to coach from 2021. This is a good decision as some of the coaches today do not have the minimum qualification to coach. Some athletes who have retired have taken to coaching without any qualification. This type of license will prevent incompetent coaches from guiding the youngsters.

The coaches who have not obtained the minimum qualifications for coaching have to follow this coaching course to get official license and already 30 coaches have been selected for this course after

interviews. The volunteer coaches attached to the Education ministry are also among these selected coaches for this level one course.

The coaches who will complete this course successfully will receive a certificate from the Sri Lanka Athletics President Major General Palitha Fernando who will be the chief guest at the certificate awarding ceremony.

Meanwhile the coaches who obtain the highest marks during this course will be eligible to follow the world Athletics level one course, added Athletics Vice President G.L.S Perera.



DUBAI, MONDAY: South African veteran AB de Villiers struck a brisk half-century as Royal Challengers Bangalore opened their Indian Premier League Twenty20 campaign with a win over Sunrisers Hyderabad on Monday.

De Villiers smashed 51 off 30 deliveries to guide last year's wooden spooners Bangalore, captained by Virat Kohli, to 163 for five and a 10-run victory in Dubai.

Bangalore, led by leg-spinner Yuzvendra Chahal, bowled out Hyderabad for 153 despite a valiant 61 by Jonny Bairstow.

"It's amazing and last year we were on the other side of the results," a delighted Kohli said in the post-match presentation.

"We kept our composure tonight. Yuzi (Chahal) came in and changed the game for us."

The David Warner-led Hyderabad collapsed from a comfortable 121 for two to be packed off in 19.4 overs with Kohli taking a good outfield catch off Dale Steyn to close out the game.

De Villiers struck his 34th fifty in the IPL after losing Kohli for 14 and innings top-scorer Devdutt Padikkal, who scored 56 on IPL debut.

De Villiers, 36, smashed fours boundaries and two sixes to take his count of hits over the fence to 201 for Bangalore, who are still searching for their maiden IPL title.

"It's a nice change to get on the right

side of a close game early on in the season. We worked very hard for the win," said de Villiers.

"It's a great start for us and hopefully a good sign of things to come. I surprised myself to be honest."

Chahal returned impressive figures of 3-18 from his four overs of leg spin while fast bowlers Navdeep Saini and Shivam Dube claimed two wickets each.

Hyderabad's Australian pacesman Mitchell Marsh injured his ankle while bowling his first over and limped off the ground after sending down just four deliveries. Warner said Marsh's injury does not look good as the all-rounder is unable to "put any weight on his leg". **AFP**

Beaumont stars as England Women beat West Indies

LONDON, MONDAY: Tammy Beaumont hit a half-century as England Women clinched a 47-run win over the West Indies in the first match of their Twenty20 series on Monday.

Beaumont was the headline act in Derby as the women's international calendar returned more than six months on from the T20 World Cup in Australia.

"I can tell you that innings felt a long way away four months ago when I got back to cricket (after lockdown) and got bowled by an under-arm in my first session," Beaumont said.

"I think having three months off

from cricket reminded me of the reason I started playing.

"It's amazing to be back out there and to kick things off at the top of the order. Hopefully that's a good innings to carry on from for the rest of the series."

The West Indies had stepped in as late replacements after India and South Africa declined to travel due to the coronavirus pandemic.

Driven by Beaumont's 62 from 49 balls, England scored 163-8 despite a collapse of six wickets for 50.

Deandra Dottin battled to 69 in an under-powered response of 116-6 by the West Indies.

Katherine Brunt set the standard

for the England attack, allowing just eight runs off her four overs.

Beaumont's day could have ended early, when she flicked Shakera Selman into the on-side with just nine to her name.

She used her feet well and made good contact but would have been out had Britney Cooper managed to cling to a low chance coming in off the ropes.

England captain Heather Knight shared a swaggering stand of 52 with Beaumont in less than six overs.

Knight hit four boundaries as she raced to 25, but England lost their way from 113 for two.

Selman accounted for the pair, Knight slashing a fine edge behind and Beaumont skying a catch to short third-man.

England regained their composure impressively however as fine bowling, including Sophie Ecclestone's 2-19, restricted the West Indies in their tame attempted chase. **AFP**





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Minimum annual saving of Rs. 30 bn

Govt procurement goes electronic

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The Government will shortly go in for a system where it will engage in all its procurements electronically which will have a minimum annual saving of at least Rs. 30 billion, a senior Treasury official told Daily News Business yesterday.

He also said that the Finance Ministry has studied similar systems which are operational in the region such as India, Nepal and Bangladesh and devised this system which will be very beneficial to this country when implemented. Public procurement in Sri Lanka requires improving its efficiency, cost-effectiveness and competitiveness given

the scarcity of limited resources. Introduction of e-government procurement (e-GP) is the way forward and is beneficial for both bidders and government agencies.

The term e-GP broadly refers to the application of information and communication technology (ICT) to the public procurement process," he said.

Electronic procurement, particularly in the public domain, is an effective policy tool to establish the fundamentals of market economy and hence increase a country's productivity. The advantages of e-GP systems are (i) cost savings; (ii) increased competition and inclusive growth; (iii)

greater process efficiency; and (iv) enhanced transparency and accountability. Further it will enable procurement of sensitive goods and services to move freely, fostering the competitiveness of suppliers in domestic and world markets.

The Ministry of Finance initiated action to develop an Electronic Government Procurement (e-GP) System with the technical assistance of Theekshana of the School of Computing, University of Colombo with the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers. A Working Group comprising eminent subject specialists such as procurement, legal, Computing and IT was formed under the Chairmanship of then Direc-

tor General of Public Finance who works as a Deputy Secretary to the Treasury currently. The Electronic Government Procurement System is regarded as a major transformation of public financial management as public procurement represents a significant percentage of the Government Budget. **To page 19**



e-GP system can catalyze development

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The introduction of an electronic government procurement system (e-GP system) can also help catalyze economic development by stimulating policy and institutional reforms from the Public Financial Management viewpoint, a senior Treasury official told the Daily News Business yesterday.

He said that the ease of access to procurement opportunities and e-participation in public procurement is particularly beneficial to small and medium enterprises (SMEs), which tend to face several challenges in competing with larger, more experienced tenderers.

He also said that the automation of bidding processes for all processes and procurement methods for goods, works, and services including Bid Clarifications (with sub-modules for Request for Bids, (RFB)/Quotations/Expression of

Interest, Issuance of Bid/Quotations/ Proposal/EOI, Clarifications & Complaint handling, Submission of Bids/Receipt of Bids/ Bid Openings) will also be present with the new system.

Automation of Evaluation of Bids for all methods and types of procurements (automatically) will also be done.

The other advantages will be that contract awarding will also be done that way and payments handling through a Payment Gateway with the interaction of the banks selected by the purchaser will also be done.

This system will also enable Procurement Management and Performance Monitoring and e-Catalog implementation.

All the essential modules have been completed and the system is now being adopted by a number of government organizations, including some public enterprises, provincial councils, state banks etc.

This system can be used for shopping, National Competitive Bidding (NCB), International Competitive Bidding (ICB), Framework agreement, Expression of Interest (EOI) which help fast track prevailing time-consuming Procurement Time Schedule (PTS), while increasing transparency, competition, fairness, and efficiency.

As of September 4, 2020, 125

Liaison Officers for 73 procuring entities and 326 vendors have registered with the e-GP System. They are at different stages of implementation of the System.

With the presentation of the new Annual Budget for 2021, it is envisaged that all public entities will embark on adopting e-GP System for administering their procurements.

Key modules in the e-GP System; The e-GP System was designed as an indigenous system after studying those of many countries and consists of the following modules.

Registration of vendors for goods, works, and services and categorization of same using the Common Procurement Vocabulary (CPV) with Interfaces for Registration Authorities (Registrar of Companies, Construction Industry Development Authority, National Medicines Regulatory Authority, etc) if such Registration Authorities agree to provide web services or APIs for System Integration.

Registration of all the procuring entities of the Public Sector and State-Owned Enterprises, budget allocations, procurement plans, and procurement activity schedule for all procurement types and preparation and publication of requests for bids including technical specifications.

ICRA Lanka reinstates issuer rating of LCB Finance

ICRA Lanka Limited has reinstated the issuer rating of [SL]B (Pronounced SL B) with a stable outlook for LCB Finance PLC (LCF or "the Company").

The rating considers LCF's limited track record, small scale, and modest competitive position in the non-banking finance sector.

As in March 2020, the gross portfolio of the Company stood at about Rs. 2.3 billion. LCF was formed after the acquisition of defunct CITY Finance Limited by LCB Limited (LCB) in April 2018, under the guidance of Central Bank of Sri Lanka (CBSL).

Post-acquisition, LCB transferred its assets and liabilities to LCF and became its holding company. The rating also takes into consideration LCF's subdued asset quality indicators and moderate capital profile. LCF's core capital as of March 2020 stood at about Rs. 1.2 billion, below the regulatory requirement of Rs 2 billion by December 2020, for Licensed Finance Companies (LFCs); however, the Company's gearing was low at 1.0 time due to its modest asset size.

ICRA Lanka takes note of the initiatives taken by the Company to secure capital in the near-term.

The rating also factors in the sharp deterioration of asset quality indicators, where the gross NPA ratio (including legacy portfolio from City Finance Ltd.) increased to about 23.1% in March 2020, from about 23.0% in March 2019 and 20.8% in November 2018.

'Attempts of Batticaloa Entrepreneurship' expo held



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To enhance the economic status of low-income families and upgrade the quality of handicrafts and local products, a sale and the exhibition 'Attempts of Batticaloa Entrepreneurship' organized by the Batticaloa District Small Industrial Development Unit was held recently.

Eravur Pattu Chenkaldy Divisional Secretary N.Vilvaretnam launched the event at the divisional secretary premises.

Locally made food items, clothes, and fabrics, clay products, food items, horticulture flower plants, organic manure used for growing vegetables and mango saplings were exhibited.

Batticaloa District Employment Development, Marketing, and Extension Officer C. Vinoth, Assistant Divisional Secretary G.Pavatharani, Assistant Director of Planning A.Karunakaran, Administrative Officer N.Gomathy and Accountant R.Dilani were present.

'Working from home stand to benefit all employers'

The development of new standards relating to working from home and distant locations, while ensuring work-life balance for employees as well as a modular approach for restructuring still stand to benefit all employers across the country said Vish Govindasamy, the Group Managing Director of Sunshine Holdings, who was appointed as Chairman of the Employers' Federation of Ceylon (EFC) for 2020/21.

Furthermore, partnerships with experts in other areas linked to employment such as finance and health have enabled us to provide services to a vibrant membership who has favoured a one-stop service approach.

"We are currently exploring the possibility of providing services in

the areas of taxation, business registration and potential value-added startups. Our efforts not only ensured the sustainability of businesses but also the livelihoods of many valued employees," Govindasamy opined.

As the national employers' organisation, Govindasamy emphasised that the Employers' Federation of Ceylon is placed in a unique position, not only to represent the interest of its members and the employers in general but also to be involved in formulating national policies in respect of all matters relating to employment, labour law, and human capital development in Sri Lanka. "The federation has, over the years, contributed to the socio-economic development of this coun-



Vish Govindasamy

try by ensuring industrial harmony. As the employers' constituent in the International Labour Organisation (ILO), EFC has not only propagated values of the ILO Conventions but also being a practitioner of social dialogue in a manner that reflects our commitment in such ideals. The recently-concluded tripartite agree-

ment to pro-rate wages is one such initiative," said Govindasamy.

"I am assuming the chairmanship at a time when the country is faced with many hardships owing to the COVID-19 pandemic, but I am looking forward to steering this ship safely to its shore. I would like to see this opportunity more optimistically. It is the beginning of a new era where all of us must think and act differently, and the world of work is not an exception," said Govindasamy.

He also said the new government under the leadership of the President had created new opportunities for EFC to further the interest of all the employers and to formulate new policies to create an enabling environment. **To page 19**

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Vignettes of the event



Fulfilling its role as the nation's pioneer in Telecommunication Services, the SLT Group successfully completed the President's directive of providing high-speed connectivity solutions to the Lankagama Village recently.

An event was held to mark this proud achievement on September 20, 2020 in the presence of Oshada Senanayake, Director General of the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka (TRCSL), Lalith Seneviratne, Group CEO of SLT & Mobitel, Kiththi Perera- Chief Executive Officer of SLT, M.B.P.

Fernandez- Chief Operations Officer of SLT, Prabath Dahanayake - Chief Marketing Officer of SLT, Sudarshana Geeganage, Chief Financial Officer of Mobitel, Shashika Senerath - Chief Marketing Officer of Mobitel, Rasantha Hettithanthrige - Senior General Manager, Engineering & Operations at Mobitel along with SLT & Mobitel technology partners Huawei & ZTE and the community.

The SLT Group provided high-speed 4G/LTE broadband and enhanced voice services within record-time despite the fact that the Lankagama village is located at the

Southern boundary of the Sinharaja Rain Forest, in the Neluwa Divisional Secretariat, Galle District; posing severe logistical challenges. Further, the SLT Group also offered SMART classroom solutions consisting of tabs, laptops and school supplies including stationery thereby opening up a world of possibilities for the students in the remote village.

Lalith Seneviratne, Group CEO of SLT & Mobitel said, "As The National Telecommunication Service Provider, SLT and Mobitel are privileged to deliver our promise to the President to empower the Lankagama vil-

lage which is now equipped with high-speed mobile connectivity solutions. We consider it our joint responsibility to bridge the rural-urban digital divide by empowering rural areas with digital solution and enabling equal opportunity for all citizens of the country."

The SLT Group's initiative to support the Lankagama village with connectivity solutions will facilitate the President's vision for a digitalized Sri Lanka by 2025 thereby supporting the country to uplift its digital literacy and forge ahead into global spheres.



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Main Board							SECOND BOARD								
A.SPEN.HOT.HOLD.	389,332	20.40	20.50	21.50	20.30	21.00	0.60	TOKYO CEMENT (TKYO.X0000)	1,615,020	44.80	45.00	45.00	43.50	43.80	(1.00)
ABANS	5,300	93.10	94.90	94.90	90.00	91.00	(2.10)	UNION BANK	582,336	11.50	11.60	11.60	11.10	11.30	(0.20)
ACCESS ENG SL	873,377	23.90	24.00	24.10	23.50	23.50	(0.40)	UNION CHEMICALS	24	434.70	422.00	422.00	421.00	434.70	0.00
ACL XD	813,820	52.80	53.00	53.90	52.70	53.60	0.80	UNISYST	272,433	15.40	16.70	16.80	15.00	15.00	(0.40)
ACL PLASTICS	576	171.90	172.00	172.40	170.00	172.00	0.10	UNITED MOTORS	3,109	54.00	53.50	53.60	52.90	53.40	(0.60)
ACME	707,410	4.90	5.10	5.30	4.90	5.10	0.20	VALLIBEL	2,424,641	7.70	7.90	8.40	7.80	8.20	0.50
AGALAWATTE	1,516	17.00	17.60	17.70	17.10	17.70	0.70	VALLIBEL FINANCE	46,584	60.00	60.70	62.00	59.50	60.60	0.60
AHOT PROPERTIES	23,303	36.00	36.00	36.50	35.80	36.10	0.10	VIDULLANKA	455,008	5.70	5.70	6.10	5.60	5.90	0.20
AITKEN SPENCE	60,097	40.10	40.30	41.40	39.80	40.60	0.50	WATAWALA	191,123	33.40	34.00	34.00	33.50	33.80	0.40
ALLIANCE	5,690	48.00	48.00	49.00	47.00	49.00	1.00	YORK ARCADE	170	70.00	74.00	75.00	74.00	74.20	0.20
AMANA BANK XC	230,205	2.90	3.00	3.10	2.90	3.00	0.10	DIRI SAVI BOARD							
AMAYA LEISURE	9,200	31.00	30.80	30.80	30.80	30.80	(0.20)	AGSTAR PLC	81,844	6.20	6.30	6.40	6.10	6.10	(0.10)
ASIA ASSET	170,683	8.20	8.50	8.60	8.00	8.00	(0.20)	ALUMEX PLC	1,689,812	19.90	20.10	20.20	19.00	19.30	(0.60)
ASIRI	78,669	23.40	22.80	22.80	21.60	21.80	(1.60)	AMANA LIFE	25	9.10	8.70	8.70	8.70	9.10	0.00
ASIRI SURG	47,981	11.20	11.20	11.40	10.90	11.00	(0.20)	AMANA TAKAFUL	57,391	10.00	9.50	10.00	9.50	9.80	(0.20)
BAIRAHA FARMS	51,008	106.00	107.00	115.00	105.30	110.20	4.20	AMFON HOLDINGS	1,011,266	16.30	16.40	17.00	16.20	16.40	0.10
BALANGODA	28,519	13.50	13.80	13.90	13.40	13.50	0.00	AMF CO LTD	218	346.10	346.00	346.00	342.10	344.50	(1.60)
BUKIT DARAH	652	208.20	210.10	220.00	210.10	218.40	10.20	ANILANA HOTELS	8,008	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.00	1.10	0.00
C M HOLDINGS	56,475	63.70	63.80	64.80	62.00	64.00	0.30	ARPICO INSURANCE	2,276	22.00	23.00	23.50	22.80	23.30	1.30
C T HOLDINGS	8,831	150.10	152.00	152.00	150.00	152.00	1.90	ASIA SIYAKA	411,070	3.00	3.10	3.20	3.00	3.00	0.00
CANDOR OPP FUND (COF-U-0000)	23,469	6.70	7.00	12.00	7.00	7.90	1.20	BANSEI RESORTS	9,302	8.00	8.10	8.10	7.90	8.00	0.00
CARGILLS	598	185.00	185.00	188.00	185.00	187.60	2.60	BERUWALA RESORTS	413,711	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.80	0.90	0.00
CARGO BOAT	3,137	53.40	54.00	54.00	52.50	52.50	(0.90)	BERUWALA RESORTS	140,116	9.20	9.20	9.40	8.90	9.20	(0.30)
CARSONS	5,036	200.00	200.00	200.10	199.00	200.00	0.00	BIMPUT FINANCE	18,022	19.50	19.30	20.00	19.20	19.30	(0.20)
CDB	500	83.50	83.30	83.30	83.10	83.20	(0.30)	BOGALA GRAPHITE	1,652	13.60	14.10	14.10	13.50	13.50	(0.10)
CDB (CDB.X0000)	2,824	62.50	62.30	63.50	62.30	63.00	0.50	BOGAWANTALLAWA	492,690	13.00	13.20	13.30	12.80	13.10	0.10
CENTRAL FINANCE	69,953	81.60	81.70	82.50	81.00	81.90	0.30	BROWNS	14,634	66.10	66.10	68.50	66.50	66.00	(0.10)
CENTRAL IND.	19,252	64.10	64.10	64.90	63.20	63.60	(0.50)	BROWNS INVSTMTS	8,915,153	2.90	2.90	3.00	2.80	2.80	(0.10)
CEYLINCO INS. (CINS.X0000)	705	789.90	810.00	810.10	807.00	810.00	20.10	C T LAND	68,940	31.90	32.90	34.90	32.90	33.10	1.20
CEYLON GUARDIAN XD	393	100.10	104.90	104.90	95.60	97.60	(2.50)	C.W.MACKIE	23,421	43.80	43.80	45.40	43.80	44.10	0.30
CEYLON INV. XD	55,415	55.20	55.30	55.30	52.80	54.90	(0.30)	CEYLON TEA BRKRS	60,423	3.40	3.40	3.50	3.30	3.40	0.00
CEYLON TOBACCO	70	945.00	960.00	960.00	960.00	945.00	0.00	CFI	2,444	61.90	61.20	69.40	61.20	65.00	3.10
CHEMANEX	20,618	60.80	62.00	63.00	61.00	61.30	0.50	CITRUS HIKKADUWA	134,645	5.90	5.90	6.00	5.70	5.70	(0.20)
CHEVRON	323,962	86.10	86.50	86.50	85.30	85.50	(0.60)	CITRUS WASKADUWA	224,855	4.20	4.20	4.20	4.10	4.20	0.00
CIC	27,216	95.90	95.00	95.00	92.50	93.00	(2.90)	COM.CREDIT	23,082	23.40	23.00	23.60	22.80	23.40	0.00
CIC (CIC.X0000)	29,983	71.30	70.90	70.90	68.00	70.00	(1.30)	COMMERCIAL DEV.	9,651	84.90	84.50	100.00	84.50	94.40	9.50
CITRUS LEISURE	18,550	10.50	10.30	10.50	10.20	10.20	(0.30)	DILMAH CEYLON	32	655.90	659.90	659.90	659.90	655.90	0.00
COLD STORES	6,888	669.10	665.00	670.00	665.00	669.90	0.80	E - CHANNELLING	133,077	5.50	5.70	6.10	5.70	5.90	0.40
COLOMBO CITY	5	798.00	797.90	798.90	797.90	798.00	0.00	EDEN HOTEL LANKA	2,911	11.60	12.00	12.00	11.70	11.80	0.10
COLOMBO LAND	21,617	27.90	28.00	28.50	26.60	27.30	(0.60)	ELPITTYA	83,367	30.60	30.50	31.40	30.00	30.70	0.10
COMMERCIAL BANK	757,384	82.10	83.00	83.00	80.00	80.90	(1.20)	EQUITY TWO PLC XD	126	55.00	51.00	51.00	51.00	51.00	(4.00)
COMMERCIAL BANK (COMB.X0000)	435,951	72.90	73.30	73.30	72.00	72.10	(0.80)	FORTRESS RESORTS	5,705	10.30	10.80	10.80	10.40	10.50	0.20
DANKOTUWA PORCEL	3,523,915	9.90	10.20	11.60	10.20	11.10	1.20	GALADARI	42,080	8.00	7.90	8.00	7.80	7.80	(0.20)
DFCC BANK PLC	336,496	72.40	72.00	72.40	70.40	71.30	(1.10)	GUARDIAN CAPITAL	9,299	31.70	31.90	31.90	30.50	31.00	(0.70)
DIALOG	2,056,518	11.50	11.60	11.60	11.40	11.60	0.10	HAPUGASTENNE	8,881	19.80	18.70	19.90	18.50	18.70	(1.10)
DIMO	3,963	340.10	340.00	355.00	330.00	353.70	13.60	HARISCHANDRA	18	1,687.20	1,810.00	1,810.00	1,810.00	1,687.20	0.00
DIPPED PRODUCTS	159,296	204.70	206.50	219.00	206.00	214.40	9.70	HATTON	4,901	8.90	8.80	8.90	8.80	8.80	(0.10)
DOCKYARD	4,650	63.70	63.00	63.20	62.50	63.00	(0.70)	HNB FINANCE	1,866,877	8.80	9.30	15.40	9.30	15.30	6.50
DOLPHIN HOTELS	34,327	27.80	28.50	28.50	25.30	26.10	(1.70)	HVA FOODS	414,441	4.50	4.60	4.60	4.40	4.50	0.00
DURDANS	100	91.00	89.00	89.00	89.00	89.00	(2.00)	JETWING SYMPHONY	200	9.30	9.30	9.30	9.20	9.20	(0.10)
DURDANS (CHL.X0000)	1,820	80.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	0.00	JOHN KEELLS	6,109	52.00	51.00	54.00	51.00	51.10	(0.90)
EAST WEST	1,541,152	12.90	13.10	13.60	13.00	13.10	0.20	KEELLS FOOD	11,452	105.60	110.30	110.60	107.00	109.10	3.50
EXPOLANKA	11,763,987	9.80	9.90	9.90	9.40	9.60	(0.20)	KEELLS HOTELS	319,232	8.70	8.80	8.90	8.40	8.50	(0.20)
FIRST CAPITAL	93,779	62.20	61.70	61.80	61.00	61.10	(1.10)	LANKA CERAMIC	3,367	104.70	105.60	115.00	105.00	107.00	2.30
FORT LAND	4,416,115	13.30	13.70	15.50	13.70	14.30	1.00	LAUGFS POWER	2,891,507	5.80	5.80	7.80	5.80	7.30	1.50
GESTETNER	831	82.00	88.00	89.00	88.00	88.00	6.00	LAUGFS POWER (LPL-X-0000)	4,311,484	4.40	4.50	6.30	4.50	5.90	1.50
GRAIN ELEVATORS	548,553	71.10	71.50	74.50	70.00	73.60	2.50	LOTUS HYDRO	265,349	7.20	7.30	8.40	7.20	8.30	1.10
HAYCARB	179,105	311.80	310.00	318.00	310.00	311.90	0.10	MACKWOODS ENERGY	8,018,146	2.20	2.30	2.80	2.20	2.70	0.50
HAYLEYS	133,750	234.80	239.00	239.00	239.00	259.90	25.10	MAHAWELI COCONUT	8,302	29.20	29.30	29.30	28.30	28.50	(0.70)
HAYLEYS FABRIC	3,266,196	23.90	24.20	24.20	22.80	23.20	(0.70)	MAHAWELI REACH	501	15.30	14.50	14.90	14.50	14.50	(0.80)
HAYLEYS FIBRE	2,793	120.00	119.00	120.00	117.10	118.90	(1.10)	MARAWALI RESORTS	304,925	2.10	2.20	2.20	1.90	2.00	(0.10)
HDFC	7,709	33.30	33.90	33.90	32.90	33.00	(0.30)	MASKELIYA	178,295	13.90	14.30	14.50	14.00	14.40	0.50
HEMAS HOLDINGS	1,682,641	71.70	72.00	72.00	69.80	70.30	(1.40)	MILLENNIUM HOUSE	77,675	6.90	7.00	7.00	6.70	6.70	(0.20)
HNB	969,119	130.50	131.50	131.50	128.00	128.50	(2.00)	NUWARA ELIYA	3	997.40	1,020.00	1,020.00	970.00	997.40	0.00
HNB ASSURANCE	1,400	135.00	136.00	136.00	134.60	135.00	0.00	ONALLY	4,115	26.30	27.40	27.50	27.00	27.00	0.70
HNB (HNB.X0000)	277,381	100.50	101.00	101.00	101.00	100.60	0.10	ORIENT FINANCE	59,127	10.10					

'BOC Divi Udana' to Anuradhapura

Awareness program on loan facilities available for Micro and SME Entrepreneurs

In its series of Bank's CSR initiative on Micro and SME entrepreneur development to revive from COVID 19 pandemic adversities, Bank of Ceylon North Central Province has organized an awareness program to educate Micro/ SME entrepreneurs in the area. Customers were able to discuss their concerns with regard to loan facilities directly with the bank officials at this program.

The program held at the Provincial Council Auditorium Anuradhapura recently, with the patronage of the Bank's Chairman Kanchana Ratwatte. Senior Deputy General Manager Human Resource K.E.D. Sumanasiri, Deputy General Manager Sales and Channel Management MPriyal Silva, and Deputy General Manager Retail Banking Range I E.M. Jayaratne, Chief Marketing Officer Sameera Liyanage and Assistant General Manager North Central Province Ranjith Welikannage also participated for this event. Micro and SME Entrepreneurs engaged in Agriculture sector businesses participated. Small scale self-employed customers also participated for the program. Apart from the awareness program, participants were guided to build a relationship with the respective Area Manager for longer term assistance.

In regard to revive the economy after the COVID 19 pandemic, Bank of Ceylon has extended a gamut of benefits for the development of micro and SME sector in the country to rebuild their businesses and sustain the functioning. The Bank has so far been able to disburse loan facilities to entrepreneurs with special attention to agriculture, tourism, exports, tea, apparel, IT, logistics and spices cultivation.



In order to encourage more entrepreneurs to come forth and make a significant impact on the economic development of the country, the bank provides these facilities at what are probably the lowest interest rates in the market.

The Bank wishes to extend these facilities to many customers as possible to ensure that there will be a significant impact on the economic and social wellbeing by building as many successful entrepreneurs as possible.

AIA Insurance Platinum Sponsor of Sri Lanka's Most Admired Companies

AIA Sri Lanka will partner as Platinum Sponsor, The Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) and the International Chamber of Commerce Sri Lanka (ICCSL) in presenting 'Sri Lanka's Most Admired Companies Awards 2020'.

This is the third year of the prestigious Awards Ceremony for which AIA has been the Platinum Sponsor. The awards are intended at recognizing companies that are a cut above the rest in terms of not just their financial performance but also on the value they create in a sustainable and ethical way for their employees, customers, investors and the general community.

Companies that have been in business for over 5 years as at June 30, 2020 and are 30% or more of Sri Lankan ownership are eligible to enter this Awards competition which is open to both listed and unlisted companies in Sri Lanka.

AIA CEO Nikhil Advani said, "as Sri Lanka's Best Life Insurance Company (recognized by the

Global Banking and Finance Review) and as a key player in the country's corporate sector, we appreciate that these awards are the only one of its kind in Sri Lanka. It gives us great pleasure to support, recognize and reward companies that not only excel financially but more so, are committed to creating value in a sustainable and ethical way for their employees, customers, investors and the community."

AIA's Director & Chief Officer Legal, Operations and External Relations for AIA, Chathuri Munaweera added, "as part of the largest life insurer in the world, AIA endorses international standards of excellence in business and enduring elements of successful business organisation. With over three decades of experience doing business in Sri Lanka, AIA is truly appreciative and respectful of companies that succeed financially, but more so, through sustainable and ethical value creation. In this light, we are delighted to be a part of this effort to recognize

honesty, and integrity in Sri Lanka's most reputed corporates."

ICCSL Chairman Dinesh Weerakkody noted "this pioneering initiative which rewards excellence across a number of performance criteria, is aimed at recognizing companies with the strongest reputations, that inspire other organizations and entrepreneurs. This is also unique in that it facilitates and encourages unlisted companies which usually don't get the recognition they deserve, although they contribute significantly towards the country's economic growth."

"As platinum sponsor, AIA will not be a contestant for the awards but as a company AIA most certainly upholds the values of excellence required to be associated with an event of this nature."

The Awards Ceremony is scheduled to be held at BMICH Lotus Ball Room on November 10, from 4 pm onward amid an eminent gathering of corporate and non-corporate attendees.

BITUMIX to serve rain guard sealant market in rubber plantation sector

BITUMIX, the flagship Bitumen company in Sri Lanka is ready with yet another star product in their product portfolio, catering to the Rubber Plantation sector.

The company has recently established a modern manufacturing facility to produce high quality Bitumen based sealants for pasting rain guard covers above the tapping panel of the rubber tree. Rubber plantations are reported to be benefitted by pasting rain guards recommended by the Rubber Research Institute (RRI) of Sri Lanka, which facilitates continuous tapping even during rainy season and as a result the estimated annual latex production yield can be increased significantly.

While the local Rubber sealant market has been dominated by imported

products, BITUMIX is expanding their product portfolio with a focus to produce locally manufactured sealants conforming to the highest international quality standards using a modern processing facility, proven product recipes and high quality raw materials, thereby reducing the necessity of importing such products to the Country. The introduction of this product facility by BITUMIX is very much in line with the Sri Lankan Government's drive to save all important foreign exchange during these challenging times. In the next step of this journey, the company also has the intention of aggressively looking for potential export markets for this product in natural latex producing countries. BITUMIX has always been innovative



in their business approaches by introducing a range of novel Bitumen based products used in road construction, building construction and industrial applications. The company possesses high quality testing facilities and all new product developments are carried out conforming to international standards through the hands of an experienced and well qualified staff.

NDB relocates Kollupitiya branch

NDB recently relocated its Kollupitiya Branch to a more conveniently accessible location at No 321, Galle Road, Colombo 3 to provide a better service experience to the Bank's clientele in the area, open from Monday to Friday 9 am to 3 pm.

The Branch was opened by NDB Chairman Eshana De Silva, NDB Group CEO Dimantha Seneviratne and the senior management of NDB.

With the relocation of its branch, NDB renewed its profound banking relationships with the individuals and businessmen in the area, opening its doors to the aspiring entrepreneurs to benefit from the Bank's many customized SME financing facilities and advisory services while inspiring individuals to reach their financial aspirations with ease.

The new Kollupitiya Branch is a one stop shop which includes a Credit Centre, a Leasing Centre, Business Banking and a variety of other services designed to provide NDB customers with the best of



NDB Group CEO Dimantha Seneviratne, MP Tiran Alles, NDB Chairman Eshana De Silva at the event

services. NDB pioneers in providing exceptional Micro Finance solutions for small scale entrepreneurs and gives constant empowerment to women and propel financial guidance to grow in their life.

With its expertise and knowledge in SME financing, NDB will continue to offer a range of SME Banking solutions including short term working capital loans, supplier

and distributor finance and long term funding which will be beneficial to the traders, distributors as well as professionals and proprietors in the area. The NDB Kollupitiya Branch will also offer the "NDB Jayagamu Sri Lanka" facilitation along with financial and non-financial services for the exporters and inventors of the area.

Supplemented by enhanced tech-

nology and the expertise of its staff members, the relocated Kollupitiya branch will continue to enrich the lives of its residents by providing a host of Retail Banking services; such as Current and Savings Accounts, Children's Savings Accounts, Fixed Deposits, Housing Loans, Leasing facilities, Credit and Debit Cards, as well as NEOS Mobile Banking and NEOS Online Banking services coupled with the convenience of Internet Banking and a Call Centre that operates 24 hours. The newly relocated branch also consists of a Privilege Centre for the Bank's PRV and PRVS clientele.

Tharanga De Silva will continue duties as the Manager of the branch and his team will consist of Assistant Manager Prabath Somasekera, Niroshan De Silva, Amanda Rajapaksha, Nayani Wickramapathirana, Jathunathan Balakrishnan, Kasuni Liyanage, Meshika Madushani Irushi Mahanthie, Oshan Munasinghe, Ahamed Rizvan and Akila Weerasinghe.

hodabass.lk wins Gold, Bronze at Web award ceremony

hodabass.lk recently won the gold award as the best non-profit website and the bronze award as the overall best website for the bestweb.lk 2020, prominent award ceremony organized by the LK Domain Registry.

Chief Operating Officer of Xiteb and Founder of hodabass.lk, Dhanesh R. Jayatilaka, was presented with the Gold Award and other awards. These awards reflect the admirable service that hodabass.lk has provided to the public in the country over the years and the trust that the public has placed in

it as a website. hodabass.lk is an optimal solution for empowering the workers over 30 different sectors by bringing them into one single platform and allow users to find the service providers they want in 24/7.

Xiteb PVT Ltd, one of the leading web, mobile app, and software development companies in Sri Lanka, which pioneered the creation, says that nearly 80,000 users per month visit its hodabass.lk and also use the android and iOS applications designed for hodabass to find the service providers.



(From left to right) Business Manager (Xiteb), Koshi de Silva, Tech Lead (Xiteb), Amila Gurusinghe, CEO (Xiteb), Dhanesh R. Jayatilaka, CEO (LK Domain Registry), Professor Gihan Dias, Chairman (ICTA), Jayantha De Silva

Softlogic Information Technologies partner Whale Cloud

Softlogic Information Technologies, a subsidiary of Softlogic Holdings PLC has partnered with Whale Cloud Technology Co., Ltd., a global leading data intelligence technology company to bring innovative IT solutions to businesses in Sri Lanka.

Speaking on the partnership, Roshan Rassool Chief Executive Officer / Director of the Organization said, "Softlogic IT constantly strives to bring in the latest and most innovative enterprise solutions to help businesses in Sri Lanka embrace digital transformation. How business is conducted has specifically changed over the last few months during the lockdowns and the need for these solutions is all the more evident now".

The partnership between Whale Cloud and Softlogic Information Technologies will create innovative solutions predominantly for the health sector, education, and transport sectors while aiming to make Colombo a smart and safe city. Whale Cloud is responsible for creating more than 100 smart cities around Asia and continuously uses data intelligence to create limitless possibilities for organizations looking to transform to digital processes.

Accordingly, based on this partnership, Whale Cloud and Softlogic Information Technologies will deepen their strategic relationship and will be introducing more ICT innovations, to improve convenience in fast-paced, modern life styles and offer solutions to increase social efficiency, transparency and productivity. As part of the Alibaba Group and an important partner of Alibaba Cloud's software service ecosystem, Whale Cloud Technology Co., Ltd. founded in 2003, serves telecom opera-

tors, governments, and enterprises in more than 80 countries and regions with high-quality solutions and professional services. Positioned to become a global leader in digital transformation, Whale Cloud is committed to bringing technologies and industry knowledge to customers, and bringing the benefits and convenience of digital life to every place in the world. Whale Cloud, with two decades of experience in the ICT field, has built its core competitiveness in communications software, operation services, cloud computing, big data analytics, AI, and Internet architecture. Supported by its 16+ center of expertise (COE) around the world, Whale Cloud continues to enhance its technical strength, invest in product innovations, and expand business landscape.

Whale Cloud develops customer-centric business models of "product-based software and professional service", winning trust and cooperation from customers from various fields. Over the past years, Whale Cloud has received many awards, including the company-level CMMI 5 certificate, "Key National Software Enterprise", "Top 100 Chinese Software Companies by Revenue", "TM Forum Open Digital Award", "Frost & Sullivan Global Customer Value Leadership Award", "Informa Best Digital



Kevin Guan, Business Representative from Whale Cloud and Roshan Rassool CEO/ Director Softlogic Information Technologies after signing the agreement

Transformation Recommendation Award", and "Best Practice Project Award for Digital China Construction", and holds the national level-1 qualifications for computer and information system integration and international project contracting. The company has already supplied technologies to Sri Lanka in the field of highway and telecommunication and has the most advanced railway ticketing technology in the pipeline to be introduced to Sri Lanka as well.

Seylan Bank relocates Wellawatta Branch



Seylan Bank recently relocated their branch at Wellawatta to No. 445, Galle Road, Wellawatta, Colombo 06, offering a more spacious and convenient banking experience to customers in the vicinity.

The new premises was declared open by the Director/ Chief Executive Officer of Seylan Bank, Kapila Ariyaratne on September 21, 2020.

The newly relocated branch will be open for business every weekday from 9 am to 3 pm and is equipped with a broad spectrum of banking products and

services, offering maximum customer convenience.

Seylan Bank, the Bank with a Heart, operates with a vision to offer the ultimate banking experience to its valued customers through cutting-edge technology, innovative products, and best-in-class service. The Bank has a growing clientele of SMEs, retail and corporate customers and has expanded its footprint with 173 branches across the country and an ATM network of 216 units.

For more information on products and services please visit www.seylan.lk.

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Costa-Gavras: The perils of politics

MADAPATHA CHINTAKA

In *The Axe* (2005), Bruno Davert, a 39-year-old chemist, becomes desperate for a job two years after the factory he worked at fired him. Middle class, but not affluent or up there, his family have given up some of the cosmetics accepted as part and parcel of their milieu, like cable TV and internet; his wife juggles two part-time jobs, including one selling tickets at a movie hall. Bruno knows his expertise, and what kind of job he must look for to match it. He also knows that he's not the only person looking for that job. So he finds out just how many there are by posting a vacancy ad and getting their resumes to his address. Then he sets off his plan. He starts killing all of them.

With each killing, his moral compunction lessens. There's a scene at the beginning of the movie where, after running over a chemist now making ends meet working at a restaurant, he returns to his hotel and proceeds to record his confession on a device, intending to give himself up to the police. When we return to this later, however, his guilt has deserted him; he feels like he's fulfilled himself, and with a few more heads to get out of his way, he feels almost emboldened. It's Dostoyevsky in reverse, and the director, Costa-Gavras, delights and virtually relishes in his murderous spree.

We do catch glimpses of his morality, like when someone else is caught for his second murder and he quickly contemplates calling the authorities. But providence – at several points it's hinted that divine intervention may be saving him from being arrested – gets on his side again, after the wrong man arrested throws himself off from the police building, live in front of all the news cameras. The little commitment he shows to anyone other than himself is to his family: his wife, his son, his daughter. After he discovers his wife having an affair with an older man, he thus berates her, lecturing her on the sanctity of their union; their marriage counsellor, advising them to reconcile soon, advises him to stop thinking so much about his job loss because “everything will turn out just fine.” Given what he's already planned on doing, can only smile at the irony of his assertion.

Given the path that capitalism took after 2005 – asset bubbles, subprime mortgage crisis, foreclosures, bankruptcies, deindustrialisation, all the way until COVID-19 when airports remain closed and company after company is shutting down or downsizing, Costa-Gavras's movie seems almost prescient. It's a lesser work from the world's foremost exponent of political cinema. But it works, as it does in *Capital* (2012), which can be seen as a sequel of sorts to *The Axe*. In both films Costa-Gavras presents us with an unthinkable combination: satire and moral rot. Capitalism, he tells us in both, is the culprit.

For someone who's spent his entire life making movies indicting fascism, Costa-Gavras is now making movies indicting capitalism, which, in its most extreme form, does resemble fascism. But his best period, arguably, belongs to the 1970s and 1980s, when we saw the transition from fascist dictatorships to capitalist dictatorships: from Franco in Spain to Pinochet in Chile. His best works are set in countries where Western (predominantly US) foreign policy helped prop up authoritarian regimes where political centralisation coexisted, for quite a long time, with economic liberalisation.

He hasn't always worked within this frame. And he hasn't always indicted neoliberalism and fascism. In *The Confession* (1970) he offers a critique of Stalinism through the story of Czech Communist Party members accused of being double agents. They are not, and were not in real life. But in Costa-Gavras's entire canon there has been only one *Confession*, and it's a testament to how much of an exception it is to his body of work that it's his bleakest. There's hardly any music, any of those satirical overtones that feature in his other films. For the most, then, he remains a staunch critic of the political right.

Costa-Gavras was born Konstantinos Gavras in 1933, somewhere in the Peloponnese in Greece. His father, a leftwing activist, fought in the resistance against the Nazis in World War II. After the War Greece came under the West – the “free world” as it was called – and leftwing activists, regardless of their immense contribution to the defeat of Nazism, became suspect. His father couldn't escape this: having lost his job as a tax official in Athens, he was jailed by authorities. “We became very poor,” Gavras would later

remember. It was a period of deeply entrenched anticommunism, and so the son had to pay for his father's sins: eager to learn cinema, he was denied entry to a Greek university and a visa to the US.

So he moved to France, where he studied at the prestigious Cinémathèque Française. There he befriended one of his most frequent collaborators, Yves Montand, then at the peak of his career. Gavras cast him and his wife Simone Signoret in his debut, *The Sleeping Car Murders* (1965), which proved to be something of a success. His second work, *Shock Troops* (1967), starred another French star, Charles Vanel, but ended up a failure.

By now Gavras had set his sights on political thrillers; he had devoured American thrillers in Athens before moving to Paris, and he wanted to become a committed artist. Disregarding his mother's plea “to stay away from politics”, then, he made *Z* in 1969.

Z is about the murder of a leftwing political activist killed by a rightwing group that might or might not have been given an order by a rightwing, authoritarian regime. A conspiracy is uncovered, slowly but gradually, not by Communists opposed to the government but by a judge sympathetic to it. The judge is the hero of the film, not so much because he rebels against his political preferences in pursuit of the truth but because – and this theme Gavras returns to in almost all his films thereafter – he chooses to take sides. Talking of his earlier work, Gavras remarked that “we can't not be involved; we're not an island, and that “[b]y not taking a position, you take a position.” The judge in the film does take a position, and by choosing to so do, shocks the government which appointed him.

The American critic Pauline Kael, in a positive review, commented that the techniques of the film “could as easily have been used by a smart fascist filmmaker, if there was one.” Fortunately, she added, “there isn't one.” What Gavras – by now an accidental misspelling of his name in the credits of his debut had christened him “Costa-Gavras” – therefore did was nothing more, and nothing less, than establish the rules, the “techniques of excitation” (as Pauline Kael put it in her essay), of the political action thriller. Largely influenced by the American cinema of the 1950s, he sought to move away from it, and by doing so, influenced future American action-thriller directors, like William Friedkin.

He followed *Z* up with *The Confession* and folded up a trilogy – call it the Yves Montand Trilogy, since Montand starred as the main character in all three films – with what I consider to be his best work, *State of Siege* (1972). In *State of Siege*, Yves Montand is less of the hero he was in *Z* and *The Confession*; he's a USAID official sent to coach the police of a proxy Latin American country on counterinsurgency, ostensibly for development work but in reality to help them decimate a group of urban leftwing rebels known as the Tupamaros.

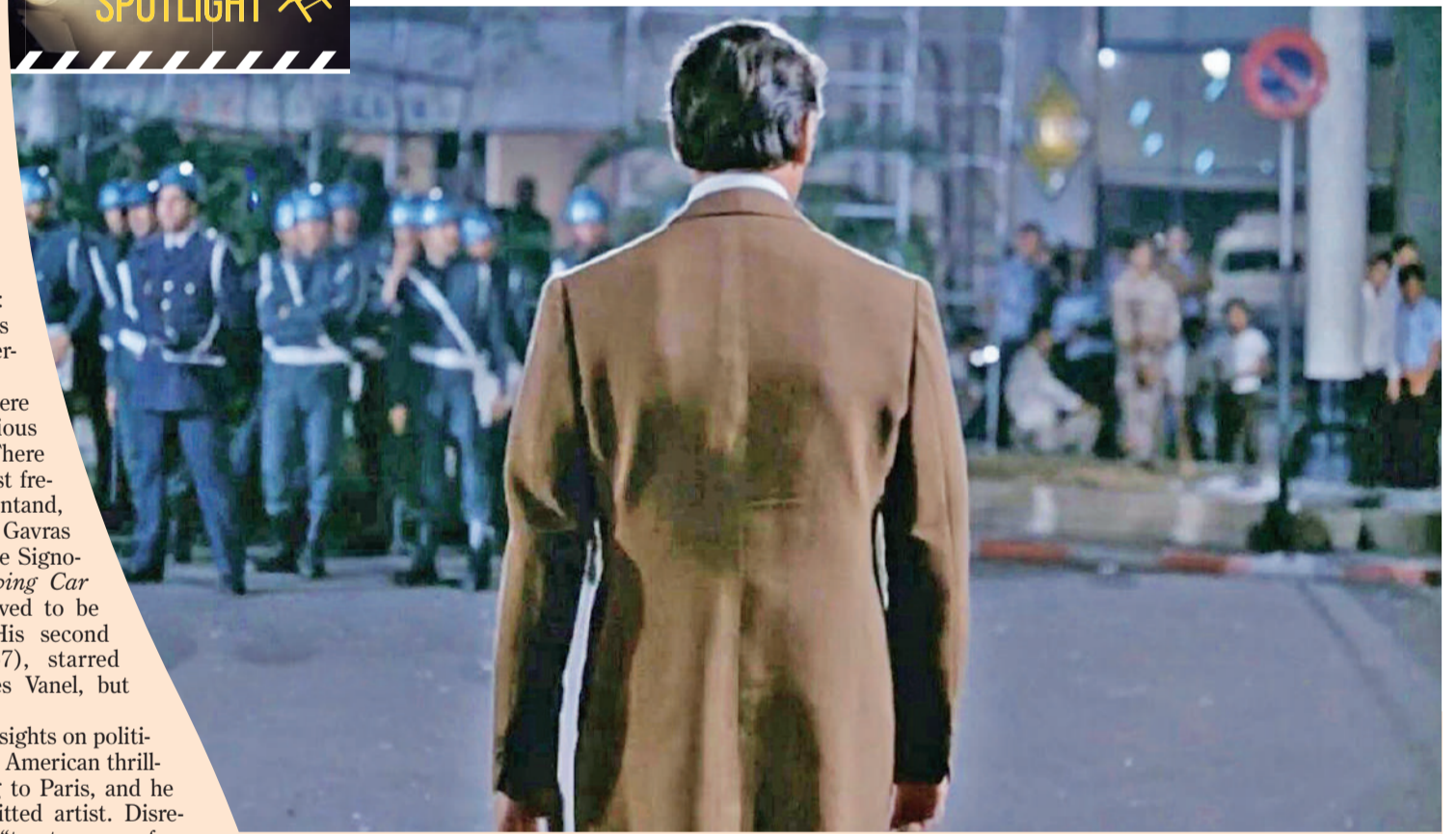
As Philip Michael Santore, Montand is cold, unfeeling, and right until the moment of his death, unrepentant. Based on a real-life figure, also



Costa-Gavras



The Axe



Z (1969)

killed by the Tupamaros as a warning to the US government, he relishes in his work; when he dismisses accusations hurled at him by a masked Tupamaros rebel, that children were tortured by police officials “to make their parents talk”, he replies, casually, that “I've read such stories in Communist newspapers.” When his interrogator asks him whether the Brazilian bishops who denounced the tortures were also Communist, he wonders aloud, even more casually, “Who knows?”

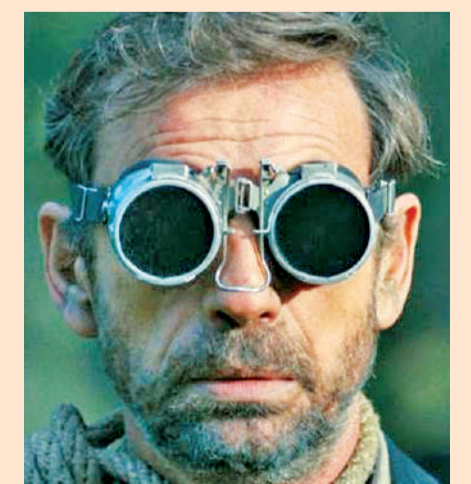
With *State of Siege* – banned from US theatres, not surprisingly, though Roger Ebert went against the grain and praised it – Costa-Gavras created the standard by which his future work continued, and continues, to be judged. Not unlike Brian De Palma, his thrillers, which occupy a world of their own, have meandered and have been often well received and sometimes not so by critics. Box-office wise he never amounted to much, unless you count his American films, almost all of which, however, got tepid reviews.

The one exception was *Missing* (1983), which tells the story of a young American leftwing journalist killed by the Augusto Pinochet regime based on information given by the US State Department through the Embassy. Since then, he has tried to balance the political content in his stories with the need of his films to reach as large, and mainstream and diverse, an audience as possible. Given the contradictions between these two goals, however, his work in the US has never risen to the level he had aspired and risen to until then.

As such his record in the US remains mixed – both *Betrayed* (1988) and *Music Box* (1989) failed to get Roger Ebert's thumbs-up, while *Mad City* (1997) never rose to the standard it tried to create for itself, despite an all-star cast. With *The Axe*, though, he signalled a return to form, and since then – *The Colonel* (2006), *Eden is West* (2009), *Capital* (2012), and the lacklustre *Adults in the Room* (2019) – he's returned to the land of his birth, in Europe, in France, in Greece, and with that returned to where he started out in the 1970s. He hasn't always succeeded. But then he hasn't always failed either.



State of Siege (1972)



The Confession



Friendly Visitor

Usually Death comes leisurely -- sometimes abruptly too --
 In the evenings to visit
 When your tired hands had closed the open windows
 That looked into the world outside for a long time
 With love
 And put out the lights for you to put your head down to sleep
 On His lifeless lap,
 Cushiony, light and airy
 As the wind drifting silently
 Across the unmarked emptiness
 Without trees, bees or seas
 Into an endless end
 So far, far away
 That no one has yet found the way back.
 He puts you at ease
 With his fixed look of certainty.
 No one doubts Death.
 That's the great thing about Death:
 It takes the fear of dying ever again.
 And once you go with him and get there
 You have all the time to go looking
 For the "I" you thought was in you
 Though there was never an "I"
 To make you what you said was "I".
 Who should be afraid of Death anyway
 When the dead outnumber the living?
 When it can free you from all the trivia and paraphernalia
 And leave you alone to do whatever you want
 Though by that time you have no feelings or desire
 To do the things you wanted to do
 When you were running away from Death
 Loving living?
 Death is also a place where you arrive,
 All alone,
 Not wanting the things, you thought you wanted.
 The visit from Death is a reward
 For having lived
 In the face of Death.
 Is there greater gift than that for living?
 Death is, indeed, a reward for living.
 Long live Death!

H. L. D. Mahindapala



LOVE ETERNAL

Beginning like a fountain with such freshness and purity, then transforming into a wide river with much obstacles. Yet, continuing with beauty and maturity, then, blending with the ocean and remaining there till the ocean evaporates!
 A. Jayalath Basnagoda



A Sacrifice

Oh! father, look at my right eye
 It pains me very much,
 My vision is blurred cried the boy of three.
 A replacement is very vital,
 Quick find a donor whispered the doctor.
 No voluntary society was of help
 At this grave juncture,
 How could I help my little boy
 Pondered the poor father.
 A few days past by,
 The boy recovered instantly;
 Smiling at his father he said,
 I can now see very well
 Especially in the right eye,
 The donor was none other
 'Tis' was his father.

Yasmin Jaldin

The fragrance of a buried and hidden era

Though invisible
 The names of the sculptors
 No doubt, possible
 To imagine their wisdom
 Though invisible
 The glory of the kingdom
 The delicacy of the chiselled eyes
 Depict the upright lives
 Ethereal places
 There used to be the palaces
 Treeless fields
 There used to be the battle fields
 Boundless dales
 There lived the nightingales
 Hidden and buried
 As if in a surreal dream

Isuru Lakpriya

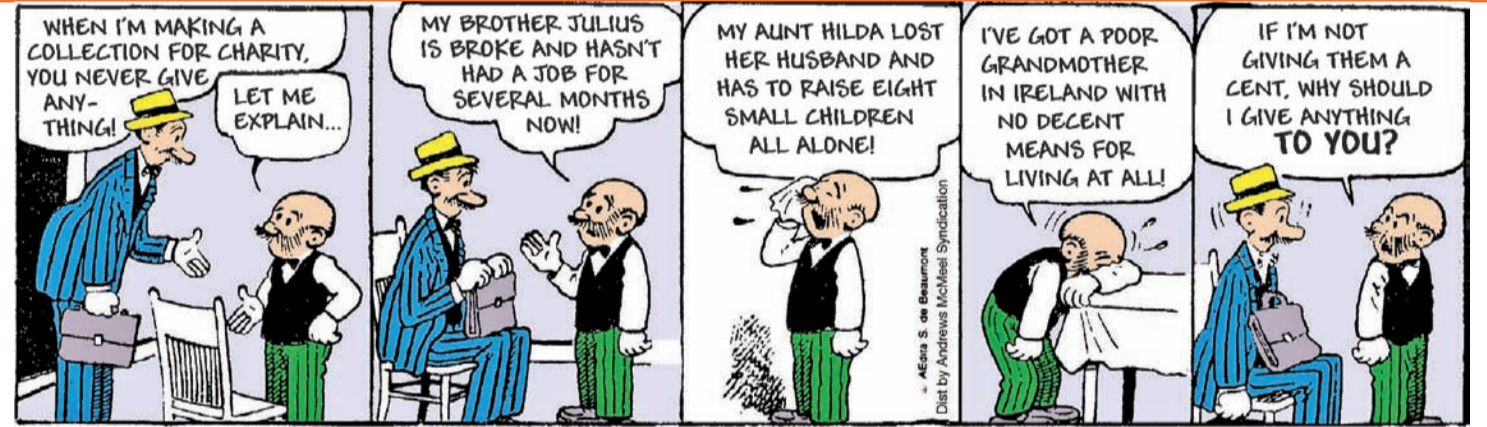


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"Lost another bet, didn't you?"

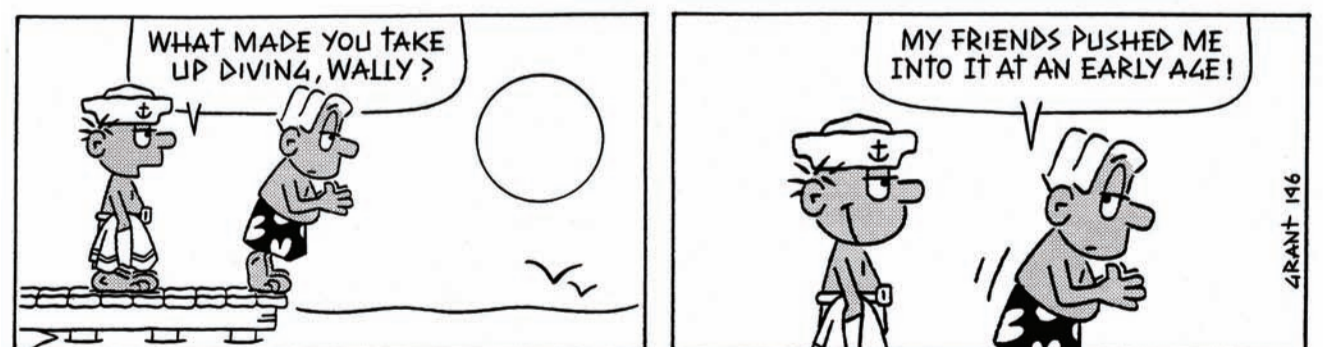
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Realistic interpretation of English books

K S SIVAKUMARAN

The former Member of Parliament for Nuwara Eliya, Tihlagarajah is also a young literary figure known as Malliyapooanthi Thilagar. Eighteen years ago, he was one of the enterprising students in the Journalism class at Colombo University. As an intelligent politician and a purposeful writer of promoting the activities of what is happening in the central hills (which the acronym "Malaiahm" stands.), he has established his identity. He has a publication of his own called Bhagiyaa Printers. During the Corvid 19 lockdown period, he spent time reading serious valid books in English relating to his environ and thought it would be

productive if he could interpret the essential unknown facts which even most of us do not know, leave alone the educated people from Malayalam. What he did was to write a book in Tamil, of 110 pages calling it "Malaikalai Varaithal". Malaikalai means Mountains, here it also means the hills in upcountry. Varaithal means drawing or sketching, but here it means writing too. He will launch his book shortly on his birthday that falls on the 29th of this month.

First, I shall give the names of his sourcebooks, which even serious students of contemporary history and sociology might have not read or heard as general information. There are 20 books in all which an average person cannot read at stretch and then put the ideas in flexible Tamil. It is a stupendous task.

The books in English are:

Time will write a song for you, (Contemporary Tamil Writing from Sri Lanka),

Afro-Asian Poems (Anthology -Vol-1, Part -1)

Tea & Solidarity (Tamil Women & Work in Post War Sri Lanka)

The Indo-Lankans (Their 200-year Saga)- With photograph Illustrations-Part -1& Part-2

Charred Lullabies (Chapter in an Autobiography of Violence)

Endless Inequality (The Right of the Plantation Tamils in Sri Lanka)

Archive of Memory (Reflections on 70 Year of Independence)

Alienated Every Where (As the story on the condition of the Indian origin in Sri Lanka and Sri Lankan repatriates in India)

Sri Lankan Repatriates in Tamil Nadu (Rehabilitation and Integration)

The Epic of Tea (Politics in the Plantations of Sri Lanka)

Analysis of Ages of Lives on Earth and Dravidian Culture (Shakthi Baliah's research from Ravana till upcountry)



Social Development and Poverty in the Plantation in Sri Lanka)

Peoples and Cultures of Early Sri Lanka (A Study based on Genetics and Archaeology)

Rehabilitation of Sri Lankan Repatriated- Acritical Appraisal- edited by Prof.V. Soorya Narayanan)

Hill Country Tamil of Sri Lanka: Towards Meaningful Citizenship (a research report jointly presented by ISI+VR)

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The Implementation of Outgrowing system in Selected Tea Plantation sector in Sri Lanka (a research study by Prof A Chandrabhose)

A History of the Up-Country Tamil People in Sri Lanka (Leftist S Nadesans research book)

The drum of a Herald (collection of articles by C Jayashankar)

My purpose here is not to evaluate the translations or to give an opinion on the contents but to let know the existence of such reading matter in both in English (and now) in Tamil so that interested researchers will make them as sourcebooks.

However, I came across some names which interested me. For

example, one of the first Parliamentarians (1947), an English poet and Trade Unionist, C V Velupillai. Author of Born to Labour, and Human Cargo he has written mainly in English. He was married to a Sinhalese lady. In later stages, he wrote in Tamil too. Another name is famous journalist S Muttiah who was the Features Editor of the Sunday Times then. Souljah and Rodrigo were the versatile subeditors then. They wrote on the Lankan Arts field widely. Should I mention that my pieces on Tamil literary scene also appeared in the late '50s & 60s. Muttiah later went back to India and wrote a few illustrated books on tourist interests and wrote a column on Chennai (then Madras) in The Hindu

Both these gentlemen knew me. And so was M Vamadevan, who was in the SLAS and worked for the Planning Ministry and held high posts there.

Thilagar also mentions Lanka born academics in the U S- Maitheeru Jegatheesan, Valentine Daniel, Yogewary Vijayabalan a lawyer (now living in London), Geetha Ponkalan, Daniel Baas and Dr Siva Thiagarajan and a few others in his book.

We must congratulate Malliyapoo Thilagar for the painstaking effort.

MENTAL DISORDERS AND THERAPIES PORTRAYED IN JATAKA TALES

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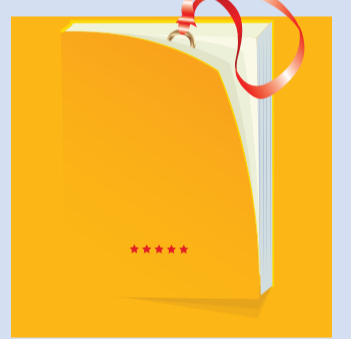
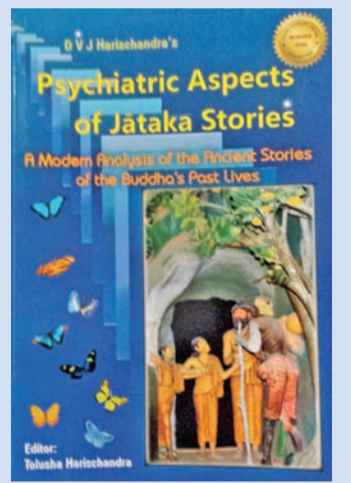
Professor SUNANDA MAHENDRA

As we are passing a fascinating and resourceful culture of a book harvesting season, the feeling of good books as well as not so good books may be a queer question. When I received the second revised work of the late Dr DVJ Harischandra, the specialist consultant psychiatrist titled *Psychiatric Aspects of Jataka Stories* and subtitled *A modern analysis of the ancient stories of the Buddha to past lives* (2015 Vijitha Yapa), I felt that I am going down the memory lane.

Some years ago, perhaps as far back as 1998, Dr Harischandra paid a visit to me with the first edition of the book.

That was our first encounter. But I knew him by his name and functions. The main reason for him to see me was explained briefly as I happened to have written a Sinhala work as Jataka traditions based on some of my own findings while browsing some of the palm leaf manuscripts lying in the British Museum. My work was titled as *Jataka Katha Sampradaya*. Dr Harischandra was so humble enough to say that he had the time to go through my work as well. From there onwards we happen to be good friends who had enough materials to share with.

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Chapter one of the work triggers off with an introduction to Jataka stories as it is the most important standpoint in the world of narratives. The place occupied by Jatakas, as Dr Harischandra points out, is unique as it surpasses or transcends the barriers of other narratives like fairy tales, myths and legends. As pointed out by scholars and researchers, Jatakas had special significant factors as they were utilized by the Buddha and his followers to transmit several paramitas or perfections known to the common masses as fulfillment needed to sustain the living conditions in the best possible manner.

As such, the question as to what Jataka stories are is explained in the best possible manner. Followed by this response, the reader is made to know the origin of these Jataka stories as the evolution of the Buddhist and other religious teachings as found in the world of religions. An emphasis is made to pinpoint the place of the Jataka thought and vision in the Buddha Dhamma.

Then the learned Dr Harischandra attempts to brief the reader with a classification of Jataka stories as required for his main purpose namely the factors leading to the understanding of the human mind, and the influence of the same on the behaviour patterns. There are copious references collected from various sources, which I feel is admirable.

The writer scholar takes pain in the narration of the Jataka stories by the clergy in order to pacify the minds of the laity who appear to listen to sermons at the temple as well as the homes. This trend is followed by the creative artists who had the knack for recreating the Jataka stories in this form of versifications, ballads, dramatic forms, paintings and songs. This trend is seen sustained by the learned as well as more popular masses all over the country. All these happened to bring about a common harmony by inculcating the ten good qualities as dasa paramitas like generosity, discipline, renunciation, insight, diligence, patience, honesty, determination, loving-kindness and equanimity.

As a reader, I found that the chapter on the factors influencing the unconscious mind why for the most insightful finding on the part of the writer cum psychiatrist researcher Harischandra. He selects several Jataka stories to show how the central theme and the expression it creates influence the unconscious mind of a human being. He selects Jatakas such as Ummagga, Akalaravi, Panchayudha, Devadara, Sambula and Matanga to name a few while quoting and presenting the western sources like Wuthering Heights, the writer compares the conflicts to humans as well as animals in their interactions ins given situation. I felt that this comparison leads to a new form of a diagnosis process innovated via creative forms of communication.

All these go into the brilliant analysis and interpretation as given in the next chapter titled *Psychiatric Disorders*. Mentioned in the Jataka book, the reader comes to know what they are and perhaps identify them with his self as well as in others. Then come the treatments that are possible as mentioned in the Jataka book.

They are broadly mentioned as psychotherapy or psychotherapeutic treatment. They explained culling examples from the Jataka stories. All of them are laid down with clarity in chapter six titled as the therapeutic use of Jataka stories for bibliotherapy. One of the most innovative areas in the work is embedded in the last chapter titled *Therapeutic use of Jataka stories for psychodrama*. For those interested in theatrical creative functions, the factors laid down are of lasting interest. I felt that Dr Harischandra utilizes a creative and practical innovative method in the psychodrama he explains as an action method of therapy as opposed to the verbal methods. A highly commendable work.

Traditional dances on currency notes



DR SUBASHINI PATHMANATHAN

Sri Lanka is the only country in the world that gives a prominent place to its traditional dances on its currency notes. Besides, it also gives importance to historical and other cultural factors on its currency notes.

Any image appearing on a postage stamp or a currency note implies State recognition. A few years ago currency notes of Sri Lanka were in different denominations such as Re 1, Rs 2, Rs 5 and Rs10. Now coins have replaced them.

Presently, six Sri Lankan dances have been printed on currency notes. They imply the State recognition given to national dances as well as to local artists. On the back of the Rs. 20 currency note the images of a Kandyan Ves dancer and a Geta Bera drummer are printed vertically. To add an aesthetic value to the currency note, a Punkalasa appears on the right corner of the currency note along with a guard stone. It implies the prosperity of the country. A beautiful reddish maroon colour is used for the currency note. The dimension of the currency note is 128 x 67 mm. On the front side of the Rs 20 currency note, there is an owl and a butterfly depicted on the right and left corners respectively.

The Rs.50 currency note depicts a low country dancer, Vadiga Patuna and a Yak Bera drummer on the back. As in the Rs 20 currency note, at the right top upper corner of the note, a Punkalasa and a guard stone are beautifully depicted. Besides them, a Liya Vela decorates the back of the currency note. A lightly printed Sri Lankan map



is used as the background. The dimension of the currency note is 133 x 67 mm.

On the back of the Rs 100 currency note, the Tamil classical dance Bharata Natyam along with a Mirudangam player has been printed. Besides these images, (Bharata Natyam dancer and the leather instrumental player Mirudangamist) at the top right of the currency note, some more objects have been depicted. A Naga guard stone and a double floral decorative design (Dvithva Liya Vela) further adorn the right top corner of the currency note.

A very light Sri Lankan map is printed as a background for the images. The currency note is printed in dark yellowish-orange and the dimension of the note is 133 x 67 mm.

A few years ago another brown colour Rs.500 note was in circulation. Its front side had a Kandyan dancer and two Kandyan drummers. The note was widely circulated in 2004 and afterwards and it is still in use.

At present, there is a purplish Rs 500 currency note in circulation. The back of the currency note contains two vertical aesthetic images. One is a

Thelma Netuma dancer and the other is a Yak Bera drummer. Like all other Sri Lankan currency notes, the Sri Lankan map is used as the background. The dimension of the currency note is 143 x 67mm.

The Rs 1000 currency note is printed in a very beautiful green colour. On the back of the currency note, a Sabaragamuwa dancer, (Malpadaya Netuma dancer) and a Davul Bera drummer are beautifully depicted. The right top of the currency note depicts a guard stone and a guardian deity.

The currency note is further adorned with Dvithya Liya Vela. Like most of the other Sri Lankan currency notes, it also contains a Sri Lankan map as the background. Yet the Sri Lankan map is not visible. The images of the artistes are vertically depicted. The total dimension of the currency note is 148 x67mm.

Another Rs. 2000 currency note is also in circulation. A beautiful painting of a female adorns the back of the currency note.

The back of the light yellowish colour Rs 5000 currency note also contains two different mask dancers' images. Vertically the currency note depicts Nagaraksta and Guruluraksha dancers.

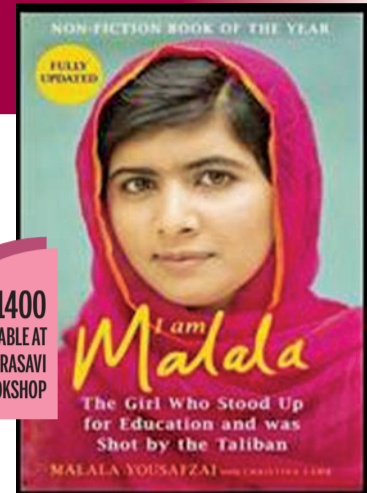
To adorn the currency note an auspicious Rathnaprasada guard stone and a beautiful floral Kalpavrksha design are beautifully portrayed. The dimension of the currency note is 153 x67mm.

All the above-mentioned dance images depicted on Sri Lankan currency notes reveal the due respect given to local dance forms and cultural images.



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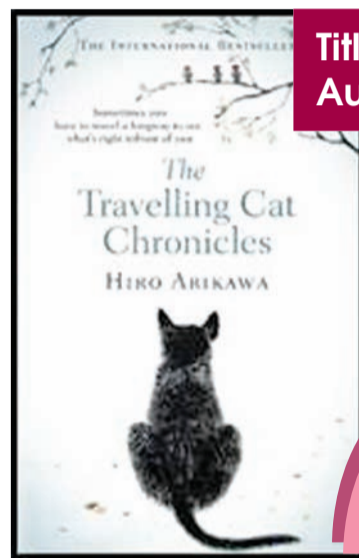
Title: I Am Malala
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When the Taliban took control of the Swat Valley in Pakistan, one girl spoke out. Malala Yousafzai refused to be silenced and fought for her right to an education. On Tuesday, October 9, 2012, when she was fifteen, she almost paid the ultimate price. She was shot in the head at point-blank range while riding the bus home from school, and few expected her to survive.

Title: The Travelling Cat Chronicles
Author: Hiro Arikawa

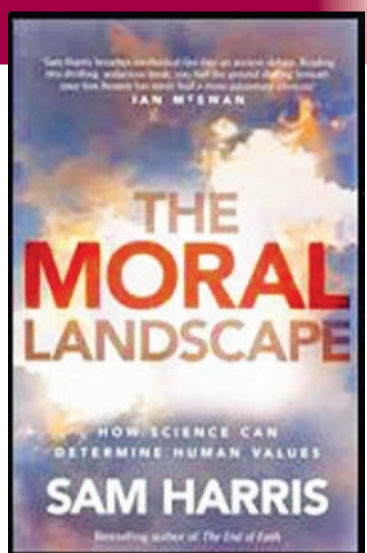


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Nana the cat is on a road trip. He is not sure where he's going or why, but it means that he gets to sit in the front seat of a silver van with his beloved owner, Satoru. Side by side, they cruise around Japan through the changing seasons, visiting Satoru's old friends. He meets Yoshimine, the brusque and unsentimental farmer for whom cats are just ratters; Sugi and Chikako, the warm-hearted couple who run a pet-friendly B&B; and Kosuke, the mournful husband whose cat-loving wife

has just left him. There's even a very special dog who forces Nana to reassess his disdain for the canine species.

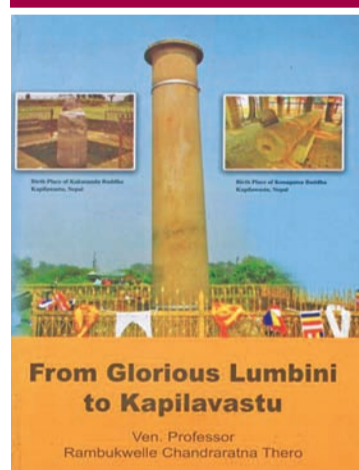
Title: The Moral Landscape: How Science Can Determine Human Values
Author: Sam Harris



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Sam Harris' first book, *The End of Faith*, ignited a worldwide debate about the validity of religion. In the aftermath, Harris discovered that most people - from religious fundamentalists to non-believing scientists - agree on one point: science has nothing to say on the subject of human values. Indeed, our failure to address questions of meaning and morality through science has now become the most common justification for religious faith.

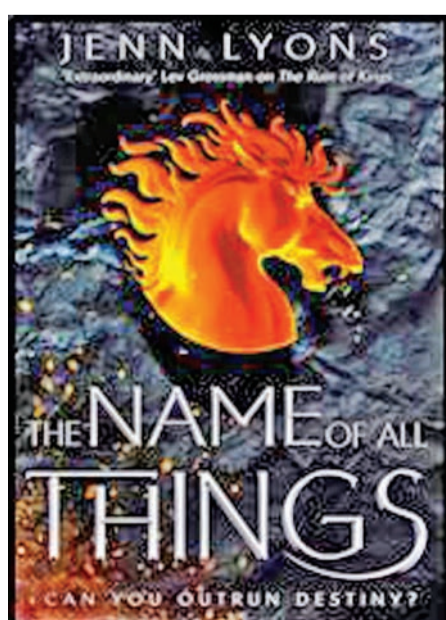
Title: From Glorious Lumbini to Kapilavastu
Author: Venerable Rambukkelle Chandraratna Thera



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At Lumbini in Nepal, Buddhist pilgrims gather for a spiritual experience. They come alone, or perhaps with family, or as large congregation. And they come from all across the world. Lumbini is the birthplace of Buddha and the pilgrims come here because it marks one of the most important sites for their faith. It's one of the four locations that Buddha himself apparently suggested people visit.

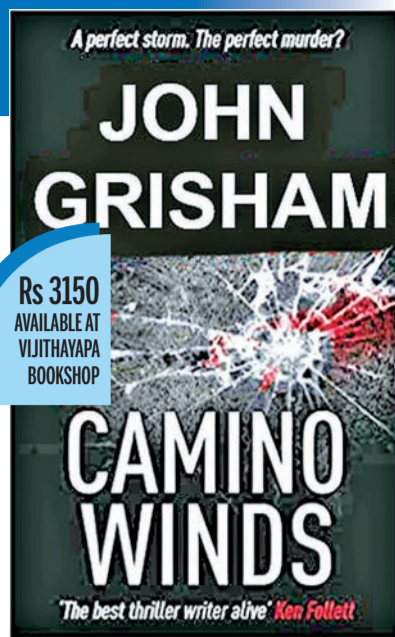
Title: The Name of All Things
Author: Jenn Lyons



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You can have everything you want if you sacrifice everything you believe. Kihrin D'Mon is a wanted man. Since he destroyed the Stone of Shackles and set demons free across Quur, he has been on the run from the wrath of an entire empire. His attempt to escape brings him into the path of Janel Theronan, a mysterious Joratese woman who claims to know Kihrin.

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Title: Tower of Nero
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It's time to face the final trial... The battle for Camp Jupiter is over. New Rome is safe. Tarquin and his army of the undead have been defeated. Somehow Apollo has made it out alive, with a little bit of help from the Hunters of Artemis. But though the battle may have been won, the war is far from over. Now Apollo and Meg must get ready for the final - and, let's face it, probably fatal - adventure. They must face the last emperor, the terrifying Nero, and destroy him once and for all. Can Apollo find his godly form again? Will Meg

be able to face up to her troubled past? Destiny awaits...

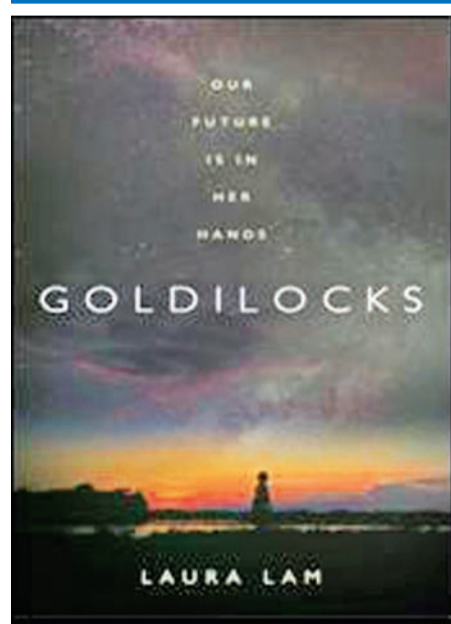
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The love story of a family and a special dress, spanning three generations during times of extreme social and political change, by the world's favourite storyteller, Danielle Steel. The story of a family and a special dress, handed down from mother to daughter, during times of fortune, loss, tragedy and victory, by the world's favourite storyteller, Danielle Steel. The Deveraux family were among the most important members of 1920s San Francisco society, and the wedding of their daughter Eleanor to wealthy banker Alexander Allen would be the highlight of the 1929 social calendar.

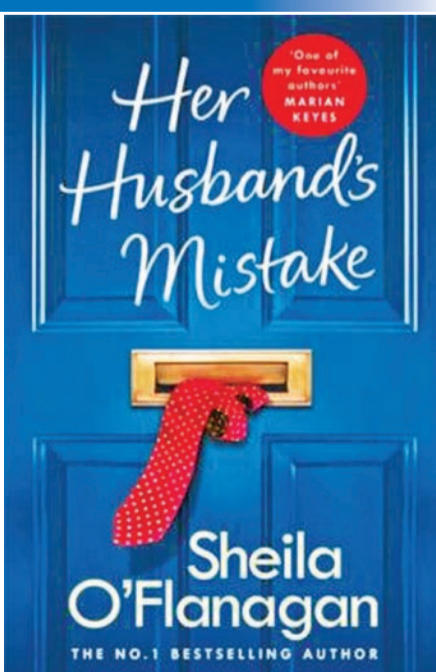
Title: Goldilocks
Author: Laura Lam



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Despite increasing restrictions on the freedoms of women on Earth, Valerie Black is spearheading the first all-female mission to a planet in the Goldilocks Zone, where conditions are just right for human habitation.

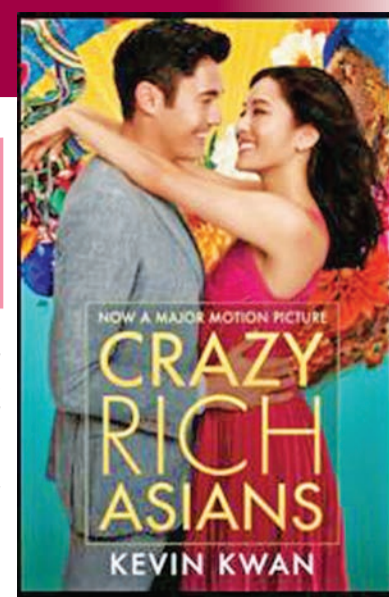
Title: Her Husband's Mistake
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After twenty years, and with two carefree kids, she and Dave are still the perfect couple. Until the day she comes home unexpectedly, and finds Dave in bed with their attractive, single neighbour. Suddenly Roxy isn't sure about anything - her past, the business she's taken over from her dad, or what her family's future might be. She's spent so long caring about everyone else that she's forgotten what she actually wants. But something has changed. And Roxy has a decision to make.

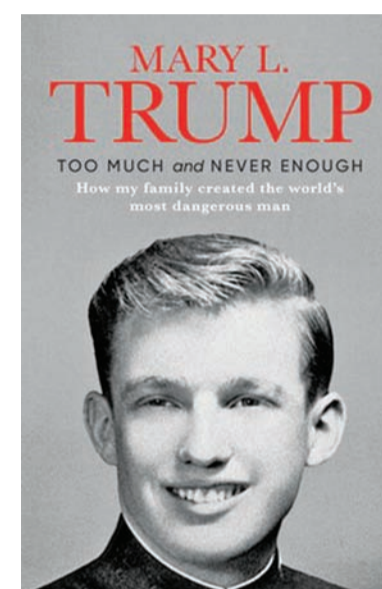
Title: Crazy Rich Asians
Author: Kevin Kwan



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The novel revolves around the lavish wedding dubbed "the wedding of the century" where the wealthiest families, especially from the mainland China, gather to attend. While in attendance, these families show off their wealth and the wedding becomes a contest between the nouveau rich families and the old-money families.

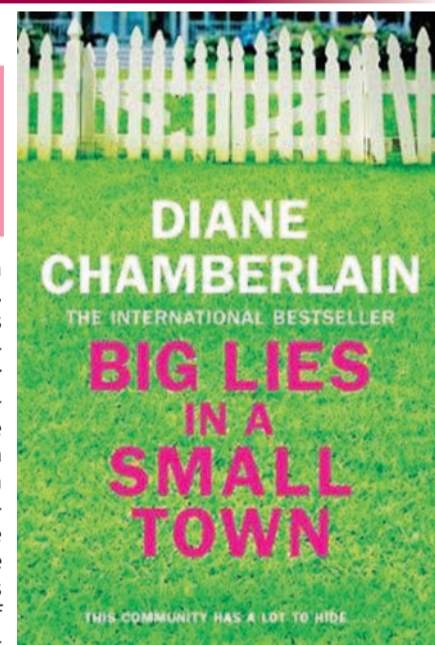
Title: Too Much and Never Enough
Author: Mary L. Trump



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In this revelatory, authoritative portrait of Donald J. Trump and the toxic family that made him, Mary L. Trump, a trained clinical psychologist and Donald's only niece, shines a bright light on the dark history of their family in order to explain how her uncle became the man who now threatens the world's health, economic security and social fabric. Mary Trump spent much of her childhood in her grandparents' large, imposing house in New York, where Donald and his four siblings grew up. She describes a nightmare of traumas, destructive relationships and a tragic combination of neglect and abuse.

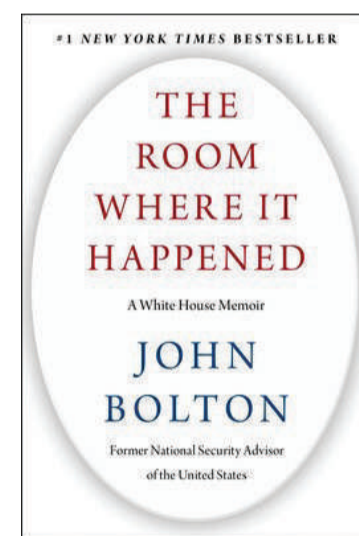
Title: Big Lies in a Small Town
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Morgan Christopher's life has been derailed. Taking the fall for a crime she did not commit, she finds herself serving a three-year stint in the North Carolina Women's Correctional Center. Her dream of a career in the arts is put on hold - until a mysterious visitor makes her an offer that will see her released immediately. Her assignment: restore an old post office mural in a sleepy southern town. Morgan knows nothing about art restoration but, desperate to leave prison, she accepts. What she finds under the layers of grime is a painting that tells the story of madness, violence and a conspiracy of small-town secrets.

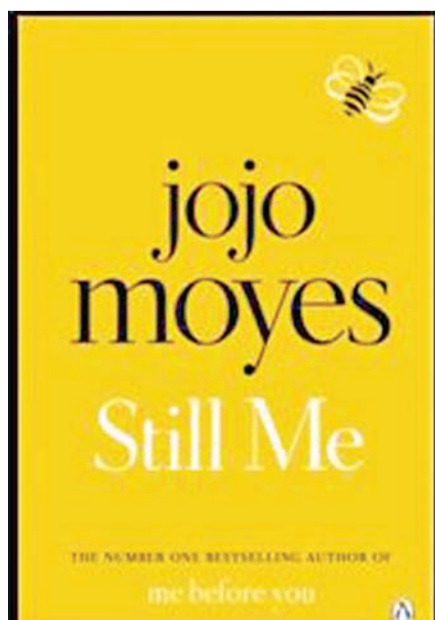
Title: The Room Where It Happened: A White House Memoir
Author: John Bolton



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Title: Still Me
Author: Jojo Moyes



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Louisa Clark arrives in New York ready to start a new life, confident that she can embrace this new adventure and keep her relationship with Ambulance Sam alive across several thousand miles. She steps into the world of the superrich, working for Leonard Gopnik and his much younger second wife, Agnes. Lou is determined to get the most out of the experience and throws herself into her new job and New York life.

No. 84
FORM OF NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE PROBATE OFFICER
Notice under Section 529 (2) of the Civil Procedure Code

It is hereby notified that the following applications have been made for the proof of will/probate/grant of letter of administration / issue of certificates of heirship, in respect of the estates of the deceased persons described in the Schedule hereto.

Any person having objections to the making of an Order declaring a will proved or the grant of probate or letters of administration with or without a will annexed or the issue of certificates of heirship to the persons named in the petitions, shall make such objections in writing supported by affidavit and filed on or before the dates fixed by the respective District Courts specified below:

SCHEDULE

District Court of Minuwangoda Last date for filing of objections 29th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
80/T	Sriwardhana Wijesinghe Mudalige Prasi Wijesingha alias Sriwardana Wijesingha Mudalige Prasi Wijesingha No. 113, Kudagammana, Divulapitiya.	No	Weerasekara Kodithuwakku Ralalage Nimala Weerasekara No. 113, Kudagammana, Divulapitiya.
81T	Dagrigge Srimathi Thamaras Kumari Perera alias Degrigge Srimathe Thamaras Kumari Perera Nilpanagoda, Minuwangoda.	Yes	Ladduge Ranjith Norman Silva alias Ladduge Ranjith Norman Silva No. 7/93, Pudinalhalarama Road, Magamma, Ragama, presently of Minuwangoda, Nilpanagoda.
78T	Wijesinghe Appuhamilage Ranjith Nandalal Wijesinghe alias Wijesinghe Appuhamilage Ranjith Nandalal Wijesinghe Divulapitiya, Hapuwalana	No	Wijesinghe Appuhamilage Dilshan Ravi Madushanka Chithra Wivin, Hapuwalana, Marandagamhula.
Date : 22.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Minuwangoda	

District Court of Negombo Last date for filing of objections 29th day of October 2020			
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1339/T	Goniymalimage Wilbert Anthony Aponu, No. 88/3, Aponu Mawatha, St. Jude Place, Thaladuwa, Negombo.	No	Goniymalimage Dinesh Manjula Aponu, No. 88/3, Aponu Mawatha, St. Jude Place, Thaladuwa, Negombo.
Date : 23.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo	

District Court of Colombo Last date for filing of objections 21st day of February 2020			
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District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS/00316/19	Mrs. Daisybel Ranasinghe, No. 215-F1, Anderson Flats, Park Road, Colombo 05.	No	Deepthi Neelapani Perera (nee Ranasinghe), No. 215, F1, Anderson Flats Park Road, Colombo 05.
Date : 04/12/2019		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Colombo	

District Court of Kaduwela Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
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677/T	Amarashilpa Sandhya Nilmini Perera, No.1047/3A, Pothuara Road, Malabe.	No.	Wijesuriya Mudiyanse Senarath Chandratissa Wijesuriya, No.1047/3A, Pothuara Road, Malabe.
Date : 14.08.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela	

District Court of Nawalapitiya Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020			
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T 32/20	Hewa Wedige Somasiri "168/17", Kothmale Road, Bawwagama, Nawalapitiya.	No	Hewa Wedige Thilina Sandaruwan "168/17", Kothmale Road, Bawwagama, Nawalapitiya.
Date : 20.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Nawalapitiya	

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1627/T	Delduwa Widanalage Sunil Rathnasiri Fonseka, Premathilaka Mawatha, Meemana, Pokunuwita.	No	Delduwa Widanalage Lalitha Leelanganai Fonseka, No. 92C, Kulupana, Pokunuwita.
Date : 10.08.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Horana	

District Court of Tangalle Last date for filing of objections 26th day of October 2020			
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T51	Kahawatha Gamage Premasiri Ranasinghe	Did not leave a Will	Seethawaka Gamage Pathmaseeli No. 29, Aranwela Road, Bellata.
Date : 10.08.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Tangalle	

District Court of Moratuwa Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
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779/T/20	Weerahanadige Sebastian Peter Fernando No. 19/3A, Fraser Road, 1st Lane, Moratuwella, Moratuwa.	No	Waduge Sriyani Malkanthi Fernando Shamilia Begum No. 19/3A, Fraser Road, Moratuwella, Moratuwa.
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Moratuwa	

District Court of Mawanela Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
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T/39	Muhammudu Saleem Abul Kalam alias Mohamed Saleem Abul Kalam	No	Muhammudu Hashim Shamilia Begum alias Mohamed Hasim Shamilia Begum No. 256C, Nawalapitiya Road, Jayamatapura, Gampola.
Date : 28.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Mawanela	

District Court of Kalutara Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T339	Nandimithra Terrence Paranagama Siriniketha, Heenatyangala, Kalutara South.	No	Nanayakkara Suduhum Mudalige Nishamani Kaushalya Samaranyake Siriniketha, Heenatyangala, Kalutara South.
T 347	Kumarage Don Wijesiri No. 12/127, Linton Watta, Palatota, Kalutara.	No	Kumarage Don Samira Nandika Wijayasiri No. 189/6/2 (D6), "189 Residencies", Dr. Danister de Silva Mawatha, Colombo 09.
Date : 29.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kalutara.	

District Court of Kandy Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 48/17	Madduma Wellalalage Nanda Margat, 87/1, Ahaleppola Gurudeniya, Kandy.	No	Vidulan Viduruge Gunadasa 87/1, Ahaleppola Watta, Gurudeniya, Kandy.
Date : 06.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy	

District Court of Kandy Last date for filing of objections 19th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 00021/20	Ganewatta Kankanange Gunathilaka No. 14/B, Siyambalapatiya Rd, Kandy	No	Prabha Kumari Herath alias Herath Mudiyanse Prabha Kumari Herath No. 14B, Siyambalapatiya Road, Kandy.
DTS 28/20	Kankanange Chandrasiri Gilbert, No. 02, Bahirawa Kanda Road, Kandy.	Yes	Wanni Arachchige Chithra Nandan Fonseka, No. 02, Bahirawa Kanda Road, Kandy.
Date : 23.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy	

District Court of Matara Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
TS 483	Donra, Kirala Wella, Wijethunga Lane, No. 68, Ahangama Baduge Chandralatha	no	Donra, Kirala Wella, Wijethunga Lane, No. 68, Lalith Paranamana.
Ts 495	Ranil Dhammika Wethasinghe No. 19/A, Shramadana Mawatha, Weliveriya, Hithithalya, Matara.	no	Achala Ruwanpathirana No. 19/A, Shramadana Mawatha, Weliveriya, Hithithalya, Matara.
TS 488	Sumana Wickramalatha Walgamage or Sumana Wickramalatha Ananda, "Prasanna", S.K. Town, Meddawatta, Matara.	no	Anil Prasanna Ananda, "Prasanna", S.K. Town, Meddawatta, Matara.
TS 486	Kaluthanthiri Liyanage Ranjith Asoka De Alwis, "Piya Niwasa", Kurudukoratuwa, Makavita, Navimana, Matara.	no	Opila Gamage Daya Swarna Gunawardhana, "Piya Niwasa", Kurudu Koratuwa, Makavita, Navimana, Matara.
TS 491	Kanakka Hewage Bandusena of Usaramba Mirissa	no	Kanakka Hewage Gayan Manjula of Usaramba, Mirissa.
T 493	Deckman Bujans No. 213, Old Tangalle Road, Matara	yes	Asanka Samarawickrama Kotigalkandawaththa, Kakanadura, Matara.
Date : 20.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matara	

District Court of Moratuwa Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
787/20/T	Sucharitha Akalanka Samarawickrama C/1/19, Government Apartments, Soysapura, Moratuwa.	Yes	Justin Samarawickrama C/1/19, Government Apartments, Soysapura, Moratuwa.
799/T/20	Palamandadige Bandula Pathmasiri Fernando, No. 107, Anandarama Road, Molpe, Moratuwa.	No	Palamandadige Damith Lalantha Fernando No. 107, Anandarama Road, Molpe, Moratuwa.
793/2020/T	Aluthgamage Annesley Earl Fernando alias Aluthgamage Annesley Earl Fernando alias Aluthgamage Annesley Eral Fernando No. 271/2, Galle Road, Idama, Moratuwa.	No	Shirani Maira Medis No. 271/2, Galle Road, Idama, Moratuwa.
Date : 14.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Moratuwa.	

District Court of Nuwara Eliya Last date for filing of objections 27th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/120	Kalappurakkal Vadakkum Kaatil Rajendran No. 161/A, Lady McCallum Drive, Nuwara Eliya.	No	Kallarikal Chakrapani Kuruppu Vasu Chandrakala No. 161/A, Lady McCallum Drive, Nuwara Eliya.
Date : 27.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of N'Elia	

District Court of Pelmadulla Last date for filing of objections 26th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
5862/T	Dasanayaka Arachchillage Gayan Sathuranga Dasanayake Nambuluwa No. 01, Kalaela Attakalanpatha.	no	Dasanayaka Arachchillage Thilakasiri No. 1, Kalaela, Attakalanpatha.
Date : 03.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Pelmadulla	

District Court of Attanagalla Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
216/T	Malaweera Arachchige Rathnapala alias Rathnapala Mallawarachchi alias Mallawa Arachchige Rathnapala.	no	Yashodha Erandi Mallawarachchi No. 226/1/B, Humbutiya, Nittambuwa.
Date : 28.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Attanagalla	

District Court of Attanagalla Last date for filing of objections 26th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
231/T	Balasoorya Arachchiralalage Richard Upali Balasoorya, No. 70/1/1, Webadagalla, Nittambuwa..	no	Manel Sri Kanthi Senevirathna No. 70/1/1, Webadagalla, Nittambuwa.
Date : 28.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Attanagalla	

District Court of Galle Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/583	Abdul Rahman Mohamed Cassim alias Abdul Rahman Marikkar Mohamed Cassim No. 57, Leyn Baan Street, Fort, Galle.	no	Abdul Careem Faisathula Careema alias Faisathula Careema Cassim No. 57, Leyn Baan Street, Fort, Galle.
T 586	Mohamed Abdul Cader Zahidathul Maralya No. 79, Thakkuya Road, Thalapatiya, Galle.	yes	Mohamed Thowfeek Mohamed Ajmal No. 170/40, Templers Road, Mount Lavinia.
T 592	Alpe Wattage Ariyathunga 499/2A, 10 Kanuwa Road, Werahera, Boralesgamuwa	no	Galapaththi Waduge Ariyawathi, 20/3, Udugama Road, Makuluwa, Galle.
T 595	Pushpa Kumara Lewke Bandara No. 144, Circular Road, Makuluwa, Galle.	no	Indrani Lewka Bandara nee Indrani Wijewickrama No. 144, Circular Road, Makuluwa, Galle.
T 596	Aparakke Dayawathie No. 34/84, Gangarama Road, Magalle, Galle.	no	Panadura Galapattige Gunarathna No. 34/84, Gangarama Road, Magalle, Galle.
T 597	Abdul Majid Nurul Shirafa No. 232, Olcott Mw, Galle.	no	Mohamed Razik Mohamed Sahir No. 05, Akuressa Road, Katugoda, Galle.
T 600	Priyantha Rajith Ambegunawardana No. 669, Galle Road, Devinigoda, Rathgama, Galle.	no	Anoushka Annmarie Ambegunawardana alias Anoushka Annmarie Quiet Ondaaie No. 669, Galle Road, Devinigoda Rathgama, Galle.
T 603	Taiman Mendis Weerasinghe No. 10, Pattidara, Boossa.	no	Dinusha Priyan Mendis Weerasinghe No. 10, Pattidara, Boossa.
T 604	Nalin Arthur Rathnajith De Silva Udugampola alias Nalin Arthur Rathnajith Udugampola "Silverin", Hapugala, Wackwella.	yes	Samantha Sulalith Sirinatha Udugampola No. 550/A/1, Hirimbura Road, Karapitiya, Galle.
Date : 14.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Galle	

District Court of Mannar Last date for filing of objections 19th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 03/2020	Abdul Hameed Furhanudeen of Puthukkudiyiruppu, Erukkalampiddy.	No	Neina Musahibu Ketheeja Umma of Puthukkudiyiruppu, Erukkalampiddy.
Date : 28.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Mannar	

District Court of Negombo Last date for filing of objections 26th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1319/T	Joseph Lakshman Fernando, 52/8, Kattuwa Road, Erukula, Negombo.	no	Mary Olivia Dilamani Fernando nee Croos, 52/8, Kattuwa Road, Erukula, Negombo.
T/1345/2020	Galkissage Sunil No. 671/1, Yakkaduwa, Ja-Ela.	no	Maddumage Jayapalika Ramyani Ranassura No. 671/1, Yakkaduwa, Ja-Ela.
Date : 13.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo	

District Court of Negombo Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1346/T	Guruluwana Gamathiralalage Asitha Suranga Kumara Kandana, Nagoda, Shantha Juwam Mawatha.	no	Kurukulasooriya Malavige Ashmila Vimashini Silva No. 108/4, 3rd Lane, Uyana, Moratuwa.
1340/T	Gee Kyanage Richard Fernando alias Geekyanage Richard Fernando, No. 301, Andiambalama Road, Kimbulapitiya.	no	Gammange Viniha Margret alias Gammange Viniha Margret Fernando, No. 301, Andiambalama Road, Kimbulapitiya.
Date : 13.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo	

District Court of Ruwanwella Last date for filing of objections 13th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 16/20	Dadayakkara Dewage Chandra Gunawardana A2, Neluwakkana, Dedugala.	No	Loku Peduruge Baby Nona A2, Neluwakkana, Dedugala.
Date : 23.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Ruwanwella.	

No. 84
FORM OF NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE PROBATE OFFICER
Notice under Section 529 (2) of the Civil Procedure Code

It is hereby notified that the following applications have been made for the proof of will/probate/grant of letter of administration / issue of certificates of heirship, in respect of the estates of the deceased persons described in the Schedule hereto.

Any person having objections to the making of an Order declaring a will proved or the grant of probate or letters of administration with or without a will annexed or the issue of certificates of heirship to the persons named in the petitions, shall make such objections in writing supported by affidavit and filed on or before the dates fixed by the respective District Courts specified below:

SCHEDULE

District Court of Gampola Last date for filing of objections 05th day of October 2020			
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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 64/20	Mohamed Mulafer Manseen No. 41/2, Pallewela, Kobbewala.	No	Sihabdeen Sithi Mulla No. 41/2, Pallewela, Kobbewala.
Date : 28.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Gampola	

District Court of Balapitiya Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/03	Tomadura Wesley Praks Mendis White House Hotel, Nape, Kosgoda.	No	Garumuni Hirosha Nilmini De Zoysa White House Hotel, Nape, Kosgoda.
Date : 20.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Balapitiya	

District Court of Colombo Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 135/19	Wimala Fernando No. 10 5/4, Alfred House Gardens, Colombo 03	No	Berry Fernando 2777 East Camelback Road, Suite 140 Phoenix, AZ85016, United States of America Presently of No. 13, Charlemont Road, Colombo 06
DTS 89/20	Christian Anthony Brian Gomez alias known as Christian Antony Brian Gomez No. 32, Clifford Place, Colombo 04	No	Anthony Reshan Gomez No. 32, Clifford Place, Colombo 04.
DTS-00053/2020	Arumugam Amirthalingam alias Arumugam Amirthalingam alias A. Amirthalingam of No. 46, Leyards Road, Havelock Town, Colombo 05.	No	Amirthalingam Athavarajah alias Amirthalingam Adharajah of No. 46, Leyards Road, Havelock Town, Colombo 05.
DTS 77/20	Sella Marikayyar Najmudeen No. 43, Kurusani Mowlana Lane, Dematagoda, Colombo 9	No	Mohamed Aadil No. 87/3B, Kent Road, Dematagoda, Colombo 9.
DTS 218/19	Selvi Indraneel Boniface No. 57/1, Sri Dharmakeerthiyarama Road Colombo 03	No	Niranjan Barinon Boniface and also Berlington Wilson Lorraine
DTS 58/20	Kapuruge Don Upali Sarath Perera No. 35/2, Silva Lane, Rajagiriya	No	Vajira Panapitiya alias Panapitiya Arachchige Vajira Panapitiya Perera 35/2, Silva Lane, Rajagiriya.
00065/20/DTS	Channa Brendon Randhien Gooneratne No. 9/1, Queens Road, Colombo 03	Yes	Thanuja Dalrene Madawala Gooneratne No. 9/1, Queens Road, Colombo 03.
DTS/48/2020	Subbiah Achary Thiagarajah No. 102, New Chetty Street, Colombo 13	Yes	Navarathnam Mallika Thiagarajah No. 102, New Chetty Street, Colombo 13.
DTS 78/20	Mohamed Asim Mohamed Amdun alias Mohamed Hashim Mohamed Hamdul No. 214/18, Sri Sangaraja Mawatha, Colombo 10	No	Mohamed Imran 214/18, Sri Sangaraja Mawatha, Colombo 10.
DTS 357/19	Holupathirage Kusumalatha Wickramanayaka nee Holupathirage Kusumalatha Wickramanayaka (before marriage Caldera) No. 36/2, Kuruppu Road, Colombo 08	No	Beddage Chatura Wickramanayaka No. 85/20/A1, Jawatta Gardens Colombo 05.
DTS 133/19	Quintus Fernando, No. 10 5/4, Alfred House Gardens, Colombo 03	No	Berry Fernando 2777 East Camelback Road, Suite 140 Phoenix, AZ85016, United States of America Presently of No. 13, Charlemont Road Colombo 06.
DTS/00178/19	Mr. Weerathunga Arachchige Leslie Costa 88/1, S. De S. Jayasinghe Mawatha, Kohuwala, Nugegoda.	No	Mrs. Rupawathie Munasinghe 88/1, S. De S. Jayasinghe Mawatha, Kohuwala, Nugegoda.
DTS 263/19	Tasneem Sajjadhusain No. 84/4B, Lauries Road, Colombo 04	Yes	Hussaini Abbasbhoy Mohamedally No. 29, Skelton Road, Colombo 05.
DTS/00 106/2020	Bulathsinghalage Sarath Perera No. 909/10M, Adikaram Mawatha Ethul Kotte, Kotte.	No	Mishani Shoba Perera No. 909/10M, Adikaram Mawatha, Ethul Kotte.
DTS 231/19	Winston Brindavanam Robert No. 31D, Dharmakethana Place, Koswatta, Nawala, Rajagiriya	No	Nirmalan Yogarathnam No. 102, New Chetty Street, Colombo 13.
DTS/76/20	Saroja Yogarathnam No. 85/C/3, 18, Manning Town Housing Scheme, Mangalapath, Colombo 08	No	1. Frederick Jehan De Saram of No. 300/81, C.V.S. Corea Mawatha, Hokandara Road, Hokandara South 2. Ranjith Page No. 5/3, 6/4 Independence Avenue, Colombo 07
DTS 105/20	Therese Marlene Wiratunga alias Therese Marlene Perera alias Therese Marlene Atappattu alias Therese Marlene Atappattu No. 55, D. Fonseka Road, Colombo 05	Yes	Godakandage Jude Dilan Perera alias Godakandage Jude Dilan Perera No. 496/1A, Havelock Road, Colombo 06.
DTS 136/20	Mohammed Rafa Jalaldeen or Mohamedi Rafa Jalaldeen or Mohamedi Rafa Jalaldeen Mohammed Raffah or Rafa Mehammed Jalaldeen (in Death Certificate) No. 600 1/1, Bangalawa Junction Fort Road, Pettah or No. 45/2A, Sri Mahinda Dharma Mawatha, Dematagoda.	Yes	Sithy Nihimiya or Sithy Nihimiya (in Marriage Certificate) No. 600 1/1, Bangalawa Junction Fort Road, Pettah or No. 45/2A, Sri Mahinda Dharma Mawatha, Dematagoda.
DTS 250/18	Rajakapsha Dewayannahalage Gaminii Priedi Rajapaksha No. 339, Dippitigoda Road, Hunupitiya, Wattala	No	Rajakapsha Dewayannahalage Lakshmi Rajapaksha No. 339/12, Dippitigoda Road, Hunupitiya, Wattala.
DTS 00 119/2020	Nilavani Arunan alias Sitamparapillai Nilavani alias Sitamparapillai Nilavani	No	Abirami alias Abirami Arunan No. Apt 1103, 25 for Minds Draves, North York Ontario M3J 1K8, Canada
DTS/46/2020	Irene Pushpam Watson nee Selvadurai also known as Watson Irene Pushpam of 2, Unity Place, Colombo 03.	Yes	Vijendran Veeraratnam Watson also known as Vijendran Watson of 2 Unity Place, Colombo 03
DTS/36/2020	Lalith Senanayake of No. 169, Inner Flower Road, Colombo 03	Yes	Ingeborg Leupold Senanayake also known as Ingeborg Leupold Hildegard of No. 169, Inner Flower Road, Colombo 03.
DTS 00218/18	Sinnan Nallusamy alias Chinnan Nallusamy alias Nalliyanna Gounder Chinnan Nallusamy No. 77, 78, Raja Colony Cantonment, Tiruchirappalli, India	No	Nallusamy Navakumar No. 15, 13th Lane, Kothahena, Colombo 13.
DTS 56/20	Akmeemanage Dona Kusum Liyanage alias Akmeemanage Dona Kusumseele No. 32A, Kadujahawatta Gothawwa New Town	No	Kottewatta Liyanage Gaminii Wasantha No. 32A, Kadujahawatta, Gothawwa New Town
DTS 107/20	Mallyawaduge Chandrasena alias Mallyawadu Chandrasena No. 22/1, Edmonton Road, Colombo 06	No	Warushahennedige Kamalini Fiona De Silva alias Warushahennedige Kamalini Fiona De Silva alias Kamalini Fiona De Silva, No. 22/1, Edmonton Road, Colombo 06
DTS 00088/2020	Dinesh Amarajith Wijayarathne No. 300/3B Dr. C.V.S. Corea Mawatha, Hokandara South	No	Ransirini Hiranthi Weeraman (nee Wijayarathne) No. 118/2, Rampart road, Ethul Kotte
DTS 00070/2020	Ramsiya Begum Mohamed Farook alias Mohamed Farook Ramsiya Begum alias Ramsiya Begum Ahamed Ibrahim No. 122, Awwalazaviya Road, Grandpass, Colombo 12	No	Shahul Hameed Mohamed Farook No. 122, Awwalazaviya Road, Grandpass, Colombo 12.
Date : 04.08.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Colombo	

District Court of Ratnapura Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
2341/T	Gamini Henegama Liyanage alias Henegama Liyanage Gamini alias Henegama Liyanage Gamini Hengama Liyanage, No. 05, Chilaw Road, Ratnapura.	no	Hondamulle Gedera Thushitha Sudharshini Hondamulla No. 05, Kalawana Road, Ratnapura.
2343/T	Rathnappulige Samili Nandana Keerthi	no	Kuruwita Arachchilage Priyanka Dirukshi No. 25/24, Polhengoda, Ratnapura.
2339/T	Aththanayaka Vidanilage Nayanagandhi Aththanayaka	no	Jayaweera Mudiyansele Ranasinghe.
Date : 13.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Ratnapura	

District Court of Bandarawela Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T /130	Besil Nelson De Silva	No	Wellahegawa George Alfred De Silva (Petitioner)
Date : 15.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Bandarawela	

District Court of Batticaloa Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1343/2020	1) Sivakuru Rahu, 2) Sundaramoorthy - Vibra, Both of Badulla Veethy, Chankalady.	No	Sivakuru-Rahu Vaishnavi, Badulla Veethy, Chankalady.
Date : 29.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Batticaloa	

District Court of Gampaha Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
36/2020/T	Guneththi Cyril Perera No. 26, Sapugaskanda, Makola.	No	Kodikara Arachchige Salin Nona No. 26, Sapugaskanda, Makola.
Date : 24.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Gampaha	

District Court of Batticaloa Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1343/2020	1) Sivakuru Rahu, 2) Sundaramoorthy - Vibra, Both of Badulla Veethy, Chankalady.	No	Sivakuru-Rahu Vaishnavi, Badulla Veethy, Chankalady.
Date : 29.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Batticaloa	

District Court of Gampaha Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1207/T	Sithithi Fowsiya Weero No. 456/F/7, Keselwatta, Gonahena, Kadawatha.	No	Shiyan Weero No. 456/F/7, Keselwatta, Gonahena, Kadawatha.
Date : 13.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Gampaha	

District Court of Homagama Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
19616/T	Bamunu Arachchige Don Upali Gnanathilaka Senevirathne Homagama, Katuwana Road, "Yamuna", No. 252.	Yes	Bamunu Arachchige Don Kalana Bhashana Senevirathne No. 252, "Yamuna", Katuwana Road, Homagama.
Homagama D/C Case No. 19606/T	Maddumage Mahindaweera Gunasekara	No	Katiri Arachchige Piyaseeli No. 406/18, Maithiridasa Mawatha, Pitipana North, Homagama.
District Court : Homagama Testametry No. : 19716	Vithanage Silanthi Perera	No	Welikadage Aruna Botheju 1170/1, Katukurunda Road, Kottawa, Pannipitiya.
Date : 20.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Homagama	

District Court of Kandy Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 13/2020	Wal Arumage Chandrawathi alias Fernando Wal Arumage Chandra # 463, Peradeniya Road, Gatambe.	No	Wal Arumage Darmasiri Fernando 463, Peradeniya Road, Kandy.
DTS 20/20	Don Manel Indrani Gunawardena alias Dona Manel Indrani Gunawardena of No. 30/1, Kalugala Road, Katugastota.	No	Maligaspe Koralege Kingsly of No. 30/1, Kalugala Road, Katugastota.
DTS 00030/20	Hapupity Mohottalage Lalitha Kumari Disanayake No. 341, Matale Road, Alawathugoda.	No	Shanthi Kumari Disanayake No. 341/1, Matale Road, Alawathugoda.
DTS 15/20	Watapuluwe Gedara Seyyad Mohamed Mohamed Rafeek 169, Kahawatta Road, Dodangolla, Akurana.	No	Pihillatenne Gedara Sahabdeen Kansul Syada 169, Kahawatta Road, Dodangolla, Akurana.
DTS 25/20	Don Sarath Somawera Jayakody No. 11/C, Temple Road, Ambatenna.	No	Dona Maneesha Chathunika Jayakody No. 11/C, Temple Road, Ambatenna.
Date : 23.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy	

District Court of Jaffna Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
Testamentary / 63/2020 of the District Court of Jaffna (T/63/2020)	Selvanayagi Sambasivam, Australia	No	1. Lukshma Dewy Bain, 29, Gregory Street, Strathfield South, NSW 2136 Australia. Now Urickadu, Valvittithurai 2. Suganthy Yogachandra NSW 2136 Strathfield South, Gregory Street, Australia.
Date : 17.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Jaffna	

District Court of Negombo Last date for filing of objections 19th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1333/20	Dehiwallage Remijius Fernando No. 144, Chilaw Road, Negombo.	No	Ayoma Kumudini Kumaraavel alias Ayoma Kumudini Fernando No. 144, Chilaw Road, Negombo.
TS/1335/20	Hewa Fonsekage Joseph Anthony Fonseka No. 129, St. Joseph Road, Kanuwana, Ja-Ela.	No	Hewa Fonsekage Emmanuel Joseph Anthony Fonseka No. 129, St. Joseph Road, Kanuwana, Ja-Ela.
T/1315/20	Mohideen Abdul Cader Fazil No.33/1-1/1, Moor Street, Periyamulla, Negombo.	Died Without a Last Will	Siththi Nuwaisa Fazil Kachchumohamed No. 33/1-1/1, Moor Street, Periyamulla, Negombo. And Now : 68D, Stoney Gate Road, Luton, LU 49 TG, Bedfordshire, United Kingdom.
Date : 17.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo	

District Court of Kaduwela Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
District Court : Kaduwela Testametry No. : 676/T	Champaka Priyantha Owitpana No. 232/3, Koswatta, Thalagama North.	No	Kamalasiri Samantha Owitpana No. 232/3A, Koswatta, Thalagama North.
Date : 13.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela	

District Court of Negombo Last date for filing of objections 19th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1333/20	Dehiwallage Remijius Fernando No. 144, Chilaw Road, Negombo.	No	Ayoma Kumudini Kumaraavel alias Ayoma Kumudini Fernando No. 144, Chilaw Road, Negombo.
TS/1335/20	Hewa Fonsekage Joseph Anthony Fonseka No. 129, St. Joseph Road, Kanuwana, Ja-Ela.	No	Hewa Fonsekage Emmanuel Joseph Anthony Fonseka No. 129, St. Joseph Road, Kanuwana, Ja-Ela.
T/1315/20	Mohideen Abdul Cader Fazil No.33/1-1/1, Moor Street, Periyamulla, Negombo.	Died Without a Last Will	Siththi Nuwaisa Fazil Kachchumohamed No. 33/1-1/1, Moor Street, Periyamulla, Negombo. And Now : 68D, Stoney Gate Road, Luton, LU 49 TG, Bedfordshire, United Kingdom.
Date : 17.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo	

District Court of Gampola Last date for filing of objections 05th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 65/20	Herath Wimalasiri No. 77, Gampolawatta, Gampola.	No	Herath Mudiyansele Mallika Herath No. 77, Gampolawatta, Gampola.
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Gampola	

District Court of Matale Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 889	Pagoda Wijesinghe Arachchilage Rooth Nayomi Dias No. 24, Dematagolla, Ukuwela	Yes	Pagoda Wijesinghe Arachchilage Jayantha Paul Wijesinghe No. 24, Dematagolla, Ukuwela.
T 884	Mark Thorstan Reynolds, "Royal Gate", Uwatenna, Ihalakobbekaduwa, Kandy.	Yes	Nanayakara Senarath Apphamilage Wimal Nirosha Priyadarshani No. 356/3, Hulangamuwa Road, Matale Widow
Date : 06.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matale	

District Court of Attangalla Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
229/T	Edirisuriya Arachchige Rangith Edirisuriya No. 50, Kandy Road Kalagedihena	Yes	Edirisuriya Arachchige Anura Kumara Edirisuriya alias Edirisuriya Arachchilage Anura Kumara Edirisuriya No. 21/1, Kandy Road, Kalagedihena
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Attangalla	

District Court of Kuliyaipitiya Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
779/T	Marasingha Pedge Sumanawathi Camilus Watta Loluwagoda	No	Amarasingha Pedge Indika Pushpakumari Meddepola Pahala Giriulla
782/T	Kirihami Lekamalage Jinaratana Ariyawansha "Sri Ramya", Ihala Elathalawa Deegalla, Kuliyaipitiya	Intestate	Jayasundara Mudiyansele Leelawathi "Sri Ramya", Ihala Elathalawa Deegalla, Kuliyaipitiya.
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kuliyaipitiya	

District Court of Matale Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 880	Amitha Sriyalatha Kulathunga alias Kulathunga Wijekoon Mudiyansele No. 322, Tenne Walawwa, Wawinna, Paipathwala.	Yes	Kulathunga Wijekoon Mudiyansele Chandra Janajeevani Kulathunga No. 322, Tenne Walawwa, Wawinna, Paipathwala.
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matale	

District Court of Kaduwela Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
700/T	Satharasinghage Jinadasa No. 6/26, 1st Lane, Ranawakawatta, Kalagoda, Pannipitiya	No	Liyaana Mohottikapuralalage Nandawathi No. 6/26, 1st Lane, Ranawakawatta, Kalagoda, Pannipitiya.
Date : 05.08.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela	

District Court of Matale Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 880	Amitha Sriyalatha Kulathunga alias Kulathunga Wijekoon Mudiyansele No. 322, Tenne Walawwa, Wawinna, Paipathwala.	Yes	Kulathunga Wijekoon Mudiyansele Chandra Janajeevani Kulathunga No. 322, Tenne Walawwa, Wawinna, Paipathwala.
Date : 31.07.2020		Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matale	

No. 84
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Notice under Section 529 (2) of the Civil Procedure Code

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SCHEDULE

District Court of Moratuwa
Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Avissawella
Last date for filing of objections 11th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Kuliyaipitiya
Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Galle
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Badulla
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Bandarawela
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 19th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 30th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Bandarawela
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Batticaloa
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Hambantota
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of October 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Batticaloa
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Homagama
Last date for filing of objections 17th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Hatton
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Kaduwela
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Kaduwela
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

District Court of Kesbewa
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020
SCHEDULE
Column I Column II Column III Column IV
District Court Registration No. Name and Address of Deceased Whether Deceased left Will Name and Address of Applicant

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SCHEDULE

District Court of Galle			
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T-594	Erika Maria Kelz nee Merkel Hepperlück 5, 51702 Bergneustadt, Germany.	Yes	Rita Sophia Schicketanz Osthele 2D-58644, Iserlohn Germany

Date : 14.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Galle

District Court of Kalutara			
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T-346	Saum Kumar Jayasinghe, 'Kirula', Nagoda, Kalutara.	No	Jayasinghe Layanal Gunasiri, 'Kirula', Nagoda, Kalutara.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kalutara

District Court of Kalutara			
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/338	Sandaseeli Thalatha Mendis Wickramasinghe No. 63, Palathota Road, Nagoda, Kalutara.	No	Dileep Mendis Wickramasinghe No. 63, Palathota Road, Nagoda, Kalutara.

Date : 02.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kalutara

District Court of Moratuwa			
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
795/20/T	Thanthulage Lerance Jayasiri Fernando No. 61/1, Ihala Indibedda, Moratuwa.	No	Thanthulage Thilini Chathurika Fernando No. 31 A/1, Palliyadora Road, Dehiwala.
802/2020/T	Kariyakarawana Patabadi Samarasinghe Sakalasoorya Mahawidanalage Don Shiran Sudewa Fernando, No. 27, 6th Lane, Rawathawatta, Moratuwa.	No	Widanelage Wimala Premani De Mel No. 27, 06th Lane, Rawathawatta, Moratuwa.
809/2020/T	Warannagodage Lesley Perera No. 42/1, Mahanugasevana Road, Katukurunda, Moratuwa.	No	Warannagodage Heshan Priyanga Perera No. 42/1, Mahanugasevana Road, Katukurunda, Moratuwa.
817/2020/T	Gardiya Wasam Lindamulage Dayantha Jayasiri de Silva No. 39/9, Sri Premarathne Mawatha, Moratumulla, Moratuwa.	No	Gardiya Wasam Lindamulage Sajani Devnika de Silva No. 39/9, Sri Premarathne Mawatha, Moratumulla, Moratuwa.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Moratuwa

District Court of Kandy			
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 00022/20	Abdul Rashid Mohamed Nuhmanu alias Abdul Rasheed Mohamed Nuhmann of 213/13, Madawela Rd, Katugastota / No. 09, Chesnut Rd, Auburn 2144, New South Wales, Australia.	Yes	Seyedu Ali Sithi Rafeeka alias Seyed Ali Sithi Rafeeka of 213/13, Madawela Road, Katugastota and No. 9, Chesnut Road, Auburn 2144, New Southwales, Australia.

Date : 23.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kandy			
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 5/2020	Sri Kanthi Ranawaka, No. 23, Galmuduru Road, Arangala, Nattarampota.	No	Kousika Neranjan Ranawaka, Lucky Land Estate, Yatravana, Wattigama.

Date : 14.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kandy			
Last date for filing of objections 21st day of October 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 28/20	Jayasinghe Mudiyanseelage Abeyrathna alias Jayasinghe Mudiyanseelage Jinadasa Abeyrathna, Estate Bungalow, Padiwatta, Kundasale.	Yes	Ekanayake Mudiyanseelage Chamindra Ekanayake, No. 97/22, Sri Dhammasiddhi Mawatha, Asgiriya, Kandy.

Date : 04.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kurunegala			
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
7863/T	Wasalamuni Arachchillage Premathilaka of Clovis Watta, Sandagala Road, Uthuya.	No	Wasalamuni Arachchillage Biyanaka Jayarukshi Premathilaka No. 359/3, Averiwatta Road, North Batagama, Ja-Ela.

Date : 17.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kurunegala

District Court of Kandy			
Last date for filing of objections 17th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 03/19	Selladorey Rabeendran, "Vedaheta Estate", Galaha, Kandy.	No	Palaniyandi Pilley Wijayalakshmi, "Vedaheta Estate", Galaha, Kandy.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kegalle			
Last date for filing of objections 29th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
265/T	Herath Mudiyanseelage Kusum Kumudulatha Herath No. 3/8A, Pinwatta Road, Dehiwela.	No	Chamika Niranjana Gunatilleke 3/8A, Pinwatta Road, Dehiwela.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kegalle

District Court of Marawila			
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
313/T	Warnakulasuriya Deni Joshep Thisera No. 118, Weehena, Mahawewa.	Yes	Warnakulasooriya Meerian Shiroma Pershita Thisera No. 56C, Mattakotuwa, Mahawewa.

Date : 21.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Marawila

District Court of Mount Lavinia			
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
4850/19/T	Selvadore Kalnaido No. 53, Minuwangoda Road, Ekala.	No	Liyanage Mudiyanseelage Watson Benedict Kolugala No. 193/1/1, Alththiya, Dehiwala.
4914/20/T	Wijesundara Wickramasinghe Pandiharathna Mudiyanse Ralahamillage Tissa Gopallawa No. 248/64, Captain Sumudu Rajapaksha Mw., Hill Street, Dehiwala.	No	Hewage Sudhammika Pushpamali Pushpa Kumara alias Sudhammika Hewage Gopallawa No. 248/64, Captain Sumudu Rajapaksha Mw., Hill Street, Dehiwala.
4925/20/T	Weerathunga Karunathilake alias Weerathunga Lionel Karunathilake No. 79, Sri Saranankara Road, Dehiwala.	No	Yapahu Gedera Anuruddika Menike No. 79, Sri Saranankara Road, Dehiwala.
District Court of Mount Lavinia 4941/20/T	Rupasinghe Arachchillage Jayantha Rupasinghe	Yes	Rupasinghe Arachchillage Praba Madumathi Rupasinghe 282A, Kadawatha Road, Nedimala, Dehiwala.
4952/20/T	Kaluhath Susantha De Silva alias Kaluhath Sushantha De Silva No. 378/09H, 1st Lane, Rathnarama Road, Hokandara South.	No	Kaluhath Anura De Silva No. 38A, Watagamba Mawatha, Borupana Road, Rathmalana.
4979/20/T	Shirley Brian De Sarum No. 197, Galle Road, Mount Lavinia.	Yes	Senake Rohan De Sarum No. 197, Galle Road, Mount Lavinia.
4982/2020/T	Wariyanigalagala Dharmadasa No. 19, Hotel Road, Mount Lavinia.	Yes	Arjun Preethi Dharmadasa No. 19, Hotel Road, Mount Lavinia.
Mount Lavinia 4984/20/T	Wannakuwatte Waduge Prema Elizabeth Fernando No. 41/18 B, Pallidora Road, Dehiwala.	No	Wattoru Thantthreege Ashanthi Umayangani Fernando No. 41/18 B, Pallidora Road, Dehiwala.
4985/20/T	Nawarathnamma Wellasamy alias Periyampulle Nawarathnamma No. 12-13, Spring Court, De Seram Road, Mount Lavinia.	No	Wellasamy Thananjayan No. 12-13, Spring Court, De Seram Road, Mount Lavinia.
4988/20/T	Kurukula Arachchige Wickramadasa Perera No. 85, Hathbodhiya Road, Kalibowila, Dehiwela.	No	Kirumbara Liyanage Ramya Nilanthi Perera No. 85, Hathbodhiya Road, Kalibowila, Dehiwela.
4989/20/T	Suriyapatabendige Vincent Karunaratne No. 34/4, Sri Bodhirukkarama Road, Wellawatte, Colombo 6. (Formerly of No. 24, Weherakanda Road, Beddegana, Pitakotte, Kotte).	No	Suriyapatabendige Dhananjaya Dilsharan Karunaratne No. 34/4, Sri Bodhirukkarama Road, Wellawatte, Colombo 6.
District Court : Mt. Lavinia Testametry : No. : 4990/20/T	Ranasinghe Arachchige Renuka	No	Urapola Yatawara Ramani Indumathi No. 27/1/A, 5th Lane, Rathmalana.
4992/20/T	Mohamed Jawad Thowfeek 49, Wijayaba Mawatha, Kalubowila.	No	Mohamed Shiraz Thowfeek 49, Wijayaba Mawatha, Kalubowila.
4994/20/T	Neigh Jezima Hassen No. 41, Wimalasiri de Mel Mawatha, Rohanapura, Maligawa Road, Rathmalana.	No	Tuan Mohamed Razakeen Hassen No. 41, Wimalasiri de Mel Mawatha, Rohanapura, Maligawa Road, Rathmalana.
4995/20/T	Helen Monica Callender (also spell as Callender) nee (Congreve) of No. 17/1A, 1st Lane, Rathmalana.	No	Ralph Callender of No. 17/1A, 1st Lane, Rathmalana.
4996/20/T	Warusavithana Astrea Millicent Dayaratne No. 39, Wimala Estate Road, Nugegoda.	No	Aruna Dayaratne No. 39, Wimala Estate Road, Nugegoda.
4997/20/T	Susantha Nuwansiri Waduge Jothila as known as Susantha Nuwansiri Waduge Jothila of No. 82/1, Sri Sumangala Road, Rathmalana.	No	1. Priyanki Nimala Waththawa - Petitioner 2. Kushani Chathurika Waduge Jothila - Respondent Both of No. 82/1, Sri Sumangala Road, Rathmalana.
Case No : 4999/20/T District Court of Mount Lavinia.	Dunuwilage Visakha Subashini Jayawickrema No. 25/1-1/1, Vijitha Road, Nedimala, Dehiwala.	No	Peramunne Arachchige Ananda Peramunne No. 25/1-1/1, Vijitha Road, Nedimala, Dehiwala.
5000/20/T	Pelenda Hewage Srimathie Sandara alias Pelenda Hewage Srimathie Sandara No. 71/25, 4th Lane, Lake Crescent, Attidiya, Dehiwala.	No	Hewa Yadehige Dheerapala, No. 71/25, 4th Lane, Lake Crescent, Attidiya, Dehiwala.

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Mount Lavinia

District Court of Moratuwa			
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
790/T/2020	Paththige Lalani Priyantha Fernando No. 25/1, Alokapiyaya Road, Moratumulla, Moratuwa.	Yes	Jayasekara Mudiyanseelage Thilinda Chamika Jayasekara No. 34, Alokapiyaya Road, Moratumulla, Moratuwa.
800/2020/T	Wannakuwatte Waduge Titus Seltton Fernando alias Wannakuwatte Waduge Titus Seltton Fernando alias Wannakuwatte Waduge Titus Seltton Fernando alias Titus Seltton of No. 200/32, Uyana, Lunawa, Moratuwa.	No	Wannakuwatte Waduge Joel Crisostomi Frank Fernando alias Joel Crisostomi Frank, of No. 200/32, Uyana, Lunawa, Moratuwa.
807/2020/T	Rampati Dewage Jayasena No. 33/1, Arnold Place, Egodaunya, Moratuwa.	No	Chrishanthni Darshanie No. 33/1, Arnold Place, Egodaunya, Moratuwa.

Date : 17.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Moratuwa

District Court of Matara			
Last date for filing of objections 18th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
TS/487	Imaduwa, Wahala Kananke, Kandedgodahena, Kotte Jayathilaka Mudalige Indra	No	Imaduwa, Wahala Kananke, Kandedgodahena, Sakila Maduwanthi Edirisingha.
TS 500	Don Lakman Pathinayake No. 140, Sunanda Mawatha, Welegoda, Matara.	No	Amali Yuresha Gunasekara No. 140, Sunanda Mawatha, Welegoda, Matara.
TS 501	Hewa Kankanamege Ajith Kumara "Jayalath", Tangalle Road, Weerakeetya	Yes	Thushani Weerasooriya "Jayalath", Vihara Mawatha, Walgama North, Matara.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matara

District Court of Matara			
Last date for filing of objections 18th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
TS/481	Amila Sandaruwan Wickramarathna Senarath Yapa Yspland, Aperekkka Road, Yatiyana, Matara.	No	Chandima Mihirani Wickramarathna Senarath Yapa 231, Wijayarama Mawatha, Bollegoda, Gonawala.
TS/482	Thilaka Padma Wimalagunaratna Yapland, Aperekkka Road, Yatiyana, Matara.	No	Chandima Mihirani Wickramarathna Senarath Yapa 231, Wijayarama Mawatha, Bollegoda, Gonawala.

Date : 02.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matara

District Court of Kaduwela			
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
685/T	Anura Kumara Wickramathunga No. 604/3B, Muththettugoda Road, Thalagama North, Battaramulla finally 16161, Parkside Lane, Apartment 19, Huntington Beach, CA92647, USA.	No	Chamali Krishantha Senaweera, No. 604/3B, Muththettugoda Road Thalagama North, Battaramulla Presently 16161, Parkside Lane, Apartment 19, Huntington Beach CA92647, USA Power of Attorney Holder: Suraji Chamindra Senaweera, 908/3, Udawaththa Road, Malabe.
664/T	Hetti Arachchige Gaminri Perera No. 558/A, Welihinda, Kaduwela.	No	Pallewella Badanasinghe Nimanthi Mala Miurayal No. 558/A, Welihinda, Kaduwela.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela

District Court of Panadura			
Last date for filing of objections 16th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
826/T	Gamini Dolawatta No. 202, Gorakana, Moratuwa.	Yes	Ramya Loku Kumaraage No. 202, Gorakana, Moratuwa.
827/T	Wellage Priyasena No. 112, Central Road, Thalpiyaya South, Wadduwa.	No	Wellage Priyantha Upul Kumara No. 112, Central Road, Thalpiyaya South, Wadduwa.
No. 828/ Testamentary	Watuthanirige Samudra Nandani Alwis No. 45C, Dharmarama Road, Malamulla West, Panadura.	No	Raygamage Thanoja Milani Perera No. 45C, Dharmarama Road, Malamulla West, Panadura.
819/T	Abayasiri Chinthamani Hettigae	With a Will	Chinthamani Hettigae Meranga Hettigae No. 104/15, Bodirukkarama Road, Nalluruwa, Panadura.
824/T	Sella Hennadige Jinaseli Kalyani Fernando alias Sella Hennadige Jinasili Fernando No. 10, "Anoma", Saddananda Mawatha, Wekada, Panadura.	Yes	Sella Hennadige Dayarathna Ananda Silva No. 10, "Anoma", Saddananda Mawatha, Wekada, Panadura.

Date : 03.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Panadura

District Court of Mallakam			
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/24/2020	Barkavidevi wife of Sivaneyan, Arasadi Veethy, Thavadi North, Kokuvil.	No	Krisnaranka - wife of Balasubramanyam Skantharaja, Arasadi Veethy, Thavadi North, Kokuvil.

Date : 20.07.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Mallakam

District Court of Negombo			
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1337 / Testamentary	Warnakulasuriya Rasika Crishantha Perera No. 371/1, "Rasika", Silver Sand Road, Daluwakotuwa, Kochchikade.	Without a Last Will	Kalumarakkhalage Nelka Senani Fernando No. 371/1, "Rasika", Silver Sand Road, Daluwakotuwa, Kochchikade.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Negombo			
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1308/T	Don Senarath Anton Jayasuriya No. 3, Niwasa Mawatha, Kandana.	No	Antonette Nirmala Thushanie Jayasuriya No.3, Niwasa Mawatha, Kandana.
1312/T	Dona Elizabeth Philippa Jayasuriya nee Leanage alias Leanage Dona Elizabeth Philippa Jayasuriya Ramesh Liyanage Mawatha, Kochchikade.	Yes	Darin Prasan Leanage No. 65/14, 5th Lane, Nawala, Rajagiriya.
1352/T	Kathaluwa Dewage Mathusena No. 151, Sarnagi Mawatha, Dalupotha, Negombo.	Not left a will	Kathaluwa Dewage Mathula No. 406/A, Thimbirigaskatuwa Road, Dalupotha, Negombo.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Kaduwela			
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
669/T	Dayananda Piladuwa Paranaheva	No	Salinida Piladuwa Paranaheva No. 375/1, Kaduwela Road, Battaramulla.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela

District Court of Negombo			
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of November 2020			
SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1308/T	Don Senarath Anton Jayasuriya No. 3, Niwasa Mawatha, Kandana.	No	Antonette Nirmala Thushanie Jayasuriya No.3, Niwasa Mawatha, Kandana.
1312/T	Dona Elizabeth Philippa Jayasuriya nee Leanage alias Leanage Dona Elizabeth Philippa Jayasuriya Ramesh Liyanage Mawatha, Kochchikade.	Yes	Darin Prasan Leanage No. 65/14, 5th Lane, Nawala, Rajagiriya.
1352/T	Kathaluwa Dewage Mathusena No. 151, Sarnagi Mawatha, Dalupotha, Negombo.	Not left a will	Kathaluwa Dewage Mathula No. 406/A, Thimbirigaskatuwa Road, Dalupotha, Negombo.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

No. 84
FORM OF NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE PROBATE OFFICER
Notice under Section 529 (2) of the Civil Procedure Code

It is hereby notified that the following applications have been made for the proof of will/probate/grant of letter of administration / issue of certificates of heirship, in respect of the estates of the deceased persons described in the Schedule hereto.

Any person having objections to the making of an Order declaring a will proved or the grant of probate or letters of administration with or without a will annexed or the issue of certificates of heirship to the persons named in the petitions, shall make such objections in writing supported by affidavit and filed on or before the dates fixed by the respective District Courts specified below:

SCHEDULE

District Court of Pelmadulla
Last date for filing of objections 20th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
6358/T	Nandana Priyalal Pelapagama Rakwana Road, Pelmadulla.	No	Bambarande Guruge Lasantha Jayalath No. 177/5, Rakwana Road, Pelmadulla.

Date : 17.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Pelmadulla

District Court of Theldeniya
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of October 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 7/2020	Mahapellige Premadasa, No. 545, Balagolla, Kengalla.	Yes	Mahapellige Nishantha Kumara Jayamanna, No. 629, Balagolla, Kengalla.

Date : 10.07.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Theldeniya

District Court of Tissamaharama
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of September 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T-61	Athukorala Arachchige Asanga Niroshan No. 94/6, D.D. Senanayake Mawatha, Kasingama, Tissamaharama.	No	Malimbada Pathirane Tennakoon No. 86/2, D.D. Senanayake Mawatha, Kasingama, Tissamaharama.

Date : 18.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Tissamaharama

District Court of Kandy
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS00033/20	Herath Mudiyansele Nandasena, No. 59, Mahaweli Housing Complex, Pellekele.	No	Sandiya Chithra Kumari Padmadari Srisena Dampegama nee Nandasena No. 14, Sri Bodhiraja Mawatha, Buwelikada, Kandy.

Date : 27.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Attagalla
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
235/T	Karannagoda Kankanamalage Sislila Wijayasundara No. 163/2/A, Aliwalapalla, Walgammulla.	No	Withana Pathirannehelage Deepika Shamali Pathirana, No. 163/2/A, Aliwalapalla, Walgammulla.

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Attagalla

District Court of Chilaw
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
166/T	Herath Mudiyansele Gamin Jayasiri Herath "Eagle", Galmuruwa, Madampe.	No	Herath Mudiyansele Saminda Shanaka Bandara Herath "Eagle", Galmuruwa, Madampe.
165/T	Thennakoon Mudiyansele Herath Banda	Yes	Thennakoon Mudiyansele Kithsiri No. 37/A, Sandagala, Uhumeeya.

Date : 10.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Chilaw

District Court of Kandy
Last date for filing of objections 30th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS 0034/20	Ehalapa Gamage Upul Samantha Gamage No.22, Kandy Road, Galaha.	No	Rajapaksha Gedara Wimal Udeni Deepa Priyanthi No. 42, Ihala Gonagama, Makkanigama.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kegalle
Last date for filing of objections 29th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
265/T	Herath Mudiyansele Kusum Kumudulatha Herath No. 3/8A, Pirwatta Road, Dehiwela.	No	Chamika Niranjan Gunatilleke 3/8A, Pirwatta Road, Dehiwela.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kegalle

District Court of Kuliyaipitiya
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
784/T	Tikiri Bandara Chandrakumara Edirisinghe of No. 219, Ganangamuwa, Nakkawatta.	Not	Udulanthi Wickramasinghe Rajakaruna Mudiyansele Weerakoon of No. 219, Ganangamuwa, Nakkawatta.

Date : 14.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kuliyaipitiya

District Court of Kalutara
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T349	Meepe Arachchige Manoj Kumara No. 27, Akse Park, Nagoda Kalutara.	No	Pitumpe Acharige Dona Dewika Jayarini Pitumpe No. 27, Akse Park, Nagoda, Kalutara.

Date : 04.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kalutara

District Court of Point Pedro
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
Point Pedro District Court Testamentary Case No. T/1313/20	Balachandran Shanthi (Viyaparimoolai, Point Pedro)	No	Thavathurainathan Sivakaran. Sivakaran Barathy (Viyaparimoolai, Point Pedro)
Point Pedro District Court Testamentary Case No. T/1314/20	Sinnathamby Balachandran (Viyaparimoolai, Point Pedro)	No	Thavathurainathan Sivakaran. Sivakaran Barathy (Viyaparimoolai, Point Pedro)

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Point Pedro

District Court of Theldeniya
Last date for filing of objections 20th day of October 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 04/2020	Kankaname Wimala Biyestris Perera, No. 537, Rejawella, Aluthwaththa.	Yes	Wedikara Arachchige Upali Srachchandra, No. 537, Rejawella, Aluthwaththa.

Date : 29.07.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Theldeniya

District Court of Warakapola
Last date for filing of objections 22nd day of October 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
12/T	Weerasooriya Arachchilage Kithsiri Weerasooriya, "Hitinawatta", Ihalgama, Algama.	Yes	Weerathanthi Gurunnselage Airin Srimathi Ranjani Weerasooriya "Hitinawatta", Ihalgama, Algama.

Date : 12.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Warakapola

District Court of Horana
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1982/T	Kaludura Lowrance De Silva, No. 15/7, Ariyavilasa Road, Horana.	No	Methes Kankaname Namani Jayasekara, No. 15/7, Ariyavilasa Road, Horana.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Horana

District Court of Batticaloa
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1348/2020	Ahamathu Muhaitheen Muhamathu Ismail Bahari, No. 104, Arabukkallori Veethi, Kattankudy - 04	No	Seiyathamathu Rajeeena, No. 104, Arabukkallori Veethi, Kattankudy - 04.

Date : 03.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Batticaloa

District Court of Chavakachcheri
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
District Court of Chavakachcheri T/20/2020	Jeyarani Sabarathinam	Yes	Vodjan Alakarathinam Yokarathinam Oruthithanai Lane, Thumbalai, Point Pedro.
Testamentary/ 21/2020 of the District Court of Chavakachcheri	Rasaratnam Balakrishnan of Chavakachcheri North, Meesalai.	No	Rasaratnam Rajendram of Chavakachcheri North, Meesalai.

Date : 09.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Chavakachcheri

District Court of Kaduwela
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
671/T	Kevin Gerard George De Silva No. 927/18, Udawatta Road, Malabe.	No	Sonali Anagi De Silva No. 927/18, Udawatta Road, Malabe.
668/T	Wedumbuli Arachchige David Perera No. 444/E, Dutugemunu Mawatha, Thalagama South.	Yes	1. Wewelwala Hewage Imlai Renuka Kumari, No. 444/E, Dutugemunu Mawatha, Thalagama South. 2. Wewelwala Hewage Kamalawathi No. 444/E, Dutugemunu Mawatha, Thalagama South.

Date : 09.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kaduwela

District Court of Kandy
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS/0042/19	Mahabage Paranagamalalage Padma Sandaseeli No. 22, Kalugala Road, Katugastota.	No	Wellana Vithanage Premasiri No. 22, Kalugala Road, Katugastota.

Date : 03.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kandy

District Court of Kuliyaipitiya
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
781/T	Herath Mudiyansele Vimala Dharma Herath of No. 8, Subarathi Mawatha, Kuliyaipitiya.	No	Herath Mudiyansele Nelushan Sachintha Herath of No. 8, Subarathi Mawatha, Kuliyaipitiya.

Date : 11.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kuliyaipitiya

District Court of Negombo
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1324/20	Jayamanna Mohottige Dora Bernadeth Kasuma No. 908/2, Wijaya Rd., Mabola, Wattala.	Died Without a Last Will	Pitiye Gedara Krishani Melka Wijerathne No. 2A, Wijaya Rd., Mabola, Wattala.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Moratuwa
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
780/2020/T	Iduruwage Lora Nona alias Lora Nona of No. 56, Korallawella, Moratuwa.	Yes	Mohomed Nirmala alias Nirmala of No. 56, Korallawella, Moratuwa.

Date : 17.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Moratuwa

District Court of Marawila
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
329/T	Hondanaidalage Thushara Dilhani Fernando Pahala Watta, Lunuwila.	Not left a Will	Oberriyage Sheran Kalinga Fonseka Pahala Watta, Lunuwila.
326/T	Warnakulasooriya Ponnakuttige Christipine Patrick Fernando No. 23, Bolawatta Road, Dankotuwa.	Dies without a last Will	Nissanka Anna Chandani Mendis No. 23, Bolawatta Road, Dankotuwa.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Marawila

District Court of Matara
Last date for filing of objections 18th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
TS 496	Chamli Yapa Abeywardana No. 9/3, 2nd Cross Lane, Walpola, Matara.	No	Hettigamage Pradeeps Chandani No. 9/3, 2nd Cross Lane, Walpola, Matara.
TS 492	Liyanaage Premasiri Borluketiya Junction, Malana, Kamburupitiya.	No	Sandya Kumudunee Hewa Siribaddana, Borluketiya Junction, Malana, Kamburupitiya.
TS 494	Weerawarna Nilawera Ranapatabendige Wasantha Bandula, "Kasun", Mapalana, Kamburupitiya.	No	Damitha Abenayaka, "Kasun", Mapalana, Kamburupitiya.
TS 499	Kodituwakku Arachchige Gnanawathie Ambagahorathwa, Kadawadduwa, Yatiyana.	No	Hewa Pavulage Shanika Madushani Malapalawatta, Pitawalgoda, Urugamuwa.

Date : 26.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matara

District Court of Gampaha
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1321/T	Uyanage Sushanth Nirmal de Silva, No. 381/50, Madampitiya Road, Colombo 14.	No	Yasantha Prasangi Manodara No. 490, Galapatha, Wadumulla.
T/47/2020	Arambawatta Lekamalage Leelarathna 286/29F, Koskumburawatta, Gonawala.	No	Ranawera Arachchige Sriyalatha 286/29F, Koskumburawatta, Gonawala.
T/51/2020	Moragoda Liyanage Hemananda Pinto River Road, Sankapala, Kolambage Ara.	No	Moragoda Liyanage Hemananda Pinto River Road, Sankapala, Kolambage Ara.
11/2020/T	Hema Malkanthi Wijayasekara No. 42/4, Green Park, Balummahara, Mudungoda.	No	Ranjith Wijayasekara No. 42/4, Green Park, Balummahara, Mudungoda.

Date : 27.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Gampaha

District Court of Negombo
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1306/20	Sembakutti Arachchige Ranjith Kanuyut Tissa Silva Makandana, German Hithamurugama, Makandana.	Died without a Last Will	Sembakutti Arachchige Filicks Nihal Silva Rathnawali, Pamanugama, Ja-Ela.
T/1366/20	Jayamanna Mohottige Dona Claris Andra Saparamadu "Sayonara", Ibulgaswadiyawaththa, Demanhandiya.	Died without a Last Will	Samarasinghe Arachchige Milroy Antony Perera "Sayonara", Ibulgaswadiyawaththa, Demanhandiya.
1334/T	Thirimadura Ananda Mendis alias Thirimadura Ananda Mandis No. 65/3, Gama Meda Road, Ja-Ela.	No	Thirimadura Kanthi Mandis No. 519/C, Atigala Road, Meegoda.
1358/T	Wasalathantrige Don Joseph Hamilus Lakshman Seneviratne No. 40, "Lilamani", Hendala, Wattala.	Yes	Wasalathantrige Don Joseph Hashane Lalindra Seneviratne 198/4, St. Mary's Road, Uswetakeyawa.
1256/T	Obadawattage Leena Virginia Fernando	No	Mahamalage Fatima Bernadeth
1354/20T	Salpadonuge Mary Matilda Fernando No. 18/1, Colombo Road, Kurana, Katunayake.	Died without a last will	Arachchige Mervin Jacob Fernando No. 18/1, Colombo Road, Kurana, Katunayake.

Date : 02.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Minuwangoda
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
75T	Edirisinghe Arachchige Gaman Niantha Edirisinghe No. 163/2, Ullalapola, Diwulapitiya.	No	Dissanayaka Jayaweera Gaspe Ralalage Manel Pushpakanthi Jayaweera No. 163/3, Ullalapola, Diwulapitiya.
83/T	Mahatherage Patrick Peiris alias Mahathege Patrick Peiris No. 208, Burullapitiya, Minuwangoda.	Yes	Mahathege Indika Prabath Peiris No. 208, Burullapitiya, Minuwangoda.

Date : 11.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Minuwangoda

No. 84
FORM OF NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE PROBATE OFFICER
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District Court of Colombo
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

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District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS/22/20	Gnani Segu Abdul Cader Mohamed Sani Abdul Razick alias G.S.M. Abdul Raseek alias Gnyar Segubdul Cader Mohamedseeni Abdul Razick No. 410/21, Baudhaloka Mawatha, Colombo 07.	No	Mohamed Faizal Razik alias Mohamed Faizal No. 410/21/A, Baudhaloka Mawatha, Colombo 07.
DTS 27/20	Kuruppiya Solaimalai alias; Karuppiya Solametei, Death certificate alias Karuppiya Solamalai, No. 77, 7th Lane, Kotahena, Colombo 13.	No	Kavida Solaimalai No. 77, 7th Lane, Kotahena, Colombo 13.
DTS 37/20	Dr. Malwattage Josephine Perera Saroja nee Peiris, No. 199/42A, Obeysekera Crescent, Rajagiriya Road, Rajagiriya, Colombo 04.	Yes	Makavita Appuhamilage Jude Lakshmi Perera Wijayawardhana No. 10/3, Christuraja Road, Hendala.
DTS00084/19	Sudasinghe Appuhamilage Sagarika Chithrangane Manchanayake, No. 103/09, Dutugemunu Street, Colombo 06.	No	Dr. Wasantha Kumara Hettiarachchi No. 103/09, Dutugemunu Street, Colombo 06.
DTS 87/20	Agampodi Jayasiri De Silva No. 266/2, Rathanjothi Mawatha, Kuda Waskaduwa, Waskaduwa.	No	Peduru Arachchige Krishani Dilpa Jeevanthi No. 266/2, Rathanjothi Mawatha, Kuda Waskaduwa, Waskaduwa.
DTS 00093/2020	Bulathsinghala Arachchige Gamin No. 03, Sri Kalyani Gangarama Mawatha, Mattakkuliyta, Colombo 15	No	Walimuni Devage Premawathi No. 03, Sri Kalyani Gangarama Mawatha, Mattakkuliyta, Colombo 15.
DTS 100/2020	Hapugoda Rankothgedara Nandasena No. 45, Uswatta Mawatha, Etulkotte, Kotte.	No	Hiriyalagammana Ranathunga Udawategedara Nalani Kularatne, No. 45, Uswatta Mawatha, Etulkotte, Kotte.
DTS 101/20	Hadigalage Bandusena No. 15, 24th Lane, Kollupitiya, Colombo 03.	No	Ratmalanage Saliya Gunasekera, No. 15, 24th Lane, Kollupitiya, Colombo 03.
DTS 102/2020	Lansakara Jayasundara Mudiyansele Jaliya Mahinda Wanninayake No. 314/24, Himbutana Road, Mulleriyawa New Town.	No	Damayanthi Sirima Kumari Tennakoon No. 314/24, Himbutana Road, Mulleriyawa New Town.
DTS 111/20	Barjor Dosabhai Daboo of Queens Chambers 6th Floor, Terrace Flat, 89, Queens Road, Mumbai 400020 India	No	Aspi Barjor Deboo of Queens Chambers, 6th Floor, 89, M. Karve Road, Mumbai 400020 India and also of No. 181, Negombo Road, Peliyagoda.
DTS 114/20	Meddage Leslie Hubert Perera No. 658/57, Mahavila Gardens Dr. Danister De Silva Mawatha, Colombo 09.	No	Indumathie Perera nee Neelamegam No. 658/57, Mahavila Gardens, Dr. Danister De Silva Mawatha, Colombo 09.
DTS 115/20	David Wyn Evans No. 220/2A, Torrington Avenue, Colombo 07.	Yes	John Wilson No. 96/5, Rosmead Place, Colombo 07.
DTS 116/20	Clement Sunimal Wijeyeratne No. 157 A/1, Kynsey Road, Colombo 07.	Yes	Janani Tamaris Claire Wijeyeratne No. 157 A/1, Kynsey Road, Colombo 07.
DTS 117/20	Bevi Eardly Palihawadana No. 140/17, Sri Sunandarama Mawatha, Mahabuthgamuwa, Kotikawatta, Angoda.	No	Susila Sarasawathi Palihawadana (nee Uluvitaya) No. 140/17, Sri Sunandarama Mawatha, Mahabuthgamuwa, Kotikawatta, Angoda.
DTS 121/20	Keerthi Wickramaratne No. 21, Wijerama Mawatha, Colombo 07.	No	Gayani Kapugeekiyana No. 21, Wijerama Mawatha, Colombo 07.
DTS 122/20	Sirima Karunadhara No. 657/2/1, Maradana Road, Colombo 10	Yes	Sunil Ahangangoda alias Sunil Ahangangoda No. 657/2/1, Maradana Road, Colombo 10.
DTS 123/20	Meranjaya Samantha Ratiyala No. 423, Hiburana Road, Mulleriyawa	Not aware	Sekkuge Dilanthi Kokila Dharmaratne, No. 423, Hiburana Road, Mulleriyawa.
DTS 125/20	Galle Mihiduge Rathnapala No. 178/4/A, Negombo Road, Peliyagoda.	No	Hewapongge Rohini No. 178/4/A, Negombo Road, Peliyagoda.
DTS 126/20	Gajaman Pattinige Dickson Silva No. 412, Anagarika Dharmapala Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara.	Yes	Bambarenda Guruge Malini Mallika No. 153/5, Trilium Apartments, Elvitigala Mawatha, Narahenpita.
DTS /127/2020	Mitimannage Ashoka Gamin Silva alias Mitimannage Asoka Gamin Silva alias Mitimannage Ashokaa Gamin Silva alias Mitimannage Asoka Gamin Silva No. 653, Ethul Kotte, Kotte.	Yes	Ioma Ingrine Vonghagt No. 653, Ethul Kotte, Kotte.
DTS 133/20	Prasanna Sujewa Jayawardena late of 1A/F22/U6, Royal Park Apartment Building, No. 115, 22/6, Lake Drive, Rajagiriya, Sri Jayawardanapura, in the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.	No	Priyananki Cabraal of 5A, 36th Lane, off Shadugrove Avenue, Colombo 08, in the said Republic of Sri Lanka.
DTS 134/20	Abbasally Akbarally Late of No. 51, Layards Road, Colombo 05 in the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.	Yes	Tyebally Abbasally Akbarally of No. 16/15, Albert Crescent, Colombo 07.
DTS 00137/2020	Nirmala Ramchandran, No. 04, 37th Lane, Queen's Road, Colombo 03.	Yes	Nadarajah Ramchandran, No. 04, 37th Lane, Queen's Road, Colombo 03.
DTS 138/2020	Sunil Hegoda alias Hegoda Makalandage Dayaogin Sunil 117, Poorawama Road, Kirillapona	No	Nilmini Dias Samarasinghe 117, Poorawama Road, Kirillapona.
DTS 139/20	Seiyad Nisamudeen Ahamad (Seiyad Nisamudeen & Seiyad Nisamudeen Ahamad) No. 153/8/5/3, Alvitigala Mw, Narahenpita, Colombo 05.	No	Thamara Buddhika Medonsa No. 153/8/5/3, Alvitigala Mw, Narahenpita, Colombo 05.
DTS 00144/2020	Mr. Mohamed Hussain Mohamed, No. 17/6/27, Longdon Avenue, Sarana Road, Colombo 07.	No	Mr. Mohamed Hussain Mohamed Safran No. 22/5, Malika Lane, Wellawatta, Colombo 06.
DTS 000149/2020	Mr. Mohamed Faiz Mohamed Cassim, No. 132/130, De Mel Watta, Grandpass, Colombo 14.	No	Fathima Ashifa, No. 132/130, De Mel Watta, Grandpass, Colombo 14.
DTS 154/20	Mallawarachchige Nadija Nishanthi Kumari Samarasekera 74/10, Stanley Place, Peliyana Road, Nugegoda.	Yes	Mallawarachchige Iresha Nilakshi Kumari Samarasekera, 74/10, Stanley Place, Peliyana Road, Nugegoda Presently: 2, Bostan Coat, Narrawarren, Victoria, Australia by her Attorney Swarna Nalini Wanniarachchi.
DTS 00162/19	Padma Sarojee Senanayake nee Elayaperuma of No. 532/12, Sieble Place, Kandy.	Yes	Pamela Kesari Lenaduwa of No. 55, Mayura Place, Wellawatta, Colombo 06.
DTS 169/20	Yahampath Arachchige Piyatissa, No. 49, Byrde Place, Colombo 06.	No	Thushari Niroshini Piyatissa, No. 3A, Boys Place, Isipathana Mawatha, Colombo 05.
DTS 170/29	Michael David No. 425/7, Thimbrigasaya Road, Colombo 05.	Yes	Michaela Elizabeth No. 111/28, Kirula Road, Colombo 05. Presently: No. 130/6, Kirulapona Avenue, Polhengoda, Colombo 05.
DTS 290/19	Mohamed Hassan Mohamed Iqbal No. 115, Mosque Lane, Nawala Road, Rajagiriya	No	Mohamed Ismail Sithy Fareena No. 115, Mosque Lane, Nawala Road, Rajagiriya.

Date : 07.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Colombo

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District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
DTS/292/19	Remy Sri Pathmanathan late of Masters, Cannes, Marina 06210 Mandelieu, France	No	Sharmani Theagarajah (Holder of N.I.C. No. 607153299V) of No. 5, Sukkasthan Gardens, off Ward Place, Colombo 7, in the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka (as the duly appointed Attorney for Louise Sri Pathmanathan.
DTS 293/19	Antonia Sri Pathmanathan late of Boulogne Billancourt, No. 77, 7th Lane, 75016 Paris, France.	No	Sharmani Theagarajah (holder of N.I.C. No. 607153299V) of No. 5, Sukkasthan Gardens, off Ward Place, Colombo 7 in the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka (As the duly appointed Attorney for Louise Sri Pathmanathan.
DTS 322/19	Muthusamy Muthu "Melbourne Heights" No. 24 - 4/6, Melbourne Avenue, Colombo 4.	Yes	Sakuntaladevi Selvaratnam No. 70, 4th Street, Maskeliya.
DTS/0326/2019	Sarala Perera also known as Sarala Devi Kumari Perera of No. 25, Edmonton Road, Colombo 06.	Yes	1. Dewaralage Seranjeew Nanditha Perera No. 15, 1/4, 1st Floor, Kings Court, Havelock Road, Colombo 05. 2. Tharanga Nandani Abeywardene No. 259/7, 2nd Lane, Chandana Gardens, Pamunuwa Road, Maharagama.
DTS 378/19	Marie Bernadette Chandravarnam No. 111, Pickering Road, Kotahena, Colombo 13.	Yes	Alenka Judith Chandraratnam No. 111, Pickering Road, Kotahena, Colombo 13.

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1230/19	Periyapperuma Arachchige Don Sumanawera No. 407, Piliyandala Road, Maharagama.	No	Hapuarachchige Madhurani Chandrawathie alias Hapuarachchige Madhurani Chandrawathie Perera No. 407, Piliyandala Road, Maharagama.
T/1236/20	Muthantrige Mervin Wijesiri Cooray No. 106C, Watarappola Road, Mount Lavinia.	No	Muthantrige Premaseeli Cooray, 26/1, Mayura Road, Bellanvila, Borealegamuwa.
T/1243/20	Bamunu Arachchige Asangarthna Ariyathilake (Bamunu Arachchige Asangarthna Ariyathilake) No. 12, Batadombagahawatta Lane, Maharagama.	Yes	Bamunu Arachchige Lalith Ariyathilake (Bamunu Arachchige Lalith Ariyathilake) No. 12, Batadombagahawatta Lane, Maharagama.
T/1253/20	Bastian Korallalage Ananda Gunasiri Rodrigo alias Basthyan Korallalage Ananda Gunasiri Rodrigo	No	Bastian Korallalage Ridma Rasanajalee Rodrigo No. 314, Thalawathugoda Road, Madiwela, Kotte. Petitioner
T/1276/20	Malika Arachchige Seelawathi of No. 97/21, Gramodaya Mawatha, Wattegedara Road, Maharagama.	No	Matarage Geetha of No. 97/21, Gramodaya Mawatha, Wattegedara Road, Maharagama.
T/1279/20	Kamala Edirisinghe No. 74, 1st Lane, Araliya Uyana, Depanama, Pannipitiya	Yes	Dilini Inoka Gunawardane No. 74, 1st Lane, Araliya Uyana, Depanama, Pannipitiya.
T/1291/2020	Pamunu Withanage Dayawathie De Silva No. 30, Samagi Mawatha, Depanama, Pannipitiya	No	Henda Hewage Thamar De Silva No. 30, Samagi Mawatha, Depanama, Pannipitiya.
T/1296/20	Pahala Divakarage Leela No. 60/17, Dehiwala Road, Maharagama.	No	Aruni Menaka Jayasekera No. 60/17, Dehiwala Road, Pamunuwa, Maharagama.
T/1310/20	Suren Christopher Bernard Perera, 56/39, Jaya Road, Udahamulla, Nugegoda.	No	Thamara Roshel Wijesinghe alias Tamara Roshel Perera, 56/39, Jaya Road, Udahamulla, Nugegoda.

Date : 04.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Nugegoda

District Court of Homagama
Last date for filing of objections 17th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1993/T	Wanni Arachchige Nimal No. 69/2, Nugagahalanda Pedesa Malapalla, Homagama.	Yes	Imiya Mudiyansele Chandralatha alias Chandra Latha Wanni Arachchi No. 69/2, Nugagahalanda Pedesa, Malapalla, Homagama.
19976/T	Thanaweera Arachchige Leelawathie No. 183/01, Pitpana South, Delgahawaththa, Homagama.	No	Vithanage Shantha Dharmasiri No. 268/03, Pitpana South, Abahena, Kiriwaththuduwa.
T/1994/9	Athapaththige Pathmasiri No. 85/2, Pitpana North, Homagama.	No	Rajapaksha Appuhamilage Pushparani Rajapaksha No. 85/2, Pitpana North, Homagama.
19939/T	Matharage Magie Nona No. 155, Pitpana North, Homagama.	No	Samarakon Mudiyansele Nisantha No. 267/2, Katuwana Road, Homagama.
19929/T	Prangige Indrasiri Perera No. 267/3, P.B. Perera Mawatha, Katuwana Road, Homagama.	No	Prangige Darshika Sajeewani Perera No. 267/3A, Katuwana Road, Homagama.

Date : 03.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Homagama

District Court of Matale
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T893/20	Cecil Jeremy Taylor, No. 158, Malwatta Road, Matale.	No	Sirani Astrid Florence Wickramasekera No. 158, Malwatta Road, Matale.
T 892/20	Leelasena Padmasiri Nanayakkara No. 848, Aluviharaya, Matale.	No	Dodame Gamage Thilanthi Samanmali alias Dodame Gamage Nilanthi Samanmali No. 848, Aluviharaya, Matale (Petitioner)
T 890	Azwar Razak wife of Mohamed Mohideen Nabeesha Umma alias Nabeesha Umma alias Mohamed Mohideen Nabeesha Umma, No. 546, Main Street, Matale.	No	Rephual Iad Razak, No. 99/A, Galagedara Road, Katugastota. Daughter

Date : 17.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Matale

District Court of Minuwangoda
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

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District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
79T	Walakul Pedige Swarnalatha alias Walakul Pedige Swarnalatha No. 301/D, Araliyalanda Asala, Assannawatta, Divulapitiya.	Yes	Walakul Pedige Indrani Leelarathne, No. 301/D, Araliyalanda Asala, Assannawatta, Divulapitiya.

Date : 12.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Minuwangoda

District Court of Kurunegala
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
7860/T	Abdul Rasak Mohamed Fuard No. 504, Kandy Road, Theiyagonna, Kurunegala.	-	Mohamed Fuard Mohamed Rifard No. 518, Kongaswala, Abanpola.

Date : 11.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kurunegala

District Court of Kurunegala
Last date for filing of objections 24th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
7365/T	Balapurawaduge Achala Sampath Mendis, No. 92, Galawala Road, Kurunegala.	Yes	Ranasinghe Arachchige Anusha Sewwandi Ranasinghe alias Anusha Sewwandi Ranasinghe, No. 92, Galawala Road, Negombo Road, Kurunegala.

Date : 31.08.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Kurunegala

District Court of Marawila
Last date for filing of objections 26th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
330/T	Madurawala Gamage Don Pradeep Sunanda Madurawala No. 251/A, Morukkuliya, Dankotuwa.	No	Weerasinghe Nishshanka Arachchige Dona Mareena Subhashini Weerasinghe

Date : 10.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Marawila

District Court of Negombo
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of November 2020

SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
1357/T	Attygallage Apollonius Joseph Claudius Dassanayake Bernice Rita Dassanayake No. 68, Mill House, Church Road, Kandana.	Yes	Dr. Sidney Llewelyn Jayasuriya alias Sidney Llewelyn Gamin Jayasuriya, No. 68, Mill House, Church Road, Kandana.
1255/T	Mahamalage John Leslie Gratton Fernando alias Mahamalage Juwan Leslie Gratian Fernando	No	Mahamalage Fatima Bernadeth

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Attanagalla
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

SCHEDULE			
Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
228/T	Kankanam Gamage Damith Udangala Lankanath, No. 25/A, Kaleliya, Hirirawa.	No	Lindara Pathirannahalage Sirithunga Hubutiyawa, Nittambuwa, No. 4/250

Date : 15.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Attanagalla

District Court of Avissawella
Last date for filing of objections 18th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T/1444/20	Hettiarachchige Saman Priyantha Hettiarachchi, No. 177/2, Milligahana, Diddeniya South, Hanwella.	No	Dulmini Pradeepa Hettiarachchi, No. 177/2, Milligahana, Diddeniya South, Hanwella.

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Avissawella

District Court of Negombo
Last date for filing of objections 30th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
TS/1363/20	Isurunada Muttale Jayathilake No. 284/2D, 01st Lane, Daluwakotuwa, Kochchikade.	No	Muhanthirame Ranjani Champika Gomes No. 284/2D, 01st Lane, Daluwakotuwa, Kochchikade.

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Negombo

District Court of Panadura
Last date for filing of objections 23rd day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
829/T	Ajith Samarakon No. 19, Sirmal Uyana, Udahamulla, Panadura.	No	Norbort Gerrard Sunil Samarakon No. 284 C, Pirivena Lane, Makavita, Ja-Ela.

Date : 10.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Panadura

District Court of Panadura
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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
831/T	Mohammed Ismail Mohammed Zahir No. 122, Ambalanduwa, Panadura.	No	Neina Mohammed Fathima Bibi No. 122, Ambalanduwa, Panadura.

Date : 10.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Panadura

District Court of Horana
Last date for filing of objections 27th day of November 2020

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2641/T	Kalubovilage Hemachandra Gunathilaka No. 487, Munagama, Horana	No	Kalubovilage Don Nihal Gunathilaka No. 495/2, Munagama, Horana.

Date : 08.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Horana

District Court of Galle
Last date for filing of objections 25th day of November 2020

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Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
District Court Registration No.	Name and Address of Deceased	Whether Deceased left Will	Name and Address of Applicant
T 609/ Testamentary	Kahanda Kanathage Sisira Kumara of 198/C, Udukkumburwatta, Kitulampitiya, Uluwitke, Galle.	No	Kahanda Kanathage Supun Madusanka of 198/C, Udukkumburwatta, Kitulampitiya, Uluwitke, Galle.

Date : 10.09.2020 Signed Probate Officer - District Court of Galle

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Name of Work	Bid Security	Non-Refundable Bid Application Form Fee
Printing of the undermentioned book of National Green House of Department of National Botanical Gardens ● Botanical Illustrations - Vol ii	Rs. 25,000.00	Rs. 2,000.00

Size	336 mm x 223 mm
Extent	Pages : 320 Pages (i). Text : 81 Pages (ii). Illustrations : 239 Pages (iii). Cover : 4 Pages
Paper	(i). Paper : 170 gsm Mat Art Paper (ii). Cover : 3 mm Chip Board pasted material - Imitline material (125 gsm) (iii). End paper : 150 gsm wood free paper (iv). Dust Jacket : 150 gsm Mat Art Paper with Mat lamination
Printing	(i). Inner Text : 81 pages one colour (ii). Illustrations : 239 pages four colours (iii). Cover front : With Gold Foiling (iv). Cover Spine : With Gold Foiling (v). Dust Cover : Four Colours
Finishing	Section Sewing hard cover bound
Origination	Complete Art Work to be done by printer including editing and enhancing image quality, designing cover pages
Additional Pages	<u>Illustrations</u> Price for any additional 04 pages slots Price for any less 04 pages slots <u>Text</u> Price for any additional 04 pages slots Price for any less 04 pages slots
Total Price including VAT	250 Copies 500 Copies

02. Invitation for Bids will be conducted according to National Competitive Bidding procedure.

03. Interested Bidders could obtain Bid Forms from **24.09.2020 to 15.10.2020** during Office days from **9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.** from the Accounts Division of the Head Office of Department of National Botanical Gardens, Peradeniya upon payment of a non-refundable Bid Application Fee of Rs. 2000.00 per each form. It is compulsory to forward a letter of request to obtain Bid Forms.

04. The Bid Security mentioned above should be obtained from a Government approved commercial bank and submitted or should be paid in cash to the Department of National Botanical Gardens, Peradeniya. Bids not accompanied with Bid Security will be rejected.

05. Perfected Bids in duplicate duly sealed (marked as 'original' and 'duplicate' should either be sent to reach the 'Chairman, Department Procurement (Major) Committee, Department of National Botanical Gardens, P.O. Box 14, Peradeniya' by registered post or deposited in the Tender Box of the Procurement (Major) Committee kept at the Chief Accountant's Room for the said purpose before **10.30 a.m. on 16.10.2020**. Bids received late will be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after the closing of Bids and Bidders or their authorized representatives with a letter of authority could be present at the time.

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Chairman
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Size	A 4 : 8.27"x11.69"
Extent	Pages : 275 (i). Text : 250 Pages (ii). With color Images : 25 Pages (iii). Cover : 4 Pages
Paper	(i). Paper : 120 gsm Mat Art Paper FSC Certified paper (ii). Cover : 150 gsm Mat Art Paper, colour pasted in 2.5 mm Grey Board (iii). End paper : 150 gsm wood free paper
Printing	(i). Inner Text : 250 pages one colour (ii). Images : 25 pages four colours (iii). Cover front : Four colours
Finishing	Section Sewing, cover mat lamination hard cover bound
Ink	VOC free, non-toxic vegetable oil-based environmental-friendly ink
Origination	Complete Art Work to be done by printer including editing and enhancing image quality, cover design
DVD of the book	A copy of the book write in DVD-R included with a picture of the cover page on DVD
DVD Insertion	Hard Paper Pocket to place DVD (inside of back page)
Additional Pages	<u>Four Colour Pages</u> Price for any additional 04 pages slots Price for any less 4 pages slots <u>One Colour Pages</u> Price for any additional 04 pages slots Price for any less 04 pages slots
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NOTICE UNDER THE LAND REGISTERS RECONSTRUCTED FOLIO ORDINANCE (CAP. 120)

- I hereby give notice under Section 04 of the Land Registers Reconstructed Folio Ordinance (Cap. 120) that Land Register Folios, particulars of which appear in Column 1 of the schedule hereto, affecting the lands described in Column 2, thereof which have been found to be missing or torn, have been reconstructed in full in provisional folios and relate to the connected deeds, particulars of which are shown in Column 3 of the said schedule.
- The Provisional folio will be opened for inspection by any person or persons interested therein at the office of the Registrar of Lands, Delkanda 09.10.2020 to 23.10.2020 between the hours of 10.00 a.m. and 3.00 p.m. on all working days.
- Any person desirous of lodging any objection against any entry included in a provisional folio or against any of the particulars contained in any such entry and any person desiring to make a claim for the insertion of any entry or of any particulars alleged to have been improperly omitted from any entry must do so, by an objection or claim in writing addressed to the undersigned which must be sent under Registered Cover and must reach the office of the Registrar General not later than 30.10.2020. The matter in respect of which the objection or claim is made must be clearly and fully set out in the objection or claim, and the objection or claim must be accompanied by all documentary evidence relied upon the support of it.

SCHEDULE

Particulars of damaged Folios of the Land Registers	Particulars of Land	Particulars of Deeds Registered
Folio No. 06 of Volume 797 of Division M of the Land Registry Delkanda in Colombo District.	All that allotment of land in lot No. 09 in Plan No. 1258 dated 08.12.1957 made by C.W. de Mel Licensed Surveyor of the land called 'Palwatta' situated at Nampamunua in the Palle Pattu Salpiti Korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province and bounded on the, North by : Lot 08 East by : Field South by : Land of W. Edwin and Others West by : Land of M. William Fernando and others Extent : A:00 R:01 P: 18.33	01. Deed of Transfer No. 6880 written and attested by P.D. Rathnasekara, Notary Public on 01.08.1965. 02. Deed of Transfer No 2013 written and attested by S.A.J. Harischandra, Notary Public on 23.07.1996. 03. Deed of Transfer No. 05 written and attested by S.J. Harischandra, Notary Public on 19.03.1998.

Registrar General's Department
No. 234/A3,
Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha,
Battaramulla.

N.C. Vithanage
Registrar General

JA-ELA URBAN COUNCIL**PROCUREMENT NOTICE**

Bids are invited by me for the lease of the properties within the area of authority of Ja-ela Urban Council mentioned in the following schedule for the period from 01.01.2021 to 31.12.2021.

SCHEDULE - 01

Lease of right to sell meat	Kind of meat of be sold	Annual tender amount (Rs.)	Tender deposit (Rs.)	Tender form fee (Rs.)
Public Market No. 40	Pork	793,320.00	6,000.00	300.00
Public Market No. 39	Beef	1,573,110.00	6,000.00	300.00

SCHEDULE - 02

Description of the lease	Annual tender amount (Rs.)	Tender Deposit (Rs.)	Tender form fee (Rs.)
Lease of right of levying fees at the Bicycle Stand, Public Market	193,725.84	1,000.00	300.00
Lease of right of Public Market Toilet system	454,212.00	2,000.00	300.00

Issuing of tender forms - From 23.09.2020 up to 2.00 p.m. on 14.10.2020 (at the office of Ja-ela Urban Council)

Receiving of tenders - Up to 11.00 a.m. on 15.10.2020

Opening of tenders - At 11.30 a.m. on 15.10.2020 (at the office of Ja-ela Urban Council)

- Cheques will not be accepted for payments.
- Applicants should confirm their identity when obtaining tender forms.
- Tenderers or one of their authorized representatives could participate at the time of opening of tenders.
- Tenders should either be sent to reach the "Chairman, Urban Council, Ja-ela" or deposited in the tender box kept at the office before the scheduled time.
- The name of the lease should be clearly indicated on the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing tenders.
- Further details could be obtained during working days of the week from the office of the Urban Council, Ja-ela through telephone No. 011-2236822.
- Urban Council, Ja-ela reserves the right over the final decision of the above tender.

M. Shammika Viranga Dias
Chairman,
Urban Council, Ja-ela

Office of the Urban Council, Ja-ela
17.09.2020

**SRI LANKA PORTS AUTHORITY****REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR THE YEAR 2021**

Applications are hereby invited from recognized Manufacturers, Distributors, Companies, Corporations and Co-operative Societies who wish to register themselves with the Sri Lanka Ports Authority for the supply of goods in undermentioned categories for the Year 2021.

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| 1 Batteries, lead, acid & other types | 14 Grit blasting materials & foundry sand |
| 2 Bearings for Machinery and equipment | 15 Hoses (Hydraulic, Pneumatic fire, etc.) |
| 3 Building materials (Bricks, all types of tiles, cement blocks, sand & lime etc., PVC pipe, fittings and other PVC products, roofing & ceiling sheets) | 16 Lubricants |
| 4 Chemicals, industrial chemicals, carbolic & laundry soap, detergents and disinfectants - pesticides, weed killer, etc. | 17 Manila, polypropylene and nylon ropes |
| 5 Clothing materials and uniforms | 18 Mobile Phone |
| 6 Computers, computer spares, toner, fax machines, photocopy, printers and software packages | 19 Office stationery (including computer stationery), printed stationery |
| 7 Electrical appliances (all household electrical items) video & audio equipment & air-conditioners, refrigerators and spares | 20 Paints - enamel & emulsion, polishes, sealing compounds, spray paints, filler pastes & thinner for spray painting paints - marine quality & thinner for such paints |
| 8 Electrical cables, and telecommunication cable | 21 Porcelain item, Sanitaryware |
| 9 Electrical control system accessories, electrical fittings and accessories | 22 Road paving materials (metal, asphalt & asphalt concrete) cement and other cement accessories |
| 10 Electronic equipment including telecommunication equipment & accessories for VHF | 23 Rubber & vulcanized products |
| 11 Engineering tools & equipment, machines, pumps including power tools, gas and kitchen equipment, welding equipment, accessories & consumables | 24 Safety item equipment & fire fighting equipment, diving equipment and other accessories |
| 12 Footware - canvas and leather shoes, boots, safety shoes etc. | 25 Spare parts for all vehicles, radiator & radiator core |
| 13 General hardware including bolts & nuts, brass fittings, pipes & fittings, metal plates, rods & profiles, wire mesh, brooms, coir ropes and other coir products, brushes (wire brushes and all types of paint brushes) glass sheet, fiber glass materials (GRP materials) & products, Plywood board and MDF boards etc, valves | 26 Spare parts for all types of cranes & earth moving equipment fork lifts, top lifts, prime movers, yard tractors etc & spare parts for marine equipment |
| | 27 Steel and wooden furniture and all other domestic furniture |
| | 28 Timber |
| | 29 Tyres & tubes |
| | 30 Wire ropes |
| | 31 Western and Ayurvedic medical equipment |
| | 32 Printing of photography (including design/editing), Laminating, Ply mounting, Framing (Wooden), Albuming, Flex Printing, News Paper Printing, Media (Artworks / Banners / Stalls Plaques) |

CONDITIONS

- If the intended Supplier is a limited liability company, a copy of the certificate of Incorporation and if otherwise a copy of certificate of Registration should be attached to the application.
- Separate applications for Registration should be forwarded for Category Nos. 1 to 32 mentioned above. Applicants should clearly indicate in their applications the relevant Category Nos. for which the Registration is sought. Application forms for Registration could be obtained between 9.00 a.m. and 03.00 p.m. on any working day up to 30.11.2020 from the Office of the **Chief Manager (Supplies and Material Management), Supplies & Material Management Division, Sri Lanka Ports Authority, No 45, Leyden Bastian Road, Colombo 01** on payment of Rs. 1000/= + VAT for each category for which the Registration is sought. (Request Letter).
- Quotations for the supply of goods will normally be called from the list of registered Suppliers. However the Sri Lanka Ports Authority reserves the right to obtain quotations and make purchases from non-registered Suppliers as well.
- Names of registered Suppliers who fail to quote or forward samples promptly when requested or fail to make deliveries within the specified time as per the purchase orders or who supply substandard materials are liable to be struck off from the list of registered Suppliers of the Sri Lanka Ports Authority.
- All applications should be forwarded under Registered Cover and addressed to the Chief Manager (Supplies and Material Management), Supplies and Material Management Division, Sri Lanka Ports Authority, No. 45, Layden Bastian Road, Colombo 01 to reach him on or before 30.11.2020 with the words "**REGISTRATION OF LOCAL SUPPLIERS FOR 2021**" written at the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Late Applications, without required supporting documents will not be entertained. Applications could also be personally handed over at the Chief Manager (S&MM)'s Office.
- Further information could be obtained by contacting the undersigned on **Tel. Nos. 2323102, 2432866, 2328342, 2320250, 2482761.**

**Chief Manager (Supplies and Material Management)
Supplies Division
Sri Lanka Ports Authority
No. 45, Layden Bastian Road,
Colombo 01.**

BANK OF CEYLON**SELECTION OF DEBT COLLECTION SERVICE AGENCIES FOR BANK OF CEYLON****BID NO. : P/PROC/2020/81**

The Bank of Ceylon intends to invite proposal from qualified firms to provide Debt Collection Services in Local & Overseas. The Bank will select registered debt collection firms from who have;

- (i) experience in the field of Debt Collection in any institution in Sri Lanka during last two (02) consecutive years.
- (ii) annual debt collection over Rs.20 Million for last two (02) years. (2018, 2019)
- (iii) who are agreeable to the rates quoted by the Bank.

Bid documents and relevant specifications could be obtained from the Chief Manager, Properties & Procurement Department, 14th Floor, Bank of Ceylon Head Office, "BOC Square" No.1, Bank of Ceylon Mawatha, Colombo 01, after making payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs.3,780.00 (Rs.3,500.00 + VAT).

Perfected Bid documents should be accompanied by a Bank Guarantee/Bid Security for a sum of Rs. 200,000.00 from an acceptable commercial bank, (other than the Bank of Ceylon) valid from 14.10.2020 to 09.02.2021. Cash Deposits are also acceptable in lieu of Bid Security. Personal Cheques drawn by the Bidder will not be accepted.

Last date & time for issuing Bidding documents : 1400 hrs on 13.10.2020

Time duration for issue of Bidding documents : From 0900 hrs to 1400 hrs

Closing date & time of bids : 1000 hrs on 14.10.2020

Opening date & time of bids : 1000 hrs on 14.10.2020

The Bank of Ceylon reserves the right of rejecting any or all Bids and the right of accepting any portion of the Bid without adducing any reason.

**The Chief Manager,
Properties and Procurement Department,
14th Floor, Bank of Ceylon,
"BOC Square", No. 01, Bank of Ceylon Mawatha,
Colombo 1.
Tel : 0112 434786, 0112 544310 Fax: 011-2449629
Email: procurement1@boc.lk**

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Part I (Tender Notice)

**Ministry of Urban Development & Housing
Urban Development Authority**

Calling of Tenders for allocations the Building at No. 218/1, Kaduwela Road, Battaramulla, for business purposes for a period of 10 (Ten) years on monthly Rental Basis

1. Sealed quotations will be entertained by the Chairman, Revenue Tender Board (Minor) of the Urban Development Authority (UDA), for allocating on Monthly Rental Basis, for business purposes, the Building at No. 218/1, Kaduwela Road, Battaramulla, belonging to the Urban Development Authority (UDA), for a period of 10 years. Basic details are as given below.

Floor Area (Approximately) (Sq.Ft.)	Base Value (Rs.)	Monthly Rental (Rs.)	Bid Security Bond (Rs.)	Bid Deposit (Rs.)
925.00	2,200,000/=	14,000/=	50,000/=	56,000/= (Four/(04) Months Rental)

2. The Key Money for which Urban Development Authority requires for this commercial building which is the minimum base value is Rs. 2,200,000/= (indicated in the table above), and accordingly, the Bidders/Applicants should have to bid for a higher amount of bid, than that of the Base value. The person, who agrees to the base value will be selected and as the most suitable and eligible Bidder for the award of the Tender. In addition to that, the monthly rental, as given above should also be paid.

3. Interested Applicants may obtain bidding documents on public working days from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. from 23.09.2020 to 21.10.2020, upon payment of a non-refundable Tender Document fee of Rs. 1,000/= (Rs. One Thousand), plus relevant Govt. taxes, paid to the Director (Land Development and Management), Urban Development Authority (UDA), 6th Floor, "Sethsiripaya", Battaramulla. In addition, Tender documents could also be inspected free of charge, during this period at the Land Development and Management Division of the Urban Development Authority (UDA).

4. All the Bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security Bond of Rs. 50,000.00, valid for a period of 120 days, paid to the Finance Division of the Authority (UDA) and the receipt for the payment should be sent attached to the Tenders. Any Tenders will not be entertained by the authority, where the said Bid Security is not attached. After a successful Buyer is selected who is suitable for the award and after he had paid the prescribed amounts due, the security deposits of the other Bidders will be released to them, without any interests paid.

5. Quotations will be closed at 2.00 p.m. on 22nd October, 2020 and will be opened immediately thereafter at the Finance Division, 6th Floor, "Sethsiripaya" Stage I, Battaramulla. Tenderer or his accredited Agent could be present on this occasion. Late Bids and Bids lower than the base value will be rejected.

6. Further details in this regard, could be obtained from the Land Development and Management Division, 6th Floor, Urban Development Authority (UDA), "Sethsiripaya", Battaramulla, (Telephone Nos. 011-2875916-20, Ext : 5216, 5209 Direct : 011-3060673).



**Chairman
Revenue Tender Board (Minor),
Urban Development Authority (UDA),
6th Floor, "Sethsiripaya",
Battaramulla.**

Western Province — Provincial Council

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Engineering Organization

Correction Notice

This is referred to the Tender Notice published in "Daily News" paper on 18.09.2020. Please note the correction to be applied to following tender items, Regarding CIDA registration and specialty.

	Name of Contract	Minimum CIDA Registration and Specialty	
		Previous	Corrected
8.	Rewiring Electrical System at Base Hospital - Wathupitiwala	C6	EM 3
12.	Electrical Wiring to the Sethsewana - Mirigama	C9	EM 5

Any inconvenience caused is regretted.

**Director Buildings' Office,
Engineering Organization (W.P.),
5th Floor,
#204, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha,
Battaramulla.
T.P / Fax: 0112-092510**

**POLGAHAWELA PRADESHIYA
SABHA**

TENDER NOTICE

Tenders will be issued to lease the properties mentioned in the below schedule from 01.01.2021 to 31.12.2021 belonging to Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha.

Relevant tender forms will be issued from the Head Office of Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha only upon payment of relevant fees, from 02.10.2020 to 22.10.2020 until 3.00 p.m. Sealed tender applications will be accepted until 10.00 a.m. on 23.10.2020 and the tenders will be opened at 10.30 a.m. on 23.10.2020.

Further details can be obtained from the head office of Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha from contact Nos. 037-2243274/037-4941999.

SCHEDULE

S/ No.	Property Description	Minimum Bid Rs. Cts.	Non-refundable application fee Rs. Cts.	Refundable bid security Rs. Cts.
1.	Godawela Weekly Fair	2,513,720.00	1,000.00	377,100.00
2.	Pothuhera Weekly Fair	1,634,600.00	1,000.00	245,200.00
3.	Weerambudgedara Weekly Fair	412,500.00	1,000.00	51,600.00
4.	Pothuhera Public Market No. 04 Fish Stall	165,700.00	1,000.00	20,700.00
5.	Wadakada Beef Stall	52,525.00	1,000.00	5,300.00

N.B.

- As the property No. 05 mentioned in the schedule, is a private property only the right to sell beef will be leased.
- The sole right of accepting or rejecting all the tenders is vested upon Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha.

**Livera Gunathilake,
Chairman,
Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha,
Polgahawela.**

At the head office of Polgahawela Pradeshiya Sabha on 21.09.2020

QUOTATIONS FOR SUPPLY OF

COMPLETE FRONT CABIN & RECONDITION GEAR BOX

LPA/07/2020

Sealed quotations are hereby invited for the supply of "Front Cabin & Recondition Gear Box" as specified below.

01. Front Cabin (Complete) - 01 No. (With Chassis Repair)

Specification:
ISUZU — NKR
Right Hand Drive
Brand New Model — 2006
12 V
4 JBI Engine
Non A/C

02. Recondition Gear Box - 01 No.

(Complete Engine)
Specifications:
ISUZU - NMR
4 JBI Engine — Brand New Model
Reward NM

General Conditions:

- Offers with specifications should be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Front Cabin & Recondition Gear Box" on the top left hand corner.
- Offers should be sent to Head of Procurement to reach on or before 07 October 2020 at 2.30 p.m. No separate documents will be issued. Suppliers may use their own formalities.
- Probable date of delivery, Validity of price, Terms of payment, Transport Charges, VAT and other Levies etc. to be clearly indicated on offers.

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**Head of Procurement
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PUBLIC NOTICE

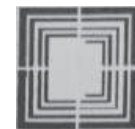
Notice is hereby given to the effect that this company has been incorporated in accordance with Section 9 (1) of the Companies Act No. 07 of 2007.
Name of the Company: **Senaka Agro (Pvt) Ltd**
Registered No: **PV 00227109**
Registered Office Address: **212/12, Nelum Place, Kalapaluwawa, Rajagiriya.**
Date of Incorporation: **08th September 2020**
Secretaries

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Asien United Group of Companies (Pvt) Ltd hereby give the notice to the public on Incorporation under Section 9 (1) of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007.
Name of the Company: **ASIEN UNITED GROUP OF COMPANIES (PVT) LTD**
Registered Office: **No. 72 1/1, 37th Lane, Wellawatta, Colombo 06.**
Registration No: **PV 00226838**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of Section 9(2) of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 that Unity Systems Corporation (Private) Limited changed its name to Unity Corporation (Private) Limited in accordance with the provisions of Section 8 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007.
Former Name of the Company: UNITY SYSTEMS CORPORATION (PRIVATE) LIMITED, The Comnay Name : PV 100138
Registered Office: No. 312, 1st Floor, Unity Plaza, Galle Road, Colombo 04.
New Name of the Company: UNITY CORPORATION (PRIVATE) LIMITED
Name changed on: 10th September 2020
Company Secretaries
15th September 2020



"CALLING APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIPS"

"The Institute of Urban Designers in Sri Lanka" (IUD) wishes to call for its memberships from qualified persons, with academic and/or professional experience in the "Field of Urban Design".

Any interested professional who wishes to obtain the membership of the Institute, can send own prepared C.V. to the email address below to obtain the membership application form.

Email: sluid2020@gmail.com

**The Institute of Urban Designers
No. 320/8, Thalawathugoda Road,
Madiwela, Kotte.**

Registration No. GA 00223144

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

**Provincial Directorate of Health Services
Sabaragamuwa
Supply & Delivery of Intraocular Lenses & Consumables**

Chairman, Procurement Committee, Provincial Director of Health Services, Sabaragamuwa Province on behalf of the Department of Health Services now invites sealed bids from eligible & qualified bidders for supply and delivery of the undermentioned items.

Item No.	Item Name	Quantity	Bid Bond Value (Rs.)
1	Foldable Hydrophobic Intraocular lenses	2000	1% of the bid value
2	Slit knife 2.6 mm single use	2000	
3	Methyl Cellulose for ophthalmic use 2.0 ml - 2.5 ml vials	2000	
4	Eye Drape with pouch	2000	
5	Balance Soutl Solution (BSS) bottles - 500 ml	200	
6	Methylene Blue (Optitech Tissue Blue)	100	
7	Sodium Hyaluronate - 1.8%	300	
8	Sodium Hyaluronate - 3%	200	

The bidder should be an authorized supplier for Intraocular Lenses and/or Consumables to Sri Lanka.

- Bidding will be conducted through the process of National Competitive Bidding.
- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Director, Provincial Directorate of Health Services, No. 75, Dharmapala Mawatha, Ratnapura. (Telephone 045- 222322/045-2223270) on or before 15th October 2020 from 9.00 a.m to 3.00 p.m. on working days at the address given below:
Director,
Provincial Directorate of Health Services,
No. 75, Dharmapala Mawatha,
Ratnapura.
- Qualifications and requirements:
 - Registered company under Companies Act No.07 of 2007.
 - Minimum 03 years of experience before the date of 16th October 2020 in the sales of Intraocular Lenses / Consumables. The bidder as contractor, subcontractor or management contractor in at least one (1) contract within the last three years.
 - Additional details are provided in the bidding document.
- Bid documents will be issued at the office of the Provincial Director of Health Services - Sabaragamuwa at No.75, Dharmapala Mawatha, Ratnapura from 23rd September 2020 to 14th October 2020 on working days from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. and on 15th October 2020 from 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon. A non - refundable Tender Fee of Rs. 5,000.00 will be charged for the issue of one bid document. The mode of payment shall be in cash in favor of the Director, Provincial Directorate of Health Services - Sabaragamuwa.
- A pre bid meeting with the parties who have collected bid documents will be held on 07th October 2020 at 10.00 am at the address above (in item 02)
- Bids in two copies indicating **Original and Duplicate** must be delivered to the address below (in item 08) in or before 10.00 am on 16th October 2020. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened the presence of the bidders or their representatives right after the bid closing. Every bid must be accompanied by a bid security of the amount described in the bidding document.
- The title of bid should be clearly mentioned on the top left-hand corner of the bid submission envelope.
- The address referred to above is : The Chairman, Departmental Procurement Committee, Provincial Directorate of Health Services, No.75, Dharmapala Mawatha, Ratnapura.

**The Chairman,
Departmental Procurement Committee,
Provincial Directorate of Health Services,
No. 75, Dharmapala Mawatha,
Ratnapura.**

23.09.2020
Telephone : 045-222322 / 045-2223270 / Fax: 045-2233830

AMENDMENT FOR THE INVITATION FOR BIDS**MINISTRY OF DEFENCE****CAPITAL OVERHAUL, PROGRAMMED DEPOT MAINTENANCE (PDM), MAJOR OVERHAUL AND SERVICE LIFE EXTENSION OF AIRCRAFT AND HELICOPTERS OF THE SRI LANKA AIR FORCE**

1. This is with reference to the Procurement Notice published in Silumina, Varamanjari and Sunday Observer Newspaper on 12 July 2020, the closing date of the following bids have been amended as follows;

Procurement Identification Number	Description	Date and time of Bid closing / opening	
		Delete	Insert
AHQ/19/FR/M17/1015	Capital Overhaul of SMH-4419 MI-171E Helicopter	23 rd September 2020 at 1400Hrs	23 rd October 2020 at 1400Hrs
AHQ/19/FR/M17/1016	Capital Overhaul of SMH-4429 MI-171E Helicopter	22 nd September 2020 at 1400Hrs	22 nd October 2020 at 1400Hrs
AHQ/18/FR/HRC/1009	Programmed Depot Maintenance (PDM) of SCH-880 C-130 Aircraft	23 rd September 2020 at 1100Hrs	23 rd October 2020 at 1100Hrs
AHQ/17/FR/ANT/1008	Major Overhaul and Service Life Extension of SCM-868 AN-32B Aircraft	22 nd September 2020 at 1100Hrs	22 nd October 2020 at 1100Hrs

2. The period for the site inspection of aircrafts and helicopters is extended till **07th October 2020 between 0900hrs to 1500hrs** on every working day.
3. Last date of issuing of bids will be **21st October 2020**.
4. All other matters in the notice will remain unchanged.
5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Chief Procurement Officer (Tel. 011-2325468) or Procurement Officer Tenders (Tel. 011-2441553 or 011-2441044 Extension 23569 Fax: 011- 2441553 and 011-2347694).

**Air Force Headquarters,
P.O. Box 1592
Colombo 02**

COMMANDER OF THE AIR FORCE

**KURUNEGALA PLANTATIONS LIMITED**

(Ministry of Plantation)

Sale of Timber Trees

Sealed Bids are invited for the sale of following timber trees interfering to the existing Coconut Cultivation belonging to Kurunegala Plantations Limited, Kurunegala, Attanagalla, Dodangaslanda, Katugampola, Narammala & Hiriyala Area Estates.

Area Estate	Timber Species	No. of Trees
Kurunegala Area Estates	Teak	07
Heraliyawala Watta	Mahogany	05
Malkaduwwa	Margosa	07
Kurunegala	Mara	02
		21
Attanagalla Area Estates	Badulla	32
Urapola	Hik	12
	Huri Mara	15
	Gonna	10
	Wal Del	11
	Milla	08
	Others	26
		114

Area Estate	Timber Species	No. of Trees
Dodangaslanda Area Estates	Daminna	43
Dodangaslanda	Halmilla	06
	Other	06
		55
Katugampola Area Estates	Teak	88
Pannala Estate, Pannala	Margosa	24
	Others	13
		125
Narammala Area Estates	Teak	33
Oliyadeniya Estate, Narammala	Tamarind	03
		36
Hiriyala Area Estates	Margosa	12
Rathmale, Wariyapola	Akeshiya	01
		13

Total No. of Trees 364

These Trees have been separated as lots according to the divisions of each Area Estate.

Tender documents with relevant information should be obtained from Head Office of Kurunegala Plantations Limited at below mentioned address or relevant Area Estates' Office on working days between 9.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. by making a non-refundable fee of Rs. 1,000/= per Area Estate

Sealed Bids marked "Sale of Timber Trees" on the left-hand corner of the envelope should be deposited in the Tender Box at the Head Office, No. 80, Dambulla Road, Kurunegala or sent under Registered Cover to the same address on or before 2.00 p.m. on 13.10.2020. Issue of tender documents will be closed at 12.30 p.m. on 13.10.2020.

Bidder will be required to make a refundable deposit of Rs. 50,000/= for Kurunegala Area Estate, Rs. 75,000/= for Attanagalla Area Estate, Rs. 15,000/= for Dodangaslanda Area Estate, Rs. 100,000/= for Katugampola Area Estate, Rs. 50,000 for Narammala Area Estate and Rs. 10,000/= for Hiriyala Area Estate, per bid which should be made by cash, on or before 1.45 p.m. on 13.10.2020.

Tenders will be closed at 2.00 p.m. on 13.10.2020 and opened at 2.30 p.m. on the same day at Kurunegala Plantations Limited, No. 80, Dambulla Road, Kurunegala. No Tenders will be entertained after the closing time. Tenderers or their authorized Representatives will be permitted to be present at the time of opening of Bids.

The Tender Committee reserves the right to offer the total lots or part thereof. Successful Bidder should sign an agreement with Kurunegala Plantations Limited.

Decision of the Tender Committee of Kurunegala Plantations Limited is final.

For further details Contact : Tel. 037-2223133

**Chairman,
Tender Committee, Kurunegala Plantations Limited, No. 80, Dambulla Road, Kurunegala.**

23.09.2020

Tender Notice for the Construction of Buildings

**Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited,
Marawila Road, Nattandiya**

Invitation of Quotations for the Construction of proposed buildings of the Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited

1. Sealed bids are invited by the Chairman, Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited from fully qualified bidders for the construction of the buildings mentioned in the table below.

Bid Code No.	Name of the Proposed Contract	Estimate	Required CIDA Grade (Buildings)	Contract Period (Days)	Bid Security (Rs.)	
					Value	Validity (Days)
001	Proposed Multi Purpose Commercial Building including the Head Office of the Society	115 Million	C 4 or above	365 Days	1,150,000.00	150
002	Construction of the Upper Floor of the Nattandiya Co-op City	11 Million	C 6 or above	180 Days	110,000.00	60
003	Construction of the Upper Floor of the Mahawewa Co-op City	7.6 Million	C 7 or above	180 Days	76,000.00	60

2. Bids will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding Procedure.
3. To be eligible for the award of contract, the successful bidder should not have been blacklisted and should have fulfilled the following requirements.
4. 1. Bid Code No. 001: Qualification requirements for award of contract include following criteria;
- Annual work capacity of the construction works performed within last five (05) years should be not less than 175 million.
 - Net value of liquid assets and / or credit facilities net of any other contractual obligations and exclusive of any advance payments under this contract should be not less than Rs. 30 million
 - Experience in completing at least one contract of similar nature with a value of not less than Rs. 88 million within last 10 years.
 - Proposals for acquiring essential equipment appropriately (taxes, rent etc. of self)
 - Staff : 01 Residential Engineer - B.Sc. Engineer or a person with equivalent qualification with 10 years experience
01 - Technical Officer - NDT or NDES qualification with 05 years experience
- II. Bid Code Nos. 002 and 003: Qualification requirements for award of contract should include the following criteria;
- Experience in completing at least one contract of similar nature with a value of not less than Rs. 09 million within last 03 years for Bid Code No. 002.
 - Experience in completing at least one contract of similar nature with a value of not less than Rs. 5 million within last 03 years for Bid Code No. 003.
01 - Residential Technical Officer - NDT or NDES qualification with 5 years experience.
5. Interested bidders may obtain further information during office hours up to 09.00 a.m. on 13th October 2020 from the Chairman, Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited, Marawila Road, Nattandiya and bid documents may be inspected at the address given below.
6. A complete set of bid documents in English language may be obtained between 9.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. during office hours on working days from 23rd September 2020 until 12th October 2020 and up to 9.00 a.m. on 13th October 2020 on submission of a written application to the Chairman, Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited, Marawila Road, Nattandiya upon payment of a non refundable fee of Rupees Fifteen Thousand (Rs. 15000.00) for Bid Code No. 001 and a non refundable fee of Rupees Five Thousand (Rs. 5000.00) for Bid Code Nos. 002 and 003. Payments should be paid in cash only.
7. Pre-bid meeting for bidders will be held at 10.00 a.m. on 07th October 2020 at the Meeting Hall of the Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited, Marawila Road, Nattandiya.
8. Bids may either be sent by registered post addressed to "Chairman, Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited, Marawila Road, Nattandiya" or deposited in the Tender Box kept in the Head Office of the Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited to receive at or before 10.00 a.m. on 13th October 2020. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after closing of bids in the presence of the authorized representatives of the bidders.
9. All bids should be accompanied by a bank guarantee as a bid security.

Address and Contact Nos.

**M.A.M. Indika Marasinghe
Chairman
Nattandiya New Multi Purpose Cooperative Society Limited
Marawila Road, Nattandiya
Telephone Nos. 032-22 54236, 032 5673296
Fax: 032 22 54236
Email Address: nattmpcs@gmail.com**

Expression of Interest

STATE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT, COAST CONSERVATION, WASTE DISPOSAL AND COMMUNITY CLEANLINESS

SRI LANKA LAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

**CALLING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR MECHANIZED VERTICAL CAR PARKING SYSTEMS IN IDENTIFIED CITIES
PROCUREMENT NO. S/568/20**

- Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation (SLDC) under the State Ministry of Urban Development, Coast Conservation, Waste Disposal and Community Cleanliness, was initially a body corporate duly established under the Colombo District (low lying areas) Development Board Act No. 15 of 1968 as amended by Law No. 27 of 1976, Act No. 52 of 1982 and Act 35 of 2006.
- When urban development is concerned, car parking limitations in the urban cities were identified as a key issue which requires an immediate attention. In order to address this issue, it is proposed to operate mechanized vertical car parking systems in identified cities for facilitating parking for about 2000 vehicles.
- SLDC is in search of potential Investors to Finance, Construct, and Operate such mentioned vertical car parking systems by calling an Expression of Interest (EOI). The requirement for the Investors is to execute the project on Build, Operate and Transfer (BOT) basis. SLDC shall provide the land required for the Investors.
- Interested potential Investors are minimally required to submit the following details.
 - Detailed Company Profile
 - Past Experience in similar projects along with details
 - Financial Competency along with audited financial statements for recent past 3 years
- The EOI shall be submit in a one sealed envelope and the subject of the EOI shall be written in the top left corner of the envelope and shall be delivered to the following address or can be sent by registered post to reach on or before 09th October 2020 at 13:30hrs.
Chairman – Procurement Committee,
Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation,
No. 03, Sri Jayawardenapura Mawatha, Welikada, Rajagiriya,
- Interested parties shall obtain further information from;
Deputy General Manager (Planning & Business Development)
Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation
No. 03, Sri Jayawardenapura Mawatha, Welikada, Rajagiriya
Telephone: +94 71 4557796, +94 71 2117359 Fax: +94 11 2861170
E-mail: pbdb@slldc.lk

Chairman – Procurement Committee

Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation
No. 03, Sri Jayawardenapura Mawatha, Welikada, Rajagiriya
Head Office Tel : 0112 889485-7 Web : www.landdevelopment.lk

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VACANCY POSTS OF ELECTRICIAN

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- Maintenance of generators & substation room.

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Please forward your complete Curriculum Vitae within seven days of this advertisement with names and contact details of two non-related referees to the under-mentioned address stating the position on the top left-hand corner of the envelope or e-mail to the following e-mail address with the subject line "Posts of Electrician".



Head of Human Capital
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MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND INDIGENOUS MEDICAL SERVICES SRI JAYEWARDENEPURA GENERAL HOSPITAL

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

CONSTRUCTION OF BOUNDARY WALL AND DRAIN NEAR THE NURSES QUARTERS

Contract No: Q-211/20

- The Chairman, Divisional Procurement Committee, Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital, Thalapatthitiya, Nugegoda, invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the "Construction of Boundary Wall and Drain near the Nurses Quarters" Contract No: Q-211/20 as described in document and estimated to basic cost of Rs. 20.90 million. Construction period is 182 Days.

This work consists of Construction of Boundary Wall and Drain near the Nurses Quarters Work site is located within the premises of Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital. Care must be taken to minimize works, Concrete works, Masonry works, Wall Finishes, Landscaping etc. Bidder is advised to visit the site prior to price the bid documents.

- Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedure.
- To be eligible for contract award, the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall meet the following requirements:

Contractors having valid registration in Grade C6 or above in the field of Building Construction under Construction Industry Development Authority.

A certificate from Registrar of Public Contracts should be submitted where the estimated bid exceeds Rs. 5,000,000.00 when offering the bid. Please log on web address: eroc.drc.gov.lk for further details and online apply.

- Interested bidders may obtain further information from Director, Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital, Thalapatthitiya, Nugegoda. Tel. No. 0112-778610 Ext: 3140/3141, 0112-778624 and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 09.00 hrs. to 15.00 hrs.
- A complete set of Bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on submission of a written application to the Director, Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital, Thalapatthitiya, Nugegoda from 23.09.2020 until 14.10.2020 from 09.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. 4,500.00 to the Shroff, Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital. The method of payment will be by cash only.
- Bids shall be delivered to the address below, on or before 15.10.2020 at 10.00 hrs at Lecture Hall. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.
- Pre-Bid meeting will be held at Conference Room at 10.00 hrs on 06.10.2020.
- Bids shall be valid up to 91 days from closing date of Bids.
- All bids shall be accompanied by a "Bid Security" of Rupees Three Hundred & Fourteen Thousand Only (Rs. 314,000.00). Bid Security shall be valid up to 119 days from the closing date of bids.

The address referred to above is:

Director,
Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital,
Thalapatthitiya,
Nugegoda.

INVITATION FOR BIDS

HORANA URBAN COUNCIL HORANA

- Sealed bids are hereby invited, by the Chairman, Urban Council, Horana from eligible and qualified bidders for supply and installation of undermentioned equipment, required for the Horana Urban Council, Horana.

No.	Item	Quantity
01	Photocopiers	02
02	Card Printers	01
03	Printers	02
04	Desktop Computers	05

- Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) Procedure.
- Further details and information could be obtained by the interested eligible bidders from the head office of the Horana Urban Council Horana, during office hours on working days of the week, over the following telephone No. and bidding documents may be inspected free of charge at the same address during office hours (Telephone No. 034-2261275).

- Complete set of bidding documents could be obtained by the interested eligible bidders from the head office of the Horana Urban Council, Horana during office hours, from 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. on weekdays from 24.09.2020 to 12.10.2020 upon payment of a non refundable fee of Rs. 1000.00.

- Duly completed bids in duplicate, (two copies), marked as the 'Original' and 'Duplicate' enclosed in two (02) separate covers, and both the 'Original' and 'Duplicate' covers again enclosed in another single cover and duly marked the caption "Supply of Office Equipment and Printers" on the top left hand corner of each 03 envelopes, should either be sent by registered post, addressed to the 'Chairman, Urban Council Horana' or deposited in the tender box kept at the Accounts Division of Horana Urban Council, Horana, to be received on or before 11.00 a.m. on 12.10.2020.

- Late bids will be rejected.

- Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders or their accredited agents at 11.00 am. on 12.10.2020 at the Auditorium of the Horana Urban Council, Horana.

- The Decision of the Horana Urban Council, Horana will be final, regarding matters pertaining to bids, and bid specifications.

Chairman,
Urban Council,
Horana.

Telephone : 034-2261275,
034-2261615

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of Section 9(2) of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 that Hybrid Solutions (Private) Limited changed its name to Newgen Holdings (Private) Limited in accordance with the provisions of Section 8 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007.

Former Name of the Company: HYBRID SOLUTIONS (PRIVATE) LIMITED,
The Company Number : PV 99117
Registered Office: No. 13/3, Bodhiraja Mawatha, Rupasinghe Road, Nedimala, Dehiwala,
New Name of the Company: NEWGEN HOLDINGS (PRIVATE) LIMITED
Name changed on: 12th August 2020
Company Secretaries
15th August 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of Section 9(2) of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 that Bieco Link Carbons Solutions (Private) Limited changed its name to Bieco Link Holdings (Private) Limited in accordance with the provisions of Section 8 of the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007.

Former Name of the Company: BIECO LINK CARBONS SOLUTIONS (PRIVATE) LIMITED,
The Company Number : PV 97773
Registered Office: No. 15, Fussles Lane, Colombo 6.
New Name of the Company: BIECO LINK HOLDINGS (PRIVATE) LIMITED
Name changed on: 31st August 2020
Company Secretaries
15th September 2020

The Land Acquisition Act (Chapter 460) as amended by the Land Acquisition (Amendment) Act No. 28 of 1964 Notice under Section 7

My Reference. Kadu/Land/03/138/UDA
Land Ministry's Ref. No.:

4-3/11/2016/UDA/340

I hereby inform the general public that an inquiry into claims and compensations to be held by me at Kaduwela Divisional Secretariat on 07.10.2020 under section 9 of the Land Acquisition Act for the following lands / servitude acquired by the Government under the said Act. All persons interested in this land acquired should be present at the inquiry. For further details, refer to Extraordinary Gazette No. 2185/64 dated 23.07.2020.

Schedule

- Province : Western
- District : Colombo
- Divisional Secretariat: Kaduwela
- Grama Niladhari Division : No. 477A, Thalagama North B.
- Village : Thalagama North
- Preliminary Plan No. : Co. 9863
- Lot Nos. : 1, 2, 3, and 4
- Total Lots : 04
- Total extent of the land : 0.2235 Hectare

A.D.Y. Anandane
Divisional Secretary,
Kaduwela

Divisional Secretariat
Kaduwela.
16.09.2020

CANCELLATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, GAMAACHIGE ROHITHA WIJESKERA of Ginigalthuduwa, Manawila, Walahanduwa, Galle National Identity Card No. 712080299 wish to inform the general public that I have cancelled and revoked the Special Power of Attorney bearing No. 478 dated 29.08.2004 attested by Muditha P. Liyanage of Galle Notary Public given to Wijesekera Gamaachchige Namadasa of Ginigalthuduwa, Manawila, Walahanduwa, Galle National Identity Card No. 393080884V hereafter the said Power of Attorney shall not be valid in law with immediate effect.

Principal of Power of Attorney

A BUILDING REQUIRED FOR AN OFFICE

Renting an Office Building For OIC (Horana) Office

MINISTRY OF WATER SUPPLY

NATIONAL WATER SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE BOARD

CONTRACT NO :
W-S/P&C/RENT(01)/P-H/O&M/2020/73

A building is required for a period of 1 year for the OIC Office (Horana). In this regard bids are invited from the interested parties by The Regional Procurement Committee, Regional Support Centre (Western-South), the National Water Supply and Drainage Board (NWSDB), No. 07, Angulana Station Road, Moratuwa.

The NWSDB's requirement is to rent a building or a house which floor area is greater than 1500 ft² (including land area of 400 sq ft for vehicle parking). It should be within the distance of 1 ½ Km from the middle of Horana City and it also should face the main bus road or if not, there should be a 20 feet width access road to the site. Priority will be given to the nearest place to the city. Boundaries of the land should be indicated clearly and should have a security wall/ fence.

Availability of water service, toilet facilities, electricity, proper ventilation system, telephone facilities are required and the bidder should be the owner or attorney power of the land. The maximum advance payment is limited to 06 Months of rent.

Bid forms are available at - Regional Support Centre (Western-South)
No. 07, Angulana Station Road, Moratuwa

Time & last date of issuing bid forms - All week days until 07.10.2020 from 9.00 hrs. to 15.00 hrs.

For inquires and handing over bidding documents - Deputy General Manager (Western-South)
Regional Support Centre (Western-South)
No.07, Angulana Station Road, Moratuwa
Tel:011-2224888 /
Fax: 011 - 2637945

Deadline for handing over and Time of opening bid - 08.10.2020 at 10.00 a.m (late bids are not accepted)

Deputy General Manager (Western-South)
Regional Support Centre (Western-South)



Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka

Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation

DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE CONSERVATION

BID INVITATION

Obtaining the Security Services for the Battaramulla Head Office, for the year 2020/2021

WL/2/17/63/Security/2021

- Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding Procedure.
- The relevant company should be an institution established for providing security services.
- The firm should possess at least 03 years experience in providing security services to government ministries, Departments and reputed institutions and even should be providing such services at present.
- Should have satisfactorily carried out at least one such service with a monthly value of 02 lakhs or above during the last 02 years and this fact should be substantiated by documentary evidence.
- The institution should possess a staff of not less than 25 members and this fact should be substantiated by documents of the Employees' Provident Fund.
- The institution should be a recognized firm with a financial stability (Thus should be substantiated by audited financial statements).
- Bid documents prepared in English can be inspected up to 14th October, 2020, between 9.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m. at the Finance Section of the Department of Wildlife Conservation and the relevant bid documents can be purchased on payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. 1,500.00, made to the Shroff of the Department along with a written request made on a letterhead addressed to the Department of Wildlife Conservation.
- Bids should be accompanied with a bid security worth Rs. 60,000.00, as per the format included in the bid documents, obtained from a Government approved commercial bank or by paying cash to the Shroff of the Department of Wildlife Conservation at or before 2.00 p.m. on 15th October, 2020. Bids submitted without bid securities will be rejected.
- The relevant bid security should be valid for a minimum period of 90 days from the bid opening date (up to 13th January, 2021).
- Completed bids in two copies as original and duplicate placed in separate sealed covers and the two covers should be placed in a single sealed cover marked the name and number of the contract at the left side top corner, could either be sent by registered post to the under mentioned address or placed in the bid box kept at the Finance Section of the Department of Wildlife Conservation, to be received at or before 2.00 p.m. on 15th October, 2020. Bids received late will be rejected. Bids received will be opened at 2.00 p.m. on the same day and bidder or one of his authorized representatives can be present at the bid opening.
- Further details required can be obtained from the Deputy Director (Finance) of the Department on telephone No. 0112-871535. The right to the final decision relevant to this bid retains with the Department Procurement Board and the Director General of the Department of Wildlife Conservation retains the right in deciding upon on any matter relevant to this procurement work either stated or not in this notice or bid documents.
- The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee shall not be held liable for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in preparation or delivery of bids.

Chairman,
Department Procurement Committee,
Department of Wildlife Conservation,
No. 811A, Jayanthipura Road,
Battaramulla.

**STATE MINISTRY OF CANAL AND COMMON INFRASTRUCTURE
DEVELOPMENT IN SETTLEMENTS IN MAHAWELI ZONES**



MAHAWELI AUTHORITY OF SRI LANKA

BID NOTICE

On behalf of the Chairman, Department Procurement Committee of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka (MASL), sealed Bids will be received by the Director General, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, 9th Floor, No. 500, T.B. Jayah Mawatha, Colombo 10, up to **11.00 hrs on 15.10.2020** for the following works.

No	Contract No.	Description of Work	Required CIDA Field and Grade of Registration	Non-Refundable Bid Fee per Set of a Bidding Document (Rs.)
1	DDG/TS/CON/B/IRR/19	Improvement of Feeder Gate & Path to Sooriyawewa Tank at end of LBL-06 (9 + 000km) and Construction of Box Culvert across of LBL-06 in Sinhapura Block, System "B" (Estimate Rs. 2.2 Mn without V.A.T., Contract period 90 days)	C8 or above for Irrigation and Drainage Canals	1,000.00
2	DDG/TS/CON/B/IRR/22	Repairing of Maduruoya Left Bank Main Canal Bund Road from 13 + 350km to 15 + 750km & Regulator 04 safety fence, System "B" (Estimate Rs. 2.6 Mn without V.A.T., Contract period 90 days)	C8 or above for Irrigation & Drainage Canals and Highways	1,000.00

Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding (NCB). Since the total cost estimate of each of these procurements are below Rs. 50 Mn, regional preference and CIDA Grade preference shall apply as stipulated in Public Finance Circular No. 04/2019(ii).

Prospective Bidders can obtain the Bidding Documents by a written request on a company/firm letterhead, addressed to the Deputy Director General (Technical Services), Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, 3rd Floor, No. 500, T.B. Jayah Mawatha, Colombo 10, from **23.09.2020 up to 14.10.2020** from 9.30 hrs to 15.00 hrs on working days, on payment of a non-refundable Tender Fee as given above per set of Bidding Documents. Bidders are free to bid for more than one tender but selections will be made according to the capacity limits in the CIDA Registration.

Bidding documents may be inspected free of charge at the Office of Deputy Director General (Technical Services), Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, 3rd Floor, No. 500, T.B. Jayah Mawatha, Colombo 10, on normal working days from **23.09.2020 up to 14.10.2020** from 9.30 hrs to 16.00 hrs.

Sealed Bids in **duplicate** clearly marked the contract name and the number on the top left-corner of the envelope may be dispatched either by Registered Post or hand delivered to the Director General, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, 9th Floor, No. 500, T.B. Jayah Mawatha, Colombo 10 before **11.00 hrs on 15.10.2020**. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter. Bidders or their authorized representatives, not exceeding two (2) in numbers are permitted to be present at the opening of Bids.

For further details, please contact Technical Services Division of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka on **Tel. 011-2689651, 011-2687475**.

**Director General
Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka**



INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Northern Provincial Department of Education



**Procurement of Fixing and Supply
of Hand Wash Units**

NP/PDE/PRO/H.W/2020/08

- The Chairman Departmental Procurement Committee (DPC-Major) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Fixing and Supplying of 1500 Hand Wash Units to the selected schools in Northern Province as follows.

Details	Model	Jaffna 1	Jaffna 2	Kilinochchi	Vavuniya	Mulaitivu	Mannar	Total
Secondary	1	190	180	150	130	160	100	910
Primary	2	150	120	100	060	100	060	590
Total		340	300	250	190	260	160	1500

- Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding Procedure.
- To be eligible for contract award, the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall meet the following requirements;
 - Bidders shall have valid business registration for Manufacturing of small products
 - and shall have its registered office in Northern Province
- To qualify for award of the Contract, bidders shall meet the minimum qualifying criteria if given in Section 2 – Bidding Data.
- Interested bidders may obtain further information from Northern Provincial Department of Education, Chemmani Road, Jaffna and inspect the bidding documents at the same address from 0900 Hrs to 1500 Hrs on working days.
- A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application from 23rd September 2020 to 12th October 2020 from 0900 Hrs to 1500 Hrs upon a non-refundable cash payment of Rs. 1,000.
- Bids shall be submitted to Northern Provincial Department of Education, Chemmani Road, Jaffna on or before 10.00 Hrs on 14th October 2020. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend.
- All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid-Security of Rs.50,000/-
- Due to extraordinary circumstances prevailing in the country on the date of submission of bid document, it should be assumed that all procedures will be in force at the same time on the next working day after the office is closed as per the Government notification.
- A pre bid meeting will be held on 30.09.2020 at 10.00 Hrs in the conference hall of the Northern Provincial Department of Education.
- All rights reserved to the Chairman to accept, partly accept or rejection of all bids without compensating to bidders.

Name : Mr. S. Uthayakumar
Designation : Chairman / Provincial Director of Education, Departmental Procurement Committee (Major)
Address : Northern Provincial Department of Education, Chemmani Road, Jaffna
Telephone : 021-224 2804/ 021 - 224 2800
Fax : 021 - 224 2646
Email : npedufin@gmail.com

GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

MINISTRY OF HIGHWAYS

**ROAD DEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY**

INVITATION FOR BIDS

- The Chairman, Procurement Committee, Executive Engineer's Office, Road Development Authority (RDA), Akkaraipattu on behalf of the Road Development Authority, invites sealed bids for the following works from the eligible and qualified bidders.

Package No.	Description of Work	Direct Construction Cost (Rs.)	Contract Period (days)	CIDA Grade for Bridges / Highways	Required Bid Security	
					Amount (Rs.)	Valid Period Up to
RDA/EE/AKP/2020/T/19	Re-construction of Culvert No: 5/2 on Akkaraipattu-Variopathanchenai Road	2.72 Mn	91	C8 or C7	40,000.00	04.02.2021
RDA/EE/AKP/2020/T/20	Construction of Rip Rap Protection at Bridge No: 7/1 on Pottuvil - Panama Road	2.06 Mn	91	C8 or C7	30,000.00	04.02.2021

- Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedure, however, limited to the bidders who are registered within the administrative boundary of the Eastern Province.
- To be eligible for contract award the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall be currently registered with the Construction Industry Development Authority (CIDA) in grades mentioned above in Bridges / Highways.
- Interested Bidders may obtain further information from the Office of Executive Engineer, RDA, Ampara Road, Akkaraipattu. (Telephone No. 067-2279151) and inspect the bidding documents during office hours.
- A complete set of Bidding Documents in English Language may be purchased by interested Bidders on submission of a written application along with the copy of the Registration Certificate issued by Registrar of Public Contracts under Act No. 3 of 1987, Department of Registrar of Companies for the contract, to the Executive Engineer, Road Development Authority, Ampara Road, Akkaraipattu from **23.09.2020** until **06.10.2020** from **9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.** on working days upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Rs. 2,200.00** for each document (inclusive of VAT). The method of payment will be by cash for each package.
- Pre-Bid Meeting is scheduled to be held at the Office of Executive Engineer, RDA, Akkaraipattu at 10.30 am, on 29.09.2020 and subsequently site visit will be arranged.
- Bids shall be delivered in duplicate separately for each package to the following address "Chairman, Regional Procurement Committee, Executive Engineer's Office, Road Development Authority, Ampara Road, Akkaraipattu" at or before **2.00 p.m. on 07.10.2020**. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing in the presence of the Bidder or representative who chooses to attend. (**Package Number** of the Bid Should be indicated on the **Top left corner of the sealed envelope**)
- Bids shall be valid up to **06.01.2021**.
- All Bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security from a reputed bank for an amount given in the above table. Bid Security shall be valid up to **04.02.2021**.

**Chairman - Procurement Committee,
Executive Engineer
Executive Engineer's Office,
Road Development Authority,
Akkaraipattu
22.09.2020**



Ministry of Water Supply

Tender Notice for the Sale of Vehicles Removed from Use

No. 01/03/V/20-223

Quotations are invited for the sale of following vehicles that are removed from use of the Ministry of Water Supply by tenders.

Vehicle Registration No.	Vehicle Type and Model	Nature of Tender	Tender Deposit (Rs.) (Refundable)	Tender Fee (Rs.) Non-Refundable
KB-6850	Toyota Camry (2362 CC) Car	Sale of Vehicle	5000.00	2000.00
GW-6955	Mitsubishi Lancer (1584 CC) Car		5000.00	2000.00
HB-7144	Peugeot 307 (1587 CC) Car		5000.00	2000.00
KJ-0420	Micro Rexton (2696 CC) Jeep		5000.00	2000.00
KF-7936	Peugeot 407 (1997 CC) Car		5000.00	2000.00
301-2836	Nissan (1392 CC) Motor Car		5000.00	2000.00
133-0813	Suzuki GS 125 (125 CC) Motor Cycle		1500.00	500.00
KB-2477	Honda City ZX OXI (1500 CC) Car	Sale as Scrap	5000.00	2000.00
Lot No. 1	Mitsubishi Pajero (2800 CC) Jeep		1000.00	500.00

Vehicle bearing the above Registration Numbers are parked in the ministry premises at No. 35, "Lakdiya Medura", New Parliament Road, Pelawatta, Battaramulla and may inspect the vehicles between **9.30 a.m. and 3.00 p.m.** on working days from **23.09.2020 until 07.10.2020**.

Separate tenders should be submitted for each vehicle and tender documents may be obtained on submission of the Form General 172 obtained from the Shroff in the 3rd Floor of the Ministry upon payment of the relevant fees to the Administration Division.

Sealed tenders with prices should be deposited in the Tender Box kept at the Administration Division of the Ministry of Water Supply, No. 35, "Lakdiya Medura", New Parliament Road, Pelawatta, Battaramulla.

Tenders will be closed at **10.00 a.m. on 08.10.2020** and the tenders will be opened immediately thereafter at the Auditorium of the Ministry and all tenders received thereafter will be rejected as late tenders.

Procurement Committee of the Ministry reserves the right to accept or reject any tender. Tenderer or his authorized representative may be present at the time of opening of tenders.

If the tender is accepted, the successful tenderer should pay 25% of the quoted full amount on the same day and reserve the vehicle. Should pay the balance within 03 working days from that day and get the vehicle released. However, if the full amount is not paid and the vehicle is not removed on or before 13.10.2020 the tender deposit and the above said 25% will be forfeited and credited to the government revenue.

Decision of the Secretary of the Ministry regarding the sale of these vehicles will be final.

**Secretary
Ministry of Water Supply
No. 35, "Lakdiya Medura"
New Parliament Road,
Pelawatta,
Battaramulla.**

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MINISTRY OF WATER SUPPLY NATIONAL WATER SUPPLY & DRAINAGE BOARD

BID NOTICE

The Chairman, Procurement Committee on behalf of the National Water Supply & Drainage Board now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the Works/Supplies as described below.

Name of Contract & Contract No	Non Refundable Fee (Rs)	Bid Security Requirements	Eligibility Requirements	Estimated Cost (Rs.) Excluding VAT	Place of Issuing of Documents & Contact Person	Closing Date and Time
CIVIL TENDERS						
01) Construction of Stores in Wackwella Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC(S)/P&C/C/STORES/WACKWELLA/RH/2019-106	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 90,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C7 or C6 and Registration of the Contracts as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	6.0 million	RSC(Southern), 395, Kumaratunga Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara, Tele: 041-2229792 Fax 041-2224769	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
02) Construction of Chain link fences at Sooriyawewa Tower, Sooriyawewa site office & Mirijawila Tower Contract No: RSC(S)/P&C/C/CHAIN LINK FENCES/S'WEWA & A'TOTA/RH/2020-09	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 53,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C8 or C7	3.58 million	RSC(Southern), 395, Kumaratunga Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara, Tele: 041-2229792 Fax 041-2224769	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
03) Renovation of OIC Office Building for Consumer Satisfaction of Ambagasdowa Water Supply Scheme Contract No:RSC(UVA)/DGM(UVA)/REH/AMBAGASDOWA/2020/23	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 106,250/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	7.1 million	Tender Section, NWSDB, Mediriya Road, Badulla Tele: 0552230934 Fax: 0552230974	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
04) Laying of uPVC Pipes of 63 mm and 90 mm Diameters in Manager (Gampaha) Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/CIVIL/LAYING/GAM(RH)/GAMPAHA/2020/11	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 137,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	9.14 million	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No.433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
05) Excavation & Back Filling of Pipe Trenches & Laying of uPVC Pipes for 63mm and 90mm Diameters in Manager (Gampaha) Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/CIVIL/LAYING/GAM(RH)/GAMPAHA/2020/12	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 138,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	9.2 million	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No.433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
06) Laying of GI/PE Pipes for Aged Pipe Replacement at Medadumbara Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CE/LAYING/NRW/MEDADUMBARA/2020/236	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 42,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C8 or C7	3.0 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Prebid meeting on 28/09/2020 at 10.00 hrs. at Mgr. (CE) office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
07) Fabrication of GI Racks and Development Work of Guard Room & Stores Building. Polonnaruwa Water Supply Scheme. Contract No: RH/NC/DGM/POL-WORKSHOP/2020/166	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 70,850/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No.3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	5.19 million	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele : 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
08) Laying of uPVC/DI Pipes, Fittings, Specials and Valves in Existing Distribution System Contract No: NRW/NC/DGM/MAN-LAY/2020/266	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 67,330/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C8 or C7	4.49 million	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele : 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
09) Renovation of Regional Manager Office – Kalutara Contract No: W-S/P&C/C/CON(05)/KAL/AMAIWSP/2020/38	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 138,500/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	9.22 million	RSC (WS), NWSDB, No.07, Angulana Station Road, Angulana, Moratuwa Tele/Fax: 0112730341, 0112224888 Pre Bid Meeting on 08.10.2020 @ 10.00 a.m at Manager's Office Kalutara	14/10/2020 10.00 hours
10) Repair Grit Chamber and Rectification Works at Ekala Wastewater Treatment Plant Contract No: GCS/C/GRIT CHAMBER REPAIR/EKALA WWTP/2020/10	4,000/- + VAT *	Rs. 35,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C8 or C7	2.3 million	Assistant General Manager (GCS), No. 26/2, Attidiya Road, Ratmalana Tele: 011 2623681 Fax:011 2636205	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
11) Laying of uPVC/DI Pipes, Fittings, Specials and Valves at Kotuwela Roadin Hingurakoda Water Supply Scheme Contract No:CKD/NC/DGM/LAY/HIN/2020/234	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 54,400/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C8 or C7	3.63 million	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele : 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
12) Installation of Sluice Valve/Air Valve/Washout Valves/ Bulk Meters & Fire Hydrants & Construction of New Chambers/ Surface Boxes in Distribution Systems in Panadura-Horana Region Contract No:W-S/P&C/C/Con(02)/P-H/RH/2019/28R-01	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 138,500/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act.No.3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	9.23 million	RSC (WS), NWSDB, No.07, Angulana Station Road, Angulana, Moratuwa Tele/Fax: 0112730341, 0112224888 Pre Bid Meeting on 30/09/2020 @ 10.00 a.m at Manager (P/H) Office	08/10/2020 10.00 hours
13) Construction of Retaining & Gabion Boundary Wall & Chain Link Wire Fence at OIC Awissawella Office Premises Contract No:WC/M(MAH)/AWIS/BOUN-WALL/2019/01-RH-R	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 108,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	7.21 million	RSC (W-C), No. 175A, Kaluthota Building, Nawala Road, Nugegoda, Tele:/Fax: 011- 2856420-3	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
14) Hiring of Services for Reduction of Non Revenue Water Akurana Water Supply scheme Contract No:RSC-C/KN/CIVIL/O&M/AKURANA/2020/225	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 100,475/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Water Supply and Sewerage C7 or C6 and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	8.4 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
15) Construction of New Stores Building at Edaduwwa Contract No: RSC-C/CS/CIVIL/REH/UY/ERIYAGAMA/2020/156	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 31,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C8 or C7	3.1 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
16) Cast and Supply of Vertical Water Meter Mounting Concrete Units for Central East Region Contract No: RSC-C/CE/CIVIL/O&M/CENTRAL EAST /2020/240	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 49,500/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C8 or C7	3.3 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
17) Renovation works of Quarters (No. 05) at Kondadeniya Harispattuwa Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CN/CIVIL/O&M/HARIS/2020/211	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 19,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C9 or C8	1.2 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Pre Bid Meeting on 05/10/2020 @ 10.00 a.m at Manager (CN) Office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
18) Renovation works of prospeschill Quarters Contract No: RSC-C/CS/CIVIL/REH/UDU/YATI/MEEWATHURA/2020/193	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 13,000/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C9 or C8	1.3 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
19) Improvement of Intake River Bank at Dartry Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CS/CIVIL/REH/DARTRY/2020/227	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 11,800/-	Registration with CIDA in the field of Building Construction C9 or C8	1.18 million	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Pre Bid Meeting on 05/10/2020 @ 10.00 a.m at Manager (CS) Office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
M&E TENDERS						
Reference to the advertisement dated 26.08.2020 Design, Supply and Installation of Sludge Scraper System for Peradeniya University Water Supply Scheme, Contract No:RSC-C/M&E/S&I/SCRAPER/RECH(UOP)/UNIVERSITY/2020/55 , Please note that the closing date of this tender has been extended up to 30.09.2020 at 14.00 hrs.						
20) Supply & Installation of Borehole type Pumping Set and Accessories for Aruwakkaru solid waste Mgt Water Supply Scheme at Puttalam Water Treatment Plant Contract No: RSC(NW)/M&E//P/RC(9002/392/5)/ARUWAK/2020/14	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 55,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	RSC (North -Western) Office, NWSDB, Dambulla Road, Kurunegala Tele: 037-2221161 Fax: 037-2230086	14/10/2020 14.00 hours	
21) Supply and Installation of Line Matrix Printer for Manager(O&M) Matara Contract No: RSC(S)/P&C/S/ LM PRINTER/M(O&M) MATARA/CIPC/2020-126	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 15,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC(Southern), 395, Kumaratunga Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara, Tele:041-2229792 Fax: 041-2224769	07/10/2020 14.00 hours	
22) Supply,Delivery and Installation of Vacuum type Gas Chlorinators & Accessories for Ambalantota Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC(S)/P&C/S/CHLORINATOR/A'TOTA/RH/ 2020-22	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 54,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Southern), 395, Kumaratunga Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara, Tele: 041-2229792 Fax: 041-2224769	14/10/2020 14.00 hours	
23) Supply & Installation of Chlorine Gas Leak Detectors within Chlorinator Houses at Gamapaha Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/M&E/GAM(RH)/2020/36	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 31,500/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours	
24) Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Weather Proof, Diesel Engine Driven Standby Generator Set with Sound attenuated (Proof) Enclosures and Accessories for Regional Manager Office - Polonnaruwa. Contract No: RH/NC/DGM/SUP/POL/2020/082	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 92,250/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele: 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours	
25) Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning or on grid 40 kw solar panel system & Accessories for Central South Water Treatment Plant Contract No: RSC-C/M&E/S&I/SOLAR/ENERGY/CSWTP/2020/241	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 50,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Prebid meeting on 05/10/2020 at 10.00 hrs.at Chief Eng. (M&E) Office	14/10/2020 14.00 hours	
26) Supply and Installation of 03 Nos.of Electromagnetic flow meters and Accessories for Haragama Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/M&E/S&I/EMF/NRW/HARAGAMA/2020/203	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 30,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Prebid meeting on 05/10/2020 at 10.00 hrs.at Chief Eng. (M&E) Office	14/10/2020 14.00 hours	
SUPPLY TENDERS						
27) Supply & Delivery of Aggregate Base Course (ABC) & Quarry Dust for Re-laying of Pipe Lines at Pasyala - Meerigama Road Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/ABC/CONS.(REC-ATT)/2020/90	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 67,200/-	As per the Document	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours	
28) Supply & Delivery of ABC & Quarry Dust for Hekiththa Road in Kelaniya Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/ABC/KEL(RH)/2020/89	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 126,000/-	As per the Document and Registration of the Contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours	
29) Supply and Delivery of Cationic Polyacrylamide (PAM) for Biyagama Water Treatment Plant Contract No : RPC/WP/G/BIY/LAB/O&M/2020/34	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 37,500/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town, Tele: 0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours	

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Name of Contract & Contract No	Non Refundable Fee (Rs)	Bid Security Requirements	Eligibility Requirements	Place of Issuing of Documents & Contact Person	Closing Date and Time
30) Supply and Delivery of Spare Parts for Pumps at Kalatuwawa & Biyagama Water Treatment Plants. Contract No: RPC/WP/G/KAL&BIY/M&E/O&M/2020/14	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 33,450/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town, Tele: 0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
31) Supply and Delivery of Armoured & Unarmoured XLPE Insulated Cables for Ambatale Water Treatment Plant Contract No: RPC/WP/G/AMB/M&E/O&M/2020/45	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 19,360/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town, Tele: 0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
32) Supply and Delivery of Alum Lime Transfer Pumps (End Suction Vertical Delivery) for Seta Water Treatment Plant, Ambatale Contract No: RPC/WP/G/AMB/M&E/RH/2020/36	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 48,000/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town, Tele: 0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
33) Supply & Delivery of 01 No. Butt Fusion Welding Machine with Accessories (working range diameter 315-630 mm) and 18 kVA Prime Generator for Construction Section at RSC(W/N) Contract No: RSC(W/N)/M&E/SS/CONST.(REC.)/2020/86	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 37,500/-	Manufacturer or their local accredited agent	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele: 0112922129 Fax: 0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
HIRING VEHICLE					
34) Hiring of a Crew Cab for Ambalantota Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC(S)/P&C/AMBALANTOTA/HIRING/CREW CAB/O&M/2020-48R	500/- + VAT	Rs. 5,000/-	As per the Document	RSC(Southern), 395, Kumaratunga Mawatha, Pamburana, Matara, Tele: 041-2229792 Fax: 041-2224769	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
35) Hiring of a Van for Manager's Office -Kegalle Contract No: RSC(SAB)/AGM(KEG)/O&M/KEGALLE/SER/2020/88	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 5,000/-	As per the Document	Manager (O&M), Kegalle, NWSDB, No. 114, Kumarathunga Munidasa Mawatha, Kegalle Tele: 045-2228274 Fax: 045-2228273	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
36) Hiring of a Single Cab for Kegalle Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC(SAB)/AGM(KEG)/O&M/KEGALLE/SER/2020/83	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 5,000/-	As per the Document	Manager (O&M), Kegalle, NWSDB, No. 114, Kumarathunga Munidasa Mawatha, Kegalle Tele: 045-2228274 Fax: 045-2228273	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
37) Hiring of 01 No. of Backhoe Loader for Gampaha Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/HIRING/GAM(O&M)/2020/71	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 6,000/-	As per the Document and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
38) Hiring of 02 Nos. of Crew Cabs for Gampaha Region Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/HIRING/GAM(O&M)/2020/69	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 5,000/-	As per the Document	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
39) Hiring of a Motor Car for Deputy General Manager - Western Production Contract No: RPC/WP/S/AMB/M&E/O&M/2020/23	2,000/- + VAT	Rs.14,400/-	Vehicle Owners /Vehicle Hiring Companies	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town, Tele: 0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
40) Hiring of a Crew Cab for Kethhena Water Treatment Plant Contract No: RPC/WP/S/KET/M&E/O&M/2020/25	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 17,340/-	Vehicle Owners /Vehicle Hiring Companies	RSC (Western-Production), NWSDB, Udumulla Road, Mulleriyawa, New Town. Tele:0112418532 Fax:0112549199	14/10/2020 14.00 hours
SERVICE TENDERS					
41) Cleaning & Maintenance Services Kundasale Workshop Contract No: RSC-C/KE/SER/O&M/CE/2020/113	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 23,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Pre-bid meeting on 28/09/2020 at 10.00 hrs. at Mgr. (Central East) office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
42) Meter Reading and Distribution Water Bills to Consumers for Kadugannawa Zone Udu/ Yatinuwara Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CS/SER/O&M/UY/2020/230	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 50,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
43) Meter Reading and Distribution Water Bills to Consumers for Gannoruwa and Uda Peradeniya Zone - Udu Yatinuwara Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CS/SER/O&M/UY/2020/228	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 50,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
44) Meter Reading and Distribution Water Bills to Consumers for Eriyagama Zone- Udu Yatinuwara Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CS/SER/O&M/UY/2020/229	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 60,000/-	As per the Document and Registration of the contract as per the Act. No. 3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
45) Meter Reading and Distribution Water Bills to Consumers for Daulagala and Kalugamuwa Zone - Udu Yatinuwara Water Supply Scheme Contract No: RSC-C/CS/SER/O&M/UY/2020/231	6,000/- + VAT **	Rs. 66,000/-	As per the Document and Registration of the contract as per the Act.No.3 of 1987 with the registrar of public contract	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
46) Providing Plant Operator Technician Service for Hatton High Level Water Treatment Plant Contract No: RSC-C/CE/SER/O&M/HATTON/2020/206	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 16,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Pre-bid meeting on 28/09/2020 at 10.00 hrs. at DE (N'Eliya) office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
47) Cleaning Service Contract for Gallella Water Treatment Plant. Contract No: O&M/NC/DGM/SER/GLZ/2020/244	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 33,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele : 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
48) Provision of Service Contract for Jayawadanagama / Kolonnawa Manager's Region (Sewerage) Contract No:GCS/SERVICE /JAYAWADANAGAMA/KOLONNAWA/2020/11	2,000/- + VAT *	Rs. 20,000/-	Minimum of two years experience in providing unskilled workmen services	Assistant General Manager (GCS), No. 26/2, Attidiya Road, Ratmalana Tele: 011 2623681 Fax:011 2636205	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
49) Maintenance service for main Pump House Waste Water Treatment Plant, Kandy Regional Support Center (Central) Contract No:RSC-C/CS/SER/O&M/KWWTP/2020/125	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 30,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Central), Gatambe, Peradeniya Tele : 081-2386068 Fax: 081-2388027 Prebid meeting on 05/10/2020 at 10.00 hrs. at Mgr. (Central South) office	07/10/2020 14.00 hours
JANITORIAL SERVICE					
50) Provision of Janitorial Services for Regional Support Centre (W/N) Office at Kadawatha Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/JANI/RSC(O&M)/2020/78	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 23,500/-	Minimum of three years experience in the field of providing janitorial services.	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
51) Provision of Janitorial Services for Manager (Kelaniya) Office Complex & Churchill Reservoir Site at Kelaniya Contract No: RSC(W/N)/SS/JANI/KEL(O&M)/2020/91	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 39,000/-	Minimum of three years experience in the field of providing janitorial services.	Regional Support Center (W/N) Office, No. 433/4A, Ganemulla Road, Kadawatha Tele:0112922129 Fax:0112922146	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
SOIL INVESTIGATION					
52) Carrying-out Soil Investigation for Improvement of existing Water Treatment Plant at Kilinochchi Contract No: RSC/N/DGM/RH/SOIL/KILI/2020/068	4,000/- + VAT	Rs. 24,000/-	As per the Document	RSC (Northern), NWSDB, Jaffna Road, Vavuniya. Tele:024-2225719 Fax:024-2225088	07/10/2020 10.00 hours
VEHICLE SERVICE					
53) Service of Vehicles, Regional Office Polonnaruwa for year of 2020/2021 Contract No: O&M/NC/DGM/VEHICLE SERVICES-POL/2020/134R	2,000/- + VAT	Rs. 26,900/-	Vehicle Services providers	RSC (NC), Godage Mawatha, Anuradhapura Tele : 025-2235993 Fax: 025-2225609	07/10/2020 14.00 hours

Non Refundable Tender fee should be paid under the A/C No. 1994381 - Any Branch of BOC Main Current Account, Name should be stated as "Tender Fees-DGM Tender Board" (only for tender marked as "**")

Please register on line www.drc.gov.lk of Registrar of Companies to get PCA 3 form (only for tenders marked as "**"). Further please use gmail for registration.

Bidding documents will be issued on production of a letter of request on a business letterhead together with the payment receipt of non-refundable tender fee from 09.00 hours to 15.00 hours on normal working date up to day before the closing date.

Bidding documents may be inspected free of charge at the place of issuing documents during normal working hours.

Bids will be opened soon after closing in the presence of the bidders' authorized representatives who choose to attend. Late bids will be returned unopened.

Chairman,
National Water Supply and Drainage Board



**COLOMBO COMMERCIAL FERTILIZERS LTD
(CCF LTD)
HUNUPITIYA, WATTALA
REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF
INTEREST (EOI)**

The Chairman, on behalf of the Department Procurement Committee of CCF Ltd invites Expression of Interest from eligible consultancy firms, individual consultants to provide Consultancy Services for the complete renovation an old building situated within the premises of Colombo Commercial Fertilizers Ltd., Hunupitiya, Wattala.

The scope of this project is to prepare the Bill of Quantity and guide and assist CCF Ltd for the renovation old building while retaining the Old Structure to use of this premises as an Auditorium together with an office room and other facilities.

The Labour and materials for this project will be supplied by CCF Ltd.

EOI shall be submitted together with past performance records of your jobs undertaken with similar kind of project by your firm / Individuals.

The EOI shall be submitted with all the supporting document to the Chairman, Procurement Committee, Colombo Commercial Fertilizers Ltd., to be received on or before 2.00 p.m. on 07th October 2020.

For further clarification please contact Procurement & Supplies Manager, Colombo Commercial Fertilizers Ltd (CCF Ltd). Tel. 2949091 / 0773721190.

Chairman,
Department Procurement Committee (DPC)
Colombo Commercial Fertilizers Ltd.,
Hunupitiya,
Wattala.

23.09.2020



MUNICIPAL COUNCIL - KADUWELA

Final Disposal of Garbage Collected Daily - 2020

Quotations are invited for the disposal of garbage collected daily within the authority area of the Kaduwela Municipal Council.

You should quote the minimum price for the disposal of one (1) ton of degradable garbage and one (1) ton of non-degradable garbage.

Last date and time for the issue of Tender Forms - 2.30 p.m. on 14.10.2020

Last date and time of receiving Tenders - 2.30 p.m. on 15.10.2020

Date and Time of Opening of Tenders - At 2.30 p.m. on 15.10.2020

Tender applications may be obtained from the Municipal Finance Department of the Kaduwela Municipal Council upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. Five Thousand (Rs. 5,000.00) and a refundable deposit of Rs. Fifty Thousand (Rs. 50,000.00).

Tenders should be perfected in duplicate in separate covers (mentioning "Original" and "Duplicate" as the case may be on the left-hand top corner of the envelope) sealed and should deposit in the Tender Box kept at the Municipal Finance Department of the Head Office of the Kaduwela Municipal Council to receive before the specific last date and time for receiving of Tenders. The caption "Final Disposal of the Garbage collected daily - 2020" should be mentioned on the upper corner of the envelope containing the Tender.

Sanjewa Bandhukerthi
Municipal Commissioner

Kaduwela Municipal Council
Kaduwela.

Tel. No. 0112-539562

23.09.2020

BID NOTICE

**WESTERN PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH SERVICES**

**INVITATION OF BIDS FOR THE
CANTEEN - 2020/2021**

Newspaper advertisement published in Silumina, Vaara Manjari and Sunday Observer of 30.08.2020 calling for applications from bidders for maintaining the Canteen service of the Homagama Base Hospital for the 2020/2021 period should be amended as follows.

01. Bid documents may be obtained by interested bidders from this office from 9.30 a.m. up to 2.00 p.m. on normal working days from 31.08.2020 until 28.09.2020 on submission of the receipt obtained from the Accountant of the Homagama Base Hospital upon payment of a non refundable application fee of Rs. 500.00 and the national identity card.

02. The caption "Canteen Service for year 2020/2021 of the Homagama Base Hospital" should be mentioned on the left hand top corner of the envelope containing the bid and the bids may either be sent by registered post addressed to "Chairman, Regional Procurement Committee, Base Hospital, Homagama" or deposited in the bid box kept at the room of the Accountant of the Homagama Base Hospital to receive at or before 10.00 a.m. on 29.09.2020.

Chairman
Regional Procurement Committee
Base Hospital
Homagama

Tel. 011-2855200, 011-2098824, 011-2894780, 011-2098825
Fax: 011-2857844



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) CEYLON PETROLEUM STORAGE TERMINALS LIMITED CONSULTANCY SERVICE FOR SAP ERP SYSTEM AT CPSTL

Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited (CPSTL) is the common user facility company established to facilitate the petroleum storage & distribution activities in Sri Lanka.

Chairman, Department Consultants Procurement Committee, on behalf of the Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited (CPSTL), invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from competent SAP certified two (02) separate professionals for knowledge transfer to system / software engineers on analysis, design and development of Business Intelligence (BI) solutions in order to execute queries upon request for data from SAP ERP system, and present information through reports and visualizations. The assignment will be for a six (06) months period.

The respective consultants will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Guidelines for Selection and Employment of Consultants, published by National Procurement Agency adhering Quality and Cost based Selection Method (QCBS).

Description	Eligibility	Tender Reference No.
SAP BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE CONSULTANT (FUNCTIONAL)	i. Bachelor's degree in Computer Science / Information Systems, Business Management or specialized training / certification Or equivalent work experience. ii. FCMA or equivalent iii. Minimum 10 years' experience on Business Analysis or related technical experience. iv. Proven track record of undertaking leadership role in a large scale BI Implementation role out. v. In-depth knowledge of the industry and multiple business functional areas vi. Experience in leading teams, and working with management vii. Soft skill requirements: ● Ability to motivate ● Working with Cross Functional Teams ● Ability to lead a change management exercise viii. Adopting to cultural challenges in an organization environment	KPR 32A /2020
SAP BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE CONSULTANT (TECHNICAL)	i. MSc /BSc in Computer Science / Information Systems / Software Engineering / Computer Engineering or relevant field obtained from a recognized university approved by the University Grants Commission of Sri Lanka. ii. SAP/Oracle Tier 1 ERP (Backend Oracle Database) certified professional iii. Minimum 10 years of hands-on experience on ERP/BI systems. iv. Proven experience of SAP/Oracle BI with Industry experience. v. Skills in Business requirement gathering, analysis and presentation of data to match management requirements. vi. Strong knowledge of ETL Process, Data warehouse and its workings. vii. Local & Overseas experience in ERP / BI systems would be an advantage. viii. The candidate should be a strong team player. ix. Should be excellent in documentation and presentation skills. x. Worked on multiple projects on multiple domains would be an advantage. xi. AIX/SUSE Linux / Redhat certification would be an advantage.	KPR/32B/2020

The CPSTL intends to prequalify professional companies / parties in order to invite RFP for the aforesaid consultancy service on knowledge transfer.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below from 0800 hrs to 1600 hrs on any working day up to 02.10.2020.

Expression of interest should include the following information:

- Description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions indicating the name of client, nature of assignment, location, contract value;
- Status of the firm including the names of the owners and names and qualifications of the key staff.
- Any suggestions to associate with another firm or individual
- Any other relevant information.

Separate EOI proposal must be delivered no later than **07.10.2020** and handdelivered / courier / email or by post to the following address:

Please send all correspondence to the following address or any clarifications could be obtained from the undermentioned address.

**Manager Procurement,
Procurement Function,
Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited,
Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya.**

Tel : 0094-112572156 / 0094-115750764
Fax : 0094-112572155
Email : procure@cpstl.lk



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