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FINAL VOTE ON 20TH AMENDMENT DRAFT BILL TODAY

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The final vote on the Draft Bill of the 20th Amendment to the Constitution will be taken up today

(22) evening following two days of debate. The Bill seeks to do away with the 19th Amendment except for a few Clauses. The Government will bring more amendments to

the Bill at the Third Reading. The first day of the debate on the 20th Amendment was held yesterday in Parliament from 10.00 a.m. until 7.30 p.m.

The second day of the debate on the Amendment will take place from 10.00 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. today (22). Following the debate, a Third Reading of the Bill shall take place

at 7.30 p.m. and a division will be then taken at the end of the Third Reading. The oral questions round was canceled for both days.



CA dismisses Riyaj Bathiudeen's writ petition

LAKMAL SOORIYAGODA

A writ petition filed by former Minister Rishad Bathiudeen's brother Riyaj Bathiudeen was yesterday dismissed by the Court of Appeal, at the preliminary stage (in limine).

A Court of Appeal two-judge-Bench comprising Justice Mahinda Samayawardena and Justice Arjuna Obeyesekere made this order after taking into consideration submissions made by counsel for petitioner, Attorney General and counsel for the intervenient petitioner.

20A INTRODUCED TO STRENGTHEN NATIONAL SECURITY - PM

'19A CAUSED ANARCHY AND WAS REJECTED BY PEOPLE'

SANDASEN MARASINGHE, CAMELIA NATHANIEL and AMALI MALLAWARACHCHI

The 20th Amendment was introduced to remove the 19th Amendment which caused anarchy in the country and was rejected by the people, Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa said.

Participating in the Second Reading debate of the 20th Amendment to the Constitution in Parliament yesterday,

the Prime Minister said the mandate given to Parliament was to strengthen the President and therefore the 20th Amendment was brought in to strengthen national security and defeat the 19th Amendment which destabilized the country.

The Prime Minister said that the Government was not preparing to continue with the existing Constitution by introducing the 20th Amendment and

expressed confidence that a new Constitution would be brought soon to build the nation fulfilling the long awaited aspirations of the people.

"No other Constitution has been criticized as much as this Constitution. Dr. N.M. Perera, Dr. Colvin R. de Silva and Sarath Muthettuwegama were opposed to this Constitution. However, we have no choice but to maintain this Constitution. Although the SLFP opposes

this Constitution, four Presidents affiliated to the SLFP had governed under it. Despite the then United National Party leader, J.R. Jayewardene introducing this Constitution to prevent the SLFP from coming to power, the Sri Lanka Freedom Party has ruled the country for the longest time by producing the highest number of Presidents. Therefore, all of us have been subjected to political ridicule under this Constitution.



Parliament to debate COVID-19 situation on Friday

SANDASEN MARASINGHE, CAMELIA NATHANIEL and AMALI MALLAWARACHCHI

The Committee on Parliament Business chaired by Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena yesterday decided to take up an Adjournment Debate on the

present COVID-19 pandemic situation prevailing in the country on October 23, Friday. The motion of condolence which was scheduled to be moved on the said day shall not be moved.

Accordingly, the Parliament session will com-

mence at 10 a.m. on Friday and go on until 4.30 p.m.. The agenda includes the Oral Questions round and the Adjournment Debate. The House will debate without taking a lunch break, the Parliament Media Unit said.

'MP Bathiudeen should be allowed to attend sittings'

Serjeant-at-Arms of Parliament Narendra Fernando has informed the Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Indigenous Medicine to take steps to allow Vanni District Parliamentarian Rishad Bathiudeen to participate in the sittings of Parliament today (22nd) and tomorrow (23rd) at 10 a.m.

Copies of this letter have been forwarded to the Commissioner General of Prisons and the Director General of Health Services.



In the wake of the resurgence of COVID-19 cases, the Traders' Society at the Pettah Manning Market yesterday carried out body temperature checks on traders and people who came to the market. The Manning Market will be closed from 10 am today till 5 am on Monday under the instructions of the Police. Pictures by Hirantha Gunathilake

20A introduced respecting views of all - Keheliya

SANDASEN MARASINGHE, CAMELIA NATHANIEL and AMALI MALLAWARACHCHI

The 20th Amendment to the Constitution has been introduced respecting the views of the Ven Maha Sangha, the public, the Judiciary and the Opposition while retaining the constructive features of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution to guarantee a vibrant democracy in the country, Mass Media Minister Keheliya Rambukwella in Parliament yesterday.



Quarantine curfew in Gampaha Dist., Agalawatte, Palindanuwara DS areas

A quarantine curfew was imposed in the Gampaha District with effect from 10 pm yesterday until 5 am on Monday, October 26. In addition, a quarantine curfew was also imposed in the Gorakgoda, Beragama, Agalawatte, Dabiligoda, Kekulandala-North Grama Niladhari areas in the Agalawatte Divisional Secretariat & Bellana in Palindanuwara Divisional Secretariat areas which have been declared as isolated areas. Head of the National Operation Centre for Prevention of COVID-19 Outbreak, Chief of Defence Staff and Army Commander Lt. Gen. Shavendra Silva said the decision was taken due to a surge in the number of COVID-19 Coronavirus cases reported within the district.

There are only two political camps in the country now, one is pro-democratic and the other anti-democratic, said Samagi Jana Balawegaya MP Imthiaz Baker Markar, joining the debate on 20th Amendment to the Constitution in Parliament yesterday.

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SJB fails to disrupt Parliament sittings

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Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa and the Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) could not draw the support of at least the Opposition parties including the TNA and the JVP to stage a protest against the 20th Amendment to the Constitution.

The SJB attempted to disrupt the sittings of the second stage debate on the 20th Amendment to the Constitution yesterday by staging a protest against the amendment. Sajith Premadasa led a motorcade of SJB MPs to the Parliamentary premises and walked to the Chamber wearing facemasks printed with the words 'Vinashakari Vissa Epa' (No to destructive 20).

TNA opposes 20A - Sampanthan

SANDASEN MARASINGHE, CAMELIA NATHANIEL and AMALI MALLAWARACHCHI

The Tamil National Alliance (TNA) strongly opposes the 20th amendment to the Constitution, TNA leader R. Sampanthan said yesterday. He pointed out that this Amendment violates the sovereignty of the people and that it terminates all important components of it.

Sampanthan made these observations joining the debate on the 20th amendment to the Constitution in Parliament yesterday.

Sampanthan observed, "We are debating the proposed 20th Amendment to the Constitution. The TNA strongly opposes the proposed 20th Amendment."



Peliyagoda Fish Market closed due to 49 COVID-19 cases

MENAKA INDRAKUMAR

Forty-nine persons had tested positive for COVID-19 at the Central Fish Market Complex in Peliyagoda according to PCR test

results yesterday. The Fish Market was temporarily closed for business.

According to the Public Health Officer (PHO) of the area, about 105

individuals were subjected to PCR tests after a fish vendor tested positive. Among the tested were fish vendors and people who bought fish from them.

With regard to the news item titled 'Over 90% constructions around Bolgoda lake illegal - CEA' published in the October 21, 2020 issue of 'Daily News' page 1, the owners of the image of the property published in the article, reiterate that the picture of the property used in the article, is a legally constructed private property and bears no association to the content of the headline or the article.
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CA dismisses... From page 01

Through this application, Riyad Bathiudeen had sought an Interim Order preventing police from re-

arresting him in relation to the investigations connected with the Easter Sunday terror attacks.

20A introduced to... From page 01

But, we have not been able to change this Constitution. It was difficult to change such a Constitution because one party could not get a two thirds majority in this Parliament," the Prime Minister said.

the nation without further delay." The Prime Minister said that when a Constitution is amended it is normal for various debates to arise in Parliament.

The Prime Minister noted that the 19th Amendment was solely aimed at taking revenge from the Rajapaksa family and to target the civic rights of the Rajapaksa's.



ment so many lives were lost," he said. In addition the Prime Minister noted that the president did not even have the power to remove the IGP even after such a tragedy or even to transfer unproductive police officers.

vene to improve these services. As a result, the efficiency of services such as the CID intelligence deteriorated. Now the CID could not even apprehend Rishad Bathiudeen.

others as respondents in the petition. The petitioner Riyad Bathiudeen stated that he was arrested by the CID on April 14, 2020 and kept under detention custody over a period of five-and-a-half-months for interrogation.

ated and made solely with a view to tarnish the image of his brother Rishad Bathiudeen. The petitioner said he was released by CID last September 29 following the conclusion of investigations, on the basis of lack of evidence against him.



through Attorney-at-Law Gowry Shangary Thavarasa. President's Counsel Faiz Mustapha appeared for the petitioner Riyad Bathiudeen. Senior Additional Solicitor General Sarath Jayamanna appeared for the Attorney General.

Programme to... From page 01

Environment Minister Mahinda Amaraweera said a Cabinet Paper would be submitted to make it mandatory for all public and private sector institutions to join in this programme. The Ministry has designed special containers to collect discarded carbon pens and toothbrushes.

TNA opposes... From page 01

We state that sovereignty is vested on the people and it can be exercised only by the people. The sovereignty of the people includes power of governance, Legislative, Executive and Judicial, Fundamental Rights and the franchise.



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Parliament to debate... From page 01

The Committee arrived at this decision as National People's Power leader Anura Kumara Dissanayake requested a debate in the House on the present COVID-19 pandemic situation.

like to request the House to decide on a date. I would propose October 23, Friday," Dissanayake observed.

Responding to Dissanayake's request, Leader of the House Dinesh Gunawardena said they could discuss the matter at the Parliament Affairs Committee Meeting and schedule the debate for Friday (23).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

SIGIRIYA VILLAGE HOTELS PLC MARAWILA RESORTS PLC BERUWALA RESORTS PLC

This is to inform the Shareholders of the aforesaid Companies that due to the prevailing situation in the country, the Annual General Meetings in respect of the aforesaid Companies fixed for the 26th of October 2020 at the Grand Oriental Hotel, 2, York Street, Colombo 1 have been postponed for Wednesday, 25th November 2020 at the same venue at the following times:

Sigiriya Village Hotels PLC at 9.30 a.m. Marawila Resorts PLC at 10.15 a.m. Beruwala Resorts PLC at 11.00 a.m.

The proxies already forwarded will be valid for the forthcoming meetings. Shareholders who wish to participate at the meetings are kindly requested to complete and return the Registration Form which has already been sent out to the Shareholders.

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MP Bathiudeen... From page 01

The Serjeant-at-Arms has taken this step following an order issued by Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena at the Committee on Parliamentary Business held last afternoon (21).

The letter states that according to the provisions of the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act, it was decided at the Committee on Parliamentary Business that MP Rishad Bathiudeen should be allowed to attend the sittings of Parliament tomorrow and day after tomorrow.

The decision was taken by the Speaker, following a request made by Party Leaders at the Committee on Parliamentary Business that arrangements should be made for MP Rishad Bathiudeen to attend the Sittings of Parliament.

Quarantine curfew... From page 01

Vehicles, which are travelling through the Gampaha District are allowed to proceed but cannot stop to take in or drop passengers.

Police Spokesman DIG Ajith Rohana said teachers and others deployed at examination centres could use their Identity Cards as Curfew Passes. The students can also use their IDs and Admission Cards as Curfew passes.

At the same time, the Government has commenced a programme to provide Rs.5,000 allowance to low-income families in the Gampaha District whose livelihoods are affected due to the curfew. Under the first stage, Rs.400 million has been allocated for the purpose.

SJB fails... From page 01

The protestors too wore armbands with a logo against the 20th Amendment. Parliament sittings commenced at 10 a.m. as scheduled and the session proceeded. However, the Opposition Leader attempted to raise the same COVID 19 issue again in the House yesterday despite the same question being answered on Tuesday in Parliament.

Although the Health Minister answered the question he kept on asking the same question over and over again until Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena said that he was asking the same question for a third time.

The Speaker also told him the opportunity was given to him respecting the position of the Opposition Leader and it was his responsibility to protect the dignity of the position.

The second stage debate on the 20th Amendment to the Constitution was moved by Justice Minister Ali Sabry PC. However, his speech too was interrupted by SJB MPs including Opposition Leader by raising Point of Orders which the Speaker observed were not Point of Orders.

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‘Towards A New Normal’: A nationwide COVID-19 prevention campaign

All Sri Lankans must practice DReAM to control COVID-19 transmission

The Ministry of Health, WHO Sri Lanka, the Itukuma Project, and the Government Medical Officers Association (GMOA) launched and are currently running the ‘Towards a New Normal’ campaign to reinforce the importance of practicing public health behaviour to control COVID-19. The campaign focuses on crucial prevention measures, captured in the acronym DReAM.

D – Distancing – maintain a physical distance of at least 1 metre from others; avoid public gatherings, crowded places, close-contact settings, and confined and enclosed spaces;

Re – Respiratory etiquette – cough/sneeze into your elbow; stay at home and contact a doctor (and/or 1999 or 1390) if you have a fever, cough, and/or sore throat

A – Aseptic techniques – wash your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use a hand sanitizer with at least 70% alcohol; avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth; regularly disinfect frequently touched surfaces;

M – Mask – wear a face

mask, ensuring you put on, take off, and store your mask properly; clean your mask regularly, and make sure it covers both your nose and mouth at all times.

The campaign consists of two arms: ‘Wagakiyamu’ (Be responsible), which focuses on the obligations of organisations/enterprises, and ‘Meteren Jeewithe’ which focuses on the duties of the general public. The campaign uses symbols that can be used universally as a reminder of DReAM. The overall goal is to create awareness among all Sri Lankans and local organi-

sations, reinforce existing knowledge, and build favourable attitudes and

practices that conform to DReAM, especially in public activities and work set-

tings. In addition to following DReAM, everyone should avoid the 3 C’s –

Crowded places, Close-contact settings, and Confined and enclosed spaces. More

details available on the Ministry of Health website (www.health.gov.lk)

DReAM to defeat COVID-19 ... Let’s embrace the New Normal!

Public Service Commission introduces new services

“All clients are kindly notified to get their needs attended to through these new service links and to refrain from visiting the Office of the Public Service Commission unless required by a special call up,” the Commission said in a press release yesterday.

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20A will restore people's sovereignty which 19A stole: Weerasekera



the Constitution in Parliament, he was happy to see that the day has come to replace it with the 20th Amendment.

The 20th Amendment would restore the sovereignty of the people, which was put in jeopardy by the 19th Amendment, Local Government and Provincial Council Minister Rear Admiral (Rtd.) Sarath Weerasekera said. Participating in the second round stage debate on the 20th Amendment Bill in Parliament yesterday, Weerasekera said that as

per constitutional provisions, sovereignty in this country is in the people and is unchallengeable. Sovereignty includes the powers of government, fundamental rights, and the franchise. Within the powers of the government comes the executive power of the people. That executive power of the people is exercised through the President.

The 19th Amendment reduced the powers of the executive and thereby diminished people's sovereignty. The 20th Amendment would rectify this and restore people's sovereignty by unshackling the executive," the minister said. "The 19th Amendment weakened the executive power. For example, 6.9 million people voted for

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa. Now, nearly one year has passed, but he still could not appoint an IGP he thinks fit for the job because of the 19th Amendment," he added. Minister Weerasekera said, "Before the 19th Amendment, appointments to key positions such as the Chief Justice, Attorney-General, and IGP were made by the

President. The 19th Amendment vested that power on a constitutional council comprising nine persons. Of those nine votes, seven were in the hands of persons appointed by the Prime Minister and the Opposition Leader. That means two MPs elected from two districts exercising executive powers of an entire population."

"What happened in practice? The Opposition Leader was R. Sampath, an LTTE proxy. The Prime Minister was Ranil Wickremesinghe, and we all know his attitude. It was those two who made all the important appointments. In other words, Sampath from the Trincomalee District and Wickremesinghe from the Colombo District exer-

cised the sovereign powers of the entire nation. Is it justifiable?" he added. "The constitutional council had three civil society members who were not responsible for the Parliament or the people. They were representatives of NGOs. Is it justifiable?" he asked. He said that as the one and only who had opposed the 19th Amendment to

19A's primary purpose was transfer of Presidential powers to PM: Sabry

The primary purpose of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution was to transfer certain Presidential powers to the Prime Minister so that Ranil Wickremesinghe could enjoy these powers, Justice Minister Ali Sabry. Moving the 20th Amendment Bill for the second reading stage debate, the minister said that the Good Governance regime did not bring about the 19th Amendment for the good of the people. "The amendment it so that Ranil Wickremesinghe to get some of the powers of the presidency for his own benefit." Through the 17th Amendment, they tried to empower the Prime Minister. Then through the 18th Amendment, that power was transferred back to the President. Then by the 19th Amendment, again they tried to transfer the powers of the President back to the Prime Minister. If you take the constitutions, the 1978 Constitution is the most potent," the minister said.



Minister Sabry said that the executive president under the 20th Amendment would not enjoy more powers than the powers vested on that post by the 1978 Second Republican Constitution. "When we compare the constitutions of this country, the 1978 Constitution had the presidency with highest concentration of powers. Subsequent amendments had reduced some of those powers and the 19th Amendment did the worst. The 20th Amendment would restore those powers of the presidency. Our attempt is to enable the President to exercise peo-

ple's power once again," the minister added. "The 19th Amendment not only rendered the post of President impotent, but also disabled national security. Take for example of Easter Sunday carnage, which is being investigated by several commissions. Now there is none to be held responsible. Various parties and individuals go before those commissions and try to place the blame on others. No one is taking responsibility," Sabry said. "It is clear that we cannot move forward in this manner. We have to do away the 19th Amendment for the sake of people. Former presidents J.R. Jayawardena, R. Premadasa, D.B. Wijetunga, and Chandrika Kumartunga ruled the country under the provisions of the 1978 constitution. Are they dictators? The 20th Amendment would not give any more powers to presidency than the presidential powers in the 1978 Constitution," he added.



Good Governance Government's grave marked with Easter attacks and Bond Scam: Vasudeva

The so-called "independent" commissions established by the 19th Amendment to the Constitution were not "independent" but "stubborn" in nature, Minister Vasudeva Nanayakkara said yesterday. "They were not independent commissions, but stubborn ones that employed persons who are not answerable to Parliament and the people. Recently, then Chairman of the Bribery Commission gave evidence as to how the political influence played a role in handling these so-called independent commissions," Nanayakkara added. Minister Nanayakkara also said that the grave of Good Governance Government is marked with two memories: the Easter Sunday carnage and the Central Bank Bond Scam. Nanayakkara made these observations joining the debate on the 20th Amendment to the Constitution in Parliament, yesterday. Minister Nanayakkara said, "Perfect democracy is not found anywhere in the world. Different countries are experimenting with different versions of democracy; we should find a version of democracy



which is of our own. We started this quest in 1972 and are discovering our own future—our own new Constitutions." "First of all, we need to understand what a Constitution is. A constitution is a reflection of the existing balance of forces at any given time. We have it and therefore, it becomes negated one moment and then rises again. Then it is challenged once again by mass forces. That is how it happens," he said. "History does not have linear growth; there is no demarcation such as rulers and people. There are only people and representatives of the people. Any other ruler is someone who gets appointed without the consensus of the people. In our government, we do not have rulers, we have

representatives of the people. That is what we call 'Representative Democracy'. We do agree that it is not the best version of democracy. The best democracy is direct democracy; the best democracy was in the Soviet Council," he added. "Back then, we also supported the 19th Amendment. People like myself and N.M. Perera believed that the executive presidency should be done away with. We believed that reducing the power of the President and balancing it with the Prime Minister was a good thing," Nanayakkara added. He also criticised the idea of 'de-politicisation', which was a popular terminology used by the previous government. "When we agreed to establish the Constitutional Council, former Prime Minister Ranil Wickremesinghe attempted to include a number of people into the Council hiding behind this term. Why should we appoint people who do not answer to the people in such positions? I was against this move. Then the CC was established, amending the move," he said.

UNP calls on Parliamentarians to vote against 20A

The United National Party, issuing a press release yesterday, called on Members of Parliament to refrain from voting for the 20th Amendment to the Constitution. "We as a party have continually expressed concern that such an amendment would endanger our heritage enshrined in the Constitution, which is the sovereign right of the people of Sri Lanka. The independence of the judiciary, an independent Election Commission which protects the public's franchise, and the necessity to have a competent and independent Auditor-General, are all part of our

country's Constitution. "The UNP opposes the decision by the government to permit dual citizens to enter Parliament. The question that arises in such a situation is where would the loyalty of those citizens lie, with their country of birth or their adopted country?" the statement read. The passing of this amendment will allow for a precedent to be set which will threaten the inherent rights of the country, including ensuring Buddhism the foremost place in the country while affording equal rights and protection to other religions, the release added.

20A debate should not be a political battleground: Dullas

The debate on the 20th Amendment should not turn into a political battleground but a platform that discusses about drafting a new, comprehensive, and scientific Constitution, Minister of Power Dullas Alahaperuma said yesterday in Parliament. Minister Alahaperuma said, "The 1978 Constitution is extremely impractical and unscientific. Therefore, it underwent a series of amendments. Apart from a couple, the most number of amendments were made by the same UNP Government that passed this Constitution. Some of these amendments are controversial. The 12th Amendment was one such amendment. There was a government MP, one Abeyratne Pilapitiya. A communist party leader Sarath Muththetugama got elected to parliament from the seat Pilapitiya was competing in. So what did the then government do? They



came up with 12th Amendment. "This amendment increased the number of seats in the House from 225 to 226. It was not activated of course, but the amendment was done and House approved the proposal. From 1978 to 1987, there were 13 amendments done to the Constitution. It shows how shortsighted and personal they were when initially drafting this Constitution," he added. Minister Alahaperuma said, "Within 42 years, this Constitution has undergone 20 amendments. With a random calculation, this means an amendment has been done for every one-and-a-

half years from the passing of the Constitution. Isn't this document like a letter written by a child? The American Constitution, which is over 233 years old, has only had 27 amendments; the Australian Constitution, which is 119 years old, has only 9 amendments; the Korean Constitution is 72 years old and has only 9 amendments; and the Japanese Constitution, which is also 72 years old, has no amendments. All these countries have had only one constitution each, so far." "The problem lies with the drafting of the first Constitution. Now, at the debate on the 20th Amendment to the Constitution, it has turned into a battle between two political ideologies—this is not what should happen. The 19th Amendment is history; the 20th Amendment is our present. What we should discuss is of a new Constitution which is practical and scientific," he added.

19A weakened state mechanism: Dinesh

The state mechanism was weakened following the enactment of the 19th Amendment, Leader of the House Dinesh Gunawardena said. Joining the debate of the second reading of the 20th Amendment to the Constitution, he noted that this situation was made evident by the statements made by former President Maithripala Sirisena. Gunawardena referred to a statement made by

Sirisena that while he held the office of the presidency, he was unable to govern the country due to these limitations imposed by the 19th Amendment. He accused the former government of failing to bring about a constitutional amendment that guaranteed democracy for all Sri Lankans and ensured national security. Therefore, the Leader of the House assured that the 20th Amendment would



correct the mistakes of the 19th Amendment.

Rishad allowed to attend Parliament after completing quarantine: Sudarshini



SJB Vanni District MP Rishad Bathiudeen, who is currently in remand custody, will be allowed to attend Parliament only after completing 14 days at a quarantine centre, keeping with the procedure adopted to keep prisons COVID-19 free, State Minister of Prison Reforms and Prisoners' Rehabilitation Sudarshini Fernandopulle said yesterday. State Minister Fernandopulle said there are over 30,000 remand prisoners at present, and that strict health regulations are followed at all

prisons to avoid prisoners from contracting the virus. According to Fernandopulle, prison visits are temporarily suspended and no outside food is allowed within the premises. Fernandopulle made these observations in answer to a query raised by Chief Opposition Whip Lakshman Kiriella, as to why arrangements have not been made to allow Bathiudeen to attend Parliamentary sessions. Speaker Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena said that necessary health procedures have to be followed before the detained MP is allowed to attend sittings. When Opposition MPs queried as to how SLPP MP Premalal Jayasekera who was in prison serving a death sentence was allowed to attend sittings, Jayasekera said that he had been moved out of the prison and kept in quarantine for two weeks before being allowed to attend Parliamentary sittings.

20A would help government rule with an iron fist: Vigneswaran

The government is hurriedly bringing in the 20th Amendment to strengthen the hands of the rulers to govern with an iron fist and block the democratic corridors still available to the minorities, especially the Tamil-speaking population, MP C.V. Vigneswaran alleged. Joining the debate on the 20th Amendment in Parliament yesterday, he said, "It is unfortunate

that every party that has come into power in this island has been generally legislating to further the self-interest of that party, and its members and supporters, forgetting their duty towards the people and the country as a whole. Those who aspire to become a Lee Kuan Yew shed their party predilections if they are to progress." He pointed out that Lee Kuan Yew did not

pursue a Chinese Buddhist path, but loved every Singaporean whatever hue he or she was. "Branding the minority as terrorists might bring the vote of the majority, but would not help to take the country forward. There would certainly be a geopolitical and international reaction," he said. Vigneswaran said that it is in furtherance of their attitude in self-

interest that those in power today are bringing in this 20th Amendment to cloth a single individual with enormous powers. This would strike the death knell to democracy and human rights in this country, he added. He noted that it is funny that those in Sri Lanka want to denigrate democracy and desecrate decent dimensions in a democratic way of life.

UNP has lost its presence in Parliament: Cabraal

The United National Party, which brought in the 19th Amendment to the Constitution, has lost its presence in Parliament, State Minister Ajith Nivard Cabraal said yesterday. State Minister of Money and Capital Market and State Enterprise Reforms Ajith Nivard Cabraal made this observation delivering the concluding speech of the first day of the debate on the

20th Amendment to the Constitution. Minister Cabraal said, "When the Good Governance Government brought the 19th Amendment to Parliament, they spoke as if it would solve all the socioeconomic problems in the country. Then it was implemented, and we saw its repercussions. The country was dragged into a serious situation due to this amendment. Economy of the country and the liv-

ing conditions of the people dwindled. "Today, the very political party which brought in the 19th Amendment to the Constitution has only one seat in the House. Even that seat, they cannot decide on whom to send." Minister Cabraal added, "If we follow the same methodology followed by the Good Governance Government, we, too, will go down the same road. We don't want that. That

is why we immediately opted for an amendment to the Constitution and did away with all the shortcomings of the 19th Amendment. Later on, we shall bring about a new Constitution. "The 20th Amendment to the Constitution will create a solid political situation to create a strong economy. I hope some of the Opposition MPs would vote for this bill," he added.

First contempt of court case against Ranjan re-fixed for Nov. 6

LAKMAL SOORIYAGODA
The first contempt of court case filed against Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) Parliamentarian Ranjan Ramanayake was yesterday re-fixed for November 6 by Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court three-judge-bench comprising Justice Sisira de Abrew, Justice Vijith Malalgoda and Justice Preethi Padman Surasena fixed the matter for November 6 to be taken up for further clarifications. President's Counsel M.A.

Sumanthiran appearing for the respondent Ramanayake had moved for a further date since he was attending Parliamentary sessions.

The Supreme Court has already reserved its judgment in the contempt of court case filed against MP Ranjan Ramanayake for allegedly scandalizing the judiciary by making statements to the media.

Both prosecution and respondent parties have already concluded testifying evidence in connection with

this contempt of court case. All judges of the Supreme Court had earlier determined to proceed with contempt of court charges against the former Deputy Minister after perusing the transcript of the video footage pertaining to the alleged derogatory statement.

Ven. Magalkande Sudantha Thera and R. Sunil Perera, a retired Air Force Officer had made complaints to the Supreme Court seeking a contempt of court action against the then Dep-

uty Minister Ranjan Ramanayake for allegedly making insulting remarks on the reputation of the judiciary and lawyers, at a press conference held on August 21 last year.

President's Counsel M.A. Sumanthiran with Senior counsel Viran Corea appeared for the respondent. Additional Solicitor General Sarath Jayamanne with Senior State Counsel Suharshi Herath Jayaweera appeared for the Attorney General.

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He made this observation joining the Second Stage debate on the 20th Amendment to the Constitution Bill.

He said that one should consider as to why the 20th Amendment to the Constitution is essential. He added that the UNP led Government during their 100 day programme after 2015 thought that the paramount solution for all issues was the 19th Amendment.

"At any moment when they were questioned on any issue including the bankruptcy of the economy, the Good Governance Government's answer was that they set up Independent Commissions and brought about social justice," Minister Rambukwella said. "But their prime objective was to hate politics and to take revenge from their political opponents. They said they would make the mail address of Mahinda Rajapaksa the Welikada."

He said that in order to achieve this goal, the Good Governance Government set up Separate Police divisions and Courts.

He said that the Independent Commissions were set up by the Constitutional Council during the Good Governance Government. The composition of the Constitutional Council consists of 10 members - the President, Prime Minister, the Speaker of Parliament, the Leader of the Opposition, one person appointed by the President, five persons appointed by the President, on the nomination of both the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition and one person nominated by agreement of the majority of the Members of Parliament belonging to political parties or independent groups, other than the respective political parties or independent groups to which the Prime Minister and the

Leader of the Opposition belong, and appointed by the President.

"However, though it seemed it was just, it was not as they all worked together to achieve one goal," Minister Rambukwella said.

He said further if the Independent Commissions and the Good Governance Government had brought about social justice they wouldn't have to fear to go for elections. But the Good Governance Government deliberately delayed the elections and it delayed the Local Government elections more than two and half years. If they were fair and fruitful to the public, how were the 72 year old UNP and the 70 year old SLPF political parties defeated at the Local Government elections by the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna (SLPP) which had only been formed six months prior to that. Those two parties could win mere 40 seats from 342.

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social justice and to develop the economy was refused by the public," Minister Rambukwella said.

He added that hence all not only the people but also the 225 MPs too have to think again on the 19th Amendment to the Constitution as we need to make Social Justice a reality. So we have to consider the 19th Amendment to the Constitution and the mechanism for the same is the 20th Amendment Bill.

Unlike the 19th Amendment, we pass the 20th Amendment to the Constitution democratically. We discussed the matter with the public, then was allowed to take the matter before the Court. Thirty nine went before the Court and we consider the views of the Court. We also consulted the Ven Maha Sangha too. We could consider views of the 225 members here. We agreed to retain some constructive sections. The Opposition thinks that it is a drawback of the Government but it is democracy.

COVID-19 recoveries rise to 3,501

ISHARA MUDUGAMUWA
With the recovery of 44 patients that were infected with COVID-19, the number of recoveries has

increased to 3,501, Epidemiology Unit of the Health Ministry said.

The total number of COVID-19 patients stands

at 5,811 with 186 persons reported on yesterday, out of which 2,297 patients including 14 foreign nationals are still receiving treat-

ment at 23 hospitals. Another 356 suspected of being infected with the virus are under observation.

UN celebrates 75 years tomorrow

Prime Minister and Foreign Minister at virtual event

To mark its 75th anniversary on October 23, the United Nations is igniting a global debate, UN75. Launched by UN Secretary-General António Guterres, UN75 aims to be the largest and furthest-reaching worldwide conversation ever on building the future we want. By listening and learning, responding and engaging with as many people and constituencies as possible, this global event will also be an opportunity to trigger a dialogue about the UN itself, a media release issued by the United Nations - Sri Lanka said.

UN Day in Sri Lanka, celebrated virtually

on October 23, will focus on the global theme of 'Shaping Our Future Together', highlighting the importance of global cooperation and innovative solutions as the world recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic. Young people are especially vital to drive recovery efforts towards a sustainable future and their energy, enthusiasm and innovation need to be harnessed to build a better world.

The UN Day ceremony will feature Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa and Foreign Relations Minister Dinesh Gunawardena. As part of the event, a high-level UN75 Dialogue will bring

together young Sri Lankan influencers and experienced leaders to discuss 'the role of youth in harnessing multilateral cooperation for COVID-19 recovery'. Featured on the panel, moderated by UN Resident Coordinator Hanaa Singer, will be Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports Namal Rajapaksa alongside Academic and Advocate for the Sustainable Development Goals Dr. Buddima Sinasinghe, Assistant Director of the Ministry of Education Shadika Wazir and Activist and Digital Storyteller Benislos Thushan. Secretary to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Admiral Jayanath Colomb

Secretary to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Admiral Jayanath Colomb together with UN Global Compact Sri Lanka Dilhan Fernando, General Secretary of Sarvodaya Dr. Vinya Ariyaratne, Research Economist of the Institute of Policy Studies Kithmina Hewage, Co-Founder of Hashtag Generation Mahisha Balraj, Founder of UDecide Saranee Gunathilaka and Youth and Peace Activist Anojitha Sivakaran will also be joining the discussion.

The Dialogue will be open for online comments and discussions from the audience through live-stream on the UN Sri Lanka Facebook page from 4 pm tomorrow (23).

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High-risk prisoners to Boossa High Security Prison - Commissioner General of Prisons

MAHINDA P. LIYANAGE
Galle Central Special Correspondent

Commissioner General of Prisons H.M.T.N Upuldeniya said they will carry out a prompt classification of prisoners islandwide and the convicts who are graded as high-risk criminals will be detained at Boossa.

He made these observations following an inspection tour at the upgraded Boossa High Security Prison on Sunday. He unveiled the new name board of the prison and opened the newly-built bachelors' quarters at the premises. Any misdeed or transgression that would be a threat to the society will not be permitted to occur within prisons in the future, the Commissioner General of Prisons said.

"With the objective of assuring a secured country, Boossa Prison was upgraded as a High-Security Prison to detain high-risk convicts. The upgrading of the prison was initiated following a decision taken jointly by Defence Secretary Maj. Gen. (Retd) Kamal Gunaratne and the chiefs of the State Intelligence Service. They decided to keep back high-risk prisoners separated from other prisoners. We hope to take all

measures to protect society from any threat that would be caused by these high-risk inmates. It is our obligation to stop any social threat or intimidation from these notorious jailbirds," Upuldeniya said.
Commenting on the Prison Department's response to the COVID-19 outbreak, he stated that since the beginning of the pandemic eruption, they maintained a special scheme with regard to the new prisoners referred from the judiciary.
"We did not directly admit them to our prisons. Before they are sent to the respective jails, they are subjected to a compulsory 14-day quarantine process and subsequent PCR tests. In addition, we carry out random PCR tests within our prisons. We have currently stopped public visits to the high security prisons.

Instead, we have facilitated the prisoners to talk to their families once a week for three minutes," he said.

"Our prisons officials are collectively and cooperatively shoulder their responsibilities to uphold the high security status of prisoners. They work dedicatedly to end all misdeeds and duplicitous actions that were reported some time ago within the prisons. "We are specifically concerned over the hostel issue of the prison officials. State Minister Sudarshani Fernandopulle is planning a scheme to provide our officers with a special incentive for their devoted and proficient services," he revealed.

"At present illegal use of mobile phones inside prisons has been significantly discouraged. We are planning a new scheme for the rehabilitation of drug addicts among the prisoners. We are constantly maintaining links with the police and intelligence agents to obtain information on various illegal activities carried out in prisons. If we find any prison official is connected with such unlawful performances we shall strictly deal with such dishonest officials," he said.



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"The Constitution is the fountain of democracy. This democracy is the one that shields the ordinary."

These amendments to the Constitution will neutralize the Independent Commissions. I was reminded of the Wayamba election when I saw these amendments. Police were used to inflict violence. No such incidents happened owing to the Independent Commissions. These amendments will create an imbalance in the independence of the judiciary. I was reminded of late Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike's speech criticizing the 1978 Constitution brought by late President J.R. Jayewardene," MP Markar pointed out. MP Markar also said, "Any lay person given unprecedented power is doomed to be corrupt. So there are only two camps in our country now. One camp supports democracy and fights to ensure the rights of the people. The other camp relies upon tribal politics which promotes a dictatorial rule."

Madush's funeral held at Maharagama

Lawyer calls for death investigation

CHAMIKARA WEERASINGHE

The funeral of underworld figure Makandure Madush, who was shot dead Tuesday in a crossfire between Police and other underworld members, was held at the Godigamuwa Cemetery, Maharagama, yesterday.

The deceased's lawyer has called for an investigation into Madush's death. Madush was with two Colombo Crimes Division (CCD) officers at the time he was shot at a flat in the Maligawatta Housing Scheme. He had visited that location under the protection of the CCD.

Makandure Madush's body was kept at his legal wife's home, which was later taken from there to the home of a mistress of his at Pamunuwa, with the consent of Madush's legal wife.

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Three family members of Dockyard patient in Ahungalla contract virus

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Three family members of the Colombo Dockyard employee who was identified as a COVID-19 positive patient were tested positive for the infectious disease, Galle

District Regional Epidemiologist Venura K. Singharachchi said.

The patient was detected in Ahungalla of the Balapitiya Medical Officer of Health (MOH) division. Nine members of the infected employee were referred for PCR tests on Tuesday and three of them were found to have contracted the virus, the epidemiologist said.

Department of Local Government - Eastern Province

Notice on summon of meeting under the Local Authorities Elections (Amendment) Act No. 22 of 2012

By virtue of power vested on me under Section 66(G) of Local Authorities Elections as amended by Act No. 22 of 2012, I, Nagarasa Manivannan, the Commissioner of Local Government of Eastern Province do hereby summon the meeting to fill the vacancy arisen as a result of resigning the post of Vice Chairman of the Trincomalee Town & Gravets Pradeshiya Sabha, Trincomalee District, Eastern Province at 10.00 a.m. on 03.11.2020 at Trincomalee Town & Gravets Pradeshiya Sabha Council Hall for the purpose of elect the new Vice Chairman. Furthermore, the scheduled meeting has been published in the Gazette Notification (Extra Ordinary) No. 2198/8 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka on 20.10.2020.

N. Manivannan,
Commissioner of Local Government,
Department of Local Government,
Eastern Province.

EX-OIC remanded

SHAVINI MADHARA

A former Officer in Charge of the Pugoda Police Station, who was arrested over the death of a youth while in police custody, was remanded till October 27, Police Media Spokesperson DIG Ajith Rohana said.

DIG Ajith Rohana said the 20-year-old individual passed away at the Ragama Hospital on October 12, while in the custody of Pugoda Police. He said investigations were conducted into the death of the youth. A police sergeant and seven civilians were arrested and remanded in connection with this incident.

The arrested former OIC of the Pugoda Police was transferred to another police division after this incident. The DIG highlighted that action will be taken in a manner that is not in line with the law regarding the suspects in police custody.

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A welcome assurance

The assurance given by Health Minister Pavithra Wanniarachchi that Parliament would soon be told how the second wave of the Coronavirus originated in this country, would go a long way in clearing all doubts and misgivings while also helping in great measure the current efforts at containing the contagion.

The Minister answering an Oral Question by Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa in Parliament on Tuesday said the findings of the ongoing investigations to trace how the first Brandix garment factory employee contracted the Coronavirus would be tabled in Parliament. While admitting that 48 Brandix representatives from India had visited the Minuwangoda factory, the minister insisted that they were all Sri Lankans and were put through the mandatory 14 day quarantine procedure and also another 14 day isolation period, thereafter.

The findings of the investigation would certainly reveal if the current spread of the Coronavirus to all corners of the country had its origins in the Brandix cluster as per the assertions of Army Commander Shavendra Silva or if the pandemic had already entered the community via another source, in which case the country is already in the throes of the much feared social spread as speculated by many.

The signs that such a phenomenon is already upon us are evident going by the reach made by the pandemic to places and areas that appear far removed from the Minuwangoda cluster.

Also more areas continue to be brought under curfews with every passing day which is a fair indication that the virus has assumed a runaway form that a single cluster, although admittedly large, could alone not have been responsible for. The sooner the investigations are concluded the faster could the authorities move on to the next stage in devising emergency measures to tackle the wider spread of the pandemic.

Ominously, the virus also is showing signs of a rapid spread in the heart of the City, with the Fort Police, no less, having to temporarily shut down after an Inspector at the Station tested positive. Although work resumed by afternoon yesterday it showed how vulnerable Colombo could be to the virus, which could result in another paralysis of business and commercial activity and the economy by extension.

This is perhaps why the authorities have decided not to go for a lockdown in the Fort and the Pettah at least for the moment while the Health authorities are closely monitoring the situation.

Should the worst happen, the authorities will have no option but to effect a lockdown, given the teeming denizens that flood the city each day. True, the Epidemiology Unit doctors note that the present situation in the country has still not reached a community transmission level since all the patients detected so far had their sources and even second/third tier contacts identified. However the GMOA has a different view, maintaining that a community transmission of COVID-19 may have begun and has called on the authorities to impose at least zonal lockdowns in the high risk areas.

The Security Forces and health workers are working round the clock to combat the rapid spread of the virus but their success will largely depend on the cooperation they receive from the general public. But from all accounts, this cooperation is not readily forthcoming. Despite the issuance of the gazette, the other day, to legally prosecute those flouting the health guidelines, it is business as usual in most instances.

Despite the deterrent of a Rs.10,000 fine or a six month prison term for violators even the curfews are observed in the breach. According to Police Spokesman and Attorney-at-Law DIG Ajith Rohana 128 curfew violators were taken into custody in a single day in the areas under lockdown in Gampaha bringing the total number to 530 since the imposition of the curfew. Yet he goes on to say the intention of the Police is not arrest anyone but to shield the society from the Coronavirus. There is no doubt that it is this soft stance that has encouraged the public to act with impunity. Over 20,000 curfew violators were arrested during the first outbreak. Needless to say, they would all have been released with a warning and nothing more. We are seeing the consequences of Police leniency once again today when the virus has assumed a more virulent form.

It is time that the Police took a firm decision to deal with the violators of health guidelines in terms of the said gazette notification. Contact tracing and quarantining too should be carried out with firmness despite the complaints doing the rounds on social and mainstream media about certain aspects of it. The virus is now assuming dangerous proportions to leave anything to chance. Combatting the spectre will need the undivided attention, commitment and dedication of all the stakeholders including, most importantly, the public.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Our personal goal should be being happy and healthy, surrounded by loved ones.

- Kiana Tom



20A highlight of a decisive week

Hindsight

LAKDEV LIYANAGAMA

The Government is preparing to enact the 20th Amendment in law this week, even as it battles a growing Covid-19 cluster that threatens the economy and the Opposition protests that the Parliamentary debate on the legislative changes should be postponed because of the pandemic.

At the time of writing, the Supreme Court verdict on the 20th Amendment has been tabled in Parliament. The much-awaited verdict, which could have stalled the Amendment, states the several Articles in the Bill are inconsistent with the Constitution but this is not likely to hinder its passage.

The Court has ruled that Articles 3, 5, 14, and 22 of the Bill, as they stand, are not in accordance with the Article 3 of the Constitution which is to be read with the Article 4 of the Constitution. To approve the Amendment in its present form, it would require approval at a referendum, the Court has ruled.

However, the Supreme Court has concluded that the non-compliance of Articles 3 and 14 can be removed in accordance with the proposed committee stage amendments and the non-compliance of Article 5 may be removed by making amendments as provided in the decision of the Supreme Court.

Committee Stage of the debate

It is likely that the Government will now introduce amendments at the Committee Stage of the debate, enabling the passage of the 20th Amendment. This would still require the votes of 150 Members of Parliament to give the Government the two-thirds majority that is required to enact the Amendment.

The Government, headed by President Gotabaya Rajapaksa and led by Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa in Parliament campaigned seeking a mandate to repeal the 19th Amendment at both the General Election in August this year and at the Presidential Election held in November last year.

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa recorded a decisive victory at the Presidential Election. A two-thirds majority at a General Election had never been won since the proportional representation (PR) system of voting was introduced in 1989, but the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna (SLPP) won 145 seats.

This is just short of the 150 seats required for a two-thirds majority. However, there are several other parties which will add to the Government's ranks. This includes the Eelam Peoples' Democratic Party (EPDP) with two seats and one Member who contested on the Sri Lanka Freedom Party (SLFP) ticket.

The Government is therefore confident that it will be able to obtain the required 150 seats to ensure the smooth passage of the 20th Amendment through Parliament. This is despite reports of some internal rumblings of dissent within the Government's Parliamentary group and the Cabinet.

There have been reports that Minister of Water Supply Vasudeva Nanayakkara had indicated his opposition, particularly to the article allowing dual citizens to run for Parliament and President. Nanayakkara has publicly acknowledged this and also stated his views at meetings of the Cabinet.

Minister Nanayakkara is a respected politician with a long history of being a champion for causes he believes in. It is however expected

that the Minister will vote for the 20th Amendment as it is highly unlikely that he will aid in derailing what has become a priority issue for the incumbent Government.

A stronger voice of dissent has come from Dr. Wijeyadasa Rajapakse. The former minister who held the Justice portfolio in the previous Government headed by former President Maithripala Sirisena has written to President Gotabaya Rajapaksa, re-iterating his opposition to the proposed Amendment.

Independence of the judiciary

In doing so, the former Minister has cited two main reasons. They are the removal of State institutions from being under Parliamentary scrutiny for audit purposes and what Rajapakse perceives as an erosion of the independence of the judiciary, under changes proposed in the 20th Amendment.

In his letter, Parliamentarian Rajapakse states that while he believes President Gotabaya Rajapaksa would not use his powers excessively and to the detriment of the nation, a future President armed with all the powers vested in him through the proposed 20th Amendment has the potential to do so.

Rajapakse has a chequered political history. While being a State minister in the Government led by then President Mahinda Rajapaksa, he resigned on a matter of policy. However, he continued to serve as a parliamentarian in the Government group. He then crossed over to the United National Party (UNP).

In the previous coalition Government headed by former President Maithripala Sirisena, he was removed from his position as Minister of Justice at the request of the UNP after he repeatedly made public statements critical of the party's leadership and its policies while being in Government.

Later, when former President Sirisena appointed Mahinda Rajapaksa as his Prime Minister, Rajapakse served briefly as Minister of Education and Higher Education in the 52-day Government that ensued. Since then, he has been supportive of the SLPP and its policies.

In his letter to President Rajapaksa, Parliamentarian Rajapakse states that he is struggling with his conscience in trying to decide to vote for the 20th Amendment. However, whether this will translate into being defiant enough to vote against it or abstain from voting remains to be seen.

WHILE SOME OPPOSITION IS EXPECTED TO THE 20TH AMENDMENT, THOSE IN GOVERNMENT DO NOT DOUBT THAT IT WILL BE ENACTED. THE FOCUS WILL THEN SHIFT- AT LEAST IN THE SHORT TERM- TO CONTAINING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, BEFORE THE GREATER CHALLENGE OF ENACTING A NEW CONSTITUTION IS DEALT WITH.



Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa



EPDP Leader and Minister Douglas Devananda



Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa



SLFP Jaffna District MP Angajan Ramanathan

Another voice of dissent from within the Government's ranks comes from Kalutara District Parliamentarian Vidura Wickremanayake. Wickremanayake, who is the son of former Prime Minister Ratnasiri Wickremanayake polled the highest number of preference votes from the Kalutara district.

New Constitution

In media interviews, Wickremanayake has advocated the need for a new Constitution instead of a constitutional amendment. He argues that the 20th Amendment restores most of the changes brought about by the 18th Amendment which he says was detrimental to former President Mahinda Rajapaksa.

However, Wickremanayake has qualified his dissent stating that he will make a decision regarding the 20th Amendment after noting the Supreme Court verdict on the matter. Now that the verdict is in the public domain and provides for measures to enact the amendment, he may change his stance.

The Government also has to contend with opposition to the proposed 20th Amendment from an unexpected quarter, from religious denominations. The Catholic Bishops Conference, sections of the Amarapura and Ramanna sects of the Buddhist clergy and other monks have also expressed concern.

Of particular note is the opposition expressed by three prominent monks, Ven. Muruttetuwe Ananda Thera, Ven. Elle Gunawansa Thera and Ven. Bengamuwe Nalaka Thera who have written to President Gotabaya Rajapaksa expressing their views and their opposition to the 20th Amendment in its present form.

These monks have been supportive of former President Mahinda Rajapaksa on previous contentious issues. Hence their opposition to the 20th Amendment will strike a chord with the public which will note their concerns as not being politically motivated and therefore having greater credibility.

While the main opposition party, the Samagi Jana Balavegaya (SJB) has registered its vehement opposition to the proposed 20th Amendment, there is little the party can do by itself to mobilise masses in the current political and social climate, especially in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic.

The SJB has only 54 seats in Parliament and, even with the assistance of other opposition parties, it

is difficult to muster the 75 seats needed to thwart the passage of the proposed 20th Amendment. It is also handicapped in its efforts to organise public agitation because of the ongoing pandemic.

Therefore, despite the voices of dissent that are emerging from both within and without the Government, it is likely that the 20th Amendment, incorporating the changes suggested by the Supreme Court, will become law and take its due place within the annals of the 1978 Constitution.

The Government is then likely to concentrate its efforts on promulgating a new Constitution entirely. This is also a priority for President Gotabaya Rajapaksa who believes the present Constitution is not best placed to take the country forward - as evidenced by its recent multiple amendments.

The Government has already appointed a committee headed by prominent lawyer and President's Counsel Romesh de Silva to formulate the contours of the proposed new Constitution. This is however a much more onerous task than enacting the 20th Amendment - and will take a longer time.

Electoral system change

That Constitution too is likely to incorporate a Presidential system of Government. A major reform being contemplated is a change to the system of elections. Both the first-past-the-post and PR systems of elections have not been very successful in Sri Lanka over the past seventy-two years of self-rule.

Various modifications to the system of elections incorporating salutary aspects of both election methods are being considered. Countries which use a 'hybrid' system of elections are being studied to arrive at a method which will be most beneficial and practical to Sri Lanka.

The 20th Amendment, when enacted, will confer a significant degree of authority on President Gotabaya Rajapaksa. Already armed with a mandate from the people from December last year, it will enable the President to act swiftly and with sweeping authority to enact his programme of reforms.

While some opposition is expected to the 20th Amendment, those in Government do not doubt that it will be enacted. The focus will then shift - at least in the short term - to containing the Covid-19 pandemic, before the greater challenge of enacting a new Constitution is dealt with.



SRI LANKA: THE ROLE OF MULTILATERAL DEVELOPMENT BANKS

DINUSHA PANDITARATNE
 After the outbreak of Covid-19 earlier this year, some predicted that the pandemic's economic reverberations in Sri Lanka would lead China to increase its already considerable funding to the island state. Indeed, as early as mid-March 2020, the China Development Bank agreed to lend Sri Lanka US\$ 500 million when it upsized an existing facility signed in 2018. More recently, the CDB agreed to lend a further US\$ 140 million to the state-owned Bank of Ceylon.

Predictions of Sri Lanka's closer ties with China have redoubled since the sweeping electoral victory of the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna—the party of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa and Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa—in the country's legislative elections on August 5.

Several factors could propel Sri Lanka and China to forge closer relations, but there are also some countervailing pull factors that may limit the extent of China's funding and influence. An underappreciated pull factor is the contribution of Multilateral Development Banks (MDBs) to alleviating the country's economic burdens. During the Covid-19 pandemic, MDBs like the Asian Development Bank have contributed far less to Sri Lanka than they have to other South Asian countries. This in turn has amplified China's bilateral role in the country. Increased funding from MDBs could reduce the depth of China's future footprint in Sri Lanka.

A recent paper by Chatham House, which I co-authored with other Sri Lankan colleagues, challenged the narrative that Sri Lanka is mired in a Chinese debt trap—noting that debt to China amounted to less than 6% of GDP in 2018. Nevertheless, it also recognised the risk of a debt trap in the future, and critics have pointed out that loans from China come with fewer procedural safeguards than those from MDBs.

The predicted negative economic growth in Sri Lanka this year as a result of the global pandemic will add pressure to the country's debt-to-GDP ratio, which stood at 87% last year, and to its ability to service that debt with limited dollar reserves. These concerns are despite Sri Lanka's success in containing the pandemic due to early and decisive steps like closing its borders in March and an active contact tracing system. At the end of July

2020, there were fewer than 2,900 cases and 11 deaths.

Sri Lanka's challenging economic reality is among the strongest push factors towards its greater dependence on Chinese bilateral aid. This is particularly because of China's reliably swift responses—a speed that was also evident after the devastating terrorist attacks on Easter Sunday last year, when China was the first country to relax its travel advisory about Sri Lanka.

New development projects

Further push factors include the new Government's need to garner global support to defend Sri Lanka's human rights record in international forums, increase foreign investment, modernise its technological capabilities and meet its significant infrastructure gap (at an estimated cost of US\$ 24 billion based on a 2014 World Bank study) through existing projects under the Belt and Road Initiative and new development projects. An additional push factor is the growth of China's public diplomacy, including with Sri Lanka's majority Buddhist community.

On the other hand, the logistical difficulties faced during the pandemic by many construction and other companies in Sri Lanka point to the country's need to diversify its supply chains from China. Other pull factors that sustain Sri Lanka's non-China relationships,



The Port City complex

and can thereby limit China's influence, include Sri Lanka's need for economic assistance from diverse sources and its multifaceted security relationships with India and other partners. More generally, pull factors encompass Sri Lanka's need to give visible contours to a non-aligned foreign policy that it has pledged to continue, particularly in view of spiralling US-China tensions.

One pull factor that warrants special mention is the extent to which international financial institutions are aiding, or could aid, Sri

Lanka. After the outbreak of Covid-19, Sri Lanka sought US\$ 300 million from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and an additional amount from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB), and renewed its discussions with the International Monetary Fund (IMF). Sri Lanka is yet to receive substantial funding from MDBs, relative to its neighbours. As of the end of July, MDBs had committed US\$ 386 million to Sri Lanka, compared to, for example, over US\$ 1 billion allocated to Nepal.

Although media reports have highlighted Chinese assistance to Sri Lanka, these reports neglect a comparative perspective. In effect, Chinese loans in this pandemic year are helping Sri Lanka to close its funding gap from MDBs. The role of multilateral aid in shaping China's post-Covid footprint in Sri Lanka is particularly significant because of opposition in some quarters to bilateral assistance, particularly from the US—which has offered a compelling US\$ 500 million grant for transport and land administration projects—and India, from which Sri Lanka has nevertheless accepted a US\$ 400 million swap facility that contributed markedly to Sri Lanka's foreign reserves.

Chinese assistance

In this context, middle powers like Australia—which partnered with the World Health Organization to commit A\$ 600,000 to Sri Lanka's COVID-19 response—would do well to continue to support MDBs and other multilateral initiatives. Australia should likewise continue to back multilateral institutions like the Indian Ocean Rim Association that help to maintain a rules-based, peaceful Indian Ocean—an objective that Sri Lankan policymakers know is indispensable to the country's future and will require the cooperation of many nations beyond China.

China has established itself as an enduring partner of Sri Lanka. During the Cold War, Sri Lanka turned alternately to the West and the Soviet Union, depending on its leaders in power. There is little such local vacillation in the 'new cold war' between the US and China; even the presumed pro-Western Government between 2015 and 2019 relied heavily on Chinese assistance.

That China will solidify its partnership with Sri Lanka appears a given, but the extent to which it does so will depend on multiple factors that link Sri Lanka to its non-Chinese partners. International financial institutions have a key role to play in diversifying Sri Lanka's international partnerships and engagement, a role that middle powers can also support in different ways.

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WOULD YOU PREFER TO GO BACK TO 19A OR MOVE FORWARD WITH 20A?

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Would you prefer to go back to 19A or move forward with 20A, is the question asked by many.

The pertinent question that should be answered is as follows:

Do we, as sovereign people need (A) a strong and effective 'Executive Presidential system' or (B) a 'Hybrid model' of governance, where a combined group consist of President-legitimate position as the 'Executive' and (in addition to their legitimate function as Legislature) the Speaker/Prime Minister and other members of Parliament should exercise the 'Executive Powers of the people' under Article 4.

No party had obtained the required special 2/3rd majority at the General Election in August 2015 to make changes to the 1978 Constitution. However, with the support of SLFP headed by then President Maithripala Sirisena, the UNP, JVP, TNA, Muslim Congress and few Non-Governmental Organi-

sations have been able to bring in 19A.

Two governance models

As we all know, there is a clash between two distinctly separate ideologies recognized and preached by the two main political forces practicing their own idealistic governance model.

(1) RW/SP/ RS/RH/RB/UNF - The neo-liberal economic model coupled with western backed Westminster style Parliamentary system of governance advocating a near federal style of Constitution is in the process of bringing more and more constitutional and economic reforms leading to dilution of a strong Sri Lankan identity.

(2) MR/SLPP/GR/MS/SLFP - Those who oppose such moves are reliant on more socialist oriented market based economic development model coupled with a strong presidential system of governance with a more pragmatic form of

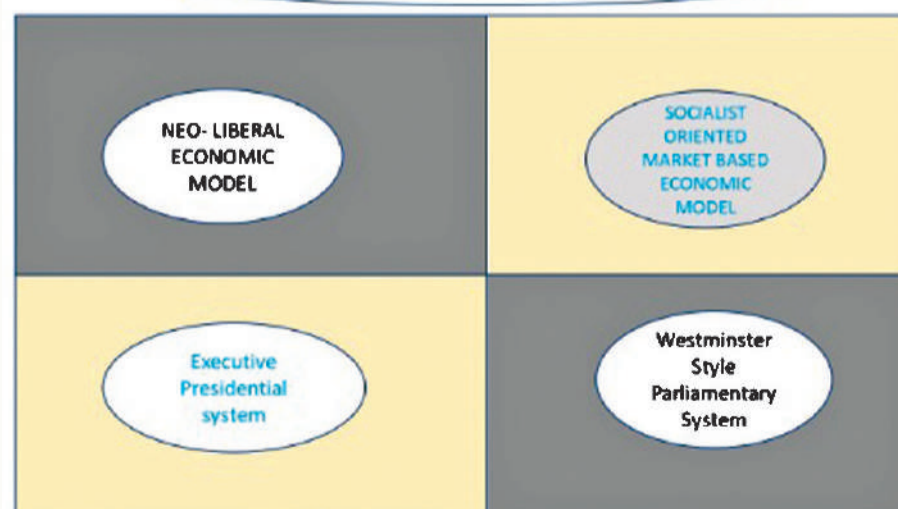
devolution of power to the periphery.

Most suitable governance model

This is a matter for the people of this country to ascertain the most suitable governance model for Sri Lanka which needs a political solution rather than just interpreting constitutional provisions.

The President, Maithripala Sirisena had at that time categorically stated that he cannot head a government of UNP/TNA as their agenda is to go beyond federalism. Also, then President Maithripala Sirisena had pointed out that there are pending court cases against the UNF on Bond scam reports, threats to national security etc. Unfortunately, he was a prisoner of circumstances where he couldn't get the support of the

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masses and SLPP headed by Mahinda Rajapaksa was considered as the only viable alternative with Gotabaya Rajapaksa as the undisputed leader of the future government to be elected by majority of people.

Mandate for Gotabaya Rajapaksa and SLPP/SLFP not to UNF

At the last two national elections - the November 19 Presidential elections as well as at the 2020

General Elections people have given a clear mandate to do away with 19A. Until a new Constitution is enacted, it is of utmost importance to clearly define the roles, powers and obligations of the Executive and the Legislature for smooth functioning of the government to improve the economic welfare of the people and preserve national security.

It was reported that the Supreme Court has already given its determination on the legality of the constitutional amendments under 20A and the government has agreed to make necessary changes to the draft bill of 20A Gazette before it will be put to the House during the Committee Stage to get 2/3rd majority.

There seems to be a consensus among the members and rank and file of the SLPP/SLFP to abolish 19A and govern the country under a strong Executive Presidential System.

2280TH ANNIVERSARY OF PARINIRWANA OF VEN. ARAHAT MAHINDA THERA

RENOVATION OF MIHINTALA RAJA MAHA VIHARAYA BEGINS TOMORROW



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Chief Incumbent of Mihintala Raja Maha Viharaya Most Ven. Dr. Walawahengunawewe Dhammarathana Thera said the 2280th anniversary of parinirwana of Ven. Arahata Mahinda Thera falls tomorrow (23). All arrangements have been made to renovate Dhathu Mandiraya of Mihindu Maha Seya and the stairs of Mihindu Guhava at the Mihintala Raja Maha Viharaya to mark the death anniversary under the guidance of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa and Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa.

The great result of the arrival of Ven. Arahata Mahinda Thera was the creation of a civilized nation with culture, art, language and advanced irrigation system. People of this country respect and honour Ven. Arahata Mahinda Thera because he spread Buddhism among Sri Lankans.

Mihintala Dhatu Maha Seya was built during the rule of King Uththiya, the brother of King Devanampiyatissa, placing the relics of Mihindu Maha Thera inside the seya. Renovation of the temple and other sacred places will be inaugurated at an auspicious time tomorrow.



Chief Incumbent of Mihintala Raja Maha Viharaya Most Ven. Dr. Walawahengunawewe Dhammarathana Thera



Defence Secretary Maj.Gen.(Retd) Kamal Gunaratne inspecting the progress of development work while Chief Incumbent of Mihintala Raja Maha Viharaya Most Ven. Dr. Walawahengunawewe Dhammarathana Thera looks on. (Pictures by Amila Prabath Wanasingha - Anuradapura Additional)

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa is scheduled to participate in religious activities which are held to mark parinirwana of Ven. Arahata Mahinda Thera at Mihintala Raja Maha Viharaya.

Speaking on religious activities of the forthcoming event, the Ven. Thera requested devotees to offer their gratitude and respect to Ven. Arahata Mahinda Thera by engaging in religious activities - *Dana, Seela, Bhavana*. It is true that devotees cannot gather at religious places due to the COVID-19 pandemic. But they can engage in spiritual activities.

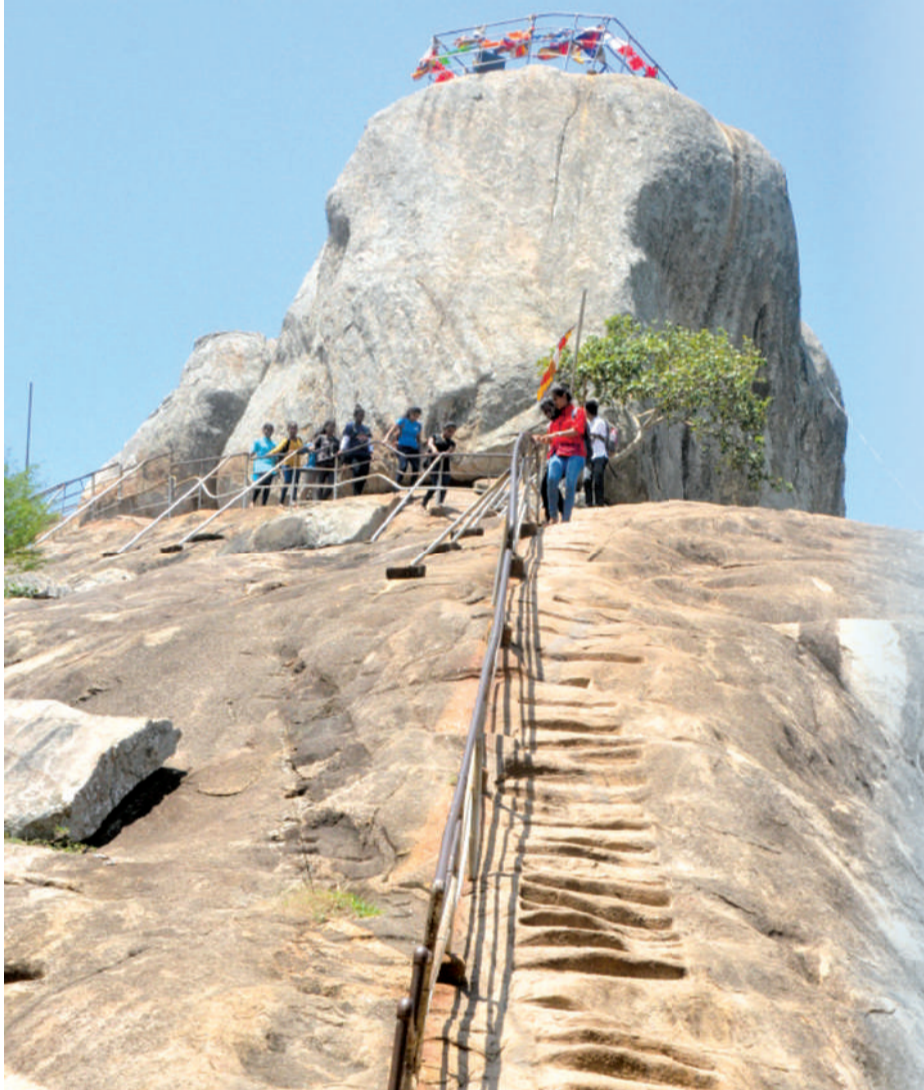
It is expected to sprinkle flowers from the air on Mihintala Sacred Temple during the event. The Chief

Incumbent acknowledged the great service and financial assistance given by Most Venerable Kiribathgoda Gnanananda Maha Thera, dayaka sabha and the businessman who owns Pinwatta Jems.

According to Most Ven. Dr. Dhammarathana Thera, after the completion of renovation work of Mihindu Maha Seya which was neglected past, it will be 101 feet high and the circumference will be 150 feet. The Ven. Thera was of the opinion that Mihindu Mahimi Parinirvana Day should be

declared as a state ceremony. A special progress review meeting was held recently and representatives from Tri-Forces, Police, Archeology Department, Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd (Lake House) and Civil Security Forces attended. Lake House sponsors for the event.

Defence Secretary Maj.Gen. (Retd) Kamal Gunaratne recently inspected the development work in the premises and instructed the relevant authorities to expedite the renovation work.



THIRST IN ANURADHAPURA TO END SOON

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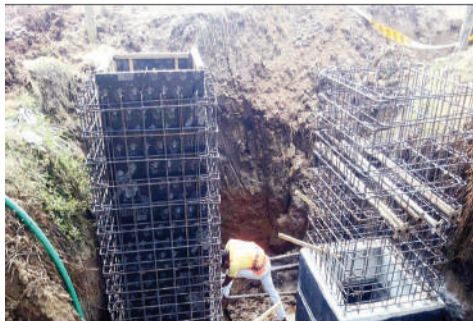
The Government has been endeavouring to provide safe drinking water to the public. It is reported that around Rs. 150,000 million was spent by the Government in the last seven years for the supply of drinking water to the public. At present, under the National Water Supply and Drainage Board (NWSDB), 350 major water supply projects are in operation. The World Bank, Asian Development Bank and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) have been continuously supporting the Government's efforts to provide potable water to rural villages where the risk of kidney disease is high.

The Green Climate Fund in association with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) have come forward with a financial donation of Rs. 6,500 million for enhancing climate-resilient decentralized water supply and management solutions to provide access to safe drinking water in seven districts including Anuradhapura. The NWSDB has started 10 mega water projects and wastewater projects for which the cost is estimated as USD 1,331. It is envisaged to increase water supply coverage from 49 percent to 60 percent by 2021. In the Anuradhapura District, there are 3,000 rural tanks and 15 major tanks. The total water capacity of those major tanks is nearly 700,000 acre-feet. In addition, three major rivers namely Yan Oya, Kala Oya and Malwathu Oya are available. But a significant number, around 856,000 persons, have fallen prey to kidney diseases due to the acute shortage of safe potable water in the Anuradhapura District.

In this background, JICA has agreed to provide funds to commence two mega water projects for the benefit of around 295,000 people living in Rambewa, Medawachchiya, Padaviya, Kebithigollewa, Horowpothana, Kahatagasdigiliya Divisional Secretariat divisions who are suffering from the lack of safe drinking water. It is learnt that a majority of the population in the Anuradhapura North region suffer from different health issues. They highly depend on unsafe groundwater which leads to Chronic Renal Failure (CRF),



Project Director Riswan



Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD), dental fluorosis and skeletal fluorosis.

JICA and the Sri Lankan Government are the funding agencies of the two mega water projects. The foreign cost component (JPY

5,166 million) of the Anuradhapura North Water Supply Project - Phase I is covered by JICA while the Lankan Government covers the local cost component which is Rs. 2,789 million. Construction work of Phase I is in progress. For Phase II,

JICA is providing JPY 19,409 million while the Government is spending Rs. 4,732 million. Phase - II of the project was commenced on May 1, 2018, and the target is to complete it before November 2024.

Mahakanadarawa Reservoir (36,250 acre-feet) at the foot of Mihintala rock is the main water source for the emerging Anuradhapura North Water Supply Project - Phase II. It has been planned to supply 6,700 cubic meters water daily from the Mahakanadarawa Tank and to remove a quantity of 10,500 cubic meters water daily from Wahalkada Tank considering the drinking water requirement. Project Director Riswan told the *Daily News* that it is expected to obtain an additional vol-

ume of water annually from Moragahakanda Reservoir within the next three years.

"At present, a water treatment plant with a capacity of 9,400 cubic meters is under construction close to Mahakanadarawa Tank. Under this project, three underground tanks are being built at Rambewa, Madawachchiya and Pihimbiyagollewa and a few water towers are being constructed at Rambewa, Ethakada, Isinbassagala and Pihimbiyagollewa," he said.

According to him, the length of the main transmission line is 163 kilometres and a length of 340 kilometres of the main distribution line has been completed. A sum of Rs. 300 million has been allocated under the water project to renovate the canal system of Mahakanadarawa Reservoir. There are 28 water towers in the area that come under the Anuradhapura North Water Supply Project - Phase I, controlled by community-based organizations in 28 Grama Niladari divisions. There is a problem with the safety and the quality of water that is being distributed from these C.B.O mini water projects and these water towers lack potable water for distribution. It is planned to provide adequate water to these water towers ensuring the quantity and quality of drinking water.

Anuradhapura North Water Supply Project - Phase II Project Director Engineer Sudath Rathnayake, referring to the current progress of the project, said under Stage I of Phase II,

a total drinking water quantity of 16,500 cubic metres/day will be produced and further it is expected to produce 33,000 cubic metres/day under Stage - II.

"Other components of the water project include the construction of a 34,800 cubic metres/day intake, nine ground reservoirs and 11 elevator towers. The total length of the transmission and distribution lines would be 152 kilometres and 1,050 kilometres respectively," he explained.

Rathnayake said newly-inaugurated Horowpothana Yan Oya Reservoir is the main water source for Phase II. Under Stage I of Phase II, the intake has been designed with a capacity of 34,800 cubic metres/day which is scheduled to be started next year. The construction of the mega water project is being accelerated under the guidance of Water Supply Ministry Secretary Engineer Priyath B. Wickrama and NWSDB Chairman Nishantha Ranatunga in association with irrigation authorities as per the vision of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa to provide safe drinking water to all.



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Govt assures stable rupee and low-interest rate

DINESH PERERA

State Minister of Capital Markets and State Enterprise Reform Ajith Nivard Cabraal assured the private sector that the rupee was going to be stable and that interest rates would remain low and stable. Cabraal was delivering the keynote address at the Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka Conference on October 21 held virtually. Sri Lanka is negotiating new financial instruments to handle the downturn caused by the

pandemic. Cabraal said "we need special instruments in place so the downturn is managed, so we can have reasonable interest rates. We have had to see that sufficient money is pumped into the economy." "Hopefully we can move into these new instruments so that there can be no undue influence on the economy." Cabraal noted that the current crisis was unprecedented and as such there was no textbook mechanism to get out of it. He called for innovative

thinking and a pragmatic approach to get out of the current downturn. Sri Lanka has been running a fiscal deficit. Four percent of GDP has been spent in terms of revenue losses to help lift the economy from its low growth trajectory in the period before 2019 and because of the COVID-19 pandemic. Cabraal promised the private sector that there would be state enterprise reform. There are over 800 projects being undertaken by the current gov-

ernment with over 300 being over Rs 1 billion. Cabraal said "the Government service is to be a lot more efficient. We expect that to be a trigger, the stage would be set for the private sector to do better." The country is expected to receive a lot of FDI with linkages to the Port City and Hambantota Port developments. Cabraal said, "The accountants of the world all 375,000 of them, there were a lot less when I was president (of the South Asian Federation of

Accountants), can contribute and move forward with a lot of confidence. We are now a lot more prepared for the fallout. People know how to manage the illness." Cabraal noted that the financial system was under some challenges. Loan collection had been difficult and non-performing loans were rising. Due to the economic fallout, there has been a need for moratoriums but at the same time consider the strength of financial institutions. Were possible



economic activity as with agriculture was allowed to function during the lockdown. The strong containment of COVID-19 meant that the economy was opened earlier. Cabraal noted that if it wasn't for strong management of the economy there would have been a need for increased taxation.

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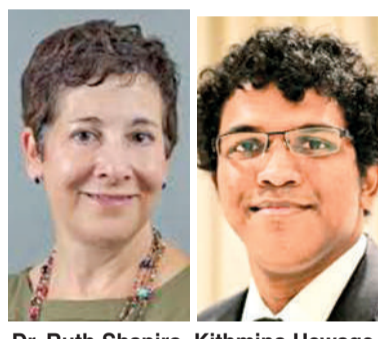
Airtel to introduce 4G services using superior spectrum

Airtel Lanka said yesterday that it has been allotted 4G spectrum by the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka (TRCSL) and will soon launch its high speed mobile broadband services across the country. Airtel 4G will operate in the efficient 850 Mhz band, which has higher signal propagation. This will translate into a superior 4G network experience for customers with wider network availability and most importantly better indoor coverage. Customers can also look forward to unlocking best-in-class digital experience over Airtel 4G with a wide range of applications across entertainment and self-care from Airtel's global portfolio. Airtel Lanka Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Ashish Chandra said that they are thankful to the government and the TRCSL for allotting us the 4G spectrum. "We look forward to delighting customers across Sri Lanka with world-class 4G services. The 850 MHz band will enable us to deliver a truly differentiated high speed network experience to our customers with superior indoor coverage, which is a must in today's scenario of work from home and online education." Bharti Airtel Lanka (Airtel Lanka) commenced commercial operations of services in Sri Lanka on January 12th, 2009, and was the fastest operator to reach 1 million customers in the country.



'Asia for Asia' philanthropy must fill the gap of declining int'l aid'

Asia has amassed one-third of the world's wealth, but still has two-thirds of the world's poor. Dr. Ruth Shapiro, CEO of The Centre for Asian Philanthropy and Society's (CAPS) said.



Dr. Ruth Shapiro, Kithmina Hewage

"There is now a unique opportunity to use this newly created wealth to alleviate poverty, protect the environment and promote societal resilience. DGI2020 makes it clear that governments, private donors and the social sector must work together, now more than ever, to build a stronger, more prosperous and more equitable Asia as we overcome the economic crisis caused by Covid-19." CAPS second edition of its Doing Good Index (DGI2020) reveals the vital role of the social sector, and how

Asian countries help or hinder it. The study identifies opportunities for the Sri Lankan government to do more for society, as well as how private/corporate donations must play their part in meeting people's needs.

As the world struggles to cope with the ongoing pandemic, one thing has become clear: there is no going back to the way things were. Faced with stagnating or contracting economies, governments in Asia are finding it difficult to keep pace with the growing needs of their people. In this context, the social sector, backed by funding from businesses and private individuals, has become even more critical in the provision of vital social services. In the wake of the COVID-19 outbreak, charitable giving has focused on local community response. International support is declining and "Asia for Asia" philanthropy must fill the gap. If Asians donate the equivalent of 2% of their gross

domestic product, an enormous US\$ 587 billion can be made available annually - 12 times the net foreign aid flowing to Asia, and nearly 40% of the additional US\$1.5 trillion that Asia Pacific needs to spend annually to meet the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals by 2030. "The global pandemic has accelerated the decline in foreign funding among local social delivery organizations, and there is a growing reliance on domestic philanthropy more than ever to ensure that community needs are met," said Research Economist of the Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka, Kithmina Hewage. "It is crucial for the social sector to work closely with the government and corporate to increase domestic

funds that not only address immediate COVID-19-related needs, but also longer-term needs related to disaster management, environmental conservation, poverty alleviation, and post-conflict reconciliation." The DGI2020 research surveyed 2,189 SDOs and interviewed 145 country experts across 18 Asian economies: Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand and Vietnam. The Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka (IPS) is the local partner for the Sri Lankan component of the study.

CIC posts Rs. 1.4 bn PAT for first six months



CIC Holdings PLC successfully braved the COVID 19 Pandemic with a sterling performance during the first half of the current financial year to record a Profit After Tax (PAT) of Rs. 1.4 billion, an increase of 150% over the corresponding period in the previous year. The exceptional performance comes on the backdrop of the Group recording a Rs.1.1 billion PAT at the end of the last financial year, and is the result of the Group restructuring that commenced over the last two financial years. The diversified conglomerate which has a strong presence in

the islands agricultural sector saw its revenue reach Rs. 17 billion, an increase of 16% over the previous year. CIC Holdings which operates its businesses under five categories, Crop Solutions, Agri Produce, Livestock Solutions, Industrial Solutions and Health/Personal Care witnessed top line and bottom line growth in all businesses. The Crop Solutions sector comprising Plant Nutrients, Seeds and Agro Chemicals was the standout performer. With the Government laying more emphasis on Agriculture together with the favorable weather conditions that prevailed during the last six

months; CIC was able to record a significant growth in both the top line and bottom line in the Crop Solution Businesses. The Health and Personal care segment comprising of Link Natural, Pharmaceutical, Surgical and Medical Devices also contributed significantly towards the Groups Overall Performance. Despite facing unprecedented challenges during the lockdown and post lockdown periods, the Company navigated its resources giving utmost importance to Health Guidelines that were in place and strictly followed all safety measures in conducting its island wide, operations.

Overall earnings plunge due to bleak economic climate

The March 2020 quarter earnings has declined by 52.0%YoY for 266 companies. Threby March quarter earnings dipped by 51.9%YoY to Rs 33.6 billion primarily owing to sluggish performance in Diversified Financials (-87%YoY), Capital Goods (-63%YoY), Food, Beverage & Tobacco (-72%YoY), Telecommunication (-52%YoY) and Consumer Services (-101%YoY). However, upbeat quarterly performance was only witnessed in the following sectors, Banks (+32%YoY) followed by Food, Staples, and Retailing (+96%YoY) and Materials (+8%YoY), First Capital Research said. Lackluster performance in Diversified Financials, Capital Goods & Food, Beverage and Tobacco sectors was mainly owing to subdued economic growth which was heightened by the pandemic Covid-19 striking the island. PLC profit dipped by -90%YoY due to high impairments because of the slowdown in the economy caused a reduction in disposable income of customers and

business volumes. Consequently, there was a rise in non-performing loans in the sector which was the main factor for the decline in earnings of COCR (-56%YoY), LOFC (-29%YoY), LFNI (-19%YoY) as well. Therefore, primarily led by the above-mentioned counters, the Diversified Financial sector recorded a decline of 87%YoY. Plunge in earnings by 63%YoY in Capital Goods was chiefly driven by SHL earnings reporting a loss of Rs 3.3 billion (-11033%YoY) followed by the decline in earnings in BRWN (-53%YoY) and SPEN (-45%YoY). Notably, JKH recorded a growth of 18% YoY primarily due to the growth in profits in Consumer Foods, Retail and Property segments, overall, the Capital Goods sector recorded a decline in earnings. Banking sector witnessed a profit growth of 32%YoY to record Rs 14.6 billion primarily driven by COMB (+20%YoY), HNB (+57%YoY) and SAMP (+27%YoY). COMB, HNB and SAMP profits were boosted due to financial investment gains (forex and mark to market gains) coupled with the removal of NBT and Debt Repayment Levy which improved the bottom line. CARG recorded an impressive growth of 134%YoY driven by the growth in FMCG and retail space, benefitting the Food, Staples and Retailing sector to record a growth of 96%YoY.



Kingslake streamlines Basilur Tea operations with Infor CSI

Leading IT and Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) experts Kingslake announced a breakthrough partnership with globally renowned Pure Ceylon Tea brand, Basilur Tea, to streamline manufacturing operations through the implementation of the Infor CloudSuite Industrial (CSI) Quickstart solution. Kingslake has introduced next-generation seamlessly connected manufacturing technology capable of enabling advanced, highly flexible solutions and functionality that is essential for remaining competitive in a technologically driven environment. Kingslake will host a free webinar that will provide comprehensive insights into how Infor CloudSuite can drastically improve planning



Duleep Fernando and Sumith Jayawickrama

and management of people, machines, and tools across a manufacturing supply chain. The free webinar scheduled for 16 October from 3-5 p.m. will also detail out how enterprises can leverage the solution to reduce lead-time

in manufacturing, minimise overheads, reduce work-in-progress and finished goods inventory and ultimately increase throughput in order to achieve expanded profitability in any manufacturing enterprise. Speaking on the potential of Infor CSI Quickstart to catalyse growth at scale among Sri Lanka's key business sectors, Kingslake CEO Duleep Fernando said: "Advancements in these technologies means that impactful solutions are more cost-effective and within reach of businesses of any size. For example, we offer special modular user licensed based pricing, which enables a more cost-effective approach to transforming manufacturing businesses." To page 12

CDL resumes limited operations from today

Colombo Dockyard PLC had enforced strict health guide lines and maintained high level of compliance since the beginning of Covid19 pandemic in the island, in order to protect our team, our clients and other stake holders from the virus, a statement from Colombo Dockyard PLC said. "With the triggering of a new wave on October 4, the management further strengthened the preventive measure and enhanced the screening process with additional random PCR tests among our employees. With these random tests, two Covid

Positive employees were detected on October 15 and 16 respectively, having direct links to the ill-fated Matugama AC Bus. By October 20, altogether 23 employees have been tested positive for Covid-19 from 600 plus PCR Tests done and results of further 900 plus tests done on October 19 and 20 are awaited. "All infected employees are under medical care and first contacts are under quarantine as per health guide lines. Arrangements have been made for the wellbeing of the affected families." "Entire yard has been disinfected and the operations have been limited only for essential service from October 17, onwards to facilitate further health screening and sanitization of premises." Detailed contact tracing, screening, isolation of immediate contacts are continuing under direct guidance of health authorities. All required steps have been taken to contain any further community transmission within the yard and among other stake holders. "Limited operations are to be resumed from October 22, onward, with necessary clearance from health and other authorities."

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ComBank adjudged 'Most Engaging Banking partner of the Year' by Daraz

The Commercial Bank of Ceylon was crowned 'The Most Engaging Banking Partner of the Year' at the Daraz Seller Summit 2020, Sri Lanka's premier online shopping destination owned by Alibaba Group. The award was presented to the Bank for processing the most number of transactions from a single card base and for sustaining a large base of Debit and Credit Card holders in a single year.

Commercial Bank's card promotions with Daraz and its collaboration with Ant Financials, Singapore, an



Commercial Bank's Head of Card Centre Thusitha Suraweera (extreme left) receiving the award for 'The Most Engaging Banking Partner of the Year' from Daraz Managing Director Rakhil Fernando at the Seller Summit 2020 and (right image) representatives of the two institutions at the event.

affiliate of the Alibaba Group, to improve the success rates of its card trans-

actions were attributed to the Bank achieving its target and winning the coveted

award. The Bank has partnered with Daraz both on a campaign basis and

with daily offers to provide instalment plans and payment discounts to online shoppers to increase engagement.

The Bank has been a part of the Alibaba ecosystem including Daraz from 2018 and is recognised as the longest partnering bank with Daraz, which is celebrating its fourth anniversary in Sri Lanka in October.

The collaborative efforts of both Daraz and Commercial Bank continue to empower Sri Lanka's digital economy, the Bank said.

Allianz, world's No 1 Insurance brand again In Interbrand's Best Global Brands Ranking

For the second consecutive time, Allianz has emerged as the top insurance brand in the world, according to Interbrand's Best Global Brands Ranking. The positive news comes at an especially uncertain time for markets and industries across the globe, as they attempt to navigate the challenges of a worldwide pandemic.

"Our focus on resilience, integrity and customer centricity is paying off. Allianz has once again been recognized as No 1 insurance brand globally, which is fantastic news and confirms that we are on the right track," said Oliver Bäte, Chief Executive Officer of Allianz SE.

"We are immensely proud to be the No 1 insurance brand, and to have secured our place on the Top40 Best

Global Brands list. In just ten years, Allianz has moved from 67th place on the list with a value of \$ 4.9 billion in 2010, to 39th place with a value of almost \$ 13 billion in 2020."

"While half the brands in the Top100 failed to grow this year, Allianz's valuation increased by 7percent despite the crisis, taking it to \$12.935billion," said Christian Deuring, Head of Brand and Partnerships at Allianz SE.

"We have set ourselves a goal to become a Top25 brand by 2025." "For Allianz, the ranking is more than an encouraging sign of the brand's growing strength. It also points to Allianz's increasing role in people's lives." "During Covid-19, we worked extremely hard to deliver on our promise and

beyond, taking on an even greater role in the lives of our customers, our employees and our communities, helping secure the future, and giving our customers courage in these difficult times," stated Serge Raffard, Group Strategy, Marketing, Distribution Officer at Allianz SE.

"Our customer centricity and resilience allow us to benchmark ourselves against brands across industries. The diversity of what we offer, for example, with health services like Doctor on Call, or Chat with Allianz Partners, had an immense impact during the pandemic and made the difference," Raffard added. Interbrand publishes the Best Global Brands report on an annual basis. Each year's report aims to identify the world's 100 most valuable brands.

Western Union expands with Seylan Bank



Western Union, a leader in cross-border, cross-currency money movement and payments, announced a collaboration with Seylan Bank, enabling receivers in Sri Lanka to connect to their loved ones around the world. This Western Union partnership was recently announced at a ceremony held at the Seylan Bank head office.

The launch ceremony took place with the participation of both Seylan Bank officials and Western Union representatives with Noor Elahi, Country Manager of Western Union Sri Lanka and Maldives, joining via video conferencing.

Seylan Bank customers who were the first few Western Union money recipients

were also present at the occasion.

As the Bank with a Heart, Seylan Bank continues to place customer convenience at the heart of their operations, constantly showcasing exceptional service quality, offering products and services that support the financial needs of all their customers.

Manufactured according to stringent quality standards on par with the prevailing Venus range, the new Mercury device

ACL Cables launches Mercury range

ACL Cables PLC introduced 'Mercury' its latest range of circuit protection devices comprising of trip switches miniature circuit breakers (MCB) and residual-current devices (RCD) and isolator main switches, enhancing its existing portfolio.

Mercury is being introduced and positioned to facilitate the price-conscious customer segment within the market, also as an attractive and safe value for money circuit protection device. However, the current range recognised by customers as the VS series will be rebranded as Venus.

Manufactured according to stringent quality standards on par with the prevailing Venus range, the new Mercury device

is also attractively priced.

The range is produced under strict supervision to comply with the best local and international standards on par with IEC 60898-1 i.e. standards published by the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) which are developed in a consensus process by experts from the participating countries.

ACL Cables initially commenced its distribution of circuit protection devices in 2014 and to-date the company has completed six years.

Elaborating on the new product range Suren Madanayake, Managing Director ACL Cables



PLC stated, "As a brand that always understands our customers and consumers, we realised the need to facilitate a product that provides value for money."

Mercury circuit protection devices are currently available for purchase in the market through ACL Cables' nationwide dealer and distributor network.

ACL has diversified its range of products from electrical cables to switches, circuit protection devices, ceiling fans and a wide variety of electrical accessories. As a group ACL records a turnover above Rs. 18 billion and a market share of 70%.

Kingslake streamlines...

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He noted that the transformations initiated by Infor CSI Quickstart would ultimately deliver greater competitive advantage through increased efficiency and agility.

Represented by Kingslake in Sri Lanka, Infor is a global leader in providing highly effective, cutting-edge business applications, which can be configured to meet the demands of a wide range of industries.

Commenting on the powerful benefits enabled through the implementation of Infor CSI Quickstart, Basilur Tea Director Operations Sumith Jayawickrama said: "Since our integrated manufacturing project came online, we have been able to significantly optimise production while staying on top of shifting market dynamics. This has allowed us to cover everything from smaller orders to large pack sizes, thereby giving us improved flexibility to simultaneously cater to the changing preferences of modern-tea consumers across the globe."

Blood Donation Drive by Win-Stone Alumni



The senior graduating batches of the Win-Stone School of Culinary Arts organized a blood donation event on the 23rd of September to aid Apeksha Cancer hospital in Maharagama fill the void left by the coronavirus pandemic. A resounding success, the school managed to exceed the drive target of the doctors and provided the community with an essential service.

One hundred and fifty (150) students from various backgrounds took part in the event. Food and beverages were provided to all those who participated. They also took part in a religious event to start the auspicious offerings and were provided with all necessary facilities to ensure their comfort, safety and hygiene.

Blood donation is a major concern to the society as donated blood is lifesaving

for individuals who need it. Blood is scarce. There is a shortage of active blood donors to meet the need of increased blood demand. Blood donation is also a therapeutic exercise.

The pandemic spanning 3 months left a large gap in the available blood supplies to hospitals due to the lockdown and increased restrictions on who could donate blood. Taking the initiative to be one of the first organizers of such a blood donation has been highly effective at helping bridge this lack of supplies. All necessary precautions as provided by the public health office were followed to ensure that the donations and blood was Coronavirus-free and safe to use in blood transfusions.

The event, organised by the academy, Win-Stone School of Culinary Arts, alumni and senior batches of the school was a resounding success.



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THE STIGMA NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED AND ONLY THAT WILL PAVE THE WAY FOR ACCEPTANCE, RESPECT AND INCLUSION. THE CENTRE FOR CHILDREN WITH CEREBRAL PALSY AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS (NCCCPDD) IS A JOINT VENTURE WITH THE CEREBRAL PALSY LANKA FOUNDATION OPENED IN 2016.



Dr. Dhanan Senathirajah



Gopi Kitnasamy



Nishantha Shantha Deva



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disABILITY launched

ISHARA JAYAWARDANE

"There are mysteries which men can only guess at, which age by age they may solve only in part"
Bram Stoker

They will never kill anyone. They will never intentionally hurt anyone. They will never verbally abuse anyone. They will never emotionally abuse anyone. They will never physically abuse anyone. But they will hurt our hearts. They are part of the 40,000 people with *Cerebral Palsy (CP)* in Sri Lanka and the 17 million around the world, and others with Down syndrome or other developmental disorders.

Now there is an Innovative Teletherapy App to support these children with disability. Dilhan's CSR wing – the MJF Charitable Foundation has joined hands with Millennium IT, Microsoft, Sarva and World Vision Lanka and have launched disABILITY – an App that is designed to support children with disability and their families by connecting them to expert guidance. This App is the first of its kind globally. It is available in Sinhala, Tamil and English. It offers invaluable teletherapy services for people with Cerebral Palsy (CP).

This is the power of collaboration for the common good. Microsoft provided access to its Azure platform, initiating the collaboration amongst Millennium IT and the MJF Foundation. Sarva designed and produced an infomercial which will be broadcast to help Sri Lankans overcome the stigma and isolation of people with disability.

The stigma needs to be addressed and only that will pave the way for acceptance, respect and inclusion. The Centre for Children with Cerebral Palsy and other Developmental Disorders (NCCCPDD) is a joint venture with the Cerebral Palsy Lanka Foundation opened in 2016.

World Cerebral Palsy Day fell on October 6th this year. CEO Dilhan, Director, Trustee MJF Charitable Foundation and NCCCPDD (Centre for Children with Cerebral Palsy and other Developmental Disorders) Dilhan. C. Fernando stated that this is an exciting time and cause for celebration because these kids are getting the support and help that they badly need. Fernando added that this collaboration is indeed powerful, improving the quality of life for thousands. Fernando has nothing but sympathy for families affected by the stigma that these children have to suffer. He laments the fact that there is a lack of understanding. The problem is intensified by the lack of access to knowledge and advice. He proudly stated that the dream of his father, Merrill J. Fernando must come true. The beauty of it all is that these essential therapies will be made available to those who cannot afford those services. The greatest joy for all involved is that their efforts will touch the lives of those who really need it – the children.

"Today is a very special day as it is World Cerebral Palsy Day. But it is also a day where we take the service to our community to a whole different level! These families are often forgotten and that is the tragedy of the story. We cannot imagine the suffering faced by parents whose children are affected by CP. The burdens and difficulties faced by these parents are really heart wrenching. Our collaboration and our passion to help these children is what really makes a difference. The expertise that we provide can create real change. It takes many different personalities to form a society. If society is prejudiced towards these children and attaches a mark of disgrace, then that I feel is an injustice. I say this because these children are different in their abilities," explained Fernando.

Fernando went on to say that we can help these children by sharing knowledge about them and how to engage with them. So, people can see them for what they really are. We need to understand, then accept and then include them.

"We must not underestimate the power of collaboration. Covid19 showed us one thing and that is without cooperation nothing can be accomplished. And this applies to all levels. What we are doing with these children, we have accomplished through team work and unity. We could never have done it alone. This is the very best of Sri Lankan expertise. This is cutting edge technology. It is all about commitment and getting the message out. We must bring about the change which is so crucial," pointed out Fernando.

Head of Rehabilitation Services MJF Charitable Foundation/ Director NCCCPDD (Centre for Children with Cerebral Palsy and other Developmental Disorders), Gopi Kitnasamy, pointed out that the Centre for Children with Cerebral Palsy and other Developmental Disorders (NCCCPDD) is a joint venture with the Cerebral Palsy Lanka Foundation opened in 2016.

"Since then two additional centers have opened in Kalkudah and in Kandy. Approximately 400 children and youth with disability receive daily support from the four centers. These centers offer educational and therapy services. We work with the community even offering a special kind of wheelchair designed to accommodate their unique disabilities. These services are offered where and when it is needed. We also offer screening camps, where in different regions we identify children with these unique disabilities through our multi-disciplinary team. The biggest need is reaching out to these children. By saying that, I feel that there is a barrier when it comes to reaching out to these children. So, we are studying how to bridge this gap and make our services available for these children. Some of these children in wheelchair camps have never been to a hospital or seen by a doctor. This is shocking," lamented Kitnasamy.

He said that the wheelchair camps had been started to somehow get these

children out of their homes. Otherwise they are housebound. With the lockdown, the services offered to these children got interrupted. This caused a decline in the services offered. So then came the teletherapy initiative. So, through a Whatsapp group we started a teletherapy initiative. This proved successful with benefits.

"So, we decided to take this approach to the society itself – teletherapy and tele-screening. So, we got together with Millennium IT and decided to design an APP- or a solution platform. Then this was also introduced to the YouTube channel. We then did the first trilingual YouTube channel to support the families of the disabled. The good thing about this disABILITY App is that it can screen every disability and identify developmental disorders. Most parents have no knowledge about these disabilities. Here time is of the essence when identifying these disorders. The therapy needs to be started as soon as possible. Early intervention is the best way to handle these disorders," explained Kitnasamy.

The progress of the child can also be monitored here through this APP. There are no multi-disciplinary teams in every hospital in rural areas. Through this APP whichever district you are in and whichever town you are in, you can obtain these services. This is a gift to these families who can directly obtain help.

"They can send their details to us and after answering a simple Q&A the team can identify what problem this child actually has," stated Kitnasamy.

National Director World Vision Lanka, Dr. Dhanan Senathirajah, in his statement said that the way we treat our children and the most vulnerable in society defines our culture, society and who we are. That is why he stressed that nobody should be left behind.

"Since 1977, World Vision Sri Lanka has been serving the people of Sri Lanka in development and relief programmes. The Area Development Programme (ADP) is a long-term program spanning from 12-15 years that primarily focuses on children and communities. We are a child focused organization. We work in 31 locations across 15 districts in Sri Lanka. We are perhaps the largest international NGO to operate in Sri Lanka. We are proud to say that we have made a significant impact in this country when it comes to the welfare of vulnerable Sri Lankan children," said Dr. Senathirajah.

He went on to say that it is the desire and focus of World Vision to work in the most vulnerable areas in Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka has also changed a lot since the end of the war against the LTTE. However, there still are pockets of vulnerability and pockets of poverty in Sri Lanka.

"So, there are children who really suffer because their parents do not have the necessary resources or knowledge. So, this is why we are involved in this collaboration. Our work has always been community driven. We work with local government bodies and communities in identifying the needs of these communities. We have field teams who work with communities and they are able to identify where these vulnerabilities are. Cerebral Palsy is one of those needs which we have identified. So, we want to bring the fullness of life to these children. The responsibility of building up the next generation is not only in the hands of the parents but it is a responsibility of the entire community," explained Dr. Senathirajah.

Head of Creative, SARVA, Nishantha Shantha Deva, explained that these children are extremely sensitive. They are possibly more sensitive than those who are considered 'normal'. Deva revealed to us that he too has a sister who is disabled. But he pointed out that though these children are disabled they have pure hearts - Hearts of gold.

"We all love people who are compassionate because they are able to receive and give love. These children are sensitive and love to be loved. They are innocent and trusting. They are more sensitive than the rest of us. I have personal experience. In a way I feel that what this world needs, is humans who are sensitive. A world with so many of these people is truly a beautiful world. These children have those qualities," said Deva.



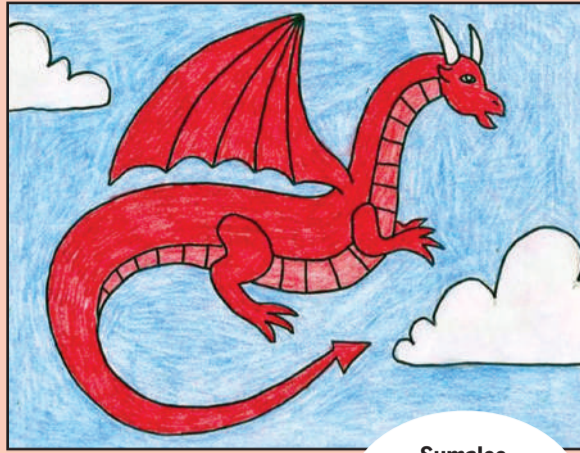


Art Gallery



MY PET FISH

Sarah Williams,
Grade 6,
Vision International
School,
Kandy



A DRAGON

Sumalee
Mendis,
Grade 6,
Ladies College,
Colombo



**A BEAUTIFUL
SUNSET**

Ramya
Fernando,
Grade 8,
Sujatha Vidyalaya,
Nugegoda

My teddy bear

I have a beautiful teddy bear. He has golden fur on its body. The teddy's body is very smooth and soft. He has two big ears and two beads for his eyes. Aunt Rosi gave it to me as a present. She has a small workshop where these teddies are made. I like to keep the

teddy near me when I am at home. He sits there and looks at me with his shiny eyes. Sometimes I think he is almost alive.

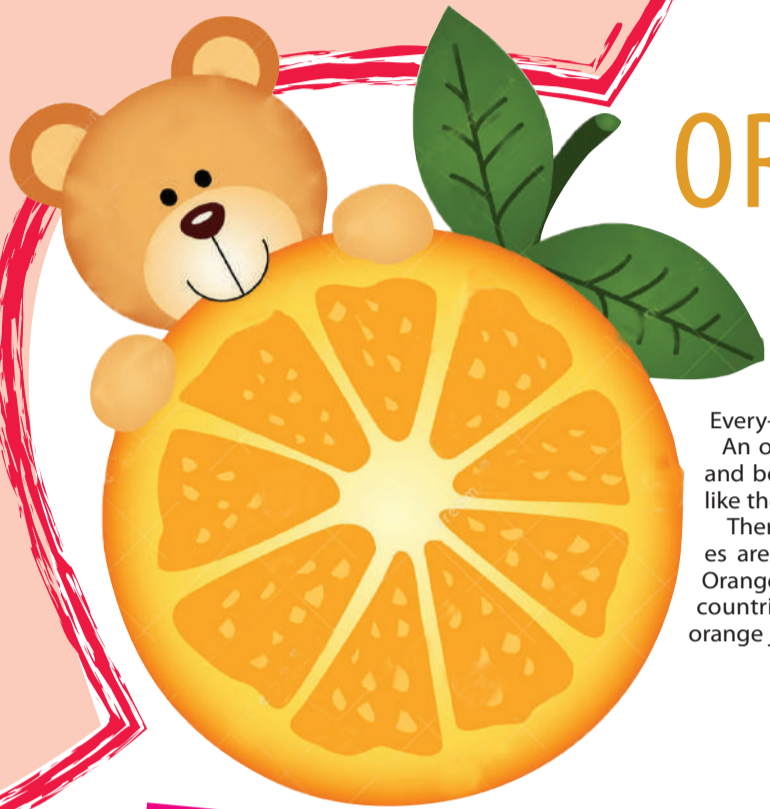
Nimesha Dissanayake,
Grade 5,
Bishops College,
Colombo



ORANGES

Orange is a fruit. It grows on trees. An orange tree grows as big as a mango tree. It also bears fruits generally once a year. An Orange is round. When it is ripe the juice smells nice and it is tasty. Every-one likes to drink orange juice. An orange tree needs a dry climate to grow and bear fruits. It does not grow every where like the mango tree. We have to nurse it well. There are two kinds of oranges. Some oranges are very sour. They are used as medicine. Orange fruits are also imported from other countries. Doctors advice patients to take orange juice as a medicine.

Dilshan Jonathan,
Grade 6,
Jennings International College,
Nainamadama



THE MOON

The moon is a round planet. It is a satellite which goes around the earth. The moon goes around the earth in an orbit. It takes 28 days to go round. The light it gives is not it's own. It is a reflection of sunlight that falls on it. But it is quite different from the mother planet. It is a body of rock and moon dust. No form of life exists on it, due to unfavourable conditions. Neil Armstrong an American astronaut, set foot on the moon on July 20, 1969. The spacecraft Apollo II took him there.

Pasindu
Keerthiratne,
Grade 6,
Richmond College,
Galle



The most precious gift I own

I have many gifts but my most precious gift is my dear mother. She is not only kind but also very important to me. She brings me everything I like to make me happy. Her only wish is to see me grow up as a

good person with a good job. And I know that one day I will fulfil her dream. Even when she shouts at us for our bad habits it is for our good. She teaches us only good habits. So, we must listen to her. I love

my mother more than anyone else in the world. She also loves me like I love her.

Malsha Lily Herath,
Grade 4C,
Matale International School,
Matale.



My class teacher

My class teacher is a beautiful lady. She is very kind. She middle-sized and has fair skin. Her name is Olivia. She is a graduate. She teaches us Drama and Music. She is about 28years of age. She never gets angry. She is always cheerful. There are some weak boys and girls in my class. But she never punishes them. She advises them to work hard and study. When she teaches, she explains lessons in a simple manner. She wants her students to be tidy and well disciplined. She is an expert in teaching. Some times she explains with the help of charts and maps. She is very popular among the other members of the staff.

Senuli Haputhanthri,
Grade 7,
Sussex College,
Ratnapura



World Children's Day celebrations



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Kollupitiya Police Division Save Lanka Security Committee distributed school books and stationeries for school children to mark the World Children's Day at the Mahanama College Auditorium, Colombo.

Superintendent of Police Colombo South Division Sisira Pethathanthri was the Chief Guest at this event. He distributed books and stationeries to



the children. The children also presented various items at this ceremony.

Buddhist, Islam and Christian religious leaders, Colombo South Assistant Superintended of Police Mahesh Kumarasinghe, Officer in Charge of Kollupitiya Police Station Sumith Gunerathna, Mahanama College Principal R A R N Rathnayake, Deputy Principal Chithrani Halpage, Save Lanka Security Committee President Rafeek Buhary and members of the committee, parents and students were also present.



If I had a kite

If I had a big kite,
With a very short tail,
And a very stout cord,
And there came a great gale.
I'd hold fast to the string,
And away we would fly,
I and my kite,
Up, up to the sky!

Zaran Majudeen,
Grade 5,
Al Arshath Muslim School,
Sammanthurai



A PREFERRED DESTINATION

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Puttalam Thillaiyadi Children's Park, which has been abandoned for a long time, has been reconstructed and re-inaugurated on International Children's Day, by Puttalam Urban Councilor J M Dilshan, under the guidance of Puttalam Urban Council Chairman K A Baiz. The idea of reconstructing the children's park had been made by Put-

talam Urban Council through its Chairman and by the parliamentarian Hector Appuhami under the Gamperaliya project.

Many religious leaders, parliamentarians Hector Appuhami and Chinthaka Amal Mayadhunna, Puttalam Urban Council Chairman K A Baiz, the Vice Chairman Pushpakumara, the Urban Councilors, villagers, pre-school teachers and pre-school children took part in the children's park opening ceremony.



Cricketing greats praise 'Mother of All Shows'



Ranjan Madugalle



Arjuna Ranatunga



Roshan Mahanama



Asanka Gurusinha



Marvan Atapattu



Muttiah Muralitharan



Kumar Dharmasena



Thilan Samaraweera

DINESH WEERAWANSA

All top Lanka cricketers have commended the exemplary role played by Observer-Mobitel School Cricketer of the Year contest during the past 42 years.

They commended the role played by Sri Lanka's flagship English newspaper the Sunday Observer in rewarding the country's future cricketing stars.

Here are some of the instances they have commended the Mother of All Shows, sponsored by SLT Mobitel.

ICC Chief Match Referee and former Sri Lanka captain Ranjan Madugalle: "The Sunday Observer should be complemented for keeping the show going for all these years. Sponsors are essential to keep the show going. May the show continue many more years."

"In the past, most of the winners of the top awards came from Colombo and its suburbs, but now the outstation schools have come in a big way and it is a positive sign for the game."

Sri Lanka's 1996 World Cup winning captain Arjuna Ranatunga: "It is the dream of any schoolboy cricketer to win the Observ-

er Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year award. It's great for the Sunday Observer in continuing the Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year Contest for the 31st year from 1979 to encourage the budding schoolboy cricketers. I was particularly happy to see that the Northern Province will join up with the others in the competitions at the contest.

"I am delighted to see the improvement of outstation cricket as the game has spread far and wide in the country. Many Sri Lankan cricketers of the past and the present are those who have either won the prestigious and coveted Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year Award or one of the many awards presented at the contest."

Former Sri Lanka captain and ex-ICC Match Referee Roshan Mahanama: "To be adjudged the best schoolboy cricketer and be honored for the hard work during the season was a great encouragement."

I was privileged to receive this award as it was one of my dreams.

"Winning the Observer Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year in successive years

"Development of youth is very important as the youth are the ones who will take the country forward. The contest has been in existence for three decades and the competition is a fore-runner in helping the schoolboy to perform well"

was a memorable one and a stepping stone to playing in big the league. Being crowned the best Schoolboy Cricketer made me even more determined to work harder to reach greater heights when I first got the taste of international cricket."

"I had watched former Nalanda player Bandula Warnapura in action. We had full houses for all those inter-school games and it was a passion. The school

authorities too encouraged the boys to watch matches".

Former Sri Lanka cricketer and ex-Sri Lanka coach Asanka Gurusinha: "When Roshan Mahanama won this award twice in 1983 and 1984, I truly understood how prestigious it is to win the Observer Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year award. It was a rare honour and a rich award that not every schoolboy cricketer had the fortune to win. One has to be outstanding and

be consistent right throughout a season to win that and work really hard to reach the pinnacle of school cricket."

"I was hungry to win that title after watching the proud moment when Mahanama won the award which was also an honour for his alma mater Nalanda. I knew hard work and dedication with exceptional performance could take a schoolboy cricketer towards that goal. I successfully achieved my dream as a schoolboy the following year."

"I am glad that the Sunday Observer is hosting the awards show uninterrupted, thus encouraging the budding schoolboy cricketers."

Former Sri Lanka spinner and world record holder for most number of Test

wickets Muttiah Muralidaran: "Schoolboy cricketers are the future Sri Lanka players. You must keep the Sri Lanka flag flying wherever you go. Play hard and dedicate yourself, then success is bound to come. As young cricketers, you must keep in mind that only 11 could play in a team."

"When you get that rare chance of playing for your team, you must put your heart and soul and give hundred percent to the team, so that success will come your way. Don't be disappointed if you fail once or twice in the early stages of your career. Keep on trying and success is bound to come your way."

"Keep absolutely cool even when the going is not the way you want. I learnt this from my captain Arjuna Ranatunga (another

proud recipient of the Observer Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year award in 1980 and 1982) who sported a cool head even when the going was not good. Arjuna used to take pressure off the players when the going is not to his liking. He doesn't show any anger that's why he is called captain cool".

ICC Elite Panel Umpire and former Sri Lanka cricketer Kumar Dharmasena: "I must congratulate ANCL and the Sunday Observer for keeping the show going for over 30 years."

Sponsors are vital for the progress of sports in a country and Lake House has taken the lead and it helps the authorities to build up the youth."

"Development of youth is very important as the youth are the ones who will take the country forward. The contest has been in existence for three decades and the competition is a fore-runner in helping the schoolboy to perform well."

Former Sri Lanka captain and ex-Sri Lanka coach Marvan Atapattu: "The Observer Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year contest gave all the encouragement

for me to forge ahead in the cricket world since I won the title in 1990 and also became the Best Batsman."

"I would like to compliment ANCL and the Sunday Observer for keeping the show going for all these years. Schoolboy cricketers should be encouraged on a larger scale."

"This contest is sure to identify the talent and the high performances. I am confident that the up-and-coming schoolboy cricketers follow the same example set by those who won top awards at the contest."

Ex-Sri Lanka cricketer and former Sri Lanka batting coach Thilan Samaraweera: "I owe my climb to the top in cricket due to this popular contest which I won way back in 1994 and 1995. I endorse this long standing contest as the best for schoolboy cricketers."

"The Observer Schoolboy Cricketer of the Year Contest proved to be one of the best in the country."

"I am indeed happy that this contest has continued for over 40 years and my wish is that it goes on for many more years".

Lamborghini Super Trofeo 2020 Championship

SLT and Mobitel hail Dilantha's success

Continuing its support in nurturing local talent to spark internationally, the SLT group is proud to be with Dilantha Malagamuwa, Sri Lanka's automotive racing legend who has brought countless glories to Sri Lanka for the most anticipated Lamborghini Super Trofeo 2020 Championship.

Dilantha Malagamuwa has been an iconic figure in the motoring industry, representing Sri Lanka in international racing events. Dilantha's love and passion for the country and his fellow citizens, as well as his diligence and courage, have surpassed all pit stops, enabling him to achieve great success in international motoring events. Over the years, Dilantha has shaped the local motoring industry with his expertise and has inspired thousands of youngsters to unlock their fullest potential.

"As the National Telecommunication Provider who has made



Dilantha Malagamuwa with his trophies

global presence, we feel privileged and honored to partner with Dilantha Malagamuwa who has taken Sri Lanka to the international motoring world. As we embark on a new journey to bring glory to the island nation, we

wish all the very best for the champ on behalf of Sri Lanka and fellow citizens"

At present, Dilantha is competing in the Lamborghini Super Trofeo 2020 and has won second in the second race of the event.

SLT and Mobitel is proud to be with Dilantha and wish him the very best of luck for this event and his future endeavors.

Racing in his Lamborghini for the team Dilango Racing, Dilantha Malagamuwa is a GT3 Asia Champion and a Triple Malaysia Super Car GT Champion. Dilantha made history as the first Sri Lankan racing driver to win an international Motor Racing Championships.

Dilantha became the first non-Japanese Asian driver to compete in Formula Nippon and Japan GT500 and GT300, winning the N1 Championship in Japan in 1995 and winning the Tokachi 24 hours race 3 times. Malagamuwa has also done several 24-hour endurance races around the globe including USA, Dubai and finishing second overall in the 24-Hour Bathurst race in Australia. Up to now Dilantha has over 150 Podiums in international races and over 200 in local races.

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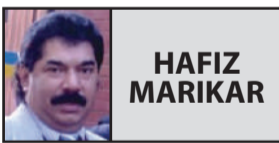
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Kandy football yearning to revive its past glory



HAFIZ MARIKAR

Kandy was once a powerhouse of Sri Lanka football. But today it is in a forgotten state. When will the game of football that one time held its own and produced players of international class regain its former glory in. In the good old days Kandy enjoyed the glory of the football sport played by the British in Ceylon. Now this sport is on the decline and one wonders whether Kandy's football will regain its former glory?

Looking back into Kandy football it reveals that football in Kandy had its origin in the 1930's during the World War when the British units were stationed in Kandy, with the onetime Commander in Chief of Allied Forces in South East Asia, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten had his headquarters in the hill capital, and gave a good flip up for the game. Today, all the facilities for the game are there, but the sport is virtually dead, especially in Kandy, no inter club domestic football is played. Schools continue to play in the Education Department tournament and some play their inter school matches. In the 1930's when football was given priority, some first class British football players displayed their versatility, representing the Kingstown and Queenstown regiments, the Royal Artillery and also the East African Rifles, who had quite a few Negro

stars in the side. So, the game gained popularity day by day, because it was played with great interest and enthusiasm. Some of the clubs which took in the game in the 1930's were, Old Antonians SC, Old Kingswoodians SC, Police SC, Kandy YMCA, Greenfield SC, Kandy Sports Club, Young Stars SC, Phoenix SC, St. Michael's SC, Gampola Chums, Rovers SC, Kandy YMMA and Red Stars SC.

It was at that time the Kandy District Amateur Football League was formed. It subsequently changed its name to Kandy Association Football League. And served football in Matale, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, Kurunegala and Kegalle, and as the years passed by, these towns formed their own leagues. When Football in Colombo and elsewhere received a setback as far as Ceylonese exponents of the game were concerned, the game was more or less confined to the permanent population as well as to the services. Early in 1942, however, there appeared to be a lack of interest in the game, and the efforts made by S.C. Traill the then secretary to call a meeting of the League having failed he was compelled to return the trophies to the donors.

At that time the game seemed to be seriously affected. But fortunately G.H. Robins, T.P.C. Roberts who were then stationed in Kandy and M.S.Jainudeen were mainly responsible in resuscitating the game. A tournament for the Main Shield was inaugurated with the participating of the Services Footballers in Kandy and football

began to thrive again. At that time Bogambara was the location of high activity.

Football had wide acceptance amongst our people - particularly the common masses and the middle class. From its humble beginning almost over ninety years, it has come to stay as a popular mass sport. As years went on football flourished in Kandy, and several schools in and around Kandy took up the game. It was St. Anthony's College, who first played football. It must be recalled that late M.S.Jainudeen as Secretary of Kandy football, went all out to popularize the game in Kandy.

Kandy is a founder member of the football's controlling body. In the good old days league, knock-out and seven a side tournaments were conducted with over 250 matches, with only one ground available, that is Bogambara. From the early years of barefoot competitions to the late age of modern football, Kandy played a vital role in its growth. Lately football has surprisingly taken a back seat in Kandy. Previously the game was promoted to great heights and also produced a President and Secretary from Kandy for the governing body. Then came the Kandy Football Referees Association. In the late '40's with pioneers like Philip Buultjens, Kingsley Abeyasinghe, R. Jaymon, S.A.C. 'Gunner' Mohideen as active referees and later A.J.M. Yusuf, M.E. Marikar, Tom Ossen, B.D. Alfred, Jinadasa, T. Kumala Mohamed, M. Jamaldeen, handled the whistle.

First president from Kandy at FFSL was DIG Bodhi Liyanage and the first secretary was Hafiz Marikar. And some of the people who gave a big hand for football in the early days were people like late Col. V. H. L. Anthonis, A. C. L. Ratwatte E.L. Senanayake, M.S. Jainudeen, Dr. C.D.L. Fernando, S. Nadaraja, Kumala Mohamed, William Premaratne L.P. Wijeratne, W.B. Abeyasinghe, S. Sirisena and M. Mohamed to name a few.

Schools were the nursery of the clubs. Where St. Anthony's, Kingswood, Dharmaraja, Sri Rahula, St. Paul's (now known as Sri Sumangala), Berravettes, Vidyarthi and St. Sylvester's excelled. In 1963 the Kandy Schools Football Association was formed and it did an excellent job to promote the game. Zahira Gampola, Nugawela Central, Gampola Vidyalaya, Wickrimabahu, Katherasen from Nawalapitiya, Highlands from Hatton and Zahira Matale played under the Kandy Schools Association.

For the first time Kandy won the All Island Senior and junior League championship under the presidency of late B.M. Liyanage. The team was coached by Kumala Mohamed. With this win Kandy was offered a tour to Nepal to play in a tournament, for which teams from Pakistan, Bangladesh, India, Nepal took part and Kandy was placed second. It was the first ever Kandy team to tour overseas. Today not a single Kandy team participating in FFSL competitions.

Cricket in bio-bubbles can affect 'mental health', says Morgan

DUBAI, TUESDAY: England's white-ball captain Eoin Morgan said players should have the freedom to withdraw from tours if the bio-secure bubbles are affecting their "mental health".

West Indies toured England in June, a month ahead of their three-Test series to restart cricket after the coronavirus pandemic halted most major sporting events across the globe.

Players have since been confined to bio-secure environments on tours and during tournaments, including at the ongoing Indian Premier League in the United Arab Emirates.

"We managed to fulfil all of our international fixtures for the summer," Morgan, who is also leading the Kolkata Knight Riders in the IPL, told various media.

"But to keep that level of bubble for 10 of the 12 months that we normally travel, I think is untenable. You can drill a player both mentally and physically. And it can cause extreme burnout, which nobody wants to see."



IPL 2020: Kolkata Knight Riders using 'Bio-Bubbles'

England hosted West Indies, Pakistan, Ireland and Australia this summer with all matches played in Manchester and Southampton.

The players' travel was restricted from the on-

site hotels to the grounds and Morgan feels that more similar tours will only increase the stress levels.

"We've spoken about this as a team and we've accepted that guys will come in

and out of the bubble as they feel it is affecting their mental health," said Morgan.

"I don't think people should look down on it and they shouldn't feel like people aren't doing their job or

not committing to their country.

"That's a reactive way of dealing with things and we want to be at the forefront of making it acceptable for people to say 'I need to spend time with my family

now and I'm taking this tour off' just because of the extraordinary circumstances."

England are scheduled to tour South Africa for limited-overs matches next month, with tours of Sri Lanka and India to follow early next year.

West Indies Test captain Jason Holder also believes going from one bubble to another has been "demanding".

"It's been demanding. It has been challenging," said Holder, who replaced injured Australia all-rounder Mitchell Marsh in Sunrisers Hyderabad's IPL squad last month.

"And if you look at scheduling, it doesn't get any easier. It's literally going from bubble to bubble. Some places are accepting families and some aren't. So it makes it harder to be away from your family and your loved ones."

Holder played for Trinidad in the Caribbean Premier League before being called to the UAE for India's cash-rich Twenty20 tournament. **AFP**

Salman Khan's family buys LPL's Kandy franchise

Bollywood star Salman Khan's family has bought the Kandy Tuskers franchise in the Lanka Premier League (LPL), a tournament that saw its player draft conducted over the last two days and one that is slated to begin on November 21.

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Salman Khan

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Masuri joins as 'Official Cricket Helmet Partner of SLC'

The UK based Masuri Group Limited joined in as the 'Official Cricket Helmet Partner of Sri Lanka Cricket'.

Under the multi-year agreement, Masuri, will provide Sri Lanka Cricket with 'Helmets and Stem Guards' to be used by the National Men's and Women's team, 'A' Team, and the Under 19 team.

The secretary of the SLC, Mohan de Silva, and Sam Miller, Managing Director of the Masuri Group Limited signed the agreement on behalf of the two parties.

This is the third successive term, Masuri entered into a partnership with Sri Lanka Cricket.

"We are extremely happy to continue our partnership with Masuri as our 'Official



Cricket Helmet Partner,' and the firm's continuity with us shows the level of confidence they have on our cricketing brand,' said Ashley De Silva, CEO of Sri Lanka Cricket.

"Masuri, during its previous stints with Sri Lanka Cricket, has exceeded our expectations in terms of service delivery," De Silva further said. During the

period of the agreement, Masuri will function as the supplier of helmets to the SLC. Accordingly, Sri Lanka National Cricketers will wear a Masuri Cricket helmet, whilst representing the country during international matches.

"We are delighted to extend our partnership with Sri Lanka Cricket into a third term which is testament to the fantastic relationship we have. Masuri are proud to be Sri Lanka Cricket's first choice when it comes to protecting their players, and we are committed to ensuring we continue to provide only the very best products and services in this regard," said Sam Miller, Managing Director of Masuri Group Limited.

Samuel Maduwantha to play for Navy

INDIKA WELAGEDARA

Former St. Anthony's College Kandy, Sri Lanka seven a side and Sri Lanka national 15 a side fly half Samuel Maduwantha has decided to join Navy SC during the upcoming inter club rugby season 2020/21.

Samuel was one of the prized products to come out of St. Anthony's College scoring 105 points while playing as full back in 2016, the year they were captained by another national player in centre, Dinuk Amarasinghe.

After leaving school Samuel joined CH and FC to improve his career in

club rugby. In the Inter-club rugby season he was in brilliant form for CH team while contributing 158 points in 2017/18 and herculean task of scoring an exceptional 200 points in 2018/19 rugby season with his dazzling display.

Affectionately nicknamed "Sama" among the rugby loving public in Sri Lanka, Samuel had the distinction of representing the Sri Lanka national 15 a side team in 2019 rugby Asiaid in Chinese Taipei under the captaincy of Omalka Gunaratne.

Speaking to the Daily News all the way from

Kandy, Samuel Maduwantha said "There were lot of question marks and doubt about everyone's mind that, which team I will join to represent the upcoming 2020/21 rugby season. So I decided to open out the hot news to Daily News first. I have joined Navy Sports Club to play the upcoming 2020/21 rugby season. All these things were possible due to lord Jesus blessings. I also wanted to especially thank Sports Minister Namal Rajapaksa for giving me the opportunity to play for CH and FC, also not forgetting Yoshitha Rajapaksa, Rohitha Raja-

paksa and the team manager Dhammika Medagedara for the utmost help given to me while playing for them, where I had the opportunity of representing CH for nearly three consecutive years. Finally I wanted to thank my parents, brother, Selina and all my family friends for the support given me to continue playing rugby in every way possible and I'm very much grateful to them. Now I will put all my effort and rally around with my Navy team mates to give off my very best for the Sailors to achieve success."



Samuel Maduwantha

Bruno Martini dies aged 58

MONTPELLIER, TUESDAY: Bruno Martini, who became "one of France's greatest goalkeepers" only after a failed exam blocked the path to his chosen career as a sports instructor, has died at the age of 58, his last club Montpellier announced on Tuesday.

Martini, who spent much of his playing days with Auxerre, suffered a heart attack as he returned to his car after a training session at Montpellier.



Bruno Martini

His career started as a 19-year-old with Auxerre, not far from where he was born and grew up. Apart from two seasons on loan at Nancy, he remained at Auxerre for 14 seasons before finishing his career at Montpellier.

"He was a true legend," Auxerre said of the keeper they rated with the country's best.

He made 31 appearanc-

es for France including Euro '92 and a cameo on the bench at Euro '96.

While major international honours alluded him he was a member of the France U-20 team that took the 1988 world title with Laurent Blanc and Eric Cantona.

"How sad, what a great man," said former player and manager Luis Fernandez who now works in sports radio. "Football has lost someone with integrity, honesty and passion."

While his only club trophy was the 1994 French Cup with Auxerre he set a record for the longest run without conceding a goal: 892 minutes in the 1986-7 season.

After hanging up his boots he was France goalkeeping coach, helping Les Bleus to the Euro 2000 title and to the final of the 2006 World Cup.

He played chess and loved classical literature and music.

"Mozart, Wagner, Bach but, above all, Handel," he once said.

His last role was coaching at Montpellier.

"We weep for one of our own," the club said.

If he had succeeded in passing his high school diploma he could have become a sports instructor and may have slipped through the grasp of Guy Roux, Auxerre's iconic manager. **AFP**

Dhawan ton in vain as Punjab down Delhi in IPL

DUBAI, TUESDAY: Shikhar Dhawan on Tuesday became the first batsman in the Indian Premier League to hit two successive centuries but his Delhi Capitals lost by five wickets to Kings XI Punjab.

The left-hand opener smashed an unbeaten 106 off 61 deliveries to guide Delhi to 164 for five, a total that proved insufficient as Punjab won with one over to spare in Dubai.

The KL Rahul-led side moved up to fifth in the eight-team table as Nicholas Pooran scored 53 and Chris Gayle hit 29 off 13 balls.

But Dhawan, who hit his first IPL ton of the season in a match-winning knock on Sunday, was named man of the match for his 57-ball hundred.

"The boys have been playing well in other games. Today I had to take the responsibility on myself," said Dhawan.

"It is good that I am scoring consistently so you carry it into the next games. We are going to have a discussion and see where we can improve."

"Of course, it is going to be a learning. This is not going to put us down. Just take our lessons, and come back stronger."

Dhawan used the sweep and the slog sweep to great effect as he hit 14 fours and three sixes, but the rest of the Delhi batting failed to fire, with skipper Shreyas Iyer (14



Shikhar Dhawan

and wicketkeeper-batsman Rishabh Pant (14) as the next best.

Punjab lost early wickets, including Rahul for 15 and Gayle, bowled by Ravichandran Ashwin, but Pooran kept the chase on track in his 28-ball knock.

Delhi quick bowler Kagiso Rabada sent back Pooran and then Glenn Maxwell, for 32, to put Punjab in a spot, but Deepak Hooda, on 15, and Jimmy Neesham, on 10, took the team home.

Earlier Punjab paceman Mohammed Shami returned figures of 2-28 from his four overs to keep

Delhi's scoring rate under check.

Shami gave away just 13 runs from his final two overs and got two wickets of Marcus Stoinis and Shimron Hetmyer.

"Shami obviously is coming in with confidence from the last game," Rahul said of his paceman who defended five runs in a super over to help his team beat Mumbai Indians in the Sunday match that witnessed IPL's first double super over.

"He is our senior bowler, and an international, and he is getting better and better every game." **AFP**



Yellow Ball winners - From left: Limuthu Yehasara, Nisal Damsara, Muhannadhi Rafi, Harsha Chandrasiri (Coach) Linal Hettiarachchi, Hasal Rajapaksha, Theekshana Rajapaksha and Nimsadu Gunaratne

Matale Junior Tennis Carnival, a success

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*Kandy Sports Spl. Corr.
Thora Tennis Academy of Matale conducted a Junior Lawn Tennis Carnival at the Matale Tennis Club Courts recently. Over 30 players (Boys & Girls) between the ages of 8 to 14

battled it out in three event categories (Yellow, Green and Orange).

Results:
Yellow Ball - Winner: Muhannadhi Rafi, Runner up: Nisal Jayasinghe, 3rd place: Linal Hettiarachchi
Green Ball - Winner:

Nimsadu Gunaratne, Runner-up: Hasindu Pallekumbura, 3rd Place: Himasha Wijesiri

Orange Ball - Winner: Idusha Abeysinghe, Runner-up: Daham Wijetunge, 3rd Place: Umedha Dayawansa.

missed the following match. The three-time champions who are struggling, bottom of the eight-team table.

"Bravo is ruled out with a groin injury and flying back home," CSK chief executive Kasi Viswanathan told AFP. "The team management has yet to decide whether to seek a

replacement or not." The 37-year-old played six games and scored seven runs in two innings. He claimed six wickets with his pace bowling.

Skipper Mahendra Singh Dhoni admitted after his team's seventh loss from 10 games on Monday that their tournament is virtually over. **AFP**

Bravo out of IPL with groin injury

DUBAI, WEDNESDAY: West Indies all-rounder Dwayne Bravo has been ruled out of the rest of the Indian Premier League with a groin injury, his Chennai Super Kings team said Wednesday.

Bravo could not bowl the last over in Chennai's game against Delhi Capitals on Saturday and

Planters' Association marks World Habitat Day

Completes 39,150 new houses for estate workers

The Planters' Association of Ceylon (PA) commended the exhaustive measures taken by Regional Plantation Companies (RPC) in completing 39,150 houses for estate workers on their plantations. In observance of World Habitat Day, earlier on this month, PA said that 10,000 more houses will be constructed in the next 5 years and handed over to registered estate workers, by the Plantations Human Development Trust (PHDT), a tripartite organization of RPC's, plantation trade unions and Government of Sri Lanka.

Currently there are 251,950 resident families on RPC estates with a total population of a little over one million; however, total number of registered workers is only 135,000. Of the total resident families on RPC estates 16% have got brand new houses while 57% have had their homes re-roofed.

Modular in design, each house is on a 7 perch block of land with a built up area



of 550 square feet, at a cost of LKR 1 Mn each. Each house comes complete with 2 bedrooms, a sitting area, kitchen, toilet and pipe borne water. Surrounding the house is an area of 3 perches that could be used for home gardening.

"Human resource is the backbone of the industry and the various housing projects re-iterate our commitment to improving the lifestyle and welfare of our worker population"

explained Chairman of Planters' Association of Ceylon, Bhathiya Bulumulla who is also the Chief Exec-

utive Officer of Aitken Spence's Elpitiya Plantations PLC.

Bulumulla went on to note that the Plantation Companies in Sri Lanka have continuously underscored the importance of enhancing lifestyles on estates and have done their utmost in providing housing for the 135,000 worker population, as well as the over one million residents, most of whom are employed elsewhere.

"We have been steadfast in taking concrete steps over the past several years to improve the amenities in



Some of the Houses built by Planters' Association

our estates," he explained, while adding that re-roofing is done as an interim measure. "The demand for housing is immense and building new housing for all takes a considerable amount of time and resources. Until families receive new housing, re-roofing will be carried

out to make existing infrastructure safe". "With the tea industry being one of the largest contributors to the national economy, the challenge of maintaining a productive workforce is vital and we need all stakeholders to know the infrastructure

developments made on the estates and to view the industry positively", he said.

"Plantation Human Development Trust remains committed towards housing infrastructure development, health and social welfare for its plantation workers."

AIA's CTO, Umeshi de Fonseka recognized by industry

AIA Insurance congratulates Chief Technology Officer Umeshi de Fonseka for winning a 'Special Jury Appreciation Award' at the coveted 'Innovation Heroes 2020 Awards' powered by DynamicCIO and presented at the 'Enterprise Innovation Summit 2020'.

This award was in recognition of Umeshi's extraordinary efforts in 'Technology Innovation' that resulted in creating business value to the organization.

This recognition comes hot on the heels of Umeshi's upgrade of membership status, to that of 'Fellow' at the British Computer Society (BCS), the chartered institute for IT and the community representing the most influential professionals in the IT industry. This is the highest professional grade within BCS and is achieved after multiple rounds of reviews and recommendations in areas of eminence, authority and seniority.

AIA's CEO Nikhil Advani commented, "Congratulations to Umeshi for these well-deserved awards and recognitions, that reiterate Umeshi as an indus-



Umeshi de Fonseka

try leader. Technology and digitization efforts play a critical role here at AIA and we are happy to have Umeshi's efforts and contributions to the organization be recognized externally. At AIA, we are committed to having the best processes and systems in place to ensure efficient and outstanding output and the role of technology will continue to grow to deliver on our vision."

AIA Sri Lanka has had many firsts under Umeshi's leadership including the rapid digitization of our processes, analytics and Robotic Process Automation (RPA).

These solutions were both, tactical and being industrialized for the long-term.

Interbrand Releases 2020 Best Global Brands Report

Microsoft overtakes Google to enter top three

Amid a global pandemic with its significant impact on business in 2020, Interbrand has announced the brands that have fared best in its 2020 Best Global Brands ranking.

As expected, social media and communication brands have fared well in the past 12 months, with Instagram (#19), YouTube (#30) and Zoom (#100) entering the rankings for the first time.

Tesla has also re-entered the rankings at #40 with a brand value of US\$12,785m, having last appeared in the Best Global Brands table in 2017.

Other top performers include Amazon, ranking #2, increasing brand value by 60%, with a valuation of US\$200,667m. Media companies have also seen success among the turmoil created by Covid. Spotify (#70), saw brand value increase by 52% to US\$8,389m – jumping 22 places in the ranking, while Netflix rose to #41 with a 41% increase to US\$12,665m.

While Apple retained its top spot in the table, Microsoft's increase in value this year (US\$166,001m) means it has overtaken Google (#4) to reach the number 3 spot. Google has moved out of the top three for the first time since 2012. Meanwhile Samsung #5 (US\$62,289m) has broken into the top five for the first time ever.

The remainder of the Top 10 comprises: Coca-Cola #6 (US\$56,894m), Toyota #7 (US\$51,595m), Mercedes-Benz



Michel Nugawela

#8 (US\$49,268m), McDonald's #9 (US\$42,816m) and Disney #10 (US\$40,773m).

The top ten brands accounts for 50% of the total table value this year.

The 2020 Best Global Brands ranking also saw the 'Covid effect', with global shop closures causing the brand values of Zara (#35) and H&M (#37) to fall 13% and 14% respectively, with both dropping at least six places in this year's ranking. After two years as the top growing sector, luxury brands took a hit in 2020, with all but one brand value falling between 1-9%.

Other brands and industries have benefitted from the 'Covid effect', notably logistics which saw an average of 5% growth – UPS (#24), FedEx (#75) and DHL (#81) all saw positive brand valuation growth, as the logistics sector as a whole became more central to our lives in lockdown.



Charles Trevail



Anisha Dharmadasa



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PayPal (#60), Visa (#45) and Mastercard (#57) have also risen in the rankings, 12, 10 and 5 places respectively.

The pandemic has seen the sudden shift to electronic as the primary payment method and the swift roll out of programs to support local business during pandemic lockdown.

Interbrand's 21st annual



Ashish Mishra

report, The Decade of Possibility, analyses how the world's leading companies are successfully navigating a rapidly changing business landscape.

Interbrand has over 30 years of experience delivering brand valuation analysis, having designed and led the world's first brand valuation in 1988.

Hambantota Chamber partners HIPG to teach Chinese to local community

The Hambantota District Chamber of Commerce (HDCC) has joined hands with the Colombo University China Language Centre and the Hambantota International Port to provide Chinese language lessons to Hambantota district residents.

The Chamber began the language learning programme four years ago, with the goal of educating the Hambantota business community, especially the tourism sector, on Chinese language and culture.

They believe that locals learning Chinese, would ensure ease of doing business, considering the number of China based projects in the district.

When the Training Centre faced closure, they reached out to Hambantota International Port Group (HIPG) for help. HDCC Operations Manager, Sudhammika Wickremanyake, said that HIPG was happy to come on board to revive the programme, because it was in line with their corporate social responsibility vision to empower the community.

HIPG provides the physical needs such as accommodation, food and transport, while Colombo University has supplied them with two Chinese teachers Yi Yingzi and Ma Lijuan who joined the programme in 2018. "With HIPG coming on board and support from the Colombo University China Language Center in sourcing teachers, the second phase of our Chinese language teaching project was a great success."



Jeevan Premasara General Manager HR- HIPG, Ma Lijuan-Chinese Teacher, Yi Yingzi Chinese Teacher, Yongzhuang Li- General Manager PSP- HIPG, Tiler Nadugala- Director General and Past President HDCC, Sudammika Wickramanayake Manager Operations HDCC, Ajith Liyanage Manager Partnership and Tourism

The Hambantota business community and students from the area had been keen to participate in lessons. The Operations Manager says "During the first phase we had around 50 students in each class and conducted two courses for 100 students. We had 12 students per class for office staff, ten each in classes for children and 25 students in classes conducted for tourist vehicle drivers.

The one year study programme has benefited over 150 participants so far and has been extended to HIPG employees as well. The Chamber together with the Colombo University China Language Center, conducts classes structured for the Hambantota district community's public sector officials, school kids, tourism sector and the business community. Wickremanyake says their teachers and students are passionate about their lessons. The HDCC

suffered a setback when the pandemic hit, "although we began online lessons on WeChat during the lockdown, it has not been very successful where school kids are concerned, since parents are reluctant to send their children for lessons. Classes for tourist drivers are also at a standstill because tourism has not commenced."

She says online lessons are continuing successfully on WeChat for the business community, and they hope to become fully operational with lessons for all communities soon. Jeevan Premasara, General Manager HR of HIPG says they will support the chamber to keep the Chinese classes alive as they have been of great benefit not only to the community but also their staff, who are learning to communicate more effectively in Chinese.

Emirates honoured with Best Airline Worldwide award

Tops four other categories at Business Traveller Middle East Awards



Emirates has earned top spot at the Business Traveller Middle East Awards 2020, sweeping four awards including the coveted 'Best Airline Worldwide' award for the seventh consecutive year.

The airline also took home 'Airline with the Best

First Class', 'Airline with Best Cabin Crew' and 'Best Airport Lounge in the Middle East'.

The wins underscore Emirates' commitment to offer a better and safer customer experience in the air and on the ground across every class of travel. The

airline also highlight how the airline has been supporting its customers during the COVID-19 pandemic, rapidly meeting evolving consumer expectations during these times.

Emirates led the way to become the first airline to offer customers free Covid-19 cover to help customers travel with more confidence, knowing that medical expenses of up to EUR 150,000 and quarantine costs of EUR 100 per day for 14 days will be covered if they are diagnosed with

COVID-19 during their travel, while they are away from home.

At every step of the journey, Emirates has spared no effort to prioritise the care, health and safety of its customers, employees and communities.

Enhanced biosafety measures include the distribution of complimentary hygiene kits, protective barriers at check-in desks and immigration counters, personal protective equipment and new safety protocols for cabin crew and airport

employees in customer facing roles, and elevated aircraft cleaning procedures including the frequent cleaning and disinfecting of aircraft lavatories every 45 minutes during flights, amongst many other measures.

Emirates regularly reviews all its biosafety measures in line with the latest expert guidance. This week, Emirates re-introduced its iconic A380 products and onboard experiences, including the Onboard Lounge and

Shower Spa, as well as social areas in Business Class and First Class on select Boeing 777 aircraft following a thorough review and the implementation of additional health and safety measures.

The Emirates' First Class experience has been a showcase for product innovations like private suites, the in-flight Shower Spa, the Onboard Lounge and many other industry firsts, taking the flying experience to a whole new level. Service was temporarily modi-



fied however many of the signature products and services have now been restored, and travelling First Class on Emirates remains an unparalleled experience.

Emirates' premium customers can enjoy the air-

line's Business Class lounge in Concourse B in Dubai.

The Business Traveller Middle East Awards 2020 were presented virtually, and attended by hundreds of industry professionals across the region.



COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS' DEPARTMENT INVITATION TO BID

Bids in **duplicate** will be received by me for the following work.

	Bid Item	Eligibility of Bidder	Non refundable Form Fee inclusive of VAT (Rs. Cts.)	Value of Bid Security (Rs. Cts.)	Contact Person for further details
01	Proposed Pavillion and Improvements to White Park Playground at Maligakanda	Building Contractors belonging to CIDA Grade C05 or above	5,400.00	573,086.00 Unconditional on demand Guarantee	Dir. Engineering (Projects) Phone : 011-2692403

Note : Detailed invitation for Bids will be issued with the Bidding Documents. Please refer Circular Number PCA/13278 of Department of the Registrar of Companies attached with the Bidding Documents.

- Closing Time of Bid** : 10.00 hrs. on 12.11.2020.
Bids received after closing time will be rejected.
- Issue of Bidding Documents** : From Project Management Division of Municipal Engineers' Department at Town Hall, Colombo 07, till 10.00 hrs of 11.11.2020
- Validity of Offer** : Offer should be valid till 10.05.2021.
- Validity of Bid Security** : Bid Security shall be valid till 09.06.2021.
- Place of Tender Box** : Municipal Secretary's Department, Town Hall, Colombo 07.
Bids sent by post will be rejected.
- Other Conditions** : (a) Every Bidder should produce valid documents to prove the CIDA Grade at the time of collecting Tender Documents (if applicable).
(b) Bids shall be submitted only on the forms available for this purpose.
(c) Bidding Documents will be issued only on a letter of request submitted on a business letterhead on payment.
(d) Bidding Documents may be inspected free of charge at the Project Management Division of Municipal Engineers' Department.
(e) Bids will be opened immediately after closing time. If this day is declared as a Public Holiday, bids will be closed at 10.00 hrs. on the following working day and opened immediately thereafter.
(f) Bidders or their Authorized Representatives will be permitted to be present at the time of opening of Bids.

Roshani Dissanayake - Attorney-at-Law
Municipal Commissioner,
Colombo Municipal Council,
Town Hall, Colombo 07.



STATE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT, COAST CONSERVATION, WASTE DISPOSAL AND COMMUNITY CLEANLINESS Urban Development Authority



RE-INVITATION FOR BIDS

1. The **Chairman, Department Procurement Committee (DPC)** on behalf of the **Urban Development Authority** re-invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for undermentioned Contract

Name of the Contract	Contract No.	ICTAD/CIDA Category	Bid Bond (Rs.)	Non Refundable Fee (Rs.)	Time of the Bid Closing
Construction of Multi Storey Car Park and Mixed Development at UDA Land Narahenpita Phase I (Piling)	PD/MSCP/Narahenpita/2020/028 - RE	GP - B1 Specialty : Piling	2,000,000/-	20,000/- plus Taxes	11.00 a.m.

2. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding (NCB) method. To be eligible for contract award the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall meet the CIDA Registration with past experience.
3. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information & Bidding Documents on submission of a written application to the **Head of the Procurement, Procurement Unit, Urban Development Authority, 7th Floor, "Sethsiripaya", Battaramulla** (Tele: 011-3049008) from **22nd October 2020 until 10th November 2020 - 9.00 am to 2.30 pm** on weekdays, upon payment of aforesaid non-refundable fees plus Taxes in cash.
4. **Bid security** should be submitted on submission of the bids and valid **until 09th March 2021**.
5. Each bid shall be delivered in duplicate in separate envelopes addressed to the **Chairman, Department Procurement Committee (DPC), Procurement Unit, Urban Development Authority, 7th Floor, Sethsiripaya, Battaramulla**, on or before **11th November 2020 at aforesaid time**. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after the closing in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who are nominated to attend.
6. A pre-bid meeting will be held at **10.00 am on 06th November 2020** at the **Procurement Unit, Urban Development Authority, 7th Floor, Sethsiripaya, Battaramulla**. All bidders are advised to attend this meeting.
7. Urban Development Authority has no any responsibility cost relating to any bids. Also, Chairman, Department Procurement Committee has the authority to accept or reject any bid or bids.
8. Any alteration to the **Bidding Document** should be signed by the **Bidder**.
9. Further instruction and site visit/clarifications can be collected from the Director (Projects) of Western Region, Tel. No. 011-2877539.

Chairman,
Department Procurement Committee (DPC)
Urban Development Authority,
6th & 7th Floors, "Sethsiripaya"
Battaramulla.

PROCUREMENT NOTICE

FIRST CLASS WEB OFFSET NEWSPRINT

IMP/ADV/2020/17

The Chairman, Procurement Committee, The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Limited (ANCL) hereby invites sealed bids from Manufacturers, Representatives or their Accredited Agents in Sri Lanka for the supply of First Class Web Offset Newsprint conforming to the undermentioned basic specifications.

ITEM	: FIRST CLASS WEB OFFSET NEWSPRINT
SUBSTANCE & QUANTITY	: 48.8 GSM - 250 MT 45 GSM - 1,250 MT 42 GSM - 1,500 MT
REEL DIAMETER	: 48.8 GSM - 1016 — 1066 mm (MAXIMUM) 45 GSM - 1016 — 1066 mm (MAXIMUM) 42 GSM - 1016 — 1270 mm (MAXIMUM)
REEL WIDTH	: 350 mm, 700 mm
CORE INNER	: 76 mm
Expected Time of Arrival (ETA)	: From January 2021 onwards

- Bids should be submitted on Bid Documents available at Procurement Department of the Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd, with a payment of a non-refundable tender fee of Rs. 5,000/- in cash. Bid documents will be issued during office hours until 06th November 2020.
- Bid Documents are also available at the website www.lakehouse.lk/tenders and could also be used with a non-refundable payment of Rs. 5,000/-.
- Per MT price to be quoted in acceptable currency preferably in US\$ giving both FOB and CIF quotes on LC at sight basis and 90 days usance basis. Freight and insurance charges of CIF offers are to be indicated separately. **ANCL reserves the right to place the order on FOB or on CIF terms.**
- Bids should accompany a Bid Bond valuing Rs. 300,000/- issued by a reputed bank in Sri Lanka with a validity of 120 days from the opening date of the tender.
- Performance Bond equivalent to 10% of the total value of the order, issued by a reputed bank in Sri Lanka with a validity period of 180 days should be submitted by every successful bidder before establishment of the L/C.
- Separate bid documents should be used for each bid.
- New suppliers will be considered only after testing the quality of the samples.
- Complete bidding documents enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "**Bids for First Class Web Offset Newsprint**" on the top left hand corner should be sent to reach the **below address by registered post on or before 14.00 hrs on 09th November 2020 or deposited in the tender box provided in the Procurement Department. Late bids will be rejected.** Bids will be opened soon after closing the bid, in the presence or bidders or their authorized representatives.
- Further information could be obtained from the Procurement Department of ANCL on 011-2429422 or 011-2429451.
- The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Limited reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.



LAKE HOUSE

Chairman - Procurement Committee
The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd.
"Lake House", No. 35, D.R. Wijewardene Mawatha, Colombo 10.
For details: 2429422, 2429452

MEDADUMBARA PRADESHIYA SABHA

REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR THE YEAR 2021

Applications are invited from reputed Manufacturers and Suppliers for Registration for Provision of items and services for the Year 2021.

- Applications should be sent to the Chairman, Medadumbara Pradeshiya Sabha, Teldeniya by registered post to be received at or before 31.12.2020 and the words "**Registration of Manufacturers and Suppliers for the Year 2021**" should be marked on the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing the application. Only cheques for the amounts as registration fees, mentioned against the relevant Supplies and Services, drawn in favour of the Secretary, Medadumbara Pradeshiya Sabha, should be submitted.
- A self-prepared application with copies of relevant certificates (inclusive of all details) should be attached and submitted.

Serial No.	Supplies / Services	Registration Fees	
		Rs.	Cts.
01	All types of office equipment and stationery	1500	00
02	Steel Cabinets, Chairs, all Steel products including Cabinets	1500	00
03	Printing work, printed forms and Registers	1000	00
04	Loudspeakers and accessories	1000	00
05	Repairing of Computers including all Office Machinery and accessories	1000	00
06	Computer Consultancy Services	1000	00
07	Repairing of Electrical equipment	1000	00
08	Sanitary equipment like Brooms, Ekel Brooms, Brushes, Mops, Cane Baskets, Reeds, Garbage Carts, Wheelbarrows, Toilet Brushes, Germicides, Detergents, Buckets	1000	00
09	PVC Pipes and accessories	1000	00
10	All equipment required for Street Lighting and spare parts	1000	00
11	Galvanized Pipes, spare parts, Iron, Galvanized Sheets, Wire, Angle Iron and hardware, Bolts & Nuts, Mammoties, Crow Bars, Knives and Labourer Tools	1000	00
12	Material required for Uniforms, Buttons, Epulettes Caps, Raincoats, Shoes, Gum Boots, Gloves	500	00
13	Varieties of Paints and relevant equipment	1000	00
14	Germicides (Chlorine, JC Powder)	500	00
15	Name Boards, Notice Boards, Banners, etc.	1000	00
16	Repairing of Vehicles and Preparation	1000	00
17	Hiring on rent, Road Rollers and Trailers, Backhoe Machines, Road Maintenance Machinery	1000	00
18	All types of Building material including Metal Chips, River Sand, Bricks, Gravel, Iron, Lime, Firewood, Sawn Timber, Tar, Colas and Cement	1500	00
19	Concrete products including Hume Pipes, Concrete Posts, Cement Blocks	750	00
20	Tyres, Tubes & Batteries	1000	00
21	Purchase of empty Barrels, old Papers and discarded material	500	00
22	Providing land surveying and valuation services	1000	00

General Conditions :

- The Sabha has the right to obtain Supplies and Services from outside sources apart from the list of Registered Suppliers and Service Providers, whenever necessary.
- The Registration of Suppliers who fail to submit quotations when requested, or fail to make Supplies on time when ordered or who act in contrary to the Bid Conditions will be cancelled.
- The Suppliers who request for advance payments for making Supplies will not be registered.
- A grace period of at least 60 days should be provided as credit facilities.
- If registered for VAT, a certified copy of the Registration Certificate should be submitted.
- The Suppliers should agree to the conditions imposed by the Pradeshiya Sabha in terms of Circulars and Guidelines issued by the Government from time to time according to the Pradeshiya Sabha Act. Financial Rules and Regulations in carrying out the Supplies.

Ashoka Samarakoon
Chairman
Medadumbara Pradeshiya Sabha
Teldeniya

At Medadumbara Pradeshiya Sabha

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 7 OF THE LAND ACQUISITION ACT (CAP. 460) AS AMENDED BY LAND ACQUISITION (AMENDMENT) ACT NO. 28 OF 1964

Reference No : KMB/LAN/ACQU/02/75
Land Ministry No : 4/3/6/2014/HW/159

It is intended to acquire the land described in the schedule below. For further particulars, please see Government Gazette Extraordinary No. 2192/58 dated 10th September 2020.

SCHEDULE

Province	: Southern
District	: Matara
Divisional Secretary's Division	: Kamburupitiya
Grama Niladhari Division	: 320 A, Gathara East
Name of Village	: Gathara and Ganagama
Name of Land	: Aluthketiya, Aluthketiyahena, Gorakagahaliyeda, Ambaghamulla, Polgahamulla, Mahawaththa, Pahala Aluketiya, Lindagawa Athmaga, Welihengodakuttiya, Welihengoda Athmaga, Beddewaththa, Henawaththa.
Plan No.	: FVP 516 Sup. No. 31 Sheet No. 36 Lot No. 633-726 FVP 182 Sup No. 9 Sheet No. 9 Lot No. 91-96

Chinthaka Abeywikrama
Divisional Secretary
Kamburupitiya.

17.10.2020

CANCELLATION OF SPECIAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, **Undugodage Rupa Thilakawathie Rodrigo Abhayawardene** of No. 567, Bulankulama Disawa Mawatha, Anuradhapura, do hereby inform all that I am hereby cancelling the Special Power of Attorney No. 250 dated 02.10.2017 which was conferred on Kaluarachchige Sanath Premalal de Silva of 977 Second Phase, Anuradhapura.

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THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION

MAHAWELI AUTHORITY OF SRI LANKA



TENDER NOTICE

(NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING)

Moragahakanda Kaluganga Development Project

On behalf of the Project Procurement Committee (PPC), Moragahakanda-Kaluganga Development Project, Ministry of Irrigation, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, sealed Bids will be received by the Project Director, Koongahawela up to 10.30 hrs. on 09th November 2020 for the following works.

Item No.	Description	Contract No.	Non Refundable Tender Fee per set of Bidding Documents	Required CIDA/ICTAD Grade, Field of Registration
01	Construction of Bisopura SBC2 Canal Road from 9+860km to 12+860km in Medirigiriya (System "D") Under MKDP (Estimated value is Rs. 49.09 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/782	Rs. 13,000.00	C4 & above Road work
02	Construction of Bisopura SBC2 Canal Road from 12+860km to 16+060km in Medirigiriya (system "D") Under MKDP (Estimated value is Rs. 66.01 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/783	Rs. 15,500.00	C4 & above Road work
03	Construction of Balance Work of Visitor's Information Center Building (Estimated value is Rs. 80.78 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 150.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/799	Rs. 18,000.00	C4 & above Building work
04	Construction of canals SD1-D10-BC-BAN, FC1-D10-BC-BAN, FC2-D10-BC-BAN, FCI-SD1-D10-BC-BAN and FC2-SD1-D10-BC-BAN in Bandarawewa Unit at Medirigiriya New Development Zone Under MKDP. (Estimated value is Rs. 29.11 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/800	Rs. 8,000.00	C6 & C5 Irrigation work
05	Construction of canals D11-BC-BAN, FC1-D11-BC-BAN, FC2-D11-BC-BAN, FC3-D11-BC-BAN in Bandarawewa Unit at Medirigiriya New Development Zone. (Estimated value is Rs. 35.12 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/801	Rs. 9,750.00	C5 & C4 Irrigation work
06	Construction of Canals SD1-D11-BC-BAN, FC1-SD1-D11-BC-BAN, FC2-SD1-D11-BC-BAN, FC3-SD1-D11-BC-BAN in Bandarawewa Unit at Medirigiriya New Development Zone. (Estimated value is Rs. 33.45 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/802	Rs. 9,250.00	C5 & C4 Irrigation work
07	Construction of canals D10-BC-BAN, FC3-D10-BC-BAN and FC4-D10-BC-BAN in Bandarawewa Unit at Medirigiriya New Development Zone (Estimated value is Rs. 42.42 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/803	Rs. 11,500.00	C5 & C4 Irrigation work
08	Casting of Pre-cast field canal structures for Bandarawewa and Nabadawewa Unit Medirigiriya New Development Zone. (Estimated value is Rs. 12.02 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 150.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/804	Rs. 4,000.00	C6 & C5 Irrigation work
09	Construction of entrance gate polymer coated chain link fence, barbed wire fenceboundary wallretaining wall & concreted road drain for Library and commercial land at Ambana town center Under MKDP. (Estimated value is Rs. 10.18 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 120.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/805	Rs. 3,750.00	C6 & C5 Building work
10	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch.8+240km to 11+140km under MKDP. (Estimated value is Rs. 74.38 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 210.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/806	Rs. 17,000.00	C4 & above Road work
11	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch.11+140km to 13+020km under MKDP. (Estimated value is Rs. 73.22 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 210.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/807	Rs. 16,750.00	C4 & above Road work
12	Construction of 2.85km Water Distribution Pipe Line for Kotampaya Re-settlement Area under MKDP. (Estimated value is Rs. 14.52 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 120.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/808	Rs. 4,750.00	C6 & C5 Water Supply and Sewerage
13	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch. 2+400km to 4+050km (Estimated value is Rs. 77.29 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 210.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/655-A	R. 17,500.00	C4 & above Road work
14	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch. 4+050km to Ch.5+850km (Estimated value is Rs. 76.70 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 210.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/656-A	Rs.17,500.00	C4 & above Road work
15	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch.5+850km to Ch. 7+200km (Estimated value is Rs. 58.55 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 180.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2019/657-A	Rs.14,500.00	C4 & above Road work
16	Construction of Medirigiriya - Kanthale Road via Agbopura from Ch. 0+760km to 2+400km Under MKDP (Estimated value is Rs. 83.82 Million excluding VAT and Contract period is 210.0 days)	MKDP/PD/CON/NCB/2020/752-A	Rs.18,500.00	C4 & above Road work

Bidders who have the Grade and Field of Registration under the ICTAD scheme of registration mentioned in the above table against the work, only will be eligible for bidding.

5% preference (Regional preference) will be granted to the regional contractors for the contracts with a value up to 50.0 Million.

Prospective bidders can obtain the bidding documents by a written request on a company/firm letterhead, addressed to the Project Director, Moragahakanda-Kaluganga Development Project, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, Ministry of Irrigation, Koongahawela from 22nd October 2020 to 06th November 2020 from 09.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs on working days, on payment of a non-refundable Tender fee as given above per set of Bidding Documents for each bid. Bidders are free to bid for more than one tender but selections will be made according to the capacity limits of the bidders.

Bidding Documents may be inspected free of charge at the office of Project Director, Moragahakanda - Kaluganga Development Project, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, Ministry of Irrigation, Koongahawela on normal working days from 22nd October 2020 to 06th November 2020 from 09.00 hrs to 15.00 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 Project Director, Moragahakanda - Kaluganga Development Project, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, Ministry of Irrigation, Koongahawela, before the closing time of specified date of submission. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter. Bidders or their authorized representatives, not exceeding two (02) in number are permitted to be present at the opening of tenders.

For further details, please contact Project Director, Moragahakanda-Kaluganga Development Project, Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka, Koongahawela on Tel. 066-2053612 or 066-2053913.

Project Director,
Moragahakanda-Kaluganga Development Project,
Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka,
Koongahawela.
(Tel. 066-2053612)

MINISTRY OF WILDLIFE AND FOREST CONSERVATION

REGISTRATION OF GOODS AND SERVICE SUPPLIERS - 2021

Sealed applications are called for the registration of suppliers for purchasing of the following goods, services and used items for the Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation for the year 2021. Applicants with experience in supplying goods and services for the public institutions within the past two years can apply for this.

Goods, services and used items supplied and Code No.

Code Number	Goods Supplying
G01	Office stationery items (Computer related stationery items and consumer goods)
G02	Day stamps, rubber stamps, name boards and identity cards etc.
G03	Tyres, tubes, batteries for vehicles
G04	Supplying goods and beverages
G05	Supplying drinking water
G06	Office furniture (tables, chairs, cabinets, racks etc.)
G07	Computers and computer accessories
G08	Office equipment including Printing machines, photocopiers, Fax machines etc
G09	Vehicle spare parts
G10	Multimedia projectors, multimedia screens
G11	Air conditioners, electrical and other appendages

Code Number	Service supplying
S01	Vehicle repairing
S02	Vehicle servicing
S03	Printing activities and book binding
S04	Repairing all office equipment including fax machines, photocopies & furniture etc.
S05	Computer repairing and services providing
S06	Telephone services
S07	Building construction, repairing, wiring and building fabrication (state the CIDA Registration level; minimum C-9). Providing electricity consultation services for Buildings.
S08	Servicing and repairing of electric equipment.
S09	Providing sanitary facilities.
S10	Providing security services
S11	Developing computer networks

Code Number	Purchasing of used goods
P01	Purchasing of used Tyres

GUIDELINES FOR THE APPLICANTS:

- Applicants for the registration should have worked at least minimum three years in the relevant fields (should substantiate relevant documents).
- Applicants should have an experience of supplying goods and services for a state institution within last two years (attach relevant documents to prove).
- Should agree to provide goods on one month of credit period basis.
- All suppliers should attach a photocopy of the business registration certificate and applicants who are registering under the S07 should substantiate documents to prove registration at CIDA.
- Prospective applicants should make their applications as per the specimen given below. A cheque valued non-refundable Rs. 800 should be submitted written in favour of "Secretary, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Wildlife" for each prospective subject. If applied for several subjects, applications should be submitted separately for each subject and a non-refundable fee of Rs. 800 for each subject can be paid by a single cheque. In case of cancellation of the cheque, the application will be rejected (cheque should also be attached with the application).
- All the applications should be sent to the address: "Secretary, Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation, No. 1090, Sri Jayawardanapura Rd, Rajagiriya" to receive before 2.00 p.m. on 23.11.2020. Late applications will be rejected.
- On the top left-hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application mark "Registration of Suppliers 2021"
- Quotations are called from registered suppliers to receive goods and services and whenever required; I have the authority to receive competitive bids from the agency establishments as well.
- No quotations will be called again from the registered suppliers who do not submit quotations, do not supply goods and services on time, as per the samples when ordered.
- Purchased goods should be delivered free of charge to the stores of the Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation.
- For further details, please contact phone No. 0113355011 of the Chief Financial Officer of the Ministry.
- Procurement Committee reserves the right to accept or reject the applications which do not have qualifications for registration without informing.

Secretary,
Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation

APPLICATION

MINISTRY OF WILDLIFE AND FOREST CONSERVATION
Registration of Goods and Service Suppliers - 2021

- Name of the business and address :-
- Registration No.:-
(A photocopy of the business registration should be produced)
- Telephone No.:- Fax Number:-
- Nature of the business (Production/agency/co-operative):-
- Turnover from January to October 2020:-
- VAT No.:-
- Period of loan granted:-
- CIDA registration number and grade:-
(Photocopy of the CIDA registration certificate for contractors should be produced)
- Code number and details of the goods and services to be registered:-

Code Number	Details of the goods/ services/used item purchased	Brand Name (If relevant)	Details on Experience	Cheque Number of the Payment Made

Name of the applicant and signature

Date

(Rubber Stamp)



TENDER NOTICE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF SRI LANKA



Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka invites sealed quotations from suppliers for following.

- Bid No. 01: Designing, printing and supply of Annual Report - 2019**
- Bid No. 02: Designing, printing and supply of Activity Plan - 2021**
- Bid No. 03: Designing, printing and binding of the way leave guideline**

Bidders are requested to submit followings along with the sealed quotations.

- Duly filled compliance form given as Annexure I to the tender document (Downloadable via PUCSL website)
- Price with taxes and without taxes separately

Bidders are required to **send separate quotations for Bid No 1, 2 and 3 in three separate sealed envelopes** indicating Bid No. and the Name of the bid on the upper left-hand corner of the envelope to reach the Chairman, Procurement Committee, Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka, Level 6, BOC Merchant Tower, No. 28, St. Michael's Road, Colombo 03 by 2.30 pm on 12th November 2020. Bids will be opened immediately after the closing of the bids. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Tender documents could be obtained from the undersigned from 8.30 am to 4.00 pm during weekdays until 11th November 2020 or can be downloaded from the website : www.pucsl.gov.lk

Bidders or their authorized representatives are invited to be present at the bid opening & the decisions of the Procurement Committee shall be final.

Please contact Ms. Anushika (071-8622800 or 011-2392608/7) or email (anushikak@pucsl.gov.lk) for clarifications.

**Chairman
Procurement Committee,
Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka,
Level 6, BOC Merchant Tower,
No. 28, St. Michael's Road,
Colombo 03.**

22nd October 2020

Department of Ayurveda Sabaragamuwa Province

Extension of the dates of the Invitation for Bids for the provision of Security and Sanitary Services and washing of Soiled Linen and supply of Dry Firewood and Dry Drugs

It is hereby notified that the issuing of bidding documents pertaining to the newspaper advertisement which appeared in Dinamina, Thinakaran and Daily News newspapers on **28.09.2020** regarding above has been entertained up to **3.00 p.m. on 23.11.2020**.

Accordingly, sealed bids in duplicate could either be sent by registered post or placed in the tender box kept at the following address before **10.00 a.m. on 24.11.2020**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened at **10.30 a.m.** on the same day and the bidder or his authorized representative may be present on this occasion. Other conditions remain unchanged.

**Chairman,
Consultant Dr. Douglas Pathirage,
Department Procurement Committee,
Provincial Department of Ayurveda,
Sabaragamuwa.
Bandaranaike Mawatha,
Ratnapura.**

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NATIONAL TRANSPORT COMMISSION



INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR PROVIDING SECURITY SERVICES 2020/2021

The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee on behalf of the National Transport Commission invites sealed Bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Supply Security Service for Bastian Mawatha Interprovincial Bus Terminal, Pettah including NTC Sub Office.

All bidders shall be registered with the Registrar of Companies, under the specialty having the experience given below.

- Business Registration Required :
Specialty : Supply of security Services
- Experience Required: Last 05 years experience in supply of security service at least 03 reputed institutions.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Assistant Director (Procurement), National Transport Commission 241, Park Road, Colombo 05 and may inspect the Bidding Document at the same place on working days from **10.00 hrs to 14.00hrs.** (011 2503969)

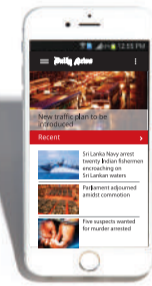
A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders on submission of a written application on letter head addressed to the Director (Finance & Procurement), National Transport Commission 241, Park Road, Colombo 05 from **23-10-2020** until **09-11-2020** from **10.00 hrs to 14.00 hrs** upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Rs.1,000/-** in cash.

Bids shall be valid up to 90 days from the date of opening of the Bid.

Bids must be dropped in the tender box at the Procurement Section, on or before **14.00 hrs on 10-11-2020**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing in the presence of the bidders or representatives who choose to attend.

**Chairman,
National Transport Commission
No.241,
Park Road, Colombo 05**

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Eastern University, Sri Lanka

Extension of Closing date of Bids

Rehabilitation and Improvement of Building and other Structures at Eastern University, Sri Lanka

This has reference to the notice published in the Daily News and Thinakaran Newspapers on 13/10/2020 on the above subject.

This is to inform that the Contractors with a Construction Industry Development Authority (CIDA) grading of C5, C6, C7, C8, and C9 in Building are eligible to bid for the work.

Further, the closing date for submission of bid has also been extended up to 10.30 a.m. on 04/11/2020. Accordingly, Bidding Documents will also be issued up to 03/11/2020.

Another Pre-Bid meeting will be held on 27/10/2020 at 10.00 am at the office of the Senior Assistant Registrar/Capital Works and Planning of the Eastern University, Sri Lanka.

Other conditions of the previous notice will remain unchanged.

**The Chairman
Department Procurement Committee
Eastern University, Sri Lanka
Vantharumoolai
Chenkalady.**

22.10.2020

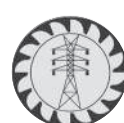
CEYLON ELECTRICITY BOARD SRI LANKA ADDENDUM 1

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF NON-REFUNDABLE BID DEPOSIT

Loan No. and Title:	51122-SRI: Power System Reliability Strengthening Project
Contract No. and Title:	CEB/AGM/PRO/2020/IFB/PSRSP/P2A Procurement of Plant – Design, Supply and Installation Package 2 Lot A of PSRSP – Construction of 132kV Transmission Lines

- Further to the paper advertisement dated 01st October 2020 on above project title, it is informed hereby that the non-refundable deposit for obtaining the bid documents is increased to LKR 200,000.00.
- To purchase the Bidding Documents, eligible bidders should:
 - Visit the office of the Project Manager (PMU2) at address indicated above between 09:00 hours and 15:00 hours on working days until the bid submission deadline and pay a non-refundable fee of LKR 200,000.00 by cash or in the form of bank draft written in favor of the General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board, Colombo, Sri Lanka.
 - Or
 - Request for delivery by sending a written application to the address above requesting the bidding documents for "Procurement of Plant – Design, Supply and Installation of Package 2 Lot 'A' of PSRSP, Construction of 132kV Transmission Lines". The application must include a bank draft in favor of the General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board, for the amount of LKR 205,000.00 (domestic delivery) or US\$ 1300 (Overseas delivery). The document will be sent through courier. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.
- All other information in the previous advertisements/ Bidding documents will remain unchanged.

**CHAIRMAN
STANDING CABINET APPOINTED PROCUREMENT COMMITTEE**



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CEYLON ELECTRICITY BOARD SRI LANKA ADDENDUM 1

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF NON-REFUNDABLE BID DEPOSIT

Loan No. and Title:	51122-SRI: Power System Reliability Strengthening Project
Contract No. and Title:	CEB/AGM/PRO/2019/IFB/PSRSP-P3 Procurement of Plant – Design, Supply and Install for Package 3: Construction of Grid Substations at Baddegama, Homagama, Peliyagoda, Tissamaharama

- Further to the paper advertisement dated 01st October 2020 on above project title, it is informed hereby that the non-refundable deposit for obtaining the bid documents is increased to LKR 200,000.00.
- To purchase the Bidding Documents, eligible bidders should:
 - Visit the office of the Project Manager (PSRSP-P3), Ceylon Electricity Board, 759, Thalagama South, Pelawatta, Sri Lanka between 09:00 hours and 15:00 hours on working days until the bid submission deadline and pay a non-refundable fee of LKR 200,000.00 by cash or in the form of bank draft written in favor of the General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board, Colombo, Sri Lanka.
 - Or
 - Request for delivery by sending a written application to the address above requesting the bidding documents for "Procurement of Plant – Design, Supply and Install for Package 3: Construction of Grid Substations at Baddegama, Homagama, Peliyagoda and Tissamaharama". The application must include a bank draft in favor of the General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board, for the amount of LKR 205,000.00 (domestic delivery) or US\$ 1300 (Overseas delivery). The document will be sent through courier. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.
- All other information in the previous advertisements/ Bidding documents will remain unchanged.

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MINISTRY OF HIGHWAYS
ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

TRANSPORT CONNECTIVITY AND ASSET MANAGEMENT PROJECT

Credit No. IDA-5788-LK

Invitation for Quotations (IFQ)

**Procurement of 05 Nos. Laptop Computers,
05 Nos. Desktop Computers and 05 Nos. UPS**

Contract No. : LK-RDA-163114-GO-RFQ

- The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received a credit from the International Development Association (IDA) towards the cost of Transport Connectivity and Asset Management Project (TCAMP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the Contract for Procurement of 05 Nos. Laptop Computers, 05 Nos. Desktop Computers and 05 Nos. UPS.
- The Chairman, Project Procurement Committee on behalf of the Road Development Authority now invites sealed quotations from eligible and qualified vendors for the supply of 05 Nos. Laptop Computers, 05 Nos. Desktop Computers and 05 Nos. UPS.
- Bidding will be conducted through National Shopping Procedures.
- Interested eligible vendors may obtain further information from The Project Director, TCAMP, Road Development Authority; Tel: 011-2884594/5 and inspect the Request for Quotation (RFQ) document at the address given below from **22/10/2020 to 04/11/2020**, during the office hours (from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Monday to Friday inclusive, except Public Holidays).
- Vendors should have a minimum of 05 years' experience in supplying similar type of computers and UPS.
- A complete set of RFQ document in English language may be purchased by interested vendors on sub-mission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **LKR 1,500.00**.
- Quotations must be delivered to the address below at or before **2.30 pm on 05/11/2020**. Late Quotations will be rejected. Quotations will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below, immediately after the closing of Quotations. All Quotations must be accompanied by a "Bid-Security," of **LKR 30,000.00**, (Validity period of the bid security shall be 90 days from the date of Bid submission deadline i.e. up to **03/02/2021**).
- The address referred to above is: Project Director, Transport Connectivity and Asset Management Project (TCAMP), No.122, Main Street, Battaramulla.

Chairman,
Project Procurement Committee,
Transport Connectivity and Asset Management Project,
Road Development Authority,
No. 122, Main Street,
Battaramulla.



MINISTRY OF TOURISM

**SRI LANKA TOURISM DEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY (SLTDA)**

BID NOTICE - NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING (NCB)

**Supply, Installation, Commissioning and After Sale Service
of 50kW Solar Powered Electricity Generating System &
Lightning Protection System at SLTDA**

Contract No.: SLTDA/HR&PM/G/NCB/Solar System/2020/08

The Chairman, Departmental Procurement Committee of Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority invites sealed bids for the **Supply, Installation, Commissioning and after Sale Service of 50kW Solar Powered Electricity Generating System & Lightning Protection System at SLTDA**.

Bids should be submitted in the documents available at the office of Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority, No. 80, Galle Road, Colombo 03 from **21st October 2020 to 11th November 2020, 09:00 hours to 15:00 hours** on normal working days up to **14:00 hours on 11th November 2020** upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. 2,500.00.

Pre-bid meeting will be held on 28th October 2020, at 10.00 a.m., at Chairman's Board Room (1st Floor), Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority, No. 80, Galle Road, Colombo 03.

The intended completion date is 90 days from the awarding date.

All bidders shall have Business Registration, authorization of manufacturing company and registered at Sustainable Energy Authority.

All bids shall accompany a certificate of registration issued by the Registrar of Public Contracts in Sri Lanka according to the Public Contract Act No.03 of 1987 of the Government of Sri Lanka and subsequent gazette notifications (PCA3 form).

Sealed bids may either be dispatched by registered post or hand delivered to the office of Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority, No. 80, Galle Road, Colombo 03. Receive on or before **14.00 hours, 11th November 2020. Late bids will be returned unopened.**

Bids will be opened immediately after the closing of Bids at the office of Procurement Division (4th Floor), Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority, No. 80, Galle Road, Colombo 03. Bidders or their authorized representatives may be present at the opening of bids.

Alternative offers will not be accepted.

All bids shall be valid up to **27th January 2021**. (77 days from the date of the closing of the Bid) and all Bids shall be accompanied by a valid bid security of **LKR 96,000.00** from a recognized commercial bank operated under the Central Bank of Sri Lanka and should be valid up to **24th February 2021. (105 Days from the date of closing of the Bid)**.

An employee or a firm and/or an individual having a close business or family relationship with an employee of the Ministry of Tourism & Aviation, Tourism Development Authority and any other institution under the control of the Ministry shall not be eligible for award.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority, No. 80, Galle Road, Colombo 03 and for further details, please contact the Assistant Director (Procurement), on Telephone 0112426800 Ext : 305/0112382622, Electronic mail address: **amilam@srilanka.travel**

The Departmental Procurement Committee decision will be the final decision. Further, SLTDA has the right to accept or reject any Bid without adducing any reasons and SLTDA will not be responsible for any costs or any expenses incurred by the prospective bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids.



Chairman
Departmental Procurement Committee
Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority
No. 80, Galle Road,
Colombo 03.

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**CEYLON ELECTRICITY BOARD
BID NOTICE**

**SALE OF 02 NOS. OF USED VEHICLES BELONGING TO
KELANITISSA COMBINED CYCLE POWER STATION**

BID NO: DGM(TC)/DISP/VEH/2020-01

The Chairman, Thermal Complex Procurement Committee, Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, now invites sealed Bids for sale of 02 Nos. used vehicles given in the table below till 14.00 hrs on **18-11-2020**.

Bid documents for in English language could be purchased at the office of Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), CEB, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600 from 09.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs till **17-11-2020** upon payment of a non refundable fee of Rs. 1,000.00. A separate bid document has to be purchased for each vehicle to be bid. An information copy can be downloaded from www.ceb.lk website.

The following vehicles could be inspected on any working day from **26-10-2020 to 17-11-2020** from 09.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs at below mentioned premises, by producing the National Identity Card.

Details of vehicles to be disposed

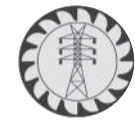
S/N	Vehicle Number	Make/Model/Type	Location of vehicles , Revenue Licenses & Registration Certificates
01	50-7716	Nissan D21 Double Cab	Kelanitissa Combined Cycle Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya
02	18-6062	Ford Laser	Kelanitissa Combined Cycle Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya

Bids may be sent through post under registered cover or deposited in the tender box at the office of Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, who is authorized to receive and acknowledge bids at or before 14.00 hrs on **18-11-2020**.

Bids will be opened at office of Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600 immediately after closing of bids. The bidders or their representatives are allowed to witness the opening.

All clarifications shall be sought 03 days before closing of bids from the office of Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, (Tel: 011-2437426 / 011-2147270)

Chairman
Thermal Complex Procurement Committee,
Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board,
New Kelani Bridge Road,
Kolonnawa 10600.



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**REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS AND CONTRACTORS
FOR THE YEAR 2021**

Deputy General Manager - Eastern Province will receive applications from suppliers of goods and Service Contractors who wish to register themselves for the supply of undermentioned items and services to the Eastern Province of Ceylon Electricity Board for the year 2021.

ITEMS CATEGORIES

(A) Supply of Materials (Goods)

CODE Materials Category

- M-1 MCCBs, MCBs, RCCBs, Cut outs – (Agents only)
- M-2 Fuse Links, HRC Fuse, Fuse Carriers, Insulators (Agents only)
- M-3 Bimetallic Clamps, Cable Lugs, Compression Connectors, ABC Accessories (Agents only)
- M-4 Safety Equipment and Small Tools (Manufacturers & Agents only)
- M-5 Copper & Al Cables, Conductors and Binding Wires (manufacturers only)
- M-8 Meter Boxes & Boards (Plastic & Steel)
- M-11 Reinforced & Pre Stressed Concrete Poles
- M-12 Computers, Printers, Network & related items
- M-13 Electrical items, Halogen fittings, Flood light fittings, Street lamps, Main switches, Electrical appliances etc.

(B) Supply of Services

CODE Service Category

- S-1 Contractors for transport of materials (Transformers, Poles, etc.)
- S-2 Contractors for provision of service connections
- S-3 Contractors for Way leave clearing
- S-4 Contractors for construction of MV & LV distribution lines & substations.
- S-5 Contractors for Rehabilitation and Augmentation of MV & LV Distribution Lines, Substations and Service Connections.
- S-9 Contractors for Printing of Stationery.
- S-12 Contractors for Civil works for Construction of Buildings.
- S-15 Chartered Electrical Engineers to serve as registered professionals for issuing of inspection certificates on internal wiring of Electrical installations (Bulk supply, Solar power and ordinary supply) and for issuing of investigation reports on claims of damaged appliances and equipment.

Instructions to Applicants

- Suppliers / Contractors who are already registered for year 2020 need not purchase the registration document for the year 2021. They shall inform respective Deputy General Manager (Eastern Province), in writing of their willingness to register for year 2021. They will be considered for registration for the year 2021. They will be considered for registration for the year 2021 for the same item category, if their performances are satisfactory.
- However, if any Suppliers / Contractors already registered for some items for year 2020, are willing to register for any other new item for the year 2021, they shall purchase the suppliers/contractors registration document and submit the relevant applications for the new items/ services.
- Separate applications should be submitted for each category.
- A complete set of registration documents containing applications for registration of suppliers and contractors shall be obtained on payment of **Rs. 500.00** to Deputy General Manager's Office (East) (Address given below) on any working days till **10-11-2020 at 1500 hrs**. The payment shall be made by a CEB Pay-in Voucher (PIV) or by a bank draft written in favour of "General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board" issued by any commercial bank operating in Sri Lanka. Separate applications for each category shall be purchased.
- Completed applications shall be sent by post under registered cover to Deputy General Manager's Office (East) to reach this office on or before **14.00 hrs. on 11-11-2020** or be deposited in the box provided for this purpose at the **Deputy General Manager's Office (Eastern Province), Ceylon Electricity Board, Uppuveli, Trincomalee** before **11-11-2020**. Please write "Registration of Suppliers & Contractors -2021 and relevant category with Code No." on the top left-hand corner of the cover/envelope.
- The applications received later than closing time will not be accepted.
- Registration documents and any further clarifications could be obtained from the following office:

DEPUTY GENERAL MANAGER (EAST),
CEYLON ELECTRICITY BOARD, NILAVELI ROAD, UPPUVELI, TRINCOMALEE.
TELEPHONE: 026-2222666 & 026-2221030 FAX: 026-2222158 & 026-2226908



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Government Notice
National Consumer Price Index
 Computed by the Department of Census and Statistics
 (Base: 2013=100)

It is hereby notified for general information that the National Consumer Price Index computed by the Department of Census and Statistics for the month of September 2020 was 138.9 (One Hundred and Thirty Eight point Nine).

Dr I.R. Bandara,
 Director General of Census and Statistics

Department of Census and Statistics,
 P.O. Box 121,
 Battaramulla.
 21st October 2020

Employment Opportunities

TERTIARY AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION COMMISSION (TVEC)
 State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Education,
 Research and Innovations

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Please note that all the applications except the applications for the translator position received in response to the vacancy announcement published in the newspaper by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission on **30/05/2019** have been cancelled due to unavoidable circumstances and the respective vacancy announcement has been re-published in TVEC website (www.tvec.gov.lk). The closing date for the application is **04th November 2020**.

Director General
Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission

CEYLON ELECTRICITY BOARD (Uva Province)

REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS AND CONTRACTORS FOR THE UVA PROVINCE DISTRIBUTION DIVISION - 03 FOR YEAR 2021

Applications are invited from Manufacturers, Distributors, Agents, Suppliers and Contractors for supplying and providing service to Uva Province of Ceylon Electricity Board, during the year 2021.

Following Area Electrical Engineer Units and Chief Engineer Construction Unit, Chief Engineer Distribution & Maintenance Unit, Chief Engineer Planning & Development Unit are included in Uva Province.

- > Badulla Area Office
- > Diyatalawa Area Office
- > Moneragala Area Office
- > Mahiyanganaya Area Office

Note : Suppliers / Contractors who have already registered in 2020 are not required to apply for the registration of the year 2021.

ITEM CATEGORIES :
 (A) Material

REFERENCE NO: DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/01
Registration of Material Suppliers/Providers in Uva Province for the Year 2021

Material Code	Material Category
M - 01	MCCB, MCB, ELCB, RCCB, Cutouts, Fuse Links, HRC fuse, Fuse Carriers, Neutral links, Cu Bus bars, Cu Sockets, Bi-Metallic sockets, Exothermic welding mould & metal etc
M - 02	Line hardware items
M - 03	Electrical Fittings, Halogen Fittings, Flood Light Fittings, Street Lamps, Main Switches, Electrical Appliances, etc.
M - 04	Electrical Safety equipment including safety uniforms, Tools, Measuring Instruments, Ladders, Etc.
M - 05	Insulated Copper and Al. Cables of all sorts, Bare Al & Cu Conductors and Binding wires
M - 06	Jointing Kits (Compound Type, Heat Shrinkable and Resin Type), Right Angle Boots, Straight Boots, Tubing, Black Cotton Tape, Empire Tapes, Linen Tapes, Oil Impregnated Tape, Oil Resisting Tape, Bitumen Compound, Plumbing Metal, Tin Solder.
M - 07	Meter Boxes (PVC), Meter Boards, Metal enclosures, etc.
M - 08	Stationery
M - 09	Tyres & Tubes for Motor Vehicles
M - 10	Computers, Printers, Computer & Network accessories, etc.

* Separate application shall be purchased for each item category.(01-10)

(B) Service Providers
REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/02
Registration of Service Providers in Uva Province for the Year 2021

Service Code	Service Category
S-01	Supply of Security services, Janitorial Services, Supply of Electricity Disconnection Services, Registration of Chartered electrical engineers for issuing Inspection certificate, Registration of Accredited Calibration laboratories(Clip-on meters, Crimping tools etc.)
S-02	Repairing and Servicing of Motor Vehicles
S-03	Printing of Electricity Bills, Document, Leaflets
S-04	Transport of RC, Wooden and Pre-stressed /Pre-Stressed spun poles, transformers and other materials
S-05	Contractors for Civil works, Supply of Civil Engineering consultancy service

* Separate application shall be purchased for each item category.(01-05)

(C) Concrete Poles
REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/03
Registration of Supply & Delivery (Including Loading & Unloading) of Reinforced Concrete Poles in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/04
Registration of Supply & Delivery (Including Loading & Unloading) of Pre-Stressed/Pre-Stressed Spun Concrete Poles in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

*Separate application shall be purchased for Pre-Stressed concrete poles & Pre-stressed Spun Concrete poles.

(D) Contractors
REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/05
Registration of Construction of Service Connection in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

*Separate application shall be purchased for each area.

REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/06
Registration of Construction & Maintenance of Electricity Distribution Lines & Substations in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

*Separate application shall be purchased for CE (Construction) Unit & CE (Dis.Maintenance) Unit.

REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/07
Registration of Way Leave Clearance around MV/LV Electricity Distribution Lines & Substations in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

*Separate application shall be purchased for each area.

REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/08
Registration of Maintenance contractors for Low voltage lines in Uva Province for the Year of 2021.


REFERENCE NO : DGM(Uva)/CE(Com)/SupReg2021/09
Registration of Maintenance contractors for Medium Voltage (33kV) Lines & Substations in Uva Province for the Year 2021.

Conditions :
 A complete set of documents for Registration of Suppliers & Service (Applications) could be obtained from the Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer Commercial Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 04, Springvalley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla on any working day from 22nd October 2020 to 11th November 2020 between 8.00 a.m. and 3.00 pm on payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. 500.00 per item in cash or Bank Draft drawn in favour of the General Manager, Ceylon Electricity Board for each item category as mentioned above.

The document shall be duly completed and returned by registered post or deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer Commercial Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 04, Springvalley road, Hindagoda, Badulla on or before 11th November 2020 at 3.00 pm. The top left-hand side of the envelope containing the application shall be marked the Reference No. & "Application for **Registration of Suppliers & Service - For year 2021**"

Applicants are required to submit the documents separately for each reference number.
 The application received after the scheduled time: 11th November 2020 at 3.00 pm will not be entertained and be returned unopened.
 Refundable deposit, terms and conditions for registration of suppliers will be provided along with the applications.

**Deputy General Manager (Uva),
 Chief Engineer Commercial Unit,
 Ceylon Electricity Board,
 No. 04, Springvalley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla
 Telephone : 055 - 4929704 Fax : 055 - 2222394**


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 GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA
Ministry of Highways
ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY


EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Applications are invited from Sri Lankan citizens to fill the following vacancy existing at the Road Development Authority.

1) Director (Administration) HM 1-3

Educational and Professional Qualifications and experience:
External candidates: (1 or 2 below)

1. A Bachelors' Degree in the field of Human Resource Management / Public Administration / Public Management which is recognized by the U.G.C.
 WITH
 A Postgraduate Degree qualification (Masters') in the field of Human Resource Management / Public Administration / Public Management or Chartered Membership of a recognized Professional Chartered Institute, which is relevant to the subject area of the post.
 AND
 Minimum of 17 years' experience at a "Managerial Level" with a proven track record in a Corporation, Statutory Board / Institution or a reputed private institution.
2. Full Membership of a recognized Professional Chartered Institution in the field of Human Resource Management / Public Administration / Public Management.
 AND
 Minimum of 17 years experience at a "Managerial Level" with a proven track record in a Corporation, Statutory Board / Institution or a reputed private institution.

Salary scale
HM 1 - 3 - Rs.86,865 - 2,270 x 15 - 120,915 + all other allowances approved by the Government and Road Development Authority .

Age Limit
 Age should be not less than 35 years, and not more than 55 years.

General Conditions applicable to the post:

- Employees' Provident Fund contribution by the Authority is 12% against 8% by the Employees plus additional contribution of 3% towards Employees' Trust Fund by the Authority.
- An assigned vehicle with the approved fuel allowance or transport allowance will be provided by the terms of the prevailing Public Enterprise Circular No. PED 1/2015 dated 2015.05.25 & PED 1/2015 (i) dated 2016.10.27.
- Applicants form the Govt. Departments / state corporations / statutory boards & Authorities should send the applications through the respective heads of the institution.
- Names, addresses and telephone numbers of two non related referees should be stated in the application to obtain verifications of the applicant.
- Photocopies of educational, professional, experience and other relevant certificates should be attached to the application.

Application with the post applied for should be written on the top left hand corner of the Envelop and sent by registered post to reach Director (Administration) at the following address on or before **06.11.2020**.

(Application Form)

Application for the post of In the Road Development Authority

1. Name with initials:
2. Name in full:
3. Address: Private:

Office:

4. Date of Birth : Year: Month: Date: Age:
5. National Identity Card Number :
6. Nationality:
7. Gender: Male Female
8. Religion:
9. Telephone Number & Fax number: Private: Official: Mobile:

Fax:

10. E - mail Address:
11. Educational Qualification:

Degree	University/ Institution	Duration	Date of qualified

12. Professional Qualification:

Cours	University/ Institution	Duration	Date of qualified

13. Membership :

Institution	Membership Category			Nature of the Category	
	Fellow	Member	Associate	Cooperate	Non - Cooperate

14. Qualified category as per the Advertisement : No. 01 No. 02
15. Working Experience / Service Record (from Higher position to Lower position held) -

Information of the post and Service places of the applicant													
Designation	Managerial Level			Name of the Organization - & Address of the present service place:	Service period (Date/Month/Year)			Whether organization comes under the purview Management Service Department Yes/ No	No. of employees in the Organization	No. of employees supervised by the applicant directly	Salary code & structure of the applicant relevant to the designation (Salary Code relevant to the present Post)	Category of Sector	
	Senior / Higher Manager	Middle Manager	Junior / Line Manager		From	To	No. of Years					Private	Semi Government

I certify that the above particulars furnished by me are true and correct.

Date: Signature of Applicant:

Please nominate two non - related referees:

1. Name Post Contact No.

Address: Official

Private

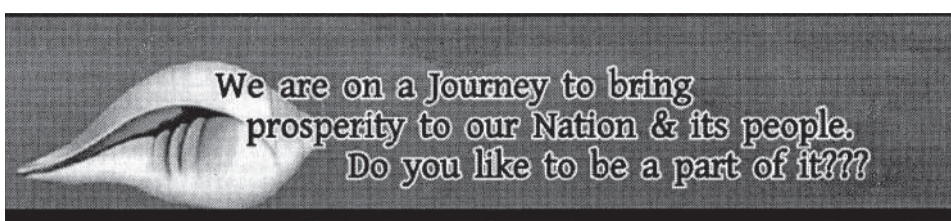
2. Name Post Contact No.

Address: Official

Private

Director General
Road Development Authority,
1st Floor, "Maganeguma Mahamedura",
No. 216, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha Battaramulla.

Employment Opportunities



Notice to the candidates those who are willing to apply for the following posts of Regional Development Bank as per vacancy advertisement published in the Sunday Observer on October 11, 2020.

- Deputy General Manager - Recovery
- Chief Risk Officer
- Chief Marketing Officer
- Chief Internal Auditor
- Chief Human Resources Officer

The closing date of the applications for the above posts has been extended until October 27, 2020 for both internal and external candidates.

All other information appended in the advertisement shall remain unchanged.

General Manager / CEO
Regional Development Bank
No. 933, Kandy Road,
Wedamulla,
Kelaniya.



NILIS

National Institute of Library and Information Sciences University of Colombo

POST OF DIRECTOR

The National Institute of Library and Information Sciences, University of Colombo invites Applications / Nominations for the Post of the Director.

The applicants/nominees should be citizens of Sri Lanka and should be less than 63 years of age. The successful applicant / nominee will hold the office for a period of three years from the date of appointment or until he/she completes his/her 65th year, whichever occurs earlier.

NILIS is an Institute affiliated to the University of Colombo approved by the University Grants Commission to conduct programs leading to Certificates, Diplomas and Postgraduate Degrees. The NILIS student population mainly comprises of those who are currently employed in public and private sector organizations. It engages in research and consultancy services as well.

The Director is the Principal executive and the Academic Officer of the Institute. He/She is also the Accounting Officer, an ex-officio member of both the Board of Management and the Academic Committee of the Institute. He/She shall be responsible for providing academic leadership formulating and implementing management policies and executing the decisions of the Board of Management. He/She will be responsible for the general administration of the Institute and should therefore uphold the principles of academic excellence, transparency, accountability, democratic management and effective non-partisan and administrative leadership. The Director is also responsible for the maintenance of discipline within the Institute. He/She should possess an understanding of the needs of clients and staff of the Institute and should be able to generate funds, and develop University-Institute and industry collaborations as well as international relationship on affairs.

The Director shall be a person with a vision to achieve goals of the Institute through his/her intellectual as well as managerial brilliance. The applicant / nominee is expected to be a person of high academic caliber and integrity with a record of excellent research publication profile, proven leadership qualities with high level of interpersonal skills, and should have a clear understanding of policy issues.

The Director will receive a salary of a Professor and other allowances applicable to the Post.

The following documents should accompany applications / nominations :

- (i) A complete Curriculum Vitae of the applicant/nominee including the date of birth. (a certified copy of the Birth Certificate must be attached).
- (ii) Copies of evidence for academic and research excellence, professional communications, and managerial competence, effective leadership, etc.
- (iii) A statement of vision for the development of the Institute.
- (iv) A brief account of what he/she proposes to achieve, if appointed to the post of Director.
- (v) A letter of consent from the nominee, in case of nominations.
- (vi) A letter from the employer whether the applicant / nominee could be released in the event of his/her appointment to the post in the case of an applicant/nominee serving in Public Sector, Corporations, Statutory Bodies and Higher Educational Institutions other than NILIS.

The candidates will be submitted in person for an interview. In an exceptional situation, if a candidate is not in a position to appear in person, he/she shall be allowed to appear for the interview via Video Conferencing or Skype. A candidate must prepare for a brief presentation, minimum ten (10) minutes but not exceeding fifteen (15) minutes. The interviews will be held as per the Criteria and Elements prescribed in the Marksheet given in Annex I of the UGC Circular No. 07/2020 dated 11th September 2020, which can be accessed at ; <https://nilis.cmb.ac.lk/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/2221-Commission-Circular-No.-07-2020-English.pdf> It is also accessible from the UGC Website : (<https://www.ugc.ac.lk>)

Applications / nominations should be in a sealed cover / envelope addressed to the Senior Assistant Registrar, National Institute of Library and Information Sciences, University of Colombo, Colombo 03 and either delivered or sent under Registered Cover to reach the above office on or before **3.00 p.m. 23rd November 2020**. The envelope containing the application / nomination must be marked 'Post of Director' on its top left-hand corner.

Applications/nominations received after the closing date will not be entertained.

Secretary to the Board of Management
National Institute of Library and Information Sciences
University of Colombo
<https://nilis.cmb.ac.lk>

22.10.2020

State Ministry of Coconut, Kithul & Palmyrah Cultivation Promotion & Related Industrial Product Manufacturing & Export Diversification



Vacancies

Coconut Research Institute

Applications are invited from citizens of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the following posts of the Coconut Research Institute.

01. Post of Senior Research Officer

(Crop Protection Division & Plant Physiology Division)

Qualifications:

External : A four-year (04) special degree with a first class or second class upper in Science or Agriculture from a recognized University with appropriate subject combinations

OR

A four-year (04) special degree with a second class lower in Science or Agriculture from a recognized University with appropriate subject combinations and a minimum of one year postgraduate degree in the relevant field

OR

A degree in Science or Agriculture with appropriate subject combinations and a two-year postgraduate research degree in the relevant field

And

A PhD degree in the relevant field with a minimum of eight years (08) research experience after obtaining the first degree

Internal : A PhD with a minimum of eight (08) years satisfactory service as a Research Officer in AR 1 category

OR

A M.Phil./MSc (two year research degree) with ten (10) years satisfactory service as a Research Officer in the AR 1 category.

Note : Priority will be given to applicants who have completed PhD in the relevant field.

- Age : Should be not less than 30 years and not more than 45 years on the closing date of application.
- Salary Category : AR 2
- Salary Scale : Rs. 76,200/= - 10x2,000/= - 96,200/=
- Starting Salary Point : 76,200/= (As per Circular No. 2/2016(I))

Other Benefits:

1. Following monthly allowances are paid in addition to the basic salary.
 - i. Cost of Living allowance - Rs. 7,800/=
 - ii. Professional allowance
 - iii. Communication allowance
 - iv. Tea allowance

02. Post of Research Officer - Grade II

(Crop Protection Division, Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Management Division & Coconut Processing Research Division)

Qualifications :

External : A four-year (04) special degree with a first class or second class upper in Science or Agriculture from a recognized University

OR

A four-year special degree with a second class lower in Science or Agriculture from a recognized University with a minimum of one year postgraduate degree in the relevant discipline

OR

A degree in Science or Agriculture and a two-year postgraduate research degree in the relevant discipline

Internal : The Officers appointed to the Operational/Instructional (MA4) category before 01.01.2006 are eligible to apply with the following qualifications for the concessionary period of five (5) years with effect from the date of approval of the Scheme of Recruitment

- i. A degree in Science, Agriculture and a minimum of five (05) years satisfactory service in the Operational/Instructional (MA4) category
- ii. A minimum of ten (10) years satisfactory service in the Operational/Instructional (MA4) category

OR

- Age : Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years on the closing date of application. The upper age limit will not apply to internal candidates.
- Salary Category : AR 1
- Salary Scale : Rs. 53,150/= - 10x1,375/= - 15x1,910/= - 95,550/=
- Starting Salary Point : Rs. 53,150.00 (As per Circular No. 2/2016(I))

Other Benefits:

1. Following monthly allowances are paid in addition to the basic salary.
 - i. Cost of Living allowance - Rs. 7,800/=
 - ii. Professional allowance
 - iii. Communication allowance
 - iv. Tea allowance

03. Post of Experimental Officer

(Tamil Medium) - Grade III

Qualifications :

External : Degree in Science / Agriculture / Plantation Management from a recognized university

Internal : Ten (10) years satisfactory service in Technical Officer Management Assistant-tech category

Note : Riding licence is desired

Language Proficiency : Applicant should be fluent in both Tamil & English Languages and able to work with Tamil Computer Key Board. Working knowledge of Sinhala is an advantage.

Responsibilities :

Under the supervision of Head, Technology Transfer Division the incumbent will be responsible for:

- i. Translation of English / Sinhala documents to Tamil
- ii. Technology Transfer activities especially in Tamil speaking areas.
- iii. Conduct technology transfer research.

- Age : Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years on the closing date of application. The upper age limit will not apply to internal candidates.
- Salary category : MA 4
- Salary Scale : Rs.37,970/-10x755/-15x930/-5x1,135/-65,145/-
- Starting Salary Point : Rs. 37,970.00 - (As per Circular No. 2/2016(I))

Other Benefits :

1. Following monthly allowances are paid in addition to the basic salary and the adjustment allowance
 - i. Cost of Living allowance - Rs.7,800/-
 - ii. Communication Allowance
 - iii. Tea allowance

04. Post of Technical Officer - Grade III

Qualifications :

External :

GCE (O/L) with at least six (6) subjects in one sitting with four (4) credit passes including Sinhala/ Tamil, English and Mathematics

And

GCE (A/L) in Science with three passes in one sitting in the relevant subject combination and a two-year Diploma in a relevant field not below the N.V.Q. Level 5 from a recognized institution

Internal :

G.C.E (O/L) with at least six (6) subjects in one sitting with four credit passes including Sinhala/Tamil, English and Mathematics and a Diploma not below N.V.Q Level 5 with a minimum of five (5) years of satisfactory service in PL categories.

Note : Selected candidates are required to work in laboratories as well as in the field. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a valid driving licence for motorcycle.

- Age : Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years on the closing date of application. The upper age limit will not apply to internal candidates.
- Salary Category : MA 2-2
- Salary Scale : Rs. 30,310/-10x300/-7x350/-4x600/= - 20x710/-52,360/-
- Starting Salary Point : Rs. 30,310.00 - (As per Circular No. 2/2016(I))

Other Benefits :

1. Following monthly allowances are paid in addition to the basic salary and the adjustment allowance
 - i. Cost of living allowance - Rs.7,800/-
 - ii. Tea allowance

General :

1. Applicant should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
2. Applicant should have a good physical & mental fitness.
3. Applicant should be willing to serve in any part of Sri Lanka.

General Benefits :

1. Gratuity will be paid in accordance with the Gratuity Act. No.12 of 1983 and MSD Circular No. 2/2016 on 25.04.2016.
2. Contributory Medical Aid Scheme is available for employees in Coconut Research Institute.
3. Provident Fund and Employees' Trust Fund. The candidates will be required to contribute 10% and the Board will contribute 15% to PF and 3% to ETF of the Salary
4. Other fringe Benefits applicable to employees of the Coconut Research Institute.

Applicants should forward their signed application with copies of birth certificate, educational certificates, other relevant certificates, two testimonials (one from Grama Niladhari) together with names, addresses and telephone numbers of two non-related referees, under registered post to reach the **Chairman, Coconut Research Board, Lunuwila, 61150**, on or before **11.11.2020**.

The late applications will be rejected.

Applications from officers in Government Departments/ Corporations/ Statutory Boards should be forwarded through their respective Heads. A copy may be sent directly.

Please mark the post applied for on the top left-hand corner of the envelope.

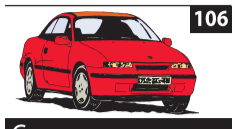
Please note that the applications without copies of the relevant certificates will be rejected.

CANVASSING WILL BE A DISQUALIFICATION.

This advertisement is published on the CRI Web site of www.cri.gov.lk

Chairman
Coconut Research Board
Lunuwila.

Classifieds



Cars For sale

WPKT-8426 Micro
Geely MX7 car for highest offer. Senkadagala Finance PLC, Kandy. Inquiries Monday to Friday. 0770107270, 0774789216. 065358

UP KB-6105 Tata
Indica car for highest offer. Senkadagala Finance PLC, Kandy. Inquiries Monday to Friday. 0770107270, 0774789216. 065364

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Revocation of Power of Attorney

Know all men by these presents that **INIMODHA VIMUKTHI KARIYAWASAM** N.I.C. No. 930451916V, of No. 169/5, Sapugaskanda Road, Kelaniya for diverse and good causes and considerations have revoked annulled and made void and These presents do revoke annul and make void the Power of Attorney executed by me in favour of INDIKETIYA HEWAGA ERANDA DILSHAN of N.I.C. No. 971513373 V) of No. 90/3, Ratnapura, Poruwadhanda, under No. 2680, dated 02.01.2020, attested by W.A.N. Dissanayake, Notary Public of Colombo, and all powers and authorities whatsoever therein contained.

Date : 20.10.2020

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 7 OF THE LAND ACQUISITION ACT (460 NOTICE) AS AMENDED IN LAND ACQUISITION (AMENDED) ACT BEARING NUMBER 28 OF 1964

My No. HR/LD/3/1/489

It is intended to acquire the land detailed in the schedule hereunder to the Government. For further details refer to the Extraordinary Gazette Notification of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, bearing No. 1657/3 dated 07.06.2010.

SCHEDULE

District : Kalutara
Divisional Secretariat : Horana
Name of the Village : Udawatha
Name of the land : Ellakanda waththa
Plan Number : 3.1.1. 4174
Lot No. : 01
Land in extent : 0.1236 Hectare
Divisional Secretary Land Acquisition Officer, Horana.
Address : Divisional Secretariat, Horana.
Date : 10.10.2020



EXTENSION NOTICE CEYLON PETROLEUM STORAGE TERMINALS LIMITED

SUPPLY OF THE SERVICE FOR THE THIRD-PARTY INSPECTION OF DRY DOCKING AND OVERHAULING WORK OF SINGLE POINT MOORING BUOY (SPBM) IN SRI LANKA (AT MUTHURAJAWELA)

CONTRACT NO : KPR/33/2020

This refers to the Invitation for Bids published in Daily News on 10.09.2020 in respect of above.

The General Public is hereby informed that the closing date of the above tender has been extended up to 29.10.2020 at 1400 hrs.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Bidding documents could be obtained from the undersigned between 0900 hrs and 1400 hrs (local time) on any working day up to 28.10.2020.

Chairman Department Procurement Committee C/o Manager Procurement Procurement Function 1st Floor, New Administration Building, Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited Oil Installation Kolonnawa.

Telephone : +94 11 2572156, +94115750764
Facsimile : +94112572155
E-mail : procure@cpstl.lk



T-Field Child Development Federation Nuwara-Eliya

"Protecting and promoting the worth and rights of infants, children and youth"

HIRING OF AUDIT FIRM

T-Field Child Development Federation (Guarantee) Ltd is a non-profit, Non-Government Organization, engaged in Child and Youth Development interventions in Nuwara Eliya District since 2005.

We wish to hire an audit firm to conduct an annual audit of financial statements, which will give the auditor their professional opinion on whether the financial statements are true and fair.

The overall objectives of the audit are;

- The auditor will perform work in accordance with applicable Accounting and Auditing Standards, which encompasses financial controls, safeguarding of assets, compliance with T-Field Child Development Federation policies and procedures, compliance with national laws and regulations, reviewing administrative controls in the areas of the program and sponsor service and assuring that appropriate controls are in place and functioning effectively.
- The auditor will provide a complete audit report in accordance with local statutory requirements, as applicable.
- To express an opinion on the financial statements of the organization.

Year of the account to be audited;

- 1st of July 2019 - 30th of June 2020 Financial Year.

The completed audit report should be submitted to the organization before 30th November 2020.

Interested applicant should submit the proposal before 30th October 2020 to nishanthahettiarachchi@gmail.com or post to below address.

Chief Executive Officer, T-Field Child Development Federation, 306, Windy Corner, Blackpool, Nuwara Eliya.

You may contact Accountant for, Clarification and further information through the above-mentioned mail or 077-1054248.

Department of Health Services

Teaching Hospital, Mahamodera, Galle

Registration of Suppliers for Year 2021

Applications are invited from manufacturers, agents, recognized government institutions including registered cooperative societies and individuals who wish to register under this hospital for the supply of undermentioned materials and services for year 2021. Preference will be given to those in and around Galle and those in Colombo and faraway places should deliver the goods to this institution and no transport charges will be paid. Special consideration will be given to suppliers in and around Galle for the services mentioned under 4(b) below.

02. Application should be self prepared as per the specimen given below and the perfected applications should be submitted in duplicate. The caption "**Registration for Supplies and Services for Year 2021**" should be mentioned on the left hand top corner of the envelope containing the application and should be sent by registered post addressed to "Director, Teaching Hospital, Mahamodera, Galle" to receive on or before 30.11.2020.
03. Every applicant will have to pay a non refundable fee of Rs. 500.00 separately for each supply and service. This fee has to be paid to the Shroff of the Mahamodera Teaching Hospital and the Form General 172 obtained should be attached to the application. Cheques, Money Orders and Bank Receipts will not be accepted.
- 04.

(a) Materials to be supplied	
01. All kinds of Office Equipment (including Toner Categories)	09. Supply of all kinds of Textile Materials and related Products (Uniforms).
02. Supply of all kinds of Office Stationery	10. Supply of Mackintosh and Rexine
03. Supply of Office Furniture (Wooden, Steel, Plastic and others)	11. All Electrical Equipment and accessories
04. Electronic equipment including Computers, Printers and Computer Networking and allied accessories	12. Air-conditioners and Compressors including accessories
05. Supply of Coir and Foam Rubber Mattresses	13. Supply of Vehicle Tyres, Tubes and Batteries
06. Supply of Building Maintenance Materials (All Hardware Materials)	14. Supply of Surgical Equipment
07. Supply of Sanitary Consumable Materials (including Soaps, Washing Powder, Cleaning Agents)	15. Supply of Surgical Consumables
08. Supply of Polythene related Products	16. Supply of Laboratory Consumable Materials
	17. Supply of Medical Equipment
	18. Supply of Drugs and Bandages

(b) Services to be Supplied	
01. Rattaning of Chairs and Cushioning	07. Servicing, Maintenance and Repairing of Air Conditioners
02. Repairing and Servicing of Office Equipment (Photocopiers, Duplo Machines, Fax Machines)	08. Repairing and Servicing of Computers and Printers
03. Printing Works, Making Name Boards and Rubber Stamps	09. Repairing of Electrical Equipment
04. Supply of Employees Identity Cards	10. Repairing of Vehicles
05. Supply of Food and Beverages for Training Programmes	11. Servicing of Vehicles
06. Repairing of Refrigerators	12. Repairing of Gas Burners
	13. Repairing of Surgical Equipment (Trolleys, Wheel Chairs etc.)

05. Generally, quotations are called from registered suppliers and the Director of the Hospital may call for quotations from reputed/other suppliers at his discretion. Registration of the suppliers who fail to supply goods and services as per the conditions will be cancelled without any prior intimation. Goods and Services should be supplied on 02 months credit basis. Supplies should be delivered within 02 weeks of placing the order. Registration of the garages and service stations for repairing and servicing of vehicles will be carried out only after checking the qualifications of those institutions.

06. Following details should be included in the application.

01. Name of Supplier
02. Address
03. Telephone No.
04. Business Name
05. Business Registration Certificate No. and date:
06. Supplies and Services applying for: (Please clearly mention the goods, category of goods and services you are intending to supply)
07. Whether transport will be provided free of charge or not once the order is placed:
08. No. of Receipt and Amount Paid :

Date : Signature of Applicant

Director Teaching Hospital Mahamodera Galle

HORANA URBAN COUNCIL

REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS AND CONTRACTORS FOR THE YEAR 2021

Applications will be received up to 3.00 p.m. on 22.10.2020 for the Registration of Suppliers and qualified Contractors for the supply of undermentioned Goods and Services, for the Sabha, for the Year 2021.

All applications as per the specimen below could either be sent by Registered Post or personally delivered along with the Registration Fee relevant to each subject. The cover containing the application should be marked "**Registration of Suppliers and Contractors - 2021**" on the left side top corner and sent addressed to "**Chairman, Horana Urban Council, Horana**".

Specimen Application Application for Registration

01. Name and Address of Business/Institution :
02. Telephone No. :
03. Fax No :
04. Email Address :
05. Nature of Business :
06. Name of Authorized Officer :
07. Address and Tel. No. of Authorized Officer :
08. Business Registration No :
09. National Identity Card No :
10. VAT No :
11. Nature of Contract to be registered :
12. Receipt No. for payments made :

I hereby certify that the information mentioned above is true and accurate and agree to abide by the conditions mentioned in the Procurement.

Date Signature of Applicant
Official Seal

For Office use

01. Receipt No. & Date :
02. Page No. of Registration registered :

Officer-in-Charge of Subject Secretary

Supplies :

1. Office Stationery
2. Toners for Printers
3. Office Furniture and equipment (Iron / Steel / Wooden / Plastic)
4. Printed Stationery
5. Construction Materials (Metal, Sand, Tiles, Bricks, Granite, ABC and other)
6. Tar, Colas, Premix
7. Hume Pipes, Drain Covers, Interlocking Blocks and Cement Products
8. Tyres and Tubes
9. Vehicle spare parts
10. Vehicle Batteries
11. Seats, Cushions and Carpets for Vehicles
12. Supply of Street Lighting Sets, Electrical equipment and accessories
13. Supply of Water Pipes, Drainage Pipes, Sanitary equipment and accessories
14. Tools and equipment
15. Sanitary Materials (Soap, Toilet Cleaners, Disinfectants, Brooms, Ekel Brooms, Buckets, Brushes, Polythene Covers, Polysack Covers, Chlorine Powder)
16. Uniform Materials and other textile materials
17. Raincoats, Shoes and Overalls, Boots
18. Computers, Roneo Machines, Photocopiers, Fax Machines, Typewriters, Computer Protection Software (Virus Guards) and spare parts.
19. Pre-School equipment
20. Sports Goods
21. Toddlers equipment
22. Supply of Name Boards, Notice Boards, Banners and Stickers
23. LP Gas
24. Compost Barrels, Garbage Bins and equipment
25. Toilet and Bathroom equipment and other fittings
26. Paints and Varnish and related materials
27. Tiles
28. Disinfectants, Sanitizing items and equipment (for Covid-19)

Services :

1. Servicing of Vehicles
2. Repairs to Vehicles (Mechanical, Electrical, Welding and Painting, Vehicle Air conditioners)
3. Repairs to Typewriters, Photocopiers, Roneo Machines, Computers, Fax Machines
4. Supply of Vehicles on rent basis (Vans, Cabs, Tractors, Lorries, Canters, Tippers, Backhoe Loaders and others)
5. Printing Services
6. Land Surveying and Levelling
7. Legal Services
8. Architectural and Planning Services
9. Repairing of Grass Cutting Machines, Crematoriums, Fogging Machines
10. Festival items / Photocopying / Videeing
11. Renting out of Machinery and equipment
12. Repairs to Wooden Furniture, Rattaning of Chairs
13. Repairs to Air-Conditioners
14. Cutting of Trees
15. Cutting and Bending of Sheets, Lathe Works
16. Tyre Services (Patching Services)

Registration of Contractors (Construction and Maintenance)

- i) Construction Work and Maintenance Work up to Rs. 100,000/= Rs. 500.00
- ii) Construction Work and Maintenance Work from Rs. 100,001/= Rs. 900.00 up to Rs. 250,000/=
- iii) Construction Work and Maintenance Work from Rs. 250,001/= Rs. 1,000.00 up to Rs. 500,000/=
- iv) Construction Work and Maintenance Work from Rs. 500,001/= Rs. 1,500.00 up to Rs. 1,000,000/=
- v) Construction Work and Maintenance Work above Rs. 1,000,001/= Rs. 3,000.00

Conditions :

- (1) Suppliers who apply for Registration should submit separate applications for each item and pay Rs. 500.00 as Registration Fee, and the Contractors should pay the charges stated against each value.
- (2) If applications are submitted by mail, payment can be made only by a cheque drawn in favour of "Chairman, Horana Urban Council". Money Orders will not be accepted.
- (3) The Sabha retains the right to call quotations and make purchases from registered Suppliers and Contractors whenever such needs arise and to follow other procurement methods.
- (4) Normally, quotations will be called from the Registered Suppliers and they must keep the quoted prices static for at least a period of 06 months.
- (5) Names of Suppliers who fail to supply Goods and Services on agreed dates and times or fail to supply Goods and Services as per the details and samples and in required standards as contained in the order made or for any other reasonable reason will be deleted from the Registration List.
- (6) All ordered Goods should be delivered to the Storekeeper of the Urban Council

Witharamage Sirisoma Chairman Horana Urban Council

Tel. Nos. 034-2261275 (General) 034-2266477 (Accountant)

PROCUREMENT NOTICE**Purchase of an unregistered Mahendra Bolero Single Cab vehicle and a Gully Bowser for the Kamburupitiya Pradeshiya Sabha.**

- The relevant tender forms and the specifications for this purpose could be obtained by calling over at the Kamburupitiya Pradeshiya Sabha Office from **22.10.2020 up to 10.00 a.m. on 06.11.2020** during office hours and paying a non-refundable form fee of **Rs. 1000.00** and a refundable sum of **Rs. 5000.00** to the Shroff of the Kamburupitiya Pradeshiya Sabha as a Tender Deposit.
- Bids should be duly prepared in 02 copies and appropriately marked as original and duplicate and enclosed in separate envelopes and sealed and these 02 envelopes should thereafter be inserted in a single envelope and sealed and details of the vehicle for submitting Bids should be marked on the top left-hand corner of the envelope and sent by Registered Post addressed to the **Secretary, Kamburupitiya Pradeshiya Sabha, Kamburupitiya** to be received before **12 noon on 06.11.2020** or should be inserted in the Tender Box kept in this Office.
- Bids will be opened at **12.30 p.m. on 06.11.2020** at the Pradeshiya Sabha Office and the Bidder or his authorized Representative could participate on this occasion.
- The decision of the Tender Board's recommendation in all the activities regarding rejecting the Bids in entirety or opening of same in this Bid Invitation is deemed final.

**Chairman,
Kamburupitiya Pradeshiya Sabha**

**SRI LANKA PORTS AUTHORITY****Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

- The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee on behalf of the Sri Lanka Ports Authority now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the items given below.

Tender No.	Name of the Tender	Bid Security Amount (Rs.)	Document Fee (Rs.) (Inclusive of VAT)	Closing Date & Time
CMS/LP/20/PT/12/004	Compressed Air Breathing Apparatus - 04 Nos.	20,000.00	1,000.00	12/11/2020 13.30 hrs.
CMS/LP/19/PT/11/057	15 Nos. Motor Tyres 18.00X25 Tubeless 40 PLY for Mitsui Paccoco RTGCS	90,000.00	1,000.00	12/11/2020 13.30 hrs.
CMS/LP/20/PT/04/052	Trouser Blue Drill (Track Bottom) - 7000 Nos.	55,000.00	1,000.00	12/11/2020 13.30 hrs.
CMS/LP/19/PT/11/056	Spares for 2.5T Hangeha CPCD25N - RW - 15 Fork Lift Trucks - 08	45,000.00	1,000.00	13/11/2020 13.30 hrs.
CMS/LP/20/PT/12/051	Stud Longlink Chain (32MM)	25,000.00	1,000.00	13/11/2020 13.30 hrs.

- Bidders are hereby informed that the provisions of Public Contract Act No. 3 of 1987 are applicable for tenders total cost exceeding Rs. 5 million. Accordingly all parties involved in each aforementioned tenders are required to strictly abide by the said Act throughout the duration of contract. Furthermore, any bidder who wishes to act as an agent, sub-agent, a representative or a nominee for and on behalf of any foreign manufacturer or a supplier is required to register himself with the Registrar of Public Contracts and submit the duly completed registration certificate along with his bid documents.
- The bidders should have been in the business of supplying similar goods given above at least during the last three (3) years.
- Interested bidders may obtain further information from The Chief Manager (Supplies & Material Management) and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below during office hours.
- A complete set of bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee, indicated in Column 04 from 23rd October 2020 during 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. on working days, up to day prior to the closing date. The method of payment will be by cash.
- Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before closing time. Late bids will not be accepted. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at closing time. All bids must be accompanied by the amount of above mentioned Bid Security.

**Chief Manager (Supplies & Material Management),
Supplies Division,
Sri Lanka Ports Authority,
No. 45, Leyden Bastian Road, Colombo 01.**

**Telephone Nos. 2482231, 2483338, 2482499, 2482832, 2482409, 2482652, 2482638
Fax Nos.: 2381652, 2470443**

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)**University of Sri Jayewardenepura****VRV TYPE AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM FOR THE ANATOMY AUDITORIUM, FACULTY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, UNIVERSITY OF SRI JAYEWARDENEPURA**

IFB No : CW/RE/FMS/35/2019

- The Chairman, DPC on behalf of the University of Sri Jayewardenepura invites sealed Bids from eligible and qualified Bidders for VRV Type Air-Conditioning System for the Anatomy Auditorium, Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Sri Jayewardenepura as described below and estimated to cost Rs. 10.3 Million without VAT.

The work consists of Air-Conditioning Work, Civil Works, Service and Maintenance as indicated in the BOQ. The contract period is 140 Days.

- Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedure. (Guideline 3.2).
- Qualification requirements : (**documentary proof should be attached**) .
 - Bidders should provide the information requested in Section 4 (Form of Bid and qualification information).
 - CIDA Registration : Category **EM-3 and above in electrical & mechanical services**, valid from the closing date of bids through to the bid validity period end.
 - The proposed brand and model should have been installed in at least 3 locations within Sri Lanka.
- Eligibility requirements include :
 - The Bidder shall not be a blacklisted Contractor at the time of Bidding and at the time of contract award.**
 - The Bidder shall be an authorized dealer/agent for the particular products and the authorization letter should be attached.**
 - Experience of at least 3 Nos. similar type Contracts (Supply & Installation of VRV type Air-Conditioning System) with a contract value of not less than Rs. 7 million within last three years. (Documentary proof should be attached)**
 - The minimum amount of liquid assets or credit facilities (after setting apart for contractual commitments) and exclusive of any advance payment which may be under this contract shall not be less than Rs. 3 Million (documentary proof should be included).**
- Interested Bidders may obtain further information from Assistant Registrar, Capital Works and Planning Division, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Gangodawla, Nugegoda - Telephone 011-2803195, Fax - 011-2801604 and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 08.30 hrs. to 16.30 hrs.
- A complete set of Bidding Documents in English Language may be purchased by interested Bidders upon submission of a written application to the Assistant Registrar, Capital Works and Planning Division, University of Sri Jayewardenepura, from **22.10.2020** until **12.11.2020** from 08.30 hrs to 14.30 hrs and payment of a non-refundable fee of **Rs. 3,500.00** to the Shroff of the University.
- Bids shall be delivered in duplicate to the address given below not later than 14.30 hrs on 13.11.2020.** Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing at the **Capital Works & Planning Division** of the University of Sri Jayewardenepura in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.
- Bids shall be valid up to **29.01.2021**.
- All Bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of **Rs. 156,000.00**. Bid Security shall be valid up to **26.02.2021**.
- The pre-bid meeting will be held at **2.00 p.m. on 06.11.2020** at Capital Works & Planning Division. Bidders are required to attend this meeting.

The Address referred to above is :

For inspection of Bidding Documents, Purchasing of Bidding Documents and Submission of Bids -

**Assistant Registrar,
Capital Works and Planning Division,
University of Sri Jayewardenepura,
Gangodawla, Nugegoda.
Telephone : 011-2803195**

**Chairman, Procurement Committee,
University of Sri Jayewardenepura.**

15.10.2020

MATARA PRADESHIYA SABHA**REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR THE YEAR 2021**

Applications are hereby invited from the suppliers who wish to register for the supply of following goods and provision of services. Applications should be sent to be received at or before 3.00 p.m. on 23.11.2020 by registered post addressed to Chairman, Matara Pradeshiya Sabha, Wehelgoda, Matara, or can be hand delivered with the caption "**Registration of Suppliers for the Year 2021**" marked on the top left-hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application. Further particulars in this connection can be obtained by calling on Tel. Nos. 041-2222906 or 041-2229512 during office hours.

01) SUPPLIES :

- All kinds of office stationery
- Computers and related accessories (computer software and hardware)
- Office printing equipment including Photocopiers, fax machines, duplicating machines, duplo machines,
- Office furniture and steel furniture
- Office electrical equipment and accessories required for street lamps.
- Toners, cartridges, ribbons required for all kinds of printing machines
- All building construction materials
- All kinds of paints and related materials and equipment
- Thrashers, forks, mammothies, kattiees and equipment required for road maintenance.
- Raincoats, gum boots, gloves, helmets, plastic spectacles, materials and accessories required for health related labourers
- Health Security equipment and sanitary materials
- Plumbing accessories
- Motor spare parts (for cabs, tractors, hand tractors, three wheelers, crew cabs, backhoes, tippers)
- Tyres and tubes for all kinds of Vehicles
- Audio visual recording equipment
- Nursery/Pre-school equipment
- Sports Goods
- Air conditioners
- Finger marking machines
- Grass Cutting Machines
- Glass and glassware
- Library books, magazines, newspapers
- Polythene sacks and fertilizer sacks
- Materials required for uniforms.

02) SERVICES :

- Printing works
- Surveying services
- Legal services
- Skilled/Unskilled Labour services
- Photography, videoing, printing and framing and other related services
- Repairing of buildings (including crematoriums)
- Translation services
- Servicing of all vehicles
- Repairing of vehicles and machinery

- Repairing of computers, printers and related equipment
- Repairing of printing equipment including photocopiers, fax machines, Duplo machines, laminating machines
- Supplying vehicles and machinery on hire basis
- Repairing of thrashers, forks, kattiees, mammothies, required by road maintenance labourers
- Digital signboards, banners, cutouts, stickers, printing services
- Stitching of uniforms
- Cutting Hazardous Trees

CONDITIONS :

- Requests made on receipts or cheques dated after the closing date will be rejected.
- Separate applications should be submitted for each item mentioned above and separate charges should also be paid for each application.
- Rs. 1000.00 should be paid for each application forwarded for registration for supply or service. The said amount can be paid during office days from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. in cash and receipt should be obtained or can be paid by cheque drawn in favour of Secretary, Matara Pradeshiya Sabha. **Money Orders will not be accepted.**
- Quotations will be called from the Suppliers registered within the year 2021 and quotations should remain stable for 6 months. Pradeshiya Sabha reserves the right to call for quotations from suppliers other than the registered suppliers, whenever necessary.
- For this purpose self-prepared applications should be sent.
- Registration of suppliers who fail to quote when quotations are called, fail to supply goods when orders are placed, and suppliers who supply substandard goods and services will be cancelled and blacklisted.

Criteria for Suppliers who are registering with the Matara Pradeshiya Sabha

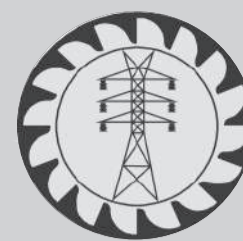
- If a Corporation, Certificate of Incorporation
- If a sole proprietorship, Business Registration Certificate
- If a company, Registration Certificate according to Companies Registration Act.
- If goods or services have been supplied to Government Institutions prior to this, documentary evidence to prove that goods and services have been supplied
- Regarding vehicle repairs, it will be a special qualification if the garage is in Southern Province.
- If the goods and services are covered by a warranty, the period should be mentioned.
- Please mention any special qualifications if available.

**H.K. Wimal Priyajanaka
Chairman
Matara Pradeshiya Sabha**

At the office of the Matara Pradeshiya Sabha

22nd October 2020

INVITATION TO BID



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Region / Division / Province	Bid No. / Item Description & Quantity	Bid closing date & Time	Procurement Committee	Place of Purchase of Bidding Documents TP. Nos.	Price of the Bid Document (Rs)	Value of Bid Bond (Rs)	Bids should be deposited at	Bids will be opened at	Price of the information copy (Rs)	Type of Bid ICB/ NCB
MATERIALS										
Lakvijaya Power Plant	LV/T/2020/0059 Refurbishment of Stacker Reclaimer 1 and Coal Belt Conveyor No. 6 of Lakvijaya Power Plant	10.00 hrs on Wednesday November 25, 2020.	Board Procurement Committee (BPC), Ceylon Electricity Board	Procurement Division, 4th Floor, Admin Building, Lakvijaya Power Plant, Ceylon Electricity Board, Narakkalliya, Norochcholai 61342 TP : 032 226 8972 Fax: 032 226 8975	LKR 22,500.00 Prospective bidders are requested to pay this amount to the Peoples Bank Acc. No. 204200140085134 of General Manager, CEB and to provide the receipt.	LKR 1,300,000.00 (LKR One Million Three Hundred Thousand)	Deputy General Manager (Corporate Affairs – Generation Division), 2nd Floor Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa-10600	Deputy General Manager (Corporate Affairs – Generation Division), 2nd Floor Generation Headquarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa - 10600	Can be obtained free of charge from https://www.ceb.lk/tender-notice/en	NCB
Lakvijaya Power Plant	LV/T/2020/0417 Supplying and Delivery of Ammonia Solution 25% to Lakvijaya Power Plant	10.00 hrs on Wednesday November 11, 2020.	Lakvijaya Power Plant Procurement Committee	Power Plant Manager Lakvijaya Power Plant Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	3,500/= Peoples Bank Acc: No 204200140085134	LKR 125,000.00 (LKR One Hundred and Twenty Five Thousand)	Power Plant Manager Lakvijaya Power Plant Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Power Plant Manager Lakvijaya Power Plant Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Can be obtained free of charge from https://www.ceb.lk/tender-notice/en	NCB
Transmission	TR/AM&CM/ICB/2020/26/D Supply and Delivery of 132kV Busbar Protection Scheme for Old Laxapana Power Station	02/12/2020 10.00 hrs	Transmission Divisional Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Material Management), Transmission Asset Management & Condition Monitoring Branch, C.E.B., Kent Road, Colombo 09, Sri Lanka Tel: 011-2669738, 011-2669823, Fax: 011-2669738	10,500.00	800,000.00	Bid Box available in the office of the DGM (Tr. – AM & CM), Transmission Asset Management Branch, CEB, Kent Road, Colombo 09, Sri Lanka	Office of DGM (Tr. – AM & CM), CEB, Kent Road, Colombo 09, Sri Lanka	N/A	ICB*
Distribution Division 1 Colombo City	DGM(CC)CE(C&CS)/PPC/2020/123 Disposal of damage stock items available in Provincial Stores and Area Stores of Colombo City	11 th November 2020 10.00 hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03 until 10.11.2020 011-2575923, 011-2575930	1,000.00 (By Cash)	Lot 01 – 15,000.00 (By Cash/ Bank draft / Bank guarantee)	Tender Box at the Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03	Conference Room, Deputy General Manager (Colombo City)'s Office	-	NCB
DGM (NP)	Tender No :DGM/NP/CE(Com)/AST/T/2020/175 Tender for the Supply and Delivery of Hydraulic Crimping Tools Up to 150 sqmm (6 ton) With Dies	12 th of November 2020 at 14.00hrs	PPC (North)	Deputy General Manager (NP) office, Ceylon Electricity Board, Old Park Road, Jaffna. T.P No: 021 222 2496	1,000.00	50,000.00	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Nil	NCB
DGM (NP)	Tender No :DGM/NP/CE(Com)/AST/T/2020/176 Tender for the Supply and Delivery of Hydraulic Crimping Tools Up To 300 sqmm (12 ton) With Dies	12 th of November 2020 at 14.00hrs	PPC (North)	Deputy General Manager (NP) office, Ceylon Electricity Board, Old Park Road, Jaffna. T.P No: 021 222 2496	1,000.00	85,000.00	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Nil	NCB
DGM (NP)	Tender No :DGM/NP/CE(Com)/AST/T/2020/177 Tender for the Supply and Delivery of Mv Live Line Detector With a Rod	12 th of November 2020 at 14.00hrs	PPC (North)	Deputy General Manager (NP) office, Ceylon Electricity Board, Old Park Road, Jaffna. T.P No: 021 222 2496	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Nil	NCB
Distribution Division 03 (P & D)	DD3/P&D/ICB/2020/043/D Bid for Supply & Delivery of, • 36 kV, 100 A rated Fuse Cutouts – Drop Down Lift Off (DDL) with insulators of extended creepage, complete with M6x1 (ISO) threaded Fuse Carrier, mounting brackets and all accessories – 4,000 Nos.	02 Dec 2020 10.00 AM	Divisional Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM (P&D - DD 3), CEB DD 3 Head Office, 3rd Floor, No.644, Sri Jayawardanapura Mw, Ethulkotte. T.P.No. 0112880613,01122880610	12,500.00	900,000.00	Office of the DGM (P&D – DD3), CEB DD 3 Head Office, 3rd Floor, No. 644, Sri Jayawardanapura Mw, Ethul Kotte.	Auditorium, 3 rd Floor, CEB,DD3 Head Office, No.644, Sri Jayawardanapura Road, Ethul Kotte.	-	ICB
Distribution Division 03 (P & D)	DD3/P&D/ICB/2020/040/D Bid for Supply & Delivery of, • T - Off Jointing Kit Insulated for ABC 33kV 3x95+50 sqmm complete with all accessories including Earth Bond Messenger Earthing Kit and Surge Arrestors as per clause 5.2 of CEB Specification 138-2:2015. - 80 Set. Note : Any other alternative design proposed by the bidder are also considered.	02 Dec 2020 10.00 AM	Divisional Procurement Committee	Office of the DGM (P&D - DD 3), CEB DD 3 Head Office, 3rd Floor, No.644, Sri Jayawardanapura Mw, Ethulkotte. T.P.No. 0112880613,01122880610	3,500.00	700,000.00	Office of the DGM (P&D – DD3), CEB DD 3 Head Office, 3rd Floor, No. 644, Sri Jayawardanapura Mw, Ethul Kotte.	Auditorium, 3 rd Floor, CEB,DD3 Head Office, No.644, Sri Jayawardanapura Road, Ethul Kotte.	-	ICB
DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(Uva)/CE(COM)/C1/2K20/087 Supply, Installation and Maintenance of Inverter Split Type Wall Mounted Air Conditioners for Ridimaliyadda CSC in Province of Uva	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	9,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB
DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(Uva)/CE(COM)/C1/M04/2K20/082 Bid for Supply and Delivery of 5000 mtrs of Manilla Rope 12mm and 5000mtrs of Manilla Rope 16mm for the province of Uva	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	24,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB

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DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(Uva)/CE(COM)/C1/M10/2K20/089 Bid for Supply and Delivery of 02 Nos of Desktop Computers and 03 Nos of Laptop computers to Uva Province	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	14,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/T/2020/66 Printing, Supply & Delivery of Consumer Electricity Bills -(Merged Bills). 4,000 Pkts (1,000 sheets per pkt) (PCA III form is required on or before bid opening when offer value is above Rs. 5 Millions)	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,500.00	55,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
DGM (Transmission Construction Projects)	CEB/TCP/DGM/CWGS/2019/05 Supply, Delivery and Testing & Commissioning Supervision of 145kV Control & Protection cubicles, Substation Automation System (SAS), Automatic Voltage Regulators (AVR), Digital Disturbance Recorder (DDR), Energy Metering cubicle, Bay Marshalling Kiosks (BMK) and SCADA & Communication Equipment for Construction of Wagawatta Grid Substation	Original Bid closing date & time extended up to 09.12.2020	Ministry Procurement Committee (Ministry of Power)	Office of the DGM (Transmission Construction Projects), No. 55/1-1, Thalapatthipitiya Road, Embuldeniya, Nugegoda, Sri Lanka. TP: +94 (11) 2836051/2 Fax: +94 (11) 2836053	Rs. 45,000.00	Rs. 2,975,000.00	Office of the Additional General Manager (Projects), Ceylon Electricity Board, No.385, 4 th Floor, Landmark Building, Galle Road, Colombo 00300, Sri Lanka.	Office of the Additional General Manager (Projects), Ceylon Electricity Board, No.385, 4 th Floor, Landmark Building, Galle Road, Colombo 00300, Sri Lanka.	Available to Download from CEB Web Site	ICB
CONSTRUCTION										
Lakvijaya Power Plant	LV/T/2020/0359 Construction Of Six No Of Bus Shelters at Palavi-Kalpiya main road (ICTAD C-8 or EM-5 or above)	11/11/2020 14.00 hrs Pre Bid meeting 28/10/2020 10.00 hrs	Lakvijaya Power Plant Procurement Committee	Procurement Division, 4th Floor, Admin Building, Lakvijaya Power Plant, Ceylon Electricity Board, Narakkalliya, Norochcholai 61342 TP : 032 226 8964/977 Fax: 032 226 8966 Mob 0715777171	LKR 1,500.00 Deposit to Peoples Bank Acc. No: 204200140085134 Acc. Name Collection Account	LKR.50,000.00	Deputy General Manager Lakvijaya Power Station Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Office of the Deputy General Manager Lakvijaya Power Station Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Can be obtained free of charge from http://www.ceb.lk/tenders/	NCB
Lakvijaya Power Plant	LV/T/2020/0244 INSTALLATION OF ELECTRICAL PANELS AND CABLE LAYING WORKS OF THE CW PUMP EMERGENCY POWER SUPPLY PROJECT FOR UNIT#3 OF LAKVIJAYA POWER PLANT Repeat Advertising for Bid Closing Time Extension	14.00 hrs on Wednesday November 18, 2020. New Pre-bid meeting October 28 th 2020 at 10.00 a.m at LVPP	Lakvijaya Power Plant Procurement Committee	Procurement Division, 4th Floor, Admin Building, Lakvijaya Power Plant, Ceylon Electricity Board, Narakkalliya, Norochcholai 61342 TP : 032 226 8964/977 Fax: 032 226 8966 Mob 0715777171	LKR 2,500.00 Deposit to Peoples Bank Acc. No: 204200140085134 Acc. Name Generation Division	LKR 100,000.00	Deputy General Manager Lakvijaya Power Station Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Office of the Deputy General Manager Lakvijaya Power Station Ceylon Electricity Board Narakkalliya Norochcholai	Can be obtained free of charge from http://www.ceb.lk/tenders/	NCB
Generation (Mahaweli Complex)	Bid No.: MC/KOT/BIDS/2020/008 Bid for Repair the Roofs of Control Building and Ventilation Building at Kotmale Power Station	11 / 11 / 2020 at 14:00 hrs	Mahaweli Complex Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer, Kotmale Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, Mawathura T.P.: 081-4950690 Fax.: 0817 429330 Email: cektmc.gen@ceb.lk	Rs. 1000.00 Should be deposited to CEB generation collection account at Peoples' Bank Dematagoda Branch Acc. No.: 071-1-001-2-3320705 Deposit slip should be presented to get a bid document	Rs. 40,000.00	Chief Engineer, Kotmale Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, Mawathura	Chief Engineer, Kotmale Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, Mawathura	-	NCB
Generation (Mahaweli Complex)	MC/RND/PT/2020/06 Bid for Construction of Fence (Chain Link) around Rantembe Power Station Premises. Eligibility ICTAD Grade C 08 or above	12/11/2020 at 10:00 hrs	Mahaweli Complex Procurement Committee	1. Chief Engineer, Randenigala Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, P.O. Box 05, Rantembe T.P.: 0554929011/2 Fax.: 0552245755 Email: cerdmc.gen@ceb.lk	Rs. 1000.00 Should be deposited to CEB generation collection account at Peoples' Bank Dematagoda Branch Acc. No.: 071-1-001-2-3320705 Deposit slip should be presented to get a bid document	Rs. 50,000.00	Chief Engineer, Randenigala Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, P.O. Box 05, Rantembe	Chief Engineer, Randenigala Power Station, Ceylon Electricity Board, P.O. Box 05, Rantembe	-	NCB
DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(UVA)/CE(COM)/C1/2K20/086 Design, Supply, Installation and Maintenance of Private Automatic Branch Exchange (PABX) for Uva Province, Distribution Maintenance office Complex	11 th November 2020 15.00 hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	9,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB
DD3 DGM (Sab)	Bid No.: SAB/DGM/CC/2020/01 Construction of Chain Link Security Fence for Gantry at Kuruvita and construction of Retaining wall and chain link Security Fence for Gantry at Kahawatta Pre-Bid Meeting Pre bid meeting will be held on 11 th of November 2020 13.30hrs to 14.30hrs at the Office of Deputy General Manager (Sabaragamuwa), Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 09, New Town, Rathnapura. Bidders who purchase bidding documents before the time of pre bid meeting only allowed to participate.	2020-11-18 2.00 p.m..	PPC (SAB)	Office of Deputy General Manager (Sabaragamuwa), No.09, New Town, Rathnapura Tel. No. 045-2225891-95 Fax: 045-2225890	2,500.00	60,000.00	Office of Deputy General Manager (Sabaragamuwa), No.09, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of Deputy General Manager (Sabaragamuwa), No.09, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/CIVIL/T/2020/05 Bid For Renovation of Beruwala CSC Building (PCA III form is required on or before bid opening when offer value is above Rs. 5 Millions)	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,000.00	75,500.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/CIVIL/T/2020/06 Bid For Renovation Work at Waskaduwa Primary Sub-station.	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,000.00	25,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB

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DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/CIVIL/T/2020/07 Bid For Renovation Work at Molligoda Primary Sub-station.	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,000.00	21,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/CIVIL/T/2020/08 Bid For Renovation Work at Payagala Primary Sub-station.	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,000.00	26,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/CIVIL/T/2020/09 Bid For Construction of Chain Link Fence at Palathota Quarters	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	1,000.00	7,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
Additional General Manager (CS)	CW&B/DGM/R&D/07/2020 Relocating the R&D Branch of CEB at Kolonnawa Central Stores Premises Eligibility: CIDA Grading – SP5 or above in Building Construction	Bid closing At 14.00 hrs on 2020-11-12	Divisional Procurement Committee (CS)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Civil Works and Buildings), Ceylon Electricity Board, 4th Floor, G.C.S.U. Building, No.90, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02. 011 244 7567 011 244 7568 dgmcivil@ceb.lk	5,000/-	400,000/-	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Civil Works and Buildings), Ceylon Electricity Board, 4th Floor, G.C.S.U. Building, No.90, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Civil Works and Buildings), Ceylon Electricity Board, 4th Floor, G.C.S.U. Building, No.90, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02	-	NCB

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Generation (Thermal Complex)	KCCPS/ME(ST)/LS/2020/45 Obtaining a residential house on lease for an Engineer at Kelanitissa Combined Cycle Power Station to be used as married quarters.	11. 11.2020 10.00 hrs.	DGM (Thermal Complex)	DGM (Thermal Complex), Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600 0112423897, 0112423897	Rs. 100.00	N/A	DGM (Thermal Complex), Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa	DGM (Thermal Complex), Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 11. 11.2020 10.00 hrs.	N/A	NCB
Generation	KPS/CE/ADMN/QUARTERS/2020-03 Bid for obtaining one residential house on lease basis	At 14.00hrs 2020.10.29	Thermal Complex Procurement Committee	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Wellampitiya. Tel : 011 2423897	100.00	N/A	N/A	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex), Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Wellampitiya.	N/A	NCB
Generation (Mahaweli Complex)	Bid No: MC/DGM/PROC/2020/03 Cleaning lands, Buildings and Janitorial works at Mahaweli Complex Office 2020-2021	2020 /11 /11 at 14:00hrs	Mahaweli Complex Procurement Committee	DGM (Mahaweli Complex), No. 40/20, Ampitiya Road, Kandy. Tel: 081-2224568	1000/=	15,000/=	DGM (Mahaweli Complex), No. 40/20, Ampitiya Road, Kandy.	Date: 2020 / 11 / 11 Time: 14:00hrs DGM (Mahaweli Complex), No. 40/20, Ampitiya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
Generation	KPS/CE/50X1MW/2020/05-Van Supply of one passenger Van having seating capacity for seven persons on hiring basis (with driver and Fuel) for 50X1MW Diesel Generators of Kelanitissa Power Station	04.11.2020 10.00 a.m.	Thermal Complex Procurement Committee	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation - Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka. Tel: 011 2423897	Rs.500.00	Rs. 5,000/=	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation, Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka Tel: .011 2423897	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation, Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka. Tel: 011 2423897	N/A	NCB
Generation	KPS/CE/50X1MW/2020/05-Car Supply of one Petrol / Hybrid Car on hiring basis (with driver and Fuel) for 50X1MW Diesel Generators of Kelanitissa Power Station.	04.11.2020 10.00 a.m.	Thermal Complex Procurement Committee	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka. Tel: 011 2423897	Rs.500.00	Rs. 5,000/=	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka Tel: .011 2423897	Deputy General Manager (Thermal Complex) Ceylon Electricity Board, Generation, Head Quarters, New Kelani Bridge Road, Kolonnawa 10600, Sri Lanka. Tel: 011 2423897	N/A	NCB
Transmission	TR/O&MS/NCB/2020/09/D HIRING A CAR ON WET LEASE BASIS FOR ONE ENGINEER ATTACHED TO THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER (TRANSMISSION O&M – WESTERN NORTH)	14.00h on November 11. 2020 (Wednesday)	Transmission Divisional Procurement Committee	Office of the Chief Engineer (Tr. O&M) Western North, St. Francis Lane, Dalugama, Kelaniya, Sri Lanka Tel: 011-2905261, Fax: 011-2905262	1,000.00	25,000.00	Bid box available in the Office of the Chief Engineer (Tr. O&M) Western North, St. Francis Lane, Dalugama, Kelaniya, Sri Lanka	Office of the Chief Engineer (Tr. O&M) Western North, St. Francis Lane, Dalugama, Kelaniya, Sri Lanka	-	NCB
Distribution Division 1 Colombo City	DGM(CC)/CE(C&CS)/PPC/2020/122 Hiring of a Van for Chief Engineer (Maintenance) Unit of Colombo City (Vehicle ii/iii) (For 02 years)	11 th November 2020 10.00 hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03 until 10.11.2020 011-2575923, 011-2575930	1,000.00 (By Cash)	15,000.00 per hiring van (By Cash/ Bank draft / Bank guarantee)	Tender Box at the Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4 th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03	Conference Room, Deputy General Manager (Colombo City)'s Office	-	NCB
Distribution Division 1 Colombo City	Registration of Chartered Electrical Engineers – 2021 for Issuance of Completion and inspection Certificates – for Internal Electrical Installations in the City of Colombo	02 nd December 2020 10.00 hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03 until 01.12.2020 011-2575923, 011-2575930	500.00 (By Cash)	Not Applicable	Tender Box at the Office of Deputy General Manager (Colombo City), 4 th Floor, Lakshmans Building, 340, R.A. De Mel Mw, Colombo 03.	Conference Room, Deputy General Manager (Colombo City)'s Office	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/121 Cleaning Service for Electrical Engineer (Kuliyapitiya) Office & Kuliyapitiya, Pannala, Panduwasnuwara Consumer Service Centers.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) Branch CEB Narammala Road, Kuliyapitiya. 037 - 2281892	1,000.00	20,000.00	Deputy General Manager's Office CEB Narammala Road, Kuliyapitiya	Deputy General Manager's Office CEB Narammala Road, Kuliyapitiya	-	NCB

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DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/123 Cleaning Service for Chief Electrical Engineer (Wariyapola) Office & Wariyapola, Hiripitiya Consumer Service Centers.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	30,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/214 Rent a Building for Proposed Electrical Engineer (Maho) office. The Building must be located in the town limit of Maho & it should have water, electricity telephone facilities and floor area should be in the range of 5,000 square feet & the land area should not be less than 10 perches.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	10,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/300 Hiring of a Van for Area Maintenance Unit of Electrical Engineer (Puttalam) Office.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	35,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/301 Hiring of a Crew Cab for Electrical Superintendent (Maintenance) of Electrical Engineer (Maho) Office.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	35,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/302 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Anamaduwu Consumer Service Center.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	15,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DD1 (NWP)	DGM/NWP/CEECM/T/2020/303 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Pannala Consumer Service Center.	11 th November 2020 02.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Same as above	1,000.00	15,000.00	Same as above	Same as above	-	NCB
DGM (NP)	Tender No :DGM/NP/CE(Com)/VH/T/2020/179 Hiring of a Car for Deputy General Manager (Northern Province) on Dry Lease Basis	12 th of November 2020 at 14.00hrs	PPC (North)	Deputy General Manager (NP) office, Ceylon Electricity Board, Old Park Road, Jaffna. T.P No: 021 222 2496	1,000.00	5,000.00	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Office of the DGM (NP) CEB, Old Park Road, Jaffna	Nil	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/D-V83/2020/44 Hiring of a 2WD Crew Cab for Consumer Service Centre - Divulapitiya	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/D-V86/2020/114 Hiring of a 2WD Crew Cab for Area Maintenance Unit - Electrical Engineer (Divulapitiya)	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/D-V90/2020/115 Hiring of a Van for Area Maintenance Unit - Electrical Engineer (Divulapitiya)	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/J-V74/2020/116 Hiring of a Van for Consumer Service Centre - Ragama.	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/J-V95/2020/117 Hiring of a Van for Chief Electrical Engineer's Office - Ja-Ela	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/G-V140/2020/119 Hiring of a Van for Chief Electrical Engineer's Office - Gampaha	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/V-V152/2020/120 Hiring of a Van for Consumer Service Centre - Pasyala.	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/V-V64/2020/121 Hiring of a Van for Area Maintenance Unit - Chief Electrical Engineer (Veyangoda)	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD2 (WPN)	WPN/NCB/P&D - V178/2020/123 Hiring of a Van for Chief Engineer (Planning & Development)'s Office	2020-11-04 2.00 p.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda Tel.011-2911071/72	500.00	20,000.00	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	DGM(WPN)'s Office, CEB, No.280, Kandy Road, Kiribathgoda	-	NCB
DD 2	PHMDD2/DGM/CE(SC&M)/DPC/2020/33 Leasing a Building (02 Years) within Kandy City area Suburbs for Substation Maintenance Gang - CZ of Projects & Heavy Maintenance - DD2.	2020-11-11 1400 hrs	DPC- DD2	Office of the DGM (Project and Heavy Maintenance) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. Tel/Fax +94- 81- 2222286 +94- 81- 2204298	500/-	N/A	Office of the DGM (Project and Heavy Maintenance) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. Tel/Fax +94- 81- 2222286 +94- 81- 2204298	Office of the DGM (Project and Heavy Maintenance) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. Tel/Fax 081-2222286 081- 2204298	N/A	NCB
DD 2	PHMDD2/DGM/CE(SC&M)/DPC/2020/34 Leasing a House (02 Years) within Gampaha, Veyangoda or Nittambuwa area for Substation Western Zone Gang 01 of Projects & Heavy Maintenance - DD 02.	2020 /11/11 1400 hrs	DPC- DD2	Chief Engineer (Substation C & M) Projects & Heavy Maintenance - DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 21, Church Road, Gampaha. Tel: 033-2231769 033-2223179	500/-	-	Deputy General Manager (Pro.HM) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board P.O.Box. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. T.P. 0812222286 Fax. 0812222286	Deputy General Manager (Pro.HM) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, P.O.Box. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. T.P. 0812222286 Fax. 0812222286	N/A	NCB
DD2	Bid No. PHM DD2/DGM/CE(LC&M)/DPC/2020/42 Calling Bids for Hiring a Car (for a period of 2 years) on wet lease basis with a driver for the use of CE (LC&M) Office Pr&HM , DD-2,Kandy	11/11/2020 14.00 hrs	DPC	Deputy General Manager (Pro.HM) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board P.O.Box. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. 081-2222286 081-2204298	500.00	40,000.00	Deputy General Manager (Pro.HM) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board P.O.Box. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. 081-2222286 081-2204298	Deputy General Manager (Pro.HM) DD2, Ceylon Electricity Board, P.O.Box. 18, Lamagaraya Road, Kandy. 081-2222286 081-2204298	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/414 Provision of Security Services for Area Office Kandy City & Accountant (Revenue)Unit-CP(With Weapons) for a period of 01 Year	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial) , CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	35,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial) , CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB

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DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/415 Provision of Security Services for Pole Yard at Wattaranthanne & ECSC North & Primary Substation at Bogambara, Polgolla, Gatambe in Kandy City Area for period of 01 Year.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	50,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/416 Provision of Security Services for CE (Distribution & Maintenance) Unit Central Province for period of 01 Year.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	8,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/418 Hiring of a 4WD Double Cab for ECSC at Hatton in Ginigathena Area for a Period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	20,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/419 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Commercial Sub Unit in Mawanella Area for a period of 02 Years..	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	10,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/420 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Commercial Sub Unit in Kegalle Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	10,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/421 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Commercial Sub Unit in Kegalle Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	10,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/422 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for Break Down Service Supply in Meemure Village at ECSC Ududumbara in Kundasale Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	10,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/423 Hiring of a Three Wheeler for ECSC at Eriyagama in Peradeniya Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	10,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/424 Hiring of a Van for CE (Distribution & Maintenance) Unit-CP for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	16,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/425 Hiring of a Van for CE (Distribution & Maintenance) Unit-CP for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	16,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/446 Hiring of a Van for Commercial Sub Unit in Nuwara Eliya Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	16,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/448 Hiring of a Crew Cab for ECSC at Nawalapitiya in Nawalapitiya Area for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	16,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/449 Hiring of a (4WD) Double Cab for Investigation Duties at EE (Commercial) Unit-CP for a period of 02 Years.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy. T.P 081-2234324 081-4472724	1000/=	20,000/=	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/447 Rent /Lease Building for use as Area Office Mawanella for a period of 02 years. Requirements i). Building should be Approx.3000 sqft. ii). Building should be located in and around Mawanalla Town Area. iii). Need Water, Electricity and Telephone (Land line) Facilities. iv). Need security Fence or wall around the Building. v). Need Parking Area for 5 Nos. (Light) Vehicles. vi). Need Sanitary Facilities for 50 people.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self-prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P. 035-2249025	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/450 Rent / lease suitable Building for use as ECSC Akurana in Katugastota Area for a period of 02 years. 1) Building should be located in or around Katugastota to Akurana town area. 2) Building area should be approx. between 2500-3000 sqft 3) Electricity, Water, Telephone and Sanitary facilities should be available. 4) Motorable road should be available. 5) Need parking facilities for 03 numbers of light vehicles. 6) Easy access to the building from the main road. 7) Need a safety fence around the premises.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P. 081-2499679	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/451 Rent / lease suitable Building for use as Official quarters of Area Electrical Engineer (Ginigathena) for a period of 02 years. Requirements 1. Building should be located in Ginigathena town area. 2. Need approx. 03 Nos. bed rooms. 3. Building Area should be approx. 1750sqft. 4. Need a garage for parking light vehicle. 5. Need Water, Electricity, Telephone and sanitary facilities.	2020-11-11 At 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self-prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P 051-2242408	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB

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DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/452 Rent / lease of a suitable building to be used as Electrical Consumer Service Center at Nugawela in Galagedara Area for period of 02 years. 1. Building should be located in or around Nugawela, Aladeniya or Hedeniya area. 2. Building area should be approx. 2000sqft 3. Electricity, Water, Telephone, Motorable road should be available. 4. Need parking facilities for vehicles. 5. Easy access to the building from the main road. 6. Need a safety fence around the garden.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P.081-4953235 081-4953237	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/453 Rent / lease of a suitable building to be used as Electrical Consumer Service Center at Poojapitiya in Galagedara Area for period of 02 years. Requirements of building are, 1. Should be located in and around Poojapitiya town area. 2. Area should be approx. 3000sqft. 3. Need parking facilities for 02 Nos. Lorries & Dual purpose vehicle. 4. Need Electricity, Water & Telephone facilities. 5. Easy access to the main road. 6. Having a safety fence or wall around the garden will be additional qualification.	2020 -11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P. 081-4945102	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
DD 2 Central	CP/CE(COM)/PPC/2020/454 Rent / lease of a suitable building to be used as Electrical Consumer Service Center at Hatharaliyadda in Galagedara Area for period of 02 years. Requirements of building is, 1). Should be located in and around Hatharaliyadda town area. 2). Area should be approx. 3000sqft. 3). Need parking facilities for 02 nos. Lorries & Dual purpose vehicle. 4). Need Electricity, Water & Telephone facilities. 5). Easy access to the main road. 6). Having a safety fence or wall around the garden Will be additional qualification.	2020-11-11 at 14.00hrs	Provincial Procurement Committee	Self prepared detailed application to be forwarded with expected monthly rental. T.P. 081-4945102	-	-	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	Chief Engineer (Commercial) CEB, No. 04, Asgiriya Road, Kandy.	N/A	NCB
Distribution Division 2	DD2/P&D/NCB/2020/036 Tender For Hiring Of A Motor Car On Wet Lease Basis With Driver For 2 Years	11 November 2020 At 10.00hrs	DPC-DD 2	DGM (P&D-DD2), 1 st Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02. +94- 11- 2348470 +94- 11- 2433117	1,000.00	31,000.00	Office of the AGM (DD2), 1 st Floor, CEB, No. 205/3, Kandy Road, Pahala Biyanwila, Kadawatha.	Office of the AGM (DD2), 1 st Floor, CEB, No 205/3, Kandy Road, Pahala Biyanwila, Kadawatha.	250.00	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/KAH-V30/HV/2020/71 Hiring of a Dual Purpose Van for Area Electrical Engineer's Unit - Kahawaththa	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/RUW-V42/HV/2020/72 Hiring of a Dual Purpose Van for Deraniyagala Consumer Service Centre	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/CE(EM)-V06/HV/2020/73 Hiring of a Dual Purpose Van for Energy Management Eheliyagoda Sub Unit	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/EHE-V51/HV/2020/74 Hiring of a Crew Cab 2 Wheel Drive for Area Electrical Engineer's Unit - Eheliyagoda	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/RUW-V92/HV/2020/75 Hiring of a Double Cab 4 Wheel Drive for Area Electrical Engineer (Ruwanwella) Unit	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/RUW-V85/HV/2020/76 Hiring of a Three Wheeler (Petrol) for Area Electrical Engineer (Ruwanwella)	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	20,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD3 (SAB)	Bid No: SAB/CE(COM)/SS/2020/15 Provision of Private Security Service to Office of DGM Sabaragamuwa for Period of 01 Year.	11 th November 2020 2.00 PM	Provincial Procurement Committee.	Office of the DGM,CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura T.P No. 045-2225891-5	1,000.00	125,000.00	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	Office of the DGM, CE (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, New Town, Rathnapura	-	NCB
DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(UVA)/CE(COM)/DEO1/HV-35/DI-02/2K20/70 Bid for hiring of a Van for Electrical Engineer (Diyatalawa) unit – Electrical Superintendent (Commercial) (For 2 years)	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	49,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB
DD 3 (Uva)	DGM(UVA)/CE(COM)/DEO1/HV-04/DGM-4/2K20/072 Bid for hiring of Car for Accountant – Expenditure (Uva) (For 2 years)	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	50,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB
DD 3 (Uva)	නිසා(පුටු) පුද්ගලිකව නිවාස/විවේදන/2620/13 Lease out a house for Mahiyanganaya Sub Unit of the Chief Engineer – Distribution Maintenance (Uva) Unit, around Mahiyanganaya Town (2 years)	11 th November 2020 15.00hrs	PPC (Uva)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla. Tel : 0552222474	500.00	6,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Uva), Chief Engineer (Commercial) Unit, Ceylon Electricity Board, No 04, Spring Valley Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.	-	NCB

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DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/T/2020/58 Sales of Unserviceable Items in Kalutara Area WPS-1	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	500.00	Lot 01 – 10,000.00 Lot 02 – 5,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
DD4 (WPS-1)	WPS-1/PPC/T/2020/59 Sales of Unserviceable Transformers in Western Province South - I	2020.11.12 10.00 a.m.	Provincial Procurement Committee	Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala. 011-2638852	500.00	250,000.00	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	Chief Engineer (Commercial), Office of DGM (WPS-1), 3rd Floor, Distribution Division 4 Head Quarters, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 25, Council Lane, Dehiwala.	-	NCB
Corporate Strategy (Information Technology)	DGM/IT/2020/T/04 Delivery, Installation, and Commissioning of WAN Links For CEB Offices	12 th November 2020 at 10:00 hrs	Divisional Procurement Committee (Corporate Strategy)	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Information Technology), Ground Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardinar Mw, Colombo 02 Tel: 0112466266 0112324255 Fax: 0112320192	5,000.00	850,000.00	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Information Technology), Ground Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardinar Mw, Colombo 02	Office of the Deputy General Manager (Information Technology), Ground Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardinar Mw, Colombo 02	-	NCB

Chairman of the above Procurement Committees, on behalf of the Ceylon Electricity Board, now invites sealed Bids from potential Suppliers for the above mentioned items on the basis of International /National Competitive Bidding. Bids should be submitted only on the bid documents purchased from the CEB.

Bidding Documents will be issued only to the prospective Bidders or their accredited Agents. Wherever necessary they should get registered in terms of the Public Contract Act No.3 of 1987.

Bidding Documents could be purchased by any prospective bidder or their accredited Agent on submission of written request to the respective Deputy General Manager/Chief Engineer of the CEB upon payment of the amount indicated in Column 6 of the above table for each set of Bid Document, between 0900 hrs. and 1500 hrs. on any working day till the day prior to the bid closing date. Payment shall be made in cash or bank draft drawn in favour of the General Manager, CEB.

Foreign Diplomatic Missions/Trade Commissions may obtain information copies of the Bidding Documents, free of charge on submission of written request. The Bidding Documents may be inspected by the prospective bidder or their Agents at the office of the respective DGM/CE free of charge.

Bids will be opened immediately after the closing time of the bidding, in the presence of Bidders and their authorized representatives at the locations indicated in column 9. Late Bids shall be rejected.

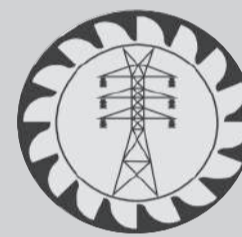
All clarifications shall be sought two weeks before the Bid closing date, from the respective DGM/CE of the CEB who issued the bidding Documents.

* ICB – International Competitive Bidding, NCB – National Competitive Bidding.



The Information copy of the Bid document may be downloaded from the CEB Corporate website www.ceb.lk

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INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)



STATE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT, COAST CONSERVATION, WASTE DISPOSAL AND COMMUNITY CLEANLINESS
SRI LANKA LAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

SURVEY WORK FOR MORATUWA – RATHMALANA STORM WATER DRAINAGE & ENVIRONMENT IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (WERAS GANGA STAGE – II)

The Chairman of Department Procurement Committee on behalf of Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation (SLLDC) invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the item mentioned listed below.

Procurement No.	Item Descriptions	Closing Date and Time	Bid Security	Documents Fee (Non-refundable)
S/439/20	Package B – Surveying of Existing Roads and Canal System for Designing of Survey Work For Moratuwa – Rathmalana Storm Water Drainage & Environment Improvement Project (Weras Ganga Stage – II)	12 th November, 2020 at 13.30 hrs.	Rs. 20,000.00	Rs. 2000.00
S/582/20	Package C – Surveying of Existing Roads and Canal System for Designing of Survey Work For Moratuwa – Rathmalana Storm Water Drainage & Environment Improvement Project (Weras Ganga Stage – II)		Rs. 20,000.00	Rs. 2000.00

- A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language could be inspected free of charge and purchased upon submission of a written request and paying non-refundable document fee as above mentioned to the Deputy General Manager (Supplies & Stores), Supplies Division, Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation, No. 3, Sri Jayawardanapura Mawatha, Welikada, Rajagiriya during 09.00 Hrs. to 15.30 Hrs. from **22nd October, 2020** Up to **11th November, 2020** (Working days). The method of payment will be only by cash to the cashier at Accounts Division, (3rd Floor New Building).
- Bid shall be delivered to the address given below and submitted on or before **12th November, 2020 at 13:30 hrs.** Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after closing time, in the presence of Bidder or their representatives who choose to attend.
- Procurement No. and the subject should be clearly mentioned on the top left-hand corner of the envelop and should be sent under registered post or deposited to the specified Tender Box kept in Supplies Division of Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation. (1st Floor New Building).
- Pre-Bid Meeting will be conducted on **09th November, 2020 at 10.00 a.m** at SLLDC Board Room.
- Interested bidders may obtain further clarifications from Deputy General Manager (R&D). Tel: +9411 2 867 532 Fax: +9411 2 872 658

Chairman
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SRI JAYEWARDENEPURA GENERAL HOSPITAL

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

TENDER FOR THE SUPPLY OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee on behalf of the Sri Jayawardanapura General Hospital now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Supply of below mentioned **Medical Equipment** at Sri Jayawardanapura General Hospital up to 10.00 a.m. on 12.11.2020.

Quotation No.	Item Description	Qty.
Q 793/20	Micro Drill And Saw System	01 No.
Q 794/20	Laparoscope with Near Infra Red Treatment and Instrument	01 No.
Q 795/20	Co2 Laser System for Dermatology Application	01 No.
Q 796/20	Neonatal Conventional Ventilators	02 Nos.

Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedure.

Bidders may be Manufacturers / Agents / Companies who have previous experience to supply similar equipment.

Bid Documents can be obtained from **22.10.2020 to 11.11.2020** between **9.00 a.m. and 3.00 p.m.** during normal working days from the Supplies Division of this hospital. Bidders should furnish a written request and a receipt issued by the Accountant of Sri Jayawardanapura General Hospital for the payment of non-refundable document fee of **Rs. 3,500.00** for each item.

A Certificate of Registration issued by the Registrar of Companies (Samagam Medura) under Para 08 of Public Contracts Act (Original Certificate with a copy) for each item should be forwarded along with the offer.

Duly completed bidding documents in duplicate marked "Original" and "Duplicate" relevantly in two sealed envelopes and enclosed both in one sealed envelope for each tender & marked the item, Tender No. and the Closing Date on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Bids to be sent by registered post to the following address or can be deposited in the tender box kept at the Chairman's Office on or before **10.00 a.m. on 12.11.2020.** Late bid submissions are not accepted.

Bidder should furnish a bid security as per the bid document along with the bid.

Bids received will be opened immediately after closing at the Conference Hall of the Hospital and the bidders or their representatives will be permitted to be present at the occasion.

Further details, please contact Supplies Officer Tel. 0112778624. Bid documents can be inspected free of charge. Procurement Committee reserves the right to accept or reject the whole or part of the bid.

Department Procurement Committee
Sri Jayawardanapura General Hospital
Thalpathpitiya,
Nugegoda.



PUBLIC NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN TERMS OF SECTION 9(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT NO. 07 OF 2007.

Name of the Company: ZROS (PVT) LTD.
Company No. PV 00221490

Date of Incorporation: 21.03.2020

Registered Office: Alady Road, Kondavil East, Kondavil.

Company Secretary

NOTICE

The following company was incorporated under Section 9(1) of the Companies Act No. 07 of 2007.

Company Name: I G M PRODUCTS (PRIVATE) LIMITED

Registration No.: PV 00228210

Registered Address: Karaldakma, Bulathsinhala

Incorporated Date: 29th September, 2020

Company Secretary

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