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The Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka to the United Nations Office in Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations (Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights) and has the honour to refer to the former's Note Verbale No. 393/2023 of 03 March 2023 conveying the revised delegation of Sri Lanka for the forthcoming consideration of Sri Lanka's sixth periodic report under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR), and has the honour to convey a further revised delegation as follows;

In person participants

1. H.E. Mrs. Himalee Arunatilaka , Ambassador / Permanent Representative of Sri Lanka to the United Nations in Geneva [Head of Delegation]
2. Mr. Letchumanan Illangovan, Addl. Secretary to the President, Presidential Secretariat.
3. Mr. Nerin Pulle, Addl. Solicitor General, Attorney General's Department
4. Ms. Dayani Mendis, Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka to the UN
5. Ms. Rekha Gunasekera - Director General/UN & HR, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
6. Ms. Dilini Gunasekera - Director/ UN & HR, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
7. Ms. Dilini Lenagala - Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka
8. Ms. Udani Gunawardena Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka to the UN
9. Ms. Thilini Jayasekara – Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka
10. Ms. Subashini Silva, Deputy Director/ UN & HR, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

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Ministry of Defence

11. Major General Ruwan Kulatunga RSP ndc psc, Chief of National Intelligence.

Ministry of Justice

12. Ms. Piyumanthi Peiris, Additional Secretary / Legal

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

13. Mr. M.R.K. Lenagala, Additional Secretary/Multilateral Affairs.
14. Mr. Mahesh Mahakumarage, Assistant Director / United Nations and Human Rights Division.

Ministry of Women

15. Mr. Iresha Dharmasena, Director/Development.

16. Ms. Kumudu Perera, Legal Officer.

Ministry of Health

17. Dr. Lakshmi C. Somatunga, Additional Secretary/Public Health Service.

Ministry of Public Security

18. Mr. Asanga Karawita, Deputy Inspector General/Crime and PNB range.

Department of Prisons

19. Mr. B.M.U.G.A.K. Basnayake, Superintendent of Prisons.

20. Mr. B.D.M.G.B. Dissanayake, Superintendent of Prisons.

Office on Missing Persons

21. Mr. Mahesh Katulanda, Chairperson.

22. Mr. J. Thatparan, Executive Director.

Office for Reparations

23. Ms. Dhara Wijayatilake, Chairperson.

Office for National Unity and Reconciliation

24. Ms. Lakshi Ranasinghe, Assistant Director.

National Dangerous Drugs Control Board

25. Mrs. Bhadrani Senanayake, Director General

26. Mr. Thamara Darshana, Assistant Director

Bureau of the Commissioner General of Rehabilitation

27. Major General Dharshana Hettiarrachchi, Commissioner General of Rehabilitation

28. Major Sachethana Siriwardena, Legal Officer - Bureau of the Commissioner General of Rehabilitation

The Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka further wishes to request an acknowledgement of receipt of this Note Verbale.

The Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka to the United Nations Office in Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 07 March 2023



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