

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

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**ECONOMIC SERVICE CHARGE**  
 **(AMENDMENT)**

**A**

**BILL**

**to amend the Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006**

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*Presented by the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious & Cultural Affairs and Minister of Urban Development & Housing on 22nd of September, 2020*

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**[Bill No. 2]**

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*STATEMENT OF LEGAL EFFECT*   
 *Clause 2* : This clause amends section 2 of the Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006 and the legal effect of the section as amended is to remove the Economic Service Charge from January 1, 2020.

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| *Economic Service Charge (Amendment)* | 1 |

L.D.—O. 62/2019

AN ACTTOAMENDTHE ECONOMIC SERVICE CHARGE   
ACT, NO.13 OF 2006

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as follows:—

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| **1.** | This Act may be cited as the Economic Service Charge | Short title. |

(Amendment) Act, No. of 2020.

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| 5 | **2.** | Section 2 of the Economic Service Charge Act, No. | Amendment |
| of section 2 |
| 13 of 2006 is hereby amended in subsection (1) by the | |
| of Act, |
| substitution for the words “be charged from every person and | | No. 13 of |
| every partnership for every quarter of every year of | | 2006. |

assessment”, of the words and figures “be charged from every 10 person and every partnership for every quarter of every year of assessment prior to January 1, 2020 —”.

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| **3.** | In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala | Sinhala text  to prevail in  case of  inconsistency. |
| and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail. | |

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