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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

Notifications

WHEREAS I have in the exercise of powers vested in me in terms of Paragraph (1) of Article 44 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, determined the number of Ministers of the Cabinet of Ministers and the Ministries and the assignment of subjects and functions and Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations to the said Ministers ;

It is now hereby notified that the subjects and functions and Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations in the charge of various Ministers shall be as set out in the Schedule given below, from the date of this Notification.

ANURA KUMARA DISSANAYAKE,
President.

Presidential Secretariat,
Colombo 01,
September 27, 2024.



SCHEDULE

1. Minister of Defence

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes, and projects, in relation to the subject of Defence, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of relevant public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. 4. Ensuring national security 5. Maintenance of internal security 6. Upgrading the prevailing integrated intelligence mechanism trustworthy and efficient manner to ensure national and internal security 7. Establishment and operationalization of the National Security Advisory Board 8. Maintenance of relations with visiting Armed Forces 9. Extension of cooperation to international humanitarian operations 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Office of the Chief of Defence Staff 2. Sri Lanka Army 3. Sri Lanka Navy 4. Sri Lanka Air Force 5. State Intelligence Service 6. Civil Security Department 7. National Cadet Corps 8. National Authority for the Implementation of Chemical Weapons Convention 9. Sir John Kotelawala Defence University 10. Defence Services Command and Staff College 11. Miloda Institute -as a Faculty of Kotelawala Defence University 12. Defence Services College 13. Defence Research and Development Centre 14. Institute of National Security Studies 15. National Defence College 16. Rakna Arakshana Lanka Ltd. 17. Coast Guard Department of Sri Lanka 18. National Defence Fund 19. Ranaviru Seva Authority 20. Api Wenuwen Api Fund 21. Department of Meteorology 22. National Disaster Management Council 23. Disaster Management Centre 24. National Disaster Relief Services Centre 25. National Building Research Organization 26. Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka and Allied Institutions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief of Defence Staff Act No. 35 of 2009 • Army Act No. 17 of 1949 • Navy Act No. 34 of 1950 • Air Force Act No. 41 of 1949 • Extradition Law No. 8 of 1977 • Explosives Act No. 21 of 1956 • Firearms Ordinance No. 33 of 1916 • Firing Ranges and Military Training Act No. 24 of 1951 • Mobilization and Supplementary Forces Act No. 40 of 1985 • Offensive Weapons Act, No. 18 of 1966 • Piracy Act No. 9 of 2001 • Prevention of Terrorism Act No. 48 of 1979 • Public Security Ordinance No. 25 of 1947 • Chemical Weapons Convention Act No. 58 of 2007 • Sir John Kotelawala Defence Academy Act No. 68 of 1981 • Defence Services Command and Staff College Act No. 5 of 2008 • Suppression of Terrorist Bombings Act No. 11 of 1999 • Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Maritime Navigation Act No. 42 of 2000 • Private Security Agencies Act No. 45 of 1998 • Department of Coast Guard Act No. 41 of 2009 • Ranaviru Seva Authority Act No. 54 of 1999 • Api Wenuwen Api Fund Act No. 6 of 2008

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1. Minister of Defence

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>10. Performing responsibilities related to explosives, firearms, offensive weapons and chemical weapons</p> <p>11. Performing responsibilities related to maintenance of light houses (other than those belonging to the Ports Authority)</p> <p>12. Provision of defence education and post-service education for defence service personnel</p> <p>13. Provision of higher education for defence service personnel</p> <p>14. Matters relating to private security services</p> <p>15. Enhancing excellence in the defense sector by integrating knowledge of national security with science, technology, and innovation</p> <p>16. Technical updating of the Sri Lanka Navy and the Sri Lanka Coastal Guard and the enactment of relevant laws to ensure security and stability of the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) of Sri Lanka</p> <p>17. Rescue operations and administration of Coast Guard Service</p> <p>18. Matters relating to Extradition</p> <p>19. Matters relating to veteran and disabled soldiers</p> <p>20. Provision of weather and climate related services</p> <p>21. Conducting Meteorological surveys and research</p> <p>22. Landslide disaster management and related research and development</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Hydrographic Act No. 7 of 2024 • Sri Lanka Disaster Management Act No. 13 of 2005 • Sri Lanka Telecommunications Act No. 25 of 1991 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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1. Minister of Defence

Column I	Column II	Column III
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
23. Forecasting natural disasters and sensitizing relevant sectors regarding them 24. Coordination of awareness programmes on natural and man-made disasters 25. Conducting rescue operations during natural and man-made disasters 26. Promotion of disaster resilient construction and provision of technical guidance 27. Encouraging research and development in relation to appropriate technology for housing and construction sector 28. Regulating telecommunication affairs to promote sustainable development of telecommunication industry by ensuring public interest in the increasingly competitive market 29. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II 30. Supervision of all the Institutions listed in Column II		

SCHEDULE

02. Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste 4. Formulation of national economic and financial policies and strategies 5. Preparation of National Development and Public Investment Programmes ensuring investment of borrowed funds in economically productive development interventions. 6. Formulation of fiscal and macro fiscal management policies 7. Implementation of appropriate policy measures to ensure sustainable economic growth and stability 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Department of National Planning 2. Department of External Resources 3. General Treasury 4. Department of Fiscal Policy 5. Department of National Budget 6. Department of Management Services 7. Department of Public Finance 8. Department of Treasury Operations 9. Department of State Accounts 10. Department of Trade and Investment Policy 11. Department of Legal Affairs 12. Department of Management Audit 13. Department of Development Finance 14. Department of Public Enterprises 15. Office of Comptroller General 16. Department of Project Management and Monitoring 17. Department of Information Technology Management 18. Department of Inland Revenue 19. Sri Lanka Customs 20. Department of Excise 21. State Resources Management Corporation 22. National Lotteries Board 23. Development Lotteries Board 24. Department of Valuation 25. Department of Import and Export Control 26. Central Bank of Sri Lanka 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appropriation Acts • Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1956 • Foreign Loans Act No. 29 of 1957 • Debits Tax Act No. 12 of 2007 • Betting and Gaming Levy Act No. 40 of 1998 • Economic Service Charge Act No. 13 of 2006 • Public Service Mutual Provident Association Ordinance No. 5 of 1891 • Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) • Finance Leasing Act No. 56 of 2000 • Financial Transactions Reporting Act No. 6 of 2006 • Public Financial Management Act No. 44 of 2024 • Regulation of Insurance Industry Act No. 43 of 2000 • Lady Lochore Fund Act No. 38 of 1951 • Local Treasury Bills Ordinance No. 8 of 1923 • Nation Building Tax Act No. 9 of 2009 • Prevention of Money Laundering Act No. 5 of 2006 • Sri Lanka Accounting and Auditing Standards Act No. 15 of 1995 • Import and Export (Control) Act No. 1 of 1969 • Stamp Duty (Special Provisions) Act No. 12 of 2006 • Stamp Duty (Special Provisions) Act No. 10 of 2008 • Stamp Duty Act No. 43 of 1982

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02. Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>8. Execution of appropriate measures to ensure debt sustainability</p> <p>9. Maintaining transparency and accountability in public financial management.</p> <p>10. Facilitation, coordination and monitoring of the implementation of cross-sectoral national policy priorities.</p> <p>11. Function as the Focal Point for facilitation and coordination of international and regional trade integration including bilateral and multilateral trade agreements and resolution of disputes arising from these agreements.</p> <p>12. Preparation of the annual budget and management of financial resources</p> <p>13. Ensuring the execution of the national budget and enforcing budgetary and financial controls</p> <p>14. Ensuring efficiency, effectiveness and accountability in tax administration through policy and technological transformation</p> <p>15. Coordination and facilitation of public-private partnerships for sustainable economic development</p> <p>16. Prepare of a time bound action plan to enhance active engagement of youth in the economic process</p>	<p>27. All State Banks, Financial Institutions, Insurance Companies and their subsidiaries and related institutions</p> <p>28. Insurance Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka</p> <p>29. Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation and its subsidiaries and affiliated companies</p> <p>30. Credit Information Bureau</p> <p>31. Department of the Registrar of Companies</p> <p>32. Securities and Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka</p> <p>33. Sri Lanka Accounting and Auditing Standard Monitoring Board</p> <p>34. Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka</p> <p>35. Sri Lanka Export Credit Insurance Corporation</p> <p>36. Housing Development Finance Corporation</p> <p>37. State Mortgage and Investment Bank</p> <p>38. Regional Development Bank</p> <p>39. Tax Appeals Commission</p> <p>40. Department of Census and Statistics</p> <p>41. Institute of Policy Studies</p> <p>42. Sustainable Development Council</p> <p>43. Welfare Benefits Board</p> <p>44. Public Service Mutual Provident Fund</p> <p>45. Strike, Riot, Civil Commotion and Terrorism Fund</p> <p>46. National Insurance Trust Fund</p> <p>47. Employees' Trust Fund</p> <p>48. Lady Lochore Fund</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Value Added Tax Act No. 14 of 2002 • Welfare Benefits Act No. 24 of 2002 • Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 • Environment Conservation Levy Act No. 26 of 2008 • Tax Appeals Commission Act No. 23 of 2008 • Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka Act No. 35 of 2002 • Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka Act No 53 of 1988 • Sustainable Development Act No. 19 of 2017 • Development Lotteries Board Act No. 20 of 1997 • Sri Lanka Export Credit Insurance Act No. 15 of 1978 • Inland Revenue Act No. 24 of 2017 • Central Bank of Sri Lanka Act No. 16 of 2023 • National Savings Bank Act No. 30 of 1971 • People's Bank Act No. 29 of 1961 • Bank of Ceylon Ordinance No. 53 of 1938 • Banking Act No. 30 of 1988 • Housing Development Finance Corporation Act No. 07 of 1997 • Recovery of loans by Banks (Special Provisions) Act No. 4 of 1990 • Securities and Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka Act No. 19 of 2021 • Regional Development Banks Act No. 41 of 2008

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02. Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
17. Coordination with international agencies and mobilization of foreign resources for economic development 18. Liaising with donor agencies and international financial institutions 19. Enforcement of Government Financial Regulations 20. Management of the Consolidated Fund 21. Overall supervision of revenue agencies 22. Provision of direction and guidance to State Banks and Financial Agencies 23. Public expenditure management 24. Maintenance of information on state property such as vehicles, buildings, lands owned by all government institutions and development of methods to utilize such resources efficiently and effectively 25. Supervision of departmental and other public funds 26. Maintenance of Treasury Minutes on reports of the Public Accounts Committee 27. Cadre management for an efficient and productive public service and providing advisory services on fixing of salaries and wages 28. Revenue collection and expenditure monitoring 29. Formulation of guidelines for the promotion of management audit in departments 30. Regulation of insurance industry	49. Colombo Port City Economic Commission 50. Public Debt Management Office 51. Techno Park Development Company (Pvt) Limited 52. Sri Lanka Export Development Board 53. Board of Investment of Sri Lanka 54. Sri Lanka Media Training Institute 55. Protection of Children National Trust Fund 56. Institutions coming under the Revival (Removal) of Underperforming Enterprises or Underutilized Assets Act vested to the Secretary to the Treasury 57. Sri Lanka Thripasha Co. Ltd. 58. Sri Lanka Tourism Promotion Bureau 59. Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority 60. Sri Lanka Institute of Tourism and Hotel Management 61. Sri Lanka Convention Bureau 62. Department of National Botanic Gardens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Insurance Trust Fund Act No. 28 of 2006 • Employees' Trust Fund (Special Provisions) Act No. 19 of 1993 • Employees Trust Fund Act No. 46 of 1980 • Excise (Special Provisions) Act No. 13 of 1989 • Registered Stock and Securities Ordinance No. 07 of 1937 • Payment and Settlement Systems Act No. 28 of 2005 • Finance Business Act No. 42 of 2011 • Foreign Exchange Act No. 12 of 2017 • Census Ordinance (Chapter 143) • Insurance Corporation Act No. 02 of 1961 • Credit Information Bureau of Sri Lanka Act No. 18 of 1990 • Business Names Act No. 07 of 1987 • Companies Act No. 07 of 2007 • Trade Marks Act No. 30 of 1964 • Cheetus Ordinance No. 61 of 1935 • Public Contract Act No. 03 of 1987 • Microfinance Act No. 6 of 2016 • Finance Companies Act No. 78 of 1988 • Exchange Control Act No. 24 of 1953 • Sri Lanka State Mortgage and Investment Bank Act No. 13 of 1975 • Casino Business (Regulation) Act No. 17 of 2010 • Payment Devices Frauds Act No. 30 of 2006

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02. Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
31. Financial administration of Public Corporations, Statutory Boards and Government Owned Companies 32. Development of Colombo Port City Special Economic Zone with the objective of national welfare and economic development 33. Formulation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects to enhance regional trade and investment cooperation. 34. Promotion of economic potential in Sri Lanka and thereby promote foreign direct investment and private sector investment 35. Promotion, regulation and monitoring of economic development zones 36. Finalizing the liquidation and amalgamation work of Institutions listed in Column II from item No. 54 to 57 37. Development of the tourism industry and promotion of high standards in line with the national policy while promoting Sri Lanka's image 38. Registration and regulation of travel agencies and those involved in the tourism industry 39. Popularizing Sri Lanka as a unique tourist Island among domestic and foreign tourists highlighting Sri Lanka's biodiversity, historic heritage, environment, climate diversity, oceanic resources <i>etc</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colombo Port City Economic Commission Act No. 11 of 2021 • Public Debt Management Act No. 33 of 2024 • Sri Lanka Export Development Act No. 40 of 1979 • Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978 (Board of Investment of Sri Lanka Law) • Revival (Removal) of Underperforming Enterprises or Underutilized Assets Act No. 12 of 2019 • Institute of Chartered Accountants Act No. 23 of 1959 • Strategic Development Projects Act No. 14 of 2008 • Tourism Act No. 38 of 2005 • Botanic Gardens Ordinance No. 31 of 1928 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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02. Minister of Finance, Economic Development, Policy Formulation, Planning and Tourism

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>40. Promotion of holiday resorts, internationally recognized centres related to conferences, exhibition and entertainment facilities, hotel facilities, air and sea travel for tourists</p> <p>41. Provision of required facilities to encourage those engaged in the tourism trade and related entrepreneurs</p> <p>42. Ensuring safety of tourists.</p> <p>43. Preparation of time bound action plans for sustainable usage of natural and cultural resources, developing human resources for the tourist industry, development and standardizing new tourist services, strategic destination promotion <i>etc</i></p> <p>44. Facilitating to enhance medical tourism by providing a whole range of medical care and treatments including Ayurvedic therapy</p> <p>45. Promotion of sports-tourism industry</p> <p>46. Integration of tourism industry with national and international markets for the visual arts</p> <p>47. Facilitating to make cultural heritage a significant part of the tourism industry</p> <p>48. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>49. Supervision of all the Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

SCHEDULE

03. Minister of Energy

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Energy, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste 4. Exploration, planning, development and supervision of activities relating to generation of renewable energy, electricity and other energies from sources such as solar, water, thermal, coal, waste and wind 5. Meeting the electricity needs of Sri Lanka and safeguarding energy security 6. Management of demand to ensure energy efficiency 7. Implementation of a power generation plan based on long-term requirements 8. Making the power transmission and distribution processes efficient 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ceylon Electricity Board and its subsidiary Companies 2. Ceylon Electricity Company 3. Lanka Coal Company (Pvt) Ltd 4. LTL Holdings (Pvt.) Ltd. 5. Ceylon Petroleum Corporation 6. Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminal Ltd. 7. Petroleum Development Authority of Sri Lanka 8. Polipto Lanka (Pvt) Ltd 9. Sri Lanka Sustainable Energy Authority 10. Sri Lanka Atomic Energy Board 11. Sri Lanka Atomic Energy Regulatory Council 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ceylon Electricity Board Act No. 17 of 1969 • Sri Lanka Electricity Act No. 20 of 2009 • Sri Lanka Electricity Act No. 36 of 2024 • Ceylon Petroleum Corporation Act No. 28 of 1961 • Petroleum Resources Act No. 21 of 2021 • Sri Lanka Sustainable Energy Authority Act No. 35 of 2007 • Sri Lanka Atomic Energy Act No. 40 of 2014 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

SCHEDULE (Contd.)

03. Minister of Energy

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>9. Creation of a smart network to ensure maximizing efficient use of generated electricity.</p> <p>10. Reduction of costs for generating electricity and removal of uncertainties during generation</p> <p>11. Implementation of appropriate programmes for replacing the existing high cost sources of electricity generation with low-cost, environment-friendly, renewable sources</p> <p>12. Ensuring that local companies get equal opportunities for investing in national renewable energy projects</p> <p>13. Increasing energy generation using industrial waste</p> <p>14. Establishing micro-grid networks as energy units based on the cooperative principles</p> <p>15. Establishing strategic partnerships and investment opportunities in the energy sector</p> <p>16. Encouraging re-investment in small-scale hydro power generation, specially by renewing existing agreements</p> <p>17. Introduction of a fairer and transparent method for updating the electricity bill and application of price formula for petroleum and gas</p> <p>18. Implementation of a power generation plan based on long term requirements</p>		

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03. Minister of Energy

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>19. Taking necessary steps to reduce the losses at the institutional management level and technical damages that occur to the electricity generation and distribution system</p> <p>20. Facilitating and encouraging to use electric vehicles</p> <p>21. Taking measures to make Sri Lanka as an Energy Trading Hub</p> <p>22. Controlling greenhouse gas emissions</p> <p>23. Rural electrification</p> <p>24. Coordination and implementation of import, refining, storage, distribution and sale of petroleum-based products and natural gas</p> <p>25. Matters relating to petroleum production and refining</p> <p>26. Exploration of petroleum and natural gases and related activities</p> <p>27. Matters relating to production of gas and by-products from petroleum production sources, maintenance of stocks, production and distribution</p> <p>28. Development of infrastructure facilities in relation to the supply and distribution of fuel</p> <p>29. Formulation of an appropriate energy policy for the control, regulation and utilization of energy resources</p> <p>30. Improving the capacity of oil refining and encouraging associate industry on petroleum by-products</p>		

SCHEDULE (Contd.)

03. Minister of Energy

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
31. Improving the reliability, continuity and efficiency in the supply of fuel. 32. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II 33. Supervision of the Institutions listed in Column II		

04. Minister of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government. 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste.	1. Department of Agriculture 2. Department of Agrarian Development 3. Agriculture and Agrarian Insurance Board 4. Paddy Marketing Board 5. Hector Kobbekaduwa Agrarian Research and Training Institute 6. Sri Lanka Council for Agricultural Research Policy 7. National Agricultural Diversification and Settlement Authority 8. National Fertilizer Secretariat 9. State Fertilizer Company Ltd. 10. National Hunger Eradication Campaign Board of Sri Lanka (National Food Promotion Board) 11. Institute of Post-Harvest Management 12. Department of Animal Production and Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agricultural and Agrarian Insurance Act No. 20 of 1999 • Agrarian Development Act, No. 46 of 2000 • Gramodaya Mandala Act No. 28 of 1982 • Felling of Trees (Control) Act No. 9 of 1951 • Seed Act No. 22 of 2003 • Soil Conservation (Amendment) Act No. 24 of 1996 • Paddy Marketing Board Act No. 14 of 1971 • Agrarian Research and Training Institute Act No. 5 of 1972 • Sri Lanka Council For Agricultural Research Policy Act No. 47 of 1987 • State Agricultural Corporation Act No. 11 of 1972

SCHEDULE (Contd.)

04. Minister of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

Column I	Column II	Column III
Subjects and Functions	Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations	Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented
4. Improving efficiency of food production in such a way as to ensure food security in the country 5. Ensuring the providing of safe and healthy food by means of quality agricultural products 6. Promotion of the production of food that can be efficiently cultivated locally 7. Promotion of the local cultivation of suitable crop substitutes for imported crops 8. Promotion of export agri villages 9. Implementing real-time agricultural data base 10. Utilization of new technology for maintenance of stocks and implementation of supply activities 11. Taking necessary measures to enhance agricultural production based on crops diversification 12. Formulation of strategies to guarantee to the consumer community the quality of local agricultural products 13. Directing traditional farmers, youth and students towards agricultural education opportunities with modern technology 14. Encouraging the development of young agricultural entrepreneurs 15. Regulating of chemical pesticides and other chemical compounds with specific standards	13. National Livestock Development Board and affiliated companies 14. Milco (Pvt.) Ltd 15. Mahaweli Livestock Enterprise Limited 16. Department of Land Commissioner General 17. Department of Land Use Policy Planning 18. Department of Land Title Settlement 19. Land Reform Commission 20. Survey Department of Sri Lanka 21. Institute of Surveying and Mapping 22. Land Survey Council 23. Land Acquisition Board of Review 24. Department of Irrigation 25. Major irrigation development projects including Uma Oya, Moragahakanda, Kalu Ganga, Gin Ganga, Nilwala, Malwathu Oya 26. Central Engineering Consultancy Bureau and its subsidiaries and affiliated companies 27. Sri Lanka Mahaweli Authority 28. Engineering Council of Sri Lanka 29. Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources 30. National Aquatic Resources Research and Development Agency 31. National Aquaculture Development Authority	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Control of Pesticides Act No. 33 of 1980 • Plant Protection Act No. 35 of 1999 • Regulation of Fertilizer Act No. 68 of 1988 • National Hunger Eradication Campaign Board of Sri Lanka Act No. 18 of 1973 • Animal Diseases Act No. 59 of 1992 • Animal Feed Act, No. 15 of 1986 • Animal Act No. 29 of 1958 • Veterinary Surgeons and Practitioners Act No. 46 of 1956 • Land Reforms Commission Act No. 1 of 1972 • Land Acquisition Act No. 9 of 1950 • Land Development Ordinance No. 19 of 1935 • Land Redemption Ordinance No. 61 of 1942 • State Land Grants (Special Provisions) Act No. 43 of 1979 • State Land Ordinance No. 8 of 1947 • State Lands (Recovery of Possession) Act No. 7 of 1979 • Survey Act No.17 of 2002 • Registration of Title Act No. 21 of 1998 • Land Settlement Ordinance No. 20 of 1931 • Irrigation Ordinance No. 22 of 1946 • Flood Protection Ordinance No. 24 of 1924

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04. Minister of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>16. Expansion of farmers' pension schemes and crop insurance schemes for those engaged in agricultural activities</p> <p>17. Provision of a higher value to farmers production by strengthening supply chains among direct producers, processing firms, wholesalers and export companies</p> <p>18. Minimizing natural disasters by communicating information related to climatic changes and daily weather reports to farmers</p> <p>19. Implementing methodologies to provide quality seeds and plants to farmers</p> <p>20. Water management and management of water supply according to farmer requirements</p> <p>21. Popularizing agricultural development zones, agricultural villages and sustainable home gardening programmes</p> <p>22. Implementation of programmes for promoting and uplifting small scale agri businesses and organizations</p> <p>23. Expanding and encouraging programmes for the gradual orientation towards use of organic fertilizer and toxic free food production</p> <p>24. Efficient implementation of quality fertilizer import and distribution within the government subsidy policy.</p>	<p>32. Ceylon Fisheries Corporation</p> <p>33. Ceylon Fishery Harbours Corporation</p> <p>34. Cey-Nor Foundation Ltd</p> <p>35. Northsea Ltd</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State Industrial Corporations Act No. 49 of 1957 • Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka Act No 23 of 1979 • Engineering Council, Sri Lanka Act No. 4 of 2017 • Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Act No. 2 of 1996 • Fishermen's Pension And Social Security Benefit Scheme Act No. 23 of 1990 • National Aquatic Resources Research And Development Agency Act No. 54 of 1981 • National Aquaculture Development Authority Act No. 53 of 1998 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister

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04. Minister of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
25. Formulating methodologies for the timely distribution of standardized chemical fertilizer and environmental friendly organic fertilizer 26. Encouraging production of organic fertilizer using local raw materials according to international standards 27. Implementation of a fair pricing policy and crop diversification programme that is acceptable to the local farmer and consumer 28. Implementation of home garden programmes 29. Implementation of a systematic mechanism for storage of surplus production 30. Implementation of a programme for export of value added agro products 31. Introducing a domestic seed policy for production of quality seeds to international standards 32. Encouraging the private sector to produce quality seeds and planting materials 33. Developing government farms and seed production farms 34. Minimizing food imports by maximizing local production 35. Provision of necessary facilities to enhance production in the livestock sector 36. Animal welfare and related activities		

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
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<p>37. Implementation of necessary steps to expand livestock related research by using modern technology leading to qualitative and quantitative increase in production.</p> <p>38. Popularization of scientific breeding methods for the improvement of animal population in the livestock sector and activities related to protection and quarantine of such animals against diseases</p> <p>39. Encouraging the development of small and medium scale farms to suit different geographical regions</p> <p>40. Promotion of livestock related products and encouragement for exportation</p> <p>41. Providing required land and investment facilities to construct medium and large scale cattle farms</p> <p>42. Expanding opportunities for local production and consumption by promoting small and medium scale producers</p> <p>43. Administration and personnel management of the Sri Lanka Animal Production and Health Service</p> <p>44. Cultivation of maize required for animal feed within the country</p> <p>45. Administration and personnel management of Sri Lanka Agricultural Service</p> <p>46. Administration and management of state lands</p>		

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04. Minister of Agriculture, Lands, Livestock, Irrigation, Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
47. Formulation of a land use policy 48. Advising on land use 49. Matters relating to land settlement and registration of land titles 50. Provision of land required for the country's development without delay and in due manner 51. Acquisition of lands required for government activities 52. Administration of lands vested in the Land Reform Commission and distribution of land in accordance with the law 53. Land surveying and mapping, provision of land information and related services 54. Preparing and updating a database on lands vested to the Government and the Land Reforms Commission 55. Development of Irrigation Industry in Sri Lanka 56. Provision of a systematic water supply by construction of irrigation and drainage systems and their proper maintenance 57. Controlling flood and drainage through flood control schemes 58. Proper management of reservoirs and irrigation facilities required for electricity supply and drinking water whilst giving priority for agricultural development in principle. 59. Determining catchment areas and river basins and taking necessary measures for their sustainable conservation and development		

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>60. Prevention of environmental pollution in water sources such as rivers, canals and tanks</p> <p>61. Developing strategies for controlling water pollution and protection of water quality</p> <p>62. Implementation of irrigation development programmes</p> <p>63. Formulation of dam safety measures</p> <p>64. Implementation of sea water elimination schemes</p> <p>65. Formulation of programmes and projects for the conservation of underground water resources and rain water conservation</p> <p>66. Implementation of development programmes in Mahaweli zones and land related activities</p> <p>67. Expansion of research in the fisheries sector to enhance aquaculture</p> <p>68. Development of living and non-living national aquatic resources</p> <p>69. Provision of facilities to expand projects for economic development associated with oceanic resources using modern scientific methodologies</p> <p>70. Management and operation of state owned fishing crafts</p> <p>71. Expansion of market for fish products so that both the producer and the consumer achieve a fair deal</p> <p>72. Providing opportunities for domestic companies to expand fishing in international seas</p> <p>73. Halting unauthorized fishing in Sri Lankan waters</p>		

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
74. Taking action to expand domestic canned fish industry 75. Encouraging small and medium scale entrepreneurs to promote entrepreneurship in fisheries industry 76. Promotion of ornamental fishery targeting export markets 77. Expansion of welfare activities and introduction of productive banking and insurance schemes for the fishing community 78. Conducting technical and management training programmes in fishery in collaboration with the Ocean University 79. Development and management of marine, brackish (lagoon) water and freshwater fisheries industry 80. Developing refrigeration systems using sea water for multi-day fishing vessels and encouragement of the use of solar energy 81. Establishment, maintenance and management of fishery harbours and anchorages 82. Development and maintenance of ice plants, cold rooms and other infrastructure facilities required for the fishery industry 83. Sale and distribution of fish and fish based products 84. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II 85. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II		

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05. Minister of Justice, Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils, Local Government and Labour

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Justice, Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils, Local Government and Labour, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. Making necessary reforms required to the legal system taking into consideration social requirements and global trends. Re-documentation and consolidation of laws Matters relating to the administration of the courts of justice which have not been assigned to any other party by the Constitution Conducting all activities relating to overall administration, including prevention of law's delays in the courts system, in a methodical and efficient manner, and introduce modern technology for such purpose 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Attorney General's Department Legal Draftsman's Department Department of Debt Conciliation Board Department of Government Analyst Office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court Law Commission of Sri Lanka Superior Courts Complex Board of Management Legal Aid Commission of Sri Lanka Mediation Boards Commission Council of Legal Education Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka Sri Lanka International Arbitration Centre (Guarantee) Ltd. National Authority for the Protection of Victims of Crime and Witnesses Department of Prisons Community Based Correction Department Training Schools for Youthful Offenders Rehabilitation Commissioner General's Office Department of Pensions Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration Distance Learning Centre Ltd. National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka Public Service Pensioners' Trust Fund Local Government Service Pension Fund Local Government Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior Courts Complex Board of Management Act No. 50 of 1987 Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction Act No. 10 of 2001 Council of Legal Education Law No. 6 of 1974 Debt Conciliation Ordinance No. 39 of 1941 Enforcement of Foreign Judgments Ordinance No. 15 of 1956 Government Analyst (Disposal of Articles) Act No. 69 of 1988 High Court of the Provinces (Special Provisions) Act No. 19 of 1990 Institute of Corporation Lawyers Law No. 33 of 1978 Judicature Act No. 2 of 1978 Language of the Courts Act No. 3 of 1961 Judges Institute of Sri Lanka Act No. 46 of 1985 Law Commission Act No. 3 of 1969 Legal Aid Law No. 11 of 1978 Mediation Boards Act No. 72 of 1988 Prevention of Frauds Ordinance No. 7 of 1840 Prevention of Social Disability Act No. 21 of 1957 Primary Courts' Procedure Act No. 44 of 1979 The Crown (Liability in Delicts) Act No. 22 of 1969 Prevention of Crimes Ordinance No. 2 of 1926 Quazi Courts (validation of appointment) Act

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>8. Criminal prosecutions and civil proceedings on behalf of the government</p> <p>9. Providing legal advice to the government and to all government departments</p> <p>10. Drafting of legislation</p> <p>11. Making recommendations to grant pardons, commutations, remissions, respites and suspensions in relation to sentences passed on any offender</p> <p>12. Formulation and implementation of an appropriate programme to enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of the overall Quazi system</p> <p>13. Administration of labour tribunals and other related matters</p> <p>14. Empowering the Mediation Boards mechanism to resolve civil disputes without resort to the courts</p> <p>15. Providing the latest knowledge and technical training on law enforcement procedures and mechanisms to relevant persons</p> <p>16. Conducting activities relating to the provision of assistance to and protection of victims of crime and witnesses.</p> <p>17. Taking steps to amend the Constitution to suit the current needs while ensuring that the sovereignty of the people and national security are safeguarded.</p> <p>18. Conducting activities relating to the drafting of a new Constitution</p> <p>19. Formulation and implementation of policies, plans and</p>	<p>25. Local Government Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Fund</p> <p>26. All District Secretariats and Divisional Secretariats</p> <p>27. Department of Registrar General</p> <p>28. Sri Lanka Institute of Local Government</p> <p>29. Local Loans and Development Fund</p> <p>30. Department of Labour</p> <p>31. National Institute of Labour Studies</p> <p>32. National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health</p> <p>33. Office of the Commissioner of Workmen's Compensation</p> <p>34. National Productivity Secretariat</p> <p>35. Shrama Vasana Fund</p> <p>36. Department of Manpower and Employment</p> <p>37. Sri Lanka Foreign Employment Bureau</p> <p>38. Foreign Employment Agency of Sri Lanka (Pvt.) Ltd</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assistance to and Protection of Victims of Crime and Witnesses Act No. 4 of 2015 Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka Act No. 44 of 2000 Prisons Ordinance No. 16 of 1877 Youthful Offenders (Training Schools) Ordinance No. 28 of 1939 Community Based Corrections Act No. 46 of 1999 Bureau of Rehabilitation Act, No.2 of 2023 Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Act No. 24 of 1983 Widows' and Orphans' Pension Ordinance, No. 1 of 1898 Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme (Armed Forces) Act No. 60 of 1998 Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme (Armed Forces) Act No. 18 of 1970 Public Service Pensioners' Trust Fund Act No. 40 of 1999 Public Service Provident Fund Ordinance No. 18 of 1942 Pensions Minute School Teachers Pension Act, No. 44 of 1953 Provincial Councils Pensions Act No. 17 of 1993 Local Government Service Act No. 16 of 1974 Government and Judicial Service officers Pension Ordinance No. 11 of 1910 Military Pensions and Gratuities Minute Air Force Pensions and Gratuities Minute Navy Pensions and Gratuities Minute

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>programmes in relation to prison reforms</p> <p>20. Prison administration and reforms</p> <p>21. Developing infrastructure and minimize overcrowding of prisons</p> <p>22. Rehabilitation of prisoners</p> <p>23. Activities relating to community based correction projects</p> <p>24. Implementation of programmes and projects for rehabilitation of persons physically and mentally affected by conflicts</p> <p>25. Implementation of programmes for re-integration of persons involved in terrorist activities</p> <p>26. Reviewing and simplification existing rules and regulations pertaining to the public service</p> <p>27. Introducing an arbitration process for resolving public service disputes</p> <p>28. Administration and personnel management relating to the following services : Sri Lanka Administrative Service Sri Lanka Accountants' Service Sri Lanka Planning Service Sri Lanka Engineering Service Sri Lanka Scientific Service Sri Lanka Architectural Service Sri Lanka Technological Service</p> <p>29. Administration of the Combined Services</p> <p>30. Functions under the Establishments Code</p> <p>31. Public service training</p> <p>32. Implementation of the Pensions Minute</p> <p>33. Matters relating to Parliament and Members of Parliament requiring action by the Government</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compulsory Public Service Act No. 70 of 1961 • Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration Act No. 9 of 1982 • Government Quarters (Recovery of Possession) Act No. 7 of 1969 • Prize Competitions Act No. 37 of 1957 • National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka Act No. 18 of 1997 • Transfer of Powers (Divisional Secretaries) Act No. 58 of 1992 • Leave Act No. 29 of 1971 • Headmen (Change of Designation) Ordinance No. 11 of 1941 • Village Headmen (Change of Designation) Act No. 6 of 1964 • Grama Sevaka (Change of Designation) Act No. 5 of 1977 • Grama Seva Niladhari (Change of Designation) Act No. 2 of 1993 • Births and Deaths Registration Act No.17 of 1951 • Kandyan Marriage and Divorce Act, No. 44 of 1952 • Marriage and Divorce (Muslim) Act, No 13 of 1951 • Notaries Ordinance No. 01 of 1907 • Registration of Documents Ordinance No 23 of 1927 • Marriage Registration (General) Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 • Trust Ordinance No 09 of 1917 • Land (Restrictions on Alienation) Act No. 38 of 2014 • Stamp Duty Act No. 12 of 2006 • Increase of Fines Act No. 12 of 2005

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
34. Establishment matters relating to the staff of the Members of Parliament 35. District and Divisional administration activities 36. Organization of State Ceremonies 37. Strengthening people-centered services provided by District and Divisional Secretariats 38. Matters relating to registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths 39. Regulation of activities relevant to Provincial Councils 40. Conducting of researches on all aspects of administration of Provincial Councils and Local Government Authorities 41. Formulation and implementation of special projects to provide facilities for identified fields / divisions with less facilities in Provincial Councils and Local Government Institutions. 42. Training of Members, officers and employees of Provincial Councils 43. Government functions related to Local Authorities 44. Granting of credit facilities to Local Authorities for development of public utilities 45. Training Members, officers and employees of Local Authorities 46. Formulation and implementation of policies for labour relations standards, employee administration, welfare and health in line with international standards. 47. Maintaining cooperation with International Labour Organization and International Social Security Association		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revocation of Irrevocable Deeds of Gift on the Ground of Gross Ingratitude Act No. 05 of 2017 • Power of Attorney Ordinance No. 4 of 1902 • Adoption of Children Ordinance No. 24 of 1941 • Registration of Deaths (Temporary) Act No. 16 of 2016 • Registration of Deaths (Temporary Provisions) Act No. 19 of 2010 • Local Government Elections Ordinance (262 Chapter) • Provincial Councils Elections Act No. 2 of 1988 • Sri Lanka Institute of Local Governance Act No. 31 of 1999 • Municipal Councils Ordinance (52 Chapter) • Pradeshiya Sabha Act No. 15 of 1987 • Urban Councils Ordinance (255 Chapter) • Provincial Councils Act No. 42 of 1987 • Provincial Councils (Payment Salaries and Allowances) Act No. 37 of 1988 • Local loans and Development Fund Act No. 22 of 1916 • Employees' Councils Act No. 32 of 1979 • Employees' Provident Fund Act No. 15 of 1958 • Employment of Women, Young Persons, and Children Act No. 47 of 1956 • Factories Ordinance No. 45 of 1942 • Industrial Disputes Act No. 43 of 1950 • Maternity Benefits Ordinance No. 32 of 1939

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>48. Administration and regulation of Employees' Provident Fund, Private Provident Fund and Private pension schemes</p> <p>49. Industrial relations and arbitration of industrial disputes</p> <p>50. Matters relating to formulation of laws and regulations relevant to labour relations and their regulation</p> <p>51. Registration of trade unions and introduction and implementation of positive measures for harnessing activities of all trade unions in the public and private sectors for the country's development</p> <p>52. Formulating and implementing policies and programmes for enhancing national productivity</p> <p>53. Implementation of national manpower and employment policies</p> <p>54. Collaborating with relevant institutes to increase and promote foreign employment opportunities and improve the skills required for such employments</p> <p>55. Introducing legal and regulatory measures required to ensure the security of migrant workers</p> <p>56. Providing special facilities for expatriate workers and Sri Lankans living abroad to save and invest foreign exchange in Sri Lanka</p> <p>57. Implementing special projects to enable those who return to Sri Lanka after foreign employment to commence enterprises</p> <p>58. Implementing programmes to ensure the protection and welfare of housemaids working in Middle East and other countries.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health Act No. 38 of 2009 Payment of Gratuity Act No. 12 of 1983 Shop and Office Employees (Regulation of Employment and Remuneration) Act No. 19 of 1954 Termination of Employment of Workmen (Special Provisions) Act No. 45 of 1971 Trade Union Ordinance No. 14 of 1935 Wages Boards Ordinance No. 27 of 1941 Compensation Ordinance No. 19 of 1934 Shrama Vasana Fund Act No. 12 of 1998 Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment Act No. 21 of 1985 Fee-Charging Employment Agencies Act No. 37 of 1956 All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
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<p>59. Providing remedies for employment issues of migrant workers and maintaining welfare</p> <p>60. Introducing legal reforms to strengthen the process of obtaining compensation entitled to persons who meet with accidents in foreign countries</p> <p>61. Regulation of foreign employment agencies</p> <p>62. Regulation of levy of fees by employment agencies</p> <p>63. Providing career guidance for foreign employment and adopting measures to ensure welfare of those engaged in foreign employment when they are directed to workplaces by foreign employment agencies</p> <p>64. Creation of a health/life insurance scheme covering all levels of workers in the private sector</p> <p>65. Creation of a social security fund that covers all workers</p> <p>66. Undertaking necessary measures to send skilled and trained workers abroad instead of untrained workers</p> <p>67. Removal of obstacles preventing women from effectively engaging in executive and managerial posts</p> <p>68. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>69. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

SCHEDULE

06. Minister of Education, Science and Technology

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Education, Science and Technology, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government. 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. 4. Formulation and implementation of sectoral policies relating to education development so as to ensure good rapport between early childhood, primary, secondary and tertiary divisions 5. Creation of a National Education System that will enable Sri Lankan children and youth to access global challenges with self-confidence and success. 6. Provision of policy guidance for the preparation of a clear road map from pre-school education to the completion of higher education 7. Formulation and implementation of a national policy for pre-schools 8. Ensuring the right of every child to access education 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Department of Examinations 2. Department of Educational Publications 3. National Library and Documentation Services Board 4. National Colleges of Education 5. Teachers' College 6. UNESCO National Commission of Sri Lanka 7. Sri Lanka Publication Development Board 8. State Printing Corporation 9. Directorates of Education 10. National Education Commission 11. National Institute of Education 12. Piriven Education Board 13. National Institute of Business Management and affiliated institutions 14. University of Vocational Technology 15. National Institute of Fisheries and Nautical Engineering (Ocean University) 16. Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka 17. National Apprenticeship and Industrial Training Authority 18. Ceylon German Technical Training Institute 19. Department of Technical Education and Training 20. Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission 21. University Grants Commission 22. All State Universities, Postgraduate Institutions and other Institutions under the purview of University Grants Commission 23. Buddhasravaka Bhikku University 24. Buddhist and Pali University of Sri Lanka 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Examinations Act No. 25 of 1968 • Assisted Schools and Training Colleges (Special Provisions) Act No. 5 of 1960 • Assisted Schools and Training Colleges (Additional Provisions) Act No. 8 of 1961 • Assisted Schools and Training Colleges (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Act No. 65 of 1981 • National Library and Documentation Board Act No. 51 of 1988 • School Development Boards Act No. 8 of 1993 • UNESCO Scholarship Fund Act No. 44 of 1999 • Sri Lankan National Commission for the UNESCO Act No. 38 of 2024 • State Printing Corporation Act No. 24 of 1968 • Education Ordinance No. 31 of 1939 • Colleges of Education Act No. 30 of 1986 • Assisted Schools and Training Colleges Act, No. 5 of 1960 • National Education Commission Act No. 19 of 1991 • National Institute of Education Act No. 28 of 1985 • Pirivena Education Act No. 64 of 1979 • University of Vocational Technology Act No. 31 of 2008 • Ocean University of Sri Lanka Act No 31 of 2014 • National Institute of Business Management Law No. 23 of 1976

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
9. Popularizing extracurricular activities in schools to prepare children as citizens who can make a positive contribution to the national economy and fulfill social responsibilities actively 10. Provision of physical and human resources needed for National Schools 11. Regulation of international and private schools in conformity with the national education policy 12. Taking policy measures for proper maintenance of quality of education, student discipline and morals. 13. Adoption of measures to ensure education opportunities for students with special needs 14. Taking necessary actions to promote national language and link language education 15. Promotion of Buddhist and Pali Studies and upliftment of Piriven education to meet the objectives of religious education 16. Human resources management and administration of the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service, Principal Service, Teachers Service and other educational services 17. Administration of School Development Boards 18. Promotion and Development of school libraries 19. Implementation and direction of programmes for the provision of school text books, uniforms, other student necessities and facilities. 20. Development of all physical facilities including sanitary	25. Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technological Education 26. National Institute of Fundamental Studies 27. Sri Lanka Inventors' Commission 28. National Engineering Research And Development Centre 29. National Research Council of Sri Lanka 30. National Science Foundation 31. Planetarium of Sri Lanka 32. Arthur C. Clarke Institute for Modern Technologies 33. National Innovation Agency 34. Skills Development Fund Ltd. 35. Sri Lanka Inventors Fund 36. National Science and Technology Commission 37. Sri Lanka Institute of Nanotechnology (Pvt) Ltd. 38. Sri Lanka Institute of Biotechnology (Pvt) Ltd. 39. Sri Lanka Telecom and its Subsidiaries and Allied Institutions 40. Information and Communication Technology Agency and Allied Institutions 41. Sri Lanka Computer Emergency Readiness Team 42. Sri Lanka Standards Institute 43. Centre of Excellence for Robotic applications 44. Data Protection Authority of Sri Lanka 45. Information Technology Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka Act No. 12 of 1995 • Ceylon German Technical Training Institute. Act No. 15 of 2017 • Tertiary and Vocational Education Act No. 20 of 1990 • National Institute of Technical Education of Sri Lanka Act No. 59 of 1998 • Universities Act No. 16 of 1978 • Buddhasravaka Bhikku University Act No. 26 of 1996 • Buddhist And Pali University of Sri Lanka Act No. 74 of 1981 • Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technological Education Act No. 29 of 1995 • National Innovation Agency Act No. 22 of 2019 • Science and Technology Development Act No. 11 of 1994 • Sri Lanka National Research Council Act No. 11 of 2016 • Sri Lanka Inventors Incentives Act No. 53 of 1979 • State Industries Corporations Act No. 49 of 1957 • Institute of Fundamental Studies, Sri Lanka Act No. 55 of 1981 • Information and Communication Technology Act No. 27 of 2003 • Electronic Transactions Act No. 19 of 2006 • Sri Lanka Standard Institute Act No. 6 of 1984 • Personal Data Protection Act No. 9 of 2022 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have

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06. Minister of Education, Science and Technology

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>facilities, student-friendly classrooms, teachers' residential and restroom facilities in all schools</p> <p>21. Development and promotion of the use of modern technological facilities for learning and teaching</p> <p>22. Formulation and implementation of strategies to enhance the trend towards vocational education</p> <p>23. Creation of opportunities to acquire vocational education regardless of educational qualifications</p> <p>24. Modernization of industrial and technical education for the purpose of creating a workforce suitable for the local and foreign employment market</p> <p>25. Formulation of policies and provision of facilities to enable students who do not qualify to obtain university education after leaving school to broaden their opportunities for vocational education</p> <p>26. Promotion of apprenticeship training opportunities</p> <p>27. Transforming existing vocational training institutions into Technology Degree Awarding institutions by modernizing curricula for skills development</p> <p>28. Increasing the existing National Vocational Qualification level from current 7 to 10 and amending the Sri Lanka Qualification Framework accordingly</p> <p>29. Amending vocational training curricula to incorporate subjects such as Entrepreneurship, Information Technology,</p>		<p>not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.</p>

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>English and other languages into vocational education courses.</p> <p>30. Expanding vocational training opportunities through the use of mobile technical education services.</p> <p>31. Facilitating research institutions to collaborate with international research institutions</p> <p>32. Formulating an efficient mechanism to utilize innovations and outcomes of research</p> <p>33. Taking steps to expand scientific, industrial, social and economic research and development activities</p> <p>34. Motivating and directing communities towards innovation</p> <p>35. Management and development of State Universities under the administration of the University Grants Commission</p> <p>36. Affiliation and promotion of cooperation with international academic institutions and other organizations with the objective of improving the quality of higher education in Sri Lanka</p> <p>37. Identification and adoption of appropriate criteria in broadening avenues for higher education</p> <p>38. Revising curricula within overall Education Reforms Policy to prepare graduates for domestic and foreign job markets</p> <p>39. Facilitating and encouraging research and innovation in university education</p> <p>40. Taking measures to establish Smart Learning Universities</p> <p>41. Taking steps to upgrade all state universities to a high position in world rankings</p>		

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>42. Implementation of scholarship programmess to enable qualified students in Sri Lanka to enter the international universities</p> <p>43. Regulation and accreditation of private and international universities and institutions of higher education operating in Sri Lanka</p> <p>44. Uplifting Buddhist and Pali studies and provision of facilities required for higher education of Bhikkus</p> <p>45. Introduction of educational reforms to cover the overall education sector in line with global requirements</p> <p>46. Expansion of distance learning opportunities by use of Information Technology</p> <p>47. Training of teachers and enhancement of their skills to produce teachers required to ensure effective learning and teaching process</p> <p>48. Taking necessary measures for the provision of information and communication technology facilities for all by adoption of modern technologies</p> <p>49. Facilitating and supervising information technology initiatives for inter government agencies for promoting productivity and efficiency in the delivery of services</p> <p>50. Implementation of programmes for promotion of information and communication technology literacy</p> <p>51. Development of strategies to encourage and increase the use of information and</p>		

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06. Minister of Education, Science and Technology

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>communication technologies in all segments of the society, and coordinate and facilitate the information and communication technology initiatives in partnership with the private sector</p> <p>52. Active intervention and prevention incidents related to cyber security</p> <p>53. Provision of necessary technical support for digital forensic investigations</p> <p>54. Enforcing standards and matters related to administration</p> <p>55. Matters relating to expansion of digital technology ventures</p> <p>56. Provision of technical assistance to relevant Ministries for developing Green Technology Projects</p> <p>57. Establishment of Technology Parks</p> <p>58. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>59. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

SCHEDULE

07. Minister of Women, Child and Youth Affairs and Sports

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Women, Child and Youth Affairs and Sports and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government. 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. 4. Implementation of Women's Charter 5. Formulation and implementation of strategies to enhance women's participation and representation in decision making in state affairs and the political field 6. Adoption of necessary measures for the empowerment of women affected by conflicts and poverty 7. Strengthening and implementation of laws and policies for the prevention of women and child abuse 8. Amending existing laws and formulating and implementing new laws and policies to prevent discrimination against women on the basis of sex and gender 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. National Committee on Women 2. Sri Lanka Women's Bureau 3. Department of Probation and Childcare Services 4. National Child Protection Authority 5. National Secretariat for Early Childhood Development 6. National Youth Services Council 7. National Youth Corps 8. National Youths Services Cooperative Society Limited 9. National Centre for Leadership Development 10. Department of Sports Development 11. National Sports Council 12. National Institute of Sports Science 13. Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority 14. Institute of Sports Medicine 15. Sri Lanka Anti-doping Agency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention of Domestic Violence Act No. 34 of 2005 • Women Empowerment Act No. 37 of 2024 • National Child Protection Authority Act No. 50 of 1998 • Adoption of Children Ordinance No. 24 of 1941 • Children and Young Persons Ordinance, No. 48 of 1939 • National Youth Service Council Act No. 69 of 1979 • Youth Corps Act, No. 21 of 2002 • Children and Young Persons Ordinance No. 48 of 1939 • Prevention of Offences relating to Sports Act No. 24 of 2019 • Sports Law No. 25 of 1973 • Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority Act No. 17 of 1999 • Convention against Doping in Sports Act No. 33 of 2013 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Columns I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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07. Minister of Women, Child and Youth Affairs and Sports

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
9. Formulation and implementation of policies and programmes for the empowerment of women headed households 10. Accomplishment of Sustainable Development Goals in relation to women and child affairs 11. Introducing gradual legal and policy reforms to bring minimum 50% of women's representation in political structures 12. Combatting period poverty by providing necessary tax reliefs, financial and other support. 13. Reducing the burden of unpaid care work on women 14. Formulation of policies and programmes on early childhood protection and development aimed at bringing up physically and mentally healthy children 15. Development and implementation of programmes and projects in line with international standards to protect the rights of vulnerable children 16. Implementation of the Children's Charter 17. Regulating Child Care Centres 18. Implementation of the Sevana Sarana Foster-Parent Scheme 19. Providing financial assistance for developing the skills of exceptionally talented children 20. Revising discriminatory laws that oppress women and children. 21. Formulation and implementation of attitudinal development programmes aimed at a national programme for meeting the aspirations of the youth		

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07. Minister of Women, Child and Youth Affairs and Sports

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>22. Implementation of youth-centric international development cooperation programmes</p> <p>23. Implementation of skills development programmes aimed at unemployed youth</p> <p>24. Regulating and developing activities relating to youth organizations</p> <p>25. Formulating special programmes targeting youth community in such a way as to accord social recognition of the youth competencies, skills and creativity thus enabling them to achieve their objectives</p> <p>26. Establishing a "Youth Human Resources Data-bank" facilitating local and foreign employment opportunities</p> <p>27. Taking actions to create youth entrepreneurs and introducing and implementing strategies to encourage and create new opportunities for them.</p> <p>28. Providing vocational and technical education for youth who have passed A/L examinations but could not gain admission to state universities</p> <p>29. Removing obstacles to young freelancers who are already earning foreign exchange via online platform</p> <p>30. Taking necessary measures to incentivize sports activities in Sri Lanka</p> <p>31. Promotion of infrastructure and facilitation required to achieve anticipated objectives in the sports field.</p> <p>32. Promotion of sports education, training and research</p>		

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07. Minister of Women, Child and Youth Affairs and Sports

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>33. Formulation of new strategies and implementation of programmes to harness the potential of sports in building the image of Sri Lanka internationally</p> <p>34. Expansion of opportunities for athletes to participate in international competitions</p> <p>35. Promotion of facilities to provide physical fitness for the general public and coordination of activities</p> <p>36. Adoption of measures for promoting sports medical facilities and combating doping in sports</p> <p>37. Development and management of sports complexes</p> <p>38. Promotion of sports associations and sports competitions</p> <p>39. Developing specialized programmes at the school and district levels to provide economic support, nutrition, and training for athletes with exceptional skills.</p> <p>40. Establishing a network of modern sports schools across all provinces centred around a national sports training school</p> <p>41. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>42. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

SCHEDULE

08. Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government. 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. 4. Taking measures to supply consumer goods in high quality at fair price without scarcity in the local market. 5. Ensuring the supply of food and other essential items at a fair price sufficiently and continuously 6. Preventing shortages of goods due to market imbalances 7. Expanding the supply of quality goods in the market through imports and local productions 8. Broadening the market for local farm products 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Department of Commerce 2. Lanka Sathosa Ltd. 3. Co-operative Wholesale Establishment 4. Mahapola Trust Fund 5. Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment 6. Department of Measurement Units, Standards and Services 7. Regional Economic Centers 8. National Intellectual Property Office of Sri Lanka 9. Consumer Affairs Authority 10. Department of Co-operative Development (Registrar of Co-operative Societies) 11. Co-operative Employees Commission 12. National Institute of Co-operative Development 13. Ceylon Industrial Development Board 14. Lanka Leyland Ltd. 15. National Paper Corporation Ltd. 16. Lanka Cement Ltd 17. Kahatagaha Graphite Lanka Ltd 18. Ceylon Ceramics Corporation (Brick and Tiles Division) 19. National Enterprise Development Authority 20. Lanka Mineral Sands Company 21. Small and Medium Enterprises Venture Capital Company 22. Small and Medium Enterprises Authority 23. Timber-related Design Centre 24. National Crafts Council 25. Department of Textile Industries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-operative Wholesale Establishment Act No. 44 of 1949 • Enforcement of the Licensing of Traders Act No. 62 of 1961 • Mahapola Higher Education Scholarship Act No. 66 of 1981 • Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment Act No. 32 of 2005 • Measurement Units, Standards and Services Act No. 35 of 1995 • Intellectual Property Act No. 36 of 2003 • Consumer Affairs Authority Act No. 9 of 2003 • Co-operative Employee's Commission Act No. 12 of 1972 • Co-operative Societies Act No. 5 of 1972 • National Institute of Co-operative Development (Incorporation) Act No. 1 of 2001 • Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duties Act No. 2 of 2018 • Safeguard Measures Act No. 3 of 2018 • Industrial Development Act No. 36 of 1969 • Industrial Promotion Act No. 46 of 1990 • National Enterprise Development Authority Act No. 17 of 2006 • Sri Lanka Institute of Marketing (Incorporation) Act No. 41 of 1980 • National Crafts Council and allied Institutions Act No. 35 of 1982

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08. Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
9. Maintaining international trade relations 10. Organizing and participating in trade fairs and exhibitions 11. Copyright matters relating to the administration of the International Convention on Intellectual Property and the World Intellectual Property Office 12. Making the process of patent granting efficient 13. Formulation and implementation of national pricing policies with regard to consumer goods 14. Taking measures to ensure market competitiveness thereby minimizing the market imperfection and encouraging self-regulation 15. Taking measures to protect the consumers by supplying quality products continuously at minimum competitive prices and preventing speculative behavior of the suppliers 16. Expanding cooperative sales outlet network and people-centric goods and services distribution centres 17. Formulating and implementing mechanisms to strengthen existing industries and broadening investment opportunities to create access to new industrial fields 18. Implementing a programme to resuscitate businesses and failed industries 19. Protecting and strengthening local entrepreneurs and businessmen	26. Sri Lanka Institute of Textile and Apparels 27. Lanka Textile Mills Emporium Ltd. 28. Lanka Salusala Ltd 29. Sri Lanka Handicraft Board (Laksala) 30. National Design Centre 31. National Gem and Jewellery Authority 32. Gem and Jewellery Research and Training Institute 33. Industrial Technology Institute 34. Lanka Phosphate Limited 35. Vidatha Centres 36. National Salt Limited 37. Sri Lanka Cement Corporation 38. Paranthan Chemicals Ltd 39. BCC Lanka Limited 40. Lanka General Trading Company Ltd 41. Colombo Lotus Tower Management Company (Pvt) Limited	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Crafts Council and allied Institutions (Special Provisions) Act No. 4 of 1996 • Sri Lanka Institute of Textiles and Apparels Act No. 12 of 2009 • Textile Quota Board Act, No. 33 of 1996 • National Gem and Jewellery Authority Act No. 50 of 1993 • Science and Technology Development Act No. 11 of 1994 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister

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08. Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>20. Implementing an integrated programme with relevant institutions for resolving issues faced by all industrialists</p> <p>21. Establishing a single integrated mechanism for executing import-export process in an efficient manner</p> <p>22. Formulating and implementing policies, programmes and projects covering all provinces to strengthen export related production process</p> <p>23. Providing necessary facilities for the development of infrastructure facilities in Industrial zones</p> <p>24. Exploring mineral resources that are expected to be found underground and in the sea by using modern high-technology and using such resources to strengthen the countries' production process</p> <p>25. Development of small and medium scale enterprises</p> <p>26. Prioritizing and encouraging the promotion of rural industries including rattan, brass, pottery, wooden furniture as value addition industries</p> <p>27. Providing opportunities and incentives for the cultivation of raw materials in state lands on a long term lease basis under a cooperative system as a remedial measure to resolve problems of raw materials in relation to carpentry, rattan industry and reed industry</p> <p>28. Providing remedies to problems of raw material supplies faced by timber and furniture producers</p>		

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08. Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>29. Establishing a special task force combining public institutes and non - governmental organizations to face the challenges experienced by the carpentry industry</p> <p>30. Resolving problems of raw material supplies and market access for traditional industries such as foundry industry</p> <p>31. Expanding the production and supply of garments in the local market in Sri Lanka, and developing the tourism market for local garments</p> <p>32. Formulating a programme for the supply of dyes and other high quality raw material required for the Batik industry</p> <p>33. Implementing a special programme for popularizing Batik and Handloom industry locally and internationally</p> <p>34. Taking measures for the creation of textile marketing cities</p> <p>35. Taking measures to operate textile production market in an open and competitive manner</p> <p>36. Promotion and regulation of the gem and jewellery industry and trade</p> <p>37. Modernizing gem industries through a creative approach to compete with the private sector</p> <p>38. Restricting the export of gems without value addition, and instead promote the export of value added gem based products</p> <p>39. Providing training opportunities for obtaining latest technical know-how for those involved in the gem related industry and those interested in the industry.</p>		

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08. Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, Co-operative Development, Industry and Entrepreneurship Development

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
40. Taking steps to simplify the licensing process required for the gem industry 41. Establish the Colombo Lotus Tower as a Business Model and promote it as a Tourist Centre 42. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II 43. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II		

09. Minister of Health

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Health, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste.	1. National Health Council 2. Medical Research Institute 3. National Institute of Health Sciences 4. Sri Lanka Medical Council 5. Sri Lanka Medical College Council 6. Private Health Services Regulatory Council 7. Department of Health Services 8. All National, Teaching and Specific Government Hospitals 9. School of Medical Laboratory Technology 10. National Institute of Nephrology, Dialysis and Transplantation 11. Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital 12. Vijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Health Services Act No. 12 of 1952 ● Medical Ordinance No. 26 of 1927 ● Medical Wants Ordinance No. 9 of 1912 ● Mental Disease Ordinance No. 1 of 1870 ● National Health Development Fund Act No. 13 of 1981 ● Nursing Homes (Regulations) Act No. 16 of 1949 ● Poisons, Opium and Dangerous Drugs Ordinance No. 17 of 1929 ● Private Medical Institutions (Registration) Act No 21 of 2006 ● Sri Lanka Nurses' Council Act, No. 19 of 1988 ● Transplantation of Human Tissues Act, No. 48 of 1987 ● Food Act, No. 26 of 1980

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09. Minister of Health

Column I	Column II	Column III
Subjects and Functions	Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations	Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented
<p>4. Formulation and implementation of policies required for the maintenance of public health services at a high standard and in a people friendly manner.</p> <p>5. Formulation and implementation of programmes to improve public health and nutrition.</p> <p>6. Adoption of necessary measures for the control, prevention and cure of epidemic, communicable and non-communicable diseases.</p> <p>7. Implementation of rules and regulations in relation to international quarantine and sanitation.</p> <p>8. Provision of essential physical and human resources to all hospitals.</p> <p>9. Introducing new strategies for expanding research opportunities in the field of healthcare.</p> <p>10. Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals relevant to the health service</p> <p>11. Formulating a methodology to regulate private hospitals, medical services and laboratory services within the framework of a national policy, and for the delivery of a systematic service.</p> <p>12. Upgrading a hospital in each district to the level of a National Hospital, and expanding facilities of other Regional and Primary Hospitals within the district.</p> <p>13. Administration and Personnel Management of Sri Lanka Medical Service and other health services</p> <p>14. Expansion of training opportunities required for the enhancement of quality and skills</p>	<p>13. Ashraff Memorial Hospital</p> <p>14. National Authority on Tobacco and Alcohol</p> <p>15. 1990 Suwaseriya Foundation</p> <p>16. National Health Development Fund</p> <p>17. State Pharmaceutical Corporation</p> <p>18. State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation</p> <p>19. National Medicines Regulatory Authority</p> <p>20. Department of Ayurveda</p> <p>21. Sri Lanka Ayurvedic Drugs Corporation</p> <p>22. Ayurvedic Medical Council</p> <p>23. Ayurvedic College and Hospital Board</p> <p>24. Ayurveda Teaching and Research Hospitals</p> <p>25. Homeopathy Hospital, Welisara</p> <p>26. Homeopathy Medical Council</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital Board Act No. 54 of 1983 • Vijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital Board Act No. 38 of 1999 • National Authority on Tobacco and Alcohol Act No. 27 of 2006 • 1990 Suwaseriya Foundation Act No. 18 of 2018 • National Drugs Regulatory Authority Act No. 5 of 2015 • Ayurveda Act No. 31 of 1961 • Homoeopathy Act No. 7 of 1970 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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09. Minister of Health

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>of medical and para-medical services</p> <p>15. Implementation of school health services and dental medical services for children</p> <p>16. General sanitation and railway services sanitation</p> <p>17. Matters relating to healthcare in the estate sector</p> <p>18. Matters relating to National Blood Transfusion Services</p> <p>19. Implementing programmes for the provision and distribution of Thripasha and nutritious food particularly for lactating mothers</p> <p>20. Operation of the 1990 Suwaseriya Ambulance Service in an efficient manner.</p> <p>21. Production, import and distribution of drugs with a high standard and in an efficient manner.</p> <p>22. Manufacture and import of quality drugs</p> <p>23. Establishment of government owned pharmacies in every town.</p> <p>24. Prevention of market monopolies and control of drug prices to protect consumers</p> <p>25. Ensuring the transparency of the procurement process of drug importation</p> <p>26. Establishment of rehabilitation centers in every district.</p> <p>27. Establishment of community-based rehabilitation centers.</p> <p>28. Establishment of Primary Mental Health Care Centers in every Medical Officer of Health Area.</p> <p>29. Taking steps to preserve and improve traditional medicine</p>		

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09. Minister of Health

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>30. Development and regulation of Ayurvedic, Siddha, Unani and Homeopathy medical procedures</p> <p>31. Production of Ayurvedic, Siddha, Unani and Homeopathy medicinal Drugs</p> <p>32. Import, sale and distribution of raw material and manufactured drugs required for Ayurvedic, Siddha, Unani and Homeopathy systems of medicine.</p> <p>33. Establishment and management of hospitals, research and training institutes and pharmaceutical outlets for the improvement of indigenous systems of medicines such as, Ayurveda, Siddha, Unani</p> <p>34. Regulation of export of medicinal plants and manufactured Ayurvedic, Siddha and Unani drugs</p> <p>35. Regulation of Ayurvedic drug manufacturers.</p> <p>36. Launching of projects in coordination with relevant institutions in relation to the promotion of medicinal plant cultivation and improvement of local medicinal drugs</p> <p>37. Registration of Ayurvedic product manufacturers, Ayurvedic practitioners and Ayurvedic para-medical personnel</p> <p>38. Establishment, operation and promotion of Ayurvedic Hospitals, Ayurvedic Research Institutes, Training Institutes and Pharmacies</p> <p>39. Implementing a programme in coordination with and regulated by the Tourist Board to prioritize indigenous traditional and</p>		

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09. Minister of Health

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>ayurvedic treatment methods for administering treatments to tourists</p> <p>40. Encouraging research on drugs and treatment methods in relation to indigenous medicine</p> <p>41. Administration and personnel management of Indigenous Medical Service</p> <p>42. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>43. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government.</p> <p>2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner</p>	<p>1. Department of Buddhist Affairs</p> <p>2. Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs</p> <p>3. Department of Christian Religious Affairs</p> <p>4. Department of Muslim Religious and Cultural Affairs</p> <p>5. Department of National Museums</p> <p>6. Department of National Archives</p> <p>7. Department of Public Trustee</p> <p>8. Central Cultural Fund</p> <p>9. Buddha Sasana Fund</p> <p>10. Buddhist Renaissance Fund</p> <p>11. Department of Cultural Affairs</p> <p>12. Department of Archaeology</p> <p>13. Tower Hall Theatre Foundation</p> <p>14. National Arts Council</p> <p>15. Gramodaya Folk Arts Centre</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Buddha Sasana Fund Act No. 35 of 1990 ● Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance No. 19 of 1931 ● Hindu Cultural Fund Act No. 31 of 1985 ● Muslim Mosques And Charitable Trusts or Wakfs Act No. 51 of 1956 ● National Archives Act No. 48 of 1973 ● Central Cultural Fund Act No. 57 of 1980 ● Public Trustee Ordinance No. 1 of 1922 ● Cultural Properties Act No. 73 of 1988

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10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste. 4. Assuring the right to practice all religions including Buddhism 5. Protecting all rights granted to all religions and taking action against religious extremism 6. Provision of facilities to promote Dhamma School education 7. Conservation and development of sacred areas 8. Implementation and monitoring of programmes in relation to Buddhist religious and cultural affairs 9. Implementation and monitoring of programmes in relation to Hindu religious and cultural affairs 10. Implementation and monitoring of programmes in relation to Christian religious and cultural affairs 11. Implementation and monitoring of programmes in relation to Muslim religious and cultural affairs 12. Development of places of religious worship in remote areas. 13. Creation of a digital archaeological encyclopedia for all religions 14. Systematic management and preservation of state records 15. Administration of the Central Cultural Fund, and taking action to conduct a study for its restructuring	16. Galle Heritage Foundation 17. National Performing Arts Theatre (Nelum Pokuna) 18. Mahinda Rajapaksa National Tele Cinema Park 19. “Ape Gama” 20. Amaradeva Aesthetic and Research Center 21. Department of Official Languages 22. Official Languages Commission 23. National Institute of Language Education and Training 24. Office for National Unity and Reconciliation 25. Office on Missing Persons 26. Office for Reparations 27. Department of Samurdhi Development 28. Saubhagya Development Bureau 29. National Institute of Social Development 30. Rural Development Training and Research Institute 31. Social Security Board 32. National Council for Persons with Disabilities 33. National Secretariat for Persons with Disabilities 34. Department of Social Services 35. National Council for Elders and National Secretariat for Elders 36. Kidney Fund 37. Right to Information Commission 38. Department of Government Printing 39. Department of Government Information 40. Sri Lanka Press Council 41. Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation 42. Independent Television Network	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts Council of Ceylon Act No. 18 of 1952 • Antiquities Ordinance No. 9 of 1940 • Tower Hall Theatre Foundation Act No. 01 of 1978 • Sigiri Heritage Foundation Act No. 62 of 1998 • Galle Heritage Foundation Act No. 7 of 1994 • Amaradeva Aesthetic and Research Center Act No. 27 of 2018 • Official Languages Act No. 33 of 1956 • Official Languages Commission Act No. 18 of 1991 • National Institute of Language Education and Training Act No. 26 of 2007 • Office of the Missing Persons (Establishment, Administration and Discharge of Functions) Act No.14 of 2016 • Office for Reparations Act No. 34 of 2018 • Office for National Unity and Reconciliation Act No. 1 of 2024 • Divineguma Act No. 01 of 2013 • National Institute of Social Development Act No. 41 of 1992 • Social Security Board Act No. 17 of 1996 • Protection of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act No. 28 of 1996 • Poor Relief Act No. 32 of 1985 • House of Detention Ordinance No. 5 of 1907

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10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>16. Adoption of necessary measures for the advancement of all aspects of the national culture of Sri Lanka</p> <p>17. Maintenance of cultural relations with foreign countries</p> <p>18. Extending necessary cooperation for tourism promotion programmes that showcase the pride of cultural and national heritage in a manner that protects cultural and archeological heritages.</p> <p>19. Identifying trends in the employment of cultural contribution in building inter-ethnic cooperation and taking necessary measures to implement them</p> <p>20. Adoption of necessary measures for the conservation of historical, archeological and cultural heritages</p> <p>21. Adoption of necessary measures for the promotion of modern and traditional cultural creations and to incentivize artists</p> <p>22. Identification and implementation of measures for the advancement of aesthetic subjects.</p> <p>23. Introduction of a mechanism for the payment of royalties in line with international conventions</p> <p>24. Conducting activities relating to the search of missing persons and protecting the rights of missing persons and their relatives</p> <p>25. Conducting matters relating to reparation of persons affected by conflicts and crisis</p>	<p>43. Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation</p> <p>44. Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd.</p> <p>45. Lanka Puwath Ltd</p> <p>46. Selacine Media Solutions (PVT) LTD</p> <p>47. Sri Lanka Foundation</p> <p>48. Postal Department</p> <p>49. Sri Lanka Institute of Printing</p> <p>50. Public Performance Board</p> <p>51. National Film Corporation</p> <p>52. J.R. Jayewardene Centre</p> <p>53. S W R D Bandaranaike National Memorial Foundation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor Law Ordinance No. 30 of 1939 • Vagrants Ordinance No. 4 of 1841 • Protection of the Rights of Elders Act, No. 9 of 2000 • Rehabilitation Of The Visually Handicapped Trust Fund Act No. 9 of 1992 • Right to Information Act No. 12 of 2016 • Sri Lanka Press Council Act No. 5 of 1973 • Ceylon Broadcasting Corporation Act No. 37 of 1966 • Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation (Special Provisions) Act No. 8 of 1996 • Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation Act No. 6 of 1986 • The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon, Limited (Special Provisions) Act No. 28 of 1973 • Newspapers Ordinance No. 5 of 1839 • Sri Lanka Foundation Law No. 31 of 1973 • Stamp Ordinance No. 22 of 1909 • Post Office Ordinance No. 11 of 1908 • Sri Lanka Institute of Printing Act No. 18 of 1984 • State Film Corporation Act No. 47 of 1971 • J.R. Jayewardene Centre Act, No. 77 of 1988 • S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike National Memorial Foundation Act No. 48 of 1981

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10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>26. Promotion of national integration and reconciliation and lasting peace in the country and formulation of a policy framework for the said purpose</p> <p>27. Introduction and implementation of programmes for dialogue to establish solidarity and co-existence among communities</p> <p>28. Implementation of Samurdhi programme</p> <p>29. Identification of persons with special needs and fulfilling their needs</p> <p>30. Reviewing, re-organizing public assistance schemes, and introducing appropriate new reforms</p> <p>31. Provision of assistance to patients of Tuberculosis, Kidney disease, Leprosy, Cancer and Thalassemia, and to their dependents</p> <p>32. Implementation of family counseling services</p> <p>33. Matters relating to internationally recognized Conventions in relation to persons with special needs</p> <p>34. Implementation of required programmes in coordination with relevant institutions for providing vocational training and creating employment opportunities for persons with special needs</p> <p>35. Effecting policy changes, provision of facilities and implementation of programmes required to integrate persons with special needs into the mainstream</p> <p>36. Implementation of social insurance schemes for persons with special needs</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister

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10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>37. Taking necessary measures to care for elders, increasing participation of elders in social development activities, and protecting the rights of senior citizens</p> <p>38. Adoption of necessary measures to ensure people's right to accurate information</p> <p>39. Government printing and publication activities</p> <p>40. Formulation of strategies to obtain the contribution of the mass media for economic, social and cultural development by developing the knowledge, attitudes and a high sense of appreciation of the people</p> <p>41. Promotion of the application of modern technology for the use of mass media</p> <p>42. Introducing a Mass Media Policy</p> <p>43. Taking necessary measures for the dissemination of state official announcements and news to the public</p> <p>44. Release of relevant information on Sri Lanka to local and foreign media agencies</p> <p>45. Provision of information and publicity material to Sri Lanka Missions abroad</p> <p>46. Taking appropriate measures for production and broadcasting of news, films and documentaries</p> <p>47. Publicity work including commercial television, radio broadcasting and overseas transmissions</p> <p>48. Reviewing existing media laws, regulations, agreements, and ethics with a focus on media</p>		

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10. Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs, National Integration, Social Security, and Mass Media

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>freedom to develop an optimal media policy</p> <p>49. Introducing a code of ethics for media institutions and journalists that aligns with international standards and local social contexts.</p> <p>50. Introducing a systematic programme to appreciate, encourage and enable international recognition to all media personnel including print, audio and visual media</p> <p>51. Provision of diversified business oriented modern postal service adopting state-of-the-Art technology and management methodologies to maintain efficient domestic and foreign postal services</p> <p>52. Administration of Sri Lanka Philatelic Bureau</p> <p>53. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>54. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

11. Minister of Transport, Highways, Ports and Civil Aviation

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Transport, Highways, Ports and Civil Aviation, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments,</p>	<p>1. Road Development Authority and its subsidiaries and affiliates</p> <p>2. Maga Neguma</p> <p>3. State Development and Construction Corporation</p> <p>4. National Transport Commission</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Highways Act No. 40 of 2008 • Road Development Authority Act No. 73 of 1981 • National Transport Commission Act No. 37 of 1991 • Railways Act No. 18 of 1950

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11. Minister of Transport, Highways, Ports and Civil Aviation

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government.</p> <p>2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner</p> <p>3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste</p> <p>4. Improving and maintaining a high quality national highway system that promotes people-centered economic and social development by enhancing rural, pre-city and urban connectivity</p> <p>5. Development, maintenance, toll setting, collection and regulation of Expressway</p> <p>6. Preparation of programmes and projects based on National Policy on Roads belonging to Provincial Councils and Local Government Institutions and coordination and direction of those programmes and projects</p> <p>7. Establishment of car parks to reduce traffic congestion</p> <p>8. Development and modernization of rural road network</p> <p>9. Development of an alternative road system for high level access to major roads and expressways</p> <p>10. Modernization of bridges system connecting road networking</p> <p>11. Providing passenger ferry services</p>	<p>5. National Council for Road Safety</p> <p>6. Department of Sri Lanka Railways</p> <p>7. Lakdiva Engineering (Pvt) Ltd</p> <p>8. Sri Lanka Transport Board</p> <p>9. National Transport Medical Institute</p> <p>10. Department of Motor Traffic</p> <p>11. Sahasya Investment Ltd</p> <p>12. Sri Lanka Ports Authority and its Subsidiaries and Associates</p> <p>13. Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd</p> <p>14. Merchant Shipping Secretariat</p> <p>15. Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka</p> <p>16. Airport and Aviation Services (Sri Lanka) Ltd.</p> <p>17. Sri Lankan Air Lines Limited and its subsidiaries</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sri Lanka Transport Board Act No. 27 of 2005 • National Transport Medical Institute Act No. 25 of 1997 • Motor Traffic Act No. 14 of 1951 • Ceylon Shipping Corporation Act No. 11 of 1971 • Licensing of Shipping Agents Act No. 10 of 1972 • Masters Attendant Ordinance No. 6 of 1865 • Merchant Shipping Act No. 52 of 1971 • Sri Lanka Ports Authority Act No. 51 of 1979 • Graving Dock and Patent Ship Ordinance No. 5 of 1908 • Boat Ordinance No. 4 of 1900 • Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka Act No. 34 of 2002 • Civil Aviation Act No. 14 of 2010 • Air Navigation (Special Provisions) Act No. 2 of 1982 • Carriage by Air Act No. 29 of 2018 • Air Navigation Act No. 15 of 1950 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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11. Minister of Transport, Highways, Ports and Civil Aviation

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
12. Providing a safe and reliable passenger transport service 13. Introducing an environmental friendly transport system 14. Regulating private transport services 15. Establishment of a local industry system related to production of buses and transport sector 16. Constructing new railway lines, maintaining and widening existing railway lines, acquisition of lands in relation thereto and infrastructure development and all related matters 17. Setting up and expanding facilities in order to transport goods to the sea ports by train transportation 18. Registration and licensing of motor vehicles 19. Issuance of driving licenses 20. Regulation and issuance of guidelines and laws relating to motor traffic 21. Launching strategic programmes in order to harness the contribution of the transport sector to minimize emission of greenhouse gases 22. Development and Management of Commercial Harbours and expansion of their investment opportunities 23. Development of Container Yards 24. Development and administration of port oil installations, light houses and beacons, other than those belonging to Admiralty 25. Arbitration of disputes between shipping service providers and users		

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11. Minister of Transport, Highways, Ports and Civil Aviation

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
26. Establishment of rules of competition for shipping services 27. Ensuring and facilitating consultative coordination between shipping service providers and users and users 28. Receiving wrecks and ocean salvages 29. Freight and Shipping Services 30. Coastwise passenger traffic 31. Ship owing, Operating, Ship Managing, Ship Brokering and Agency Services 32. Custom House Agency and total Logistics Solution 33. Developing and regulating International and Domestic Airports 34. Regulating levy of charges and quality of service delivery by airports 35. Entering into agreements with other countries for expansion of international air services and adoption of other requisite measures 36. Promotion and regulation of functions relating to use of airports in Sri Lanka by foreign countries 37. Expansion of air cargo facilities 38. Promotion of domestic air travel 39. Regulation of private air services 40. Registration of Aircraft 41. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II 42. Supervision of the Institutions listed in Column II		

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12. Minister of Public Security

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Public Security and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste 4. Maintenance of law and order 5. Implementation of strategies comprising broad reforms that ensure community discipline 6. Adopting measures to prevent and combat various crimes and anti-social activities that have assumed the proportion of a social calamity 7. Controlling of vehicular traffic 8. Implementing necessary reforms to the police services' performance in ensuring public safety and fostering closer community relations 9. Coordinating the affairs of non-governmental organisations within the national policy framework thereby providing opportunities to contribute to the country's development process. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sri Lanka Police 2. National Police Academy 3. Secretariat for Non-Governmental Organizations 4. Department of Registration of Persons 5. Department of Immigration and Emigration 6. National Dangerous Drugs Control Board 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Police Ordinance No. 16 of 1865 • National Police Academy Act No. 44 of 2011 • Voluntary Social Service Organizations (Registration and Supervision) Act No. 31 of 1980 • Registration of Persons Act No. 32 of 1968 • Immigrants and Emigrants Act No. 20 of 1948 • Citizenship Act No. 18 of 1948 • Grant of Citizenship to Persons of Indian Origin Act No. 35 of 2003 • Grant of Citizenship to Stateless Persons Act No. 5 of 1986 • Grant of Citizenship to Stateless Persons (Special Provisions) Act No. 39 of 1988 • Conventions against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act No. 1 of 2008 • Drug Dependent Persons (Treatment and Rehabilitation) Act, No. 54 of 2007 • National Dangerous Drugs Control Board Act No. 11 of 1984 • Online Safety Act No. 9 of 2024 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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12. Minister of Public Security

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
10. Registration of Persons 11. Matters relating to Immigration and Emigration 12. Prevention and control of the use of dangerous drugs 13. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II 14. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II		

13. Minister of Foreign Affairs

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Foreign Affairs, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste	1. Diplomatic Missions in abroad 2. National Oceanic Affairs Committee Secretariat 3. Lakshman Kadirgamar Institute for International Relations and Strategic Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consular Functions Act No. 4 of 1981 • Diplomatic Privileges Act No. 9 of 1996 • Sri Lanka Institute of Strategic Studies Act No. 45 of 2000 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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13. Minister of Foreign Affairs

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>4. Maintenance of diplomatic relations with foreign countries broadening the cooperation of Sri Lanka as an active member internationally thereby stabilizing the good image of Sri Lanka abroad</p> <p>5. Adoption of necessary measures to widen international cooperation in accordance with national policies, coordination and provision of necessary advice to the government</p> <p>6. Responding appropriately to counteract adverse propaganda affecting the good image of Sri Lanka and stabilizing the image of Sri Lanka</p> <p>7. Active engagement with international and regional associations of political, economic, environmental, social and cultural cooperation</p> <p>8. Maintaining of diplomatic relations with foreign countries, and conducting negotiations in relation to treaties, agreements and conventions</p> <p>9. Provision of diplomatic immunities and privileges</p> <p>10. Provision of necessary assistance to relevant Ministries and Institutions for the promotion of external trade, investment, tourism, employment and external financial relations</p> <p>11. Consolidating foreign relations required for the protection of territorial integrity and maritime rights of Sri Lanka</p>		

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13. Minister of Foreign Affairs

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>12. Adoption of necessary measures related to the welfare of Sri Lankan residents in foreign countries</p> <p>13. Provision of consular services</p> <p>14. Administration of personnel in Sri Lanka Foreign Service and those attached to overseas diplomatic missions and take measures to enhance their professional skills</p> <p>15. Studying geo-political trends and advising the government on strategies to be adopted in the management of such trends in a manner beneficial to the interest of Sri Lanka</p> <p>16. Taking appropriate measures to fulfil the new foreign policy objectives including restructuring the Ministry of Foreign Affairs</p> <p>17. Evaluating the economically developing, emerging countries and areas and issuing recommendations for opening missions in order to widen international cooperation for economic development</p> <p>18. Facilitating the efforts on right sizing and quality enhancement of the overseas missions of Sri Lanka to ensure improved trade enhancement, tourism promotion, professional and vocational training and employment opportunities</p> <p>19. Simplifying and streamlining diplomatic processes to make them more efficient and responsive to the needs of the citizen and the State</p>		

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13. Minister of Foreign Affairs

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>20. Empowerment of foreign Embassies to take necessary initiatives in accordance with the overall foreign policy framework of Sri Lanka while ensuring accountability through regular oversight</p> <p>21. Establishing Sri Lanka Directorate of Cultural Relations under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for promoting Sri Lankan culture abroad to build “soft power” and foster mutual understanding</p> <p>22. Restructuring and strengthening of the Diplomatic Training Institute and the Lakshman Kadirgamar Institute of International Relations and Strategic Studies (LKI)</p> <p>23. Establishment of a robust monitoring and reporting mechanism to review and evaluate the performance of Sri Lankan diplomats, on regular basis</p> <p>24. Establishing a Consultative body with the Sri Lankan diaspora in every country where considerable number of Sri Lankans are present, with a mandate to engage with the respective Sri Lankan foreign mission and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs</p> <p>25. Supervising all Institutions referred to in Column II and matters relating to all subjects assigned to such Institutions</p> <p>26. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subject of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste 4. Formulation of policies and plans for environmental conservation and management 5. Taking necessary steps to develop national and international cooperation for the protection of the environment for present and future generations 6. Formulation and implementation of programmes to minimize environmental pollution 7. Formulation of policies and laws and implementation of strategies to create sustainable development with an economy that has least environmental changes and carbon use 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Central Environmental Authority 2. Geological Survey and Mines Bureau 3. GSMB Technical Services (Pvt) Ltd. 4. Sri Lanka Climate Fund (Pvt) Ltd 5. Marine Environment Protection Authority 6. Department of Coast Conservation and Coastal Resource Management 7. Department of Forest Conservation 8. Department of Wildlife Conservation 9. Department of National Zoological Gardens 10. State Timber Corporation 11. National Water Supply and Drainage Board 12. Water Resources Board 13. Department of National Community Water Supply 14. New Villages Development Authority for Plantation Region 15. Plantation Human Development Trust 16. Saumyamoorthi Thondaman Memorial Foundation 17. Estate Sector Self-Employment Revolving Fund 18. National Institute of Plantation Management 19. Sri Lanka Tea Board 20. Tea Small Holdings Development Authority 21. Tea Research Institute 22. Tea and Rubber Estates (Control of Fragmentation) Board 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mines and Minerals Act No. 33 of 1992 • National Environmental Act No. 47 of 1980 • Marine Pollution Prevention Act No. 35 of 2008 • Coast Conservation Act No. 57 of 1981 • Forest Ordinance No. 16 of 1907 • National Heritage Wilderness Areas Act No. 3 of 1988 • Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance No. 2 of 1937 • National Zoological Gardens Act No. 41 of 1982 • National Water Supply and Drainage Board Law No. 2 of 1974 • Water Resources Board Act No. 29 of 1964 • New Villages Development Authority for Plantation Region Act No. 32 of 2018 • Saumyamoorthi Thondaman Memorial Foundation Act No. 19 of 2005 • National Institute of Plantation Management Act No. 45 of 1979 • Tea and Rubber Estates (Control of Fragmentation) Act No 2 of 1958 • Sri Lanka Tea Board Law No. 14 of 1975 • Tea Control Act No. 51 of 1957 • Tea Subsidy Act No. 12 of 1958 • Tea (Tax and Control of Exports) Act No. 16 of 1959 • Tea Research Board Act No. 52 of 1993

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>8. Creation of a positive attitude among the people on the importance of the sustainable environment concept</p> <p>9. Issuance of environmental feasibility licenses and reviewing the process</p> <p>10. Creating an environmentally sensitive population through the popularization of green and smart cities concept</p> <p>11. Conservation of wetlands and mangrove ecosystems</p> <p>12. Conservation and protection of forests, wildlife and flora</p> <p>13. Implementation of a mechanism to minimize damages caused by wild animals to housing, property and cultivations in rural areas</p> <p>14. Formulation and implementation of a system with the participation of rural community for the protection of villages and settlements in order to prevent human-elephant conflicts</p> <p>15. Forests and Forestry matters</p> <p>16. Preservation of forest density and expansion of green cover</p> <p>17. Promotion of commercial forestry to meet the demand for timber while preserving the forest density of the country</p> <p>18. Taking necessary measures to provide clean drinking water to all citizens.</p> <p>19. Inspecting water supply services, drainage systems and sanitary facilities, formulating and implementing new plans for them and maintaining them</p>	<p>23. Department of Rubber Development</p> <p>24. Rubber Research Institute</p> <p>25. Sri Lanka Rubber Manufacturing and Export Corporation</p> <p>26. Tea Shakthi Fund</p> <p>27. Thurusaviya Fund</p> <p>28. Department of Export Agriculture</p> <p>29. Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation</p> <p>30. Spices and Allied Products Marketing Board</p> <p>31. Coconut Cultivation Board</p> <p>32. Coconut Development Authority</p> <p>33. Coconut Research Institute</p> <p>34. Palmyrah Development Board</p> <p>35. Kithul Development Board</p> <p>36. Kapruka Fund</p> <p>37. Department of Cinnamon Development</p> <p>38. Janatha Estate Development Board</p> <p>39. Kalubovitiyana Tea Factory Ltd</p> <p>40. Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation</p> <p>41. Elkaduwa Plantation Company Ltd</p> <p>42. Kurunegala Plantation Company Ltd</p> <p>43. Chilaw Plantation Company Ltd</p> <p>44. Hingurana Sugar Industry Ltd.</p> <p>45. Ceylon Sugar (Pvt) Ltd.</p> <p>46. Kantale Sugar Company Ltd</p> <p>47. Sugar Cane Research Institute</p> <p>48. Galoya Plantation (Pvt) Company</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tea Shakthi Fund Act No. 47 of 2000 • Tea Small Holdings Development Act No. 35 of 1975 • Rubber Replanting Subsidy Act No. 36 of 1953 • Rubber Research Ordinance No. 10 of 1930 • Rubber Control Act No. 11 of 1956 • Thurusaviya Fund Act No. 23 of 2000 • Promotion of Export Agriculture Act (No. 46 of 1992) • Coconut Development Act No. 46 of 1971 • Coconut Research Board Act No. 37 of 1950 • Kapruka Fund Act No. 31 of 2005 • State Plantation Corporation Act No 4 of 1958 • Sugarcane Research Institute Act No. 75 of 1981 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister.

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>20. Improvement of water security and urban water supply schemes by coordinating rural tanks and reservoirs and irrigation systems.</p> <p>21. Prevention of wastage of water in the drinking water distribution system</p> <p>22. Taking measures to carry out community water supply projects in an efficient and systematic manner</p> <p>23. Maintenance and improvement of water supply projects to ensure the supply of safe drinking water for the rural population</p> <p>24. Stabilizing the drinking water supply in rural areas, developing reservoirs and feeder canals and conserving water</p> <p>25. Acceleration of water distribution projects associated with water supply projects implemented at rural and regional levels by the national irrigation system</p> <p>26. Design of new villages and townships aimed at developing housing and infrastructure for the landless employed in government and privately owned plantation companies</p> <p>27. Increasing international competitiveness for the productivity of the plantation industry sector</p> <p>28. Taking necessary steps to foster value added products - related industries based on plantation crops that target the international market.</p>		

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
29. Matters relating to the development, promotion and research activities of tea, rubber and coconut industries 30. Limitation of the maximum extent of the fragmentation of tea, rubber and coconut estates for human settlements 31. Increasing the use of new technology for the plantation crop industry 32. Increasing the availability of raw material for rubber products industry by encouraging small and medium scale rubber estate owners 33. Issuance of licenses related to tea and rubber 34. Promoting rural tea cultivation and encouraging small tea holders 35. Issuance of permits for export of tea 36. Expansion of the international tea market for Ceylon Tea with the participation of both public and private sectors 37. Development of crop based cultivation including lands owned by public and private plantation companies 38. Encouragement of rubber related products aimed at local and foreign markets 39. Formulation and implementation of a plan for proper utilization of lands in the estate sector 40. Issuance of licenses related to fragmentation of tea, rubber and coconut and their control 41. Implementation of a programme to encourage small plantation crop growers		

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<p>42. Introduction of high yielding varieties to farmers in collaboration with research institutes</p> <p>43. Expansion of export market opportunities and production of high value items through value addition to local products using modern technology</p> <p>44. Taking measures to direct small scale agri-entrepreneurs to the global economy by ensuring the security of the minor crops industry</p> <p>45. Provision of necessary incentives and facilities to increase the yield by supplying quality seeds and plants for minor crop cultivations</p> <p>46. Implementation of policies for promotion of sustainable resource use and bio protection including value added production</p> <p>47. Development of local crops such as cinnamon and pepper for the export market under the Sri Lanka Brand instead of re-export</p> <p>48. Establishment of export villages for small plantation crops</p> <p>49. Development, promotion and research on coconut, <i>kithul</i> and palmyrah related industries</p> <p>50. Development of strategies to meet the local demand for coconut and to export of value added products of coconut, king coconut and <i>kurumba</i></p> <p>51. Optimum utilization of plantation lands through multiple cropping and integrated farming, thereby increasing production and employment</p> <p>52. Introduction of high yielding coconut plant varieties, taking</p>		

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14. Minister of Environment, Wildlife, Forest Resources, Water Supply, Plantation and Community Infrastructure

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<p>into consideration geographical factors</p> <p>53. Development of technology infused coconut, palmyrah, <i>kithul</i>, sugarcane and related industries targeting the local and foreign markets</p> <p>54. Implementation of a technology based programme for sparse water utilization in sugarcane cultivation</p> <p>55. Adopting necessary measures for the provision of basic facilities, livelihood generation and community development projects including other requirements for empowerment of plantation community economically, socially and culturally</p> <p>56. Development of basic infrastructure in rural estate sector</p> <p>57. Establishing “People-Centric Boards and People-Centric Centres” ensuring estate sector related community leadership and community participation</p> <p>58. Implementing a special programme to ensure primary education and healthcare for children in estate communities</p> <p>59. Matters relating to all other subjects assigned to Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>60. Supervision of all the Institutions listed in Column II</p>		

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15. Minister of Rural and Urban Development, Housing and Construction

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Subjects and Functions</i>	<i>Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations</i>	<i>Laws, Acts and Ordinances to be Implemented</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies, strategies, programmes and projects, in relation to the subjects of Rural and Urban Development, Housing and Construction, and those subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II based on the national policies implemented by the government 2. Provision of public services under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner 3. Reforming all systems and procedures using modern management techniques and technology, thus ensuring that the functions of the Ministry are fulfilled while eliminating corruption and waste 4. Planning and development of metropolis and suburbs 5. Systematic promotion and regulation of integrated economic, social and physical development of urban areas 6. Construction and development of housing complexes for shanty dwellers and low income groups 7. Implementation of new housing projects and provision of credit facilities to resolve housing problems of middle class families 8. Introducing storied housing schemes on reasonable rental basis for those seeking temporary residency on rent basis 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Urban Development Authority 2. Urban Settlement Development Authority 3. Selendiva investments Limited 4. Hotel Developers (Lanka) PLC (PQ 143) 5. National Physical Planning Department 6. Condominium Management Authority (Common Amenities Board) 7. Sri Lanka Land Development Corporation and its subsidiaries and related institutions 8. National Housing Development Authority 9. Building Material Corporation Limited 10. Department of Buildings 11. Department of Government Factories 12. Construction Industry Development Authority 13. Ocean View Development (Pvt) Ltd. 14. State Engineering Corporation 15. National Equipment and Machinery Organization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban Development Authority Act No. 41 of 1978 • Urban Development Projects (Special Provisions) Act No. 2 of 1980 • Urban Settlement Development Authority Act No. 36 of 2008 • Town and Country Planning Ordinance No. 13 of 1946 • Apartment ownership Act No. 11 of 1973 • Apartment Ownership (Special Provisions) Act No. 23, 2018 • Apartment Ownership (Special Provisions) Act No. 4, 1999 • Common Amenities Board Act No. 10 of 1973 • Colombo District (Low Lying Areas) Reclamation and Development Board Act No. 15 of 1968 • National Housing Development Authority Act No.17 of 1979 • Industries Development Act No. 33 of 2014 • Prohibition of Anti-Personnel Mines Act No. 3 of 2022 • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Columns I and II that have not been specifically brought under the purview of any other Minister

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<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
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9. Incentivizing investors to launch new housing projects by providing lands at concessionary prices to housing construction companies 10. Management of Urban Solid Waste 11. Adopting measures to prevent the disposal of waste in an irresponsible manner 12. Formulating a programme to regulate all urban construction in terms of urban development plans 13. Ensuring all urban construction projects provide vehicle parks and access facilities for disabled persons 14. Preparation of National Physical Plans and Regional Physical Plans 15. Directing and regulating all construction activities to be based on national physical plans to ensure integrated urban development 16. Maintenance and regulation of condominium property 17. Public condominium reforms and transferring ownership of houses efficiently and speedily 18. Matters relating to reclamation and development of low lying areas 19. Providing necessary guidance for the development of underserved areas and marshy lands in urban areas based on a common plan 20. Establishing standards and norms for government quarters and other buildings 21. Implementing housing schemes and housing financial grants programmes to service housing needs of people including low		

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<p>income recipients and particular community groups</p> <p>22. Providing guidance to rural communities on environmental friendly and cost effective techniques for housing construction</p> <p>23. Providing mechanical engineering services to government institutions</p> <p>24. Regulation, registration, regularization and standardization of activities in the construction sector in line with relevant rules and regulations and standards</p> <p>25. Providing consultancy and regulatory services for the construction industries</p> <p>26. Providing training on operation and maintenance of heavy construction equipment</p> <p>27. Developing building material industry</p> <p>28. Strengthening local construction personnel</p> <p>29. Strengthening and safeguarding local small and medium scale subcontractors</p> <p>30. Development of basic infrastructure in remote rural areas using appropriate and sustainable technologies</p> <p>31. Provision of modern engineering consultancy services to implement construction projects to meet national development goals</p> <p>32. All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II</p> <p>33. Supervision of all Institutions listed in Column II</p>		