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*The Council of the College  
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**AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE COLLEGE OF  
OPHTHAMOLOGISTS OF SRI LANKA**

**WHEREAS** a College called the College of Ophthalmologists of Sri Lanka established in Sri Lanka ;

**AND WHEREAS** the affairs of the College have heretofore been managed by the Council of the College ;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the College be incorporated and it will be for the application.

**BE** it therefore be enacted by the Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka

**1.** This Act may be cited as the Act of Ophthalmologists of Sri Lanka of 2000.

**2.** From and after the date of the Council of the College of Ophthalmologists consisting of the immediate past President, for the time being holding the post of Secretaries, the Treasurer, two members, shall be body Corporation (the "Corporation") with perpetual succession and style of the "Council of the College of Sri Lanka" and by that name in all Courts with full power and authority to have a common seal and alter the same.

**3.** The general objects for which the Corporation constituted are hereby declared to be

(a) to ensure the maintenance of the clinical practice of ophthalmology

**General powers of  
the Corporation.**

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5. (1) It shall, at any time, at any general meeting of not less than two members entitled to vote, to make such provisions of this Act for the management of the Corporation as may be necessary for the accomplishment of the objects of the Corporation at a like meeting and may amend or rescind any provision so made.

(2) The rules made by the Council of Sri Lanka in force at the commencement of the Corporation may be amended, but not inconsistent with the objects of the Corporation.

(3) The members of the Council shall be subject to the rules of the Corporation.

6. All debts due to the Corporation by Ophthalmologists and other persons shall be paid and due to, and subscribed by the Corporation on such day as may be determined by the Council for the purposes of this Act.

7. The Corporation may take and hold any property which may become vested in it by gift, testamentary bequest or otherwise, and any property shall be held by the Corporation in trust for the purposes of this Act, and subject to the directions of the said Corporation, and may exchange or otherwise dispose of any property so acquired.

8. The income of the Corporation shall be applied solely towards the objects of the Corporation, and

**4      *The Court  
of Sri Lanka***

transferred, dividend, bonus or other benefits to the members of the Corporation.

Provided however that this section shall not prohibit —

(a) the payment of remuneration to any member of the Corporation for any services rendered by him to the Corporation;

(b) the payment of any salary or gratuity to any member of the Corporation or by the Corporation to any member of the Corporation;

(c) the reimbursement of any expenses incurred by any member of the Corporation in the performance of his duties as a member of the Corporation.

**Seal of the  
Corporation.**

**9.** The seal of the Corporation shall be an instrument which shall be used by the Corporation for the signing of persons as members of the Corporation, and shall be a token of their power and authority as members of the Corporation.

**Saving of the  
rights of the  
Republic and  
others.**

**10.** Nothing in this section shall affect the rights of the Republic or of any other person or body, or any claim or right, under the Act, and claims or rights under the Act.

**Sinhala text to  
prevail in case of  
inconsistency.**

**11.** In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

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