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### **Introduction of the Citizen/ Client Charter**

Your attention is drawn to the Public Administration Circular:05/2008 dated 06.02.2008 and Public Administration Circular: 05/2008 (I) and dated 24.01.2018 on the above matter.

02. Your attention is also drawn to Section 4.0 (viii) of the circular No: PS/SB/Circular/ 2/2025 dated 18.02.2025 issued by the Secretary to the President on “Establishment of Internal Affairs Units in Government Institutions”. Accordingly, preparing and publishing a Citizen/Client Charter has also been identified as one of the activities in the “National Anti-Corruption Action Plan 2025 - 2029”, which states that the Internal Affairs Units established in government institutions should “prepare and publish a Citizen Charter that briefly outlines the services provided by the institutions”.

03. Thus, every government institution should prepare and publish a Citizen/Client Charter (As per Annex 01) in order to ensure that the services provided by government institutions to the general public are delivered in a more transparent, efficient and effective manner and to enhance mutual understanding and trust among all parties involved.

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**Citizen Charter - (Name of Institution)**

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