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PART I: SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

CONSTITUTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

Notification

IT is hereby notified by me in terms of Article 44(5) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the assignment of subjects and functions to the State Minister of Tea Industry Development appointed under Article 44(1) of the Constitution shall be operative as set out in the Schedule given below with immediate effect.

 $\label{eq:Ramesh Pathirana} R_{\text{AMESH PATHIRANA}},$ Minister of Plantation Industries & Export Agriculture.

09th January, 2020.

SCHEDULE

Hon. Kanchana Wijesekera, State Minister of Tea Industry Development

Column I
Duties and Functions

- 1. Providing necessary incentives and other facilities to increase yield of tea plantation by providing high quality tea plants.
- 2. Enhance the international competitiveness for productivity in the tea industry.

Column II
Departments, Statutory
Institutions, & Public Corporations

- 1. Sri Lanka Tea Board
- 2. Tea Research Institute
- 3. Tea Small Holdings Development Authority

Column III
Laws to be implemented

- 1. Sri Lanka Tea Board Law (No.14 of 1975)
- 2. Tea Control Act (No.51 of 1957)
- 3. Tea Shakthi Fund Act (No.47 of 2000)
- 4. Tea Small Holdings Development Act (No.35 of 1975)



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SCHEDULE (Contd.)

Hon. Kanchana Wijesekera, State Minister of Tea Industry Development

Column I	Column II	Column III
Duties and Functions	Departments, Statutory Institutions, & Public Corporations	Laws to be implemented
3. Issuance of licences for export of tea.	4. Tea Shakthi Fund	5. Tea Subsidy Act, (No.12 of 1958)
4. Matters relating to the development, promotion and research activities of tea industry.	5. KalubovitiyanaTea Factory Ltd.	6.Tea (Tax and Control of Exports) Act, (No.16 of 1959)
		7. Tea Research Board Act, (No.52 of 1993)

CONSTITUTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

Notification

IT is hereby notified by me in terms of Article 44(5) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the assignment of subjects and functions to the State Minister of Export Agriculture appointed under Article 44(1) of the Constitution shall be operative as set out in the Schedule given below with immediate effect.

RAMESH PATHIRANA,
Minister of Plantation Industries & Export Agriculture.

09th January, 2020.

SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE				
Hon. Janaka Wakkumbura, State Minister of Export Agriculture				
Column I Duties and Functions	Column II Departments, Statutory Institutions, & Public Corporations	Column III Laws to be implemented		
1. Interaction with the relevant institutions for directing farmers and small scale agri-entrepreneurs towards the global economy by value addition of local products, manufacturing of high valued products, expansion of export market opportunities and ensuring security of industries.	 Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation Hingurana Sugar Industry Ltd. 	 Sugarcane Research Institute Act, (No. 75 of 1981) Promotion of Export 		
	3. Lanka Sugar (Pvt.) Ltd.4.Kantale Sugar Company Ltd.	Agriculture Act, (No. 46 of 1992)		
2. Implementation of policies required for promoting the utilization of sustainable resources including value added products and bio-protection.	5. Sugarcane Research Institute6. Department of Export Agriculture7. Spices and Allied Products			
3. Matters relating to agricultural development zones.	Marketing Board			
4.Developing local crops such as cinnamon, pepper for the export market carrying the Brand of Sri Lanka in place of re-exportation.				