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## Message of the Hon. Minister of Defence.....



The national security is the most important responsibility and it cannot be second to any. The prior identification of the challenges before us as well as detection of the challenges which are not visible to us, and elimination of those threats before they could have an impact on the sustainability of the country and daily lifestyle of the people is the basis of creating a 'Peaceful nation where everybody is secure'.

I am pleased to note that the Tri-forces and the Police, who have contributed immensely to the successful completion of three decades prolonged war, understood that peace, reconciliation and development could be achieved only through ensuring the national security and law and order. In this context, I am pleased to send this message of greetings on the occasion of releasing the Performance Report 2018 of the Ministry of Defence, which rendered a great service towards national security and law and order as well as development of the country.

During the year 2018, the Ministry of Defence was able to take many important steps regarding national security. The enhancement of defence cooperation, acquiring of defence equipment and launching of new techniques to improve the readiness of the armed forces are among those steps taken by the Ministry. Furthermore, the security forces and the Police have rendered a great service to save the nation from the menace of illegal drugs which had been spreading across the country in a dangerous manner.

I would like to extend my gratitude to the entire security outfit, including the State Minister of Defence, Defence Secretary, Commanders of the Tri-forces and the Inspector General of Police for arresting a large number of drug smugglers, irrespective of their social status and detection of a large haul of drugs, during the second half of this year.

While extending my gratitude to Hon. State Minister and the officials for their great service in ensuring the security of the country and building an environment where all the communities and all the followers of different religious faiths could live in happiness and peace, I would like to state that the Ministry of Defence is fully committed to ensure that the security of Sri Lanka will not be challenged in any way.

**Maithripala Sirisena**  
Minister of Defence

## Message of the Hon. State Minister of Defence.....



At the moment the Country is journeying towards the path of development with determination, augmenting peace and co – existence within our Motherland, under the constant guidance and directions of His Excellency the President, Maithripala Sirisena in his capacity as the Minister of Defence. On such an occasion, the State Ministry of Defence deserves laurels for following the appropriate course of action, with comprehension of its assigned duties and greater focus on the national security.

Looking back, the State Ministry of Defence has initiated a host of creative programs for the encouragement and welfare of the Warheroes during the past four years. Among these , the ‘Virusara Privilege’ program, the ‘Virusumithuru’ housing program, the ‘Junior Cadets’ program and the ‘Agricultural Self – Employment’ program involving retired Warheroes for a blue green economy were launched in the anticipation of true welfare of the Warheroes and these programs will be further enhanced in future.

The advanced progress of the Colombo and Kurunegala Defence Services Colleges as well as the local and international advancement of the Batalanda Command Staff College are to be amplified to greater lengths.

I laud the dedication of Mr.Sunil Samaraweera, Secretary to the State Ministry of Defence, all officers and the staff, directed towards compiling the developmental progress of four years in to a book to communicate to the general public the accomplishments of the entities under the purview of this Ministry over the past few years.

Ruwan Wijewardene  
State Minister of Defence



## Message of the Secretary of Defence .....



It is with immense pleasure that I extend my felicitations to this Performance Report of the Ministry of Defence for the year 2018 of which reviews the progress of the pivotal role performed during the year under review with a view to ensure National Security upholding, the Ministry's Vision "For a Secured and Peaceful Country".

I would like to state here that the main responsibility of the Ministry of Defence is directing the state Ministry of Defence, other institutions affiliated the Ministry inclusive of Tri-Forces, Police and institutions coming under it in order to assure the National Security and safeguard the public security and the peace.

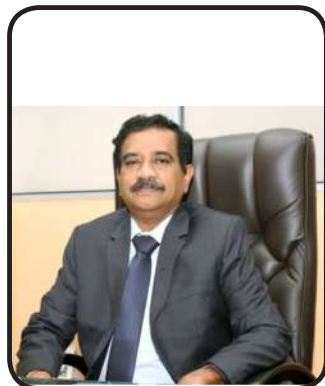
In significance, Tri-Forces, Department of Coast Guard and Civil Security Force are dealing with dedication and commitment in preserving Motherland like a parapet in the territory and surrounding territorial water whilst the Ministry has accomplished its obligations diligently equipped with knowledge through numerous programs and enhancing competencies by developing capabilities and creating sourced structural amenities. The Ministry attended dedicatedly towards ensuring National Security farsightedly and strategically through the smooth management of issues projected domestically and internationally for the National security to preserve public peace for uplifting cordiality among countries in the World strengthening international links.

In the meantime, measures were taken to restore the development in the country by creating the reconciliation and resuscitation of living standards and implementation of various welfare arrangements for valiant Heroes of war who devoted their lives and became disabled in the warfront and members of their families and releasing lands owned by individuals, government and various government institutions of which there were in use of the Security Forces.

Further, I convey my greetings to each & every officers and members of the staff of this Ministry and other institutions coming under it for discharging their duties to act with commitment and courage for the people to live with freedom and dignity on behalf of the present generation and to achieve sustainable peace & harmony for the sake of the future generation.

General S.H.S. Kottegoda (Rtd) WWW RWP RSP VSV USP nds  
Secretary of the Defence

## Message of the State Secretary of Defence .....



The State Ministry of Defence takes great pleasure in offering its felicitations for the book, Performance 2018 , a follow up on the previous year during which, benefits from a host of successful projects were received by the public through the Ministry , adding strength to the Motherland on its' tremendous journey towards development whilst following sustainable development targets.

The State Ministry of Defence, coordinating perfectly with its four affiliated institutions, carries out its responsibilities diligently by safeguarding the families of Warheroes whose victory secured peace within the country, arming the future generation with education, pioneering the process of moulding future leaders much needed by the country and by elevating local and foreign officers in the Security Forces to post graduateship.

The “Agri Project” which directed retired War heroes towards production of poisonless crops, empowering them economically and creating a novel revolution within the field of agriculture, was a successful program that managed to call the attention of the field of agri culture towards the State Ministry of Defence, thereby becoming a source of pride to us. The number of beneficiaries of this project, implemented islandwide , exceeds 1000 at present. In partnership with the Sanasa Development Bank and the Regional Development Bank, we were able to provide aid in the form of agriculture loans to a large number. We have , during the previous year alone , successfully concluded about 10 pilot agriculture training programs , boosting these Warhero farmers by offering them seedlings and beehives.

The “Virusumithuru” housing project, launched jointly with the National Housing Development Authority under the Ministry of Housing, Construction and Cultural Affairs, managed to provide shelter to numerous Warheroes’ families last year. In 2018, 186 fully – built houses and 52 partially - built houses were completed while 106 fully-built houses and 1154 partially – built houses are under construction.

The “Virusara” Privilege Card which elevated the social status of the Warheroes who shouldered the task of effectuating peace within the Motherland, rendered benefits to 41,697 families of Warheroes by the conclusion of 2018, entitling them to benefits of every kind including economic and social benefits.

I conclude by acknowledging the optimum contribution of the overall staff of the State Ministry of Defence, including the powers behind these achievements the Hon. Minister of Defence, Hon. State Minister of Defence and the Secretary of Defence, as well as the Heads of the four affiliated institutions and their respective staffs.

Sunil Samaraweera  
Secretary  
State Ministry of Defence

# **Vision and Mission of the Ministry**

## **VISION**

**FOR A SECURED AND PEACEFUL COUNTRY**

## **MISSION**

**FORMULATING AND EXECUTING STRATEGIC PLANS AND  
POLICIES FOR A SECURE,  
SAFE AND SOVEREIGN COUNTRY  
WITH  
TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY**



## Duties and Functions of the Ministry

The duties and function of the Ministry of Defence and State Ministry of Defence as publish in the to Gazette Notification No: 1897/15 dated 18<sup>th</sup> January 2015 and No: 1942/8 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2015 are as follows

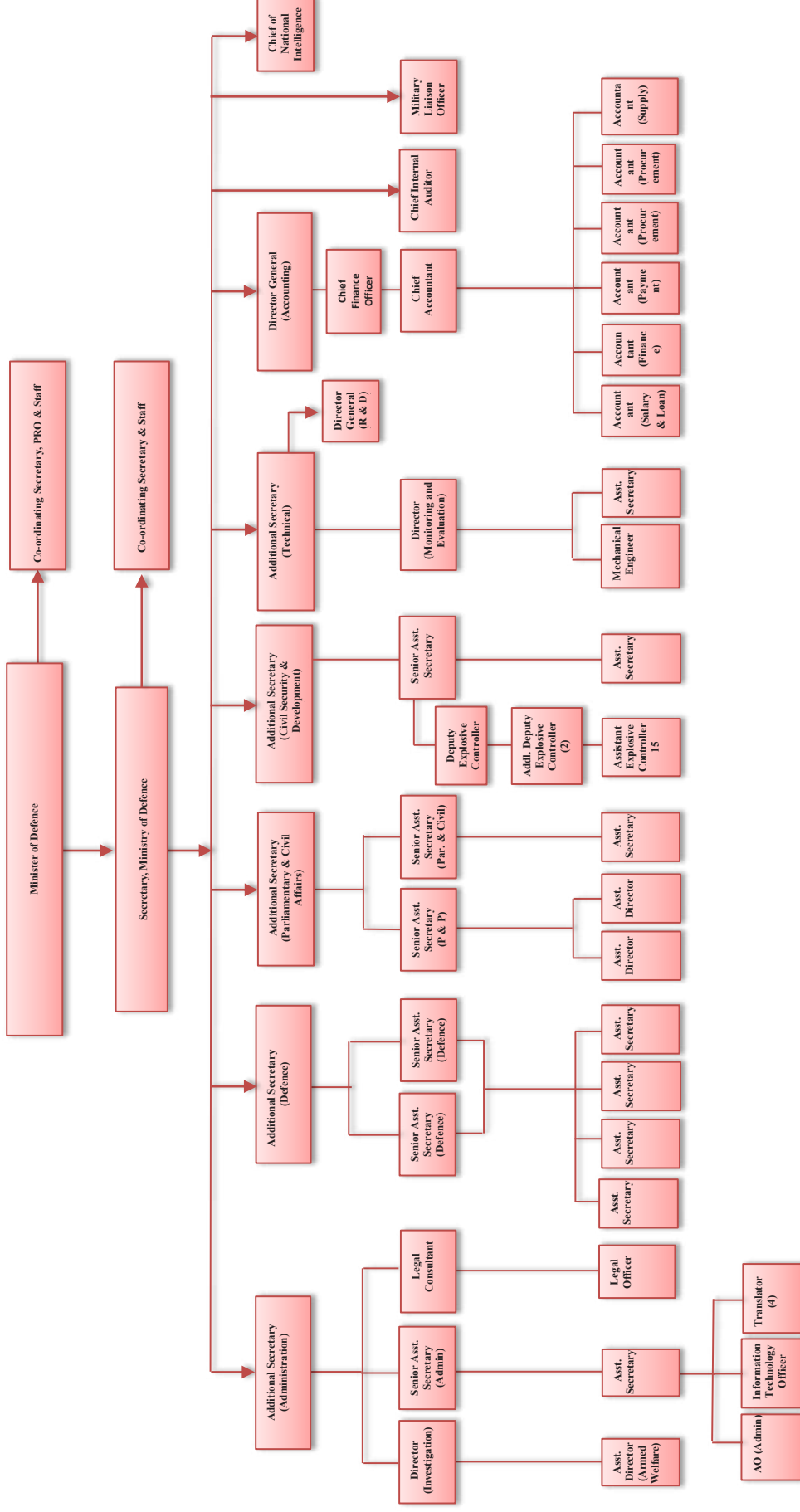
### ***Duties and Functions***

- ★ *Formulation of policies, programmes and projects in regard to the subjects of Defence, and all subjects that come under the purview of Departments, Statutory Institutions and Public Corporations listed in Column II*
- ★ *Provide for the defence of the country through the facilitation of the functioning of the Armed Services*
- ★ *Maintenance of internal security*
- ★ *Defence and internal security related intelligence services*
- ★ *Relations with visiting Armed Forces*
- ★ *Matters relating to veteran and disabled soldiers*
- ★ *Explosive and firearms*
- ★ *Maintenance of Light House (other than those belong to the Port Authority)*
- ★ *Provision of defence education and post – service education for Defence Service Personnel*
- ★ *Higher education for defence service personnel*
- ★ *Matters relating to private security services*
- ★ *Rescue operations and administration of Coast Guard Service*
- ★ *All other subjects that come under the purview of Institutions listed in Column II*
- ★ *Supervision of the Institutions listed in Column II below*

### ***Column II - Institutions and Public Corporations of the Ministry***

1. *Sri Lanka Army*
2. *Sri Lanka Navy*
3. *Sri Lanka Air Force*
4. *Department of Civil Security*
5. *Sir John Kotelawala Defence University*
6. *Defence Services Command and Staff College*
7. *Ranaviru Seva Authority*
8. *Defence Services School*
9. *National Cadet Corps*
10. *National Defence Fund*
11. *State Intelligence Service*
12. *Department of Coast Guard*
13. *Rakna Arakshana Lanka Ltd*
14. *Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka*
15. *Lanka Logistics and Technologies Limited*

# Organizational Structure of the Ministry



Training Manager (1)	Administrative Assistant (Legal) (1)	Research Assistant (2)	Financial Assistant (8)	Development Assistant (3)	Development Officer (21)	Human Resources Assistant (6)	Enforcement Officer (34)	Legal Assistant (1)	Librarian (1)
			Management Assistant (149)	Data Entry Operator (1)	Receptionist (2)		Information Communication Technology Assistant (1)		
			Driver (59)	KKS (71)			Security Method Demonstrator (5)		

# **Progress of Divisions of the Ministry of Defence**

## 01. DEFENCE DIVISION

### 1.1 Overview

The Defence Division of the Ministry of Defence is in-charge of all the establishment duties, human resource development, welfare duties, supplies and services of Tri-forces, the Department of Coast Guard and also various services providing such as United Nations Peacekeeping duties and appointing Defence Attaches for foreign embassies by coordinating with Tri-forces.

The duties assigned to the Defence Division is categorized under three (03) sections as follows.

#### ➤ Human Resource Management

Defence Division is responsible for duties of enlisting, promotion, withdrawal from service, retirement, personal and foreign leave and granting car permits on concessionary terms regarding Tri-forces and Coast Guard personnel.

#### ➤ Human Resource Development

Defence branch grants local and foreign training courses for Tri-forces personnel, training courses for foreign armed forces in Sri Lanka and also directing Tri-forces personnel for foreign discussions, conferences and workshops.

Duties relevant to sending war inspectors, armed troops, necessary equipment for the troops and medical facilities to the countries nominated by United Nations Organization are conducted under this subject.

#### ➤ General Services

Duties under general services are awarding medals and clasps for Tri-forces personnel, taking necessary measures regarding requests and Redress of Grievances submitted by Tri-forces members, granting opportunities to enter Universities under special entrance and paying compensations for Tri-forces members.

### 1.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Human Resource Management

Mainly establishment duties relevant to enlistment, promotion, withdrawal from service of Tri-forces members, establishment duties of the Department of Coast Guard and Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka were performed under this section

	Promotion	Retirement	Commissioning
SLA	203	326	175
SLN	187	66	136
SLAF	84	124	111

1.1 Table : Promotions, Retirements, Commissioning of Tri- Forces

SLA - Sri Lanka Army  
SLN - Sri Lanka Navy  
SLAF - Sri Lanka Air Force

	Personal Leave	Duty Leave
SLA	385	142
SLN	171	83
SLAF	130	75

1.2 Table : Foreign Leave (Personal and Duty)

	Number of Car Permits
SLA	425
SLN	265
SLAF	229
Civil Officers	18
Total	937

1.3 Table : Car permits issued for Armed Forces Personnel under Concessionary Terms

#### Establishment Duties of Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka

- Enlisting staff members
- Drafting National Security Studies Institute Act are being conducted.
- Matters relevant to the Department of Coast Guard
- Necessary measure were taken to obtain 02 offshore patrol vessels under International Japan Friendship Fund to the Department of Coast Guard
- Amendments for the Coast Guard Act

#### ➤ Human Resource Development

Duties relevant to granting local, foreign training courses for Tri-forces personnel, training courses for foreign armed forces in Sri Lanka were conducted. In addition, directing Tri-forces personnel for foreign discussions, conferences and workshops were also implemented under this section.

Country	SLA	SLN	SLAF	Total
India	146	136	109	391
Pakistan	96	66	93	255
Bangladesh	52	-	15	67
Nepal	04	-	-	04
Malaysia	03	-	-	03
China	41	27	17	85
Total	342	229	234	805

1.4 Table : Training Courses offered by Foreign Nations

Offered Country	Army	Navy	Air Force
India	02	-	01
Pakistan	02	02	01
Bangladesh	02	02	02
China	04	03	01
Philippine	-	01	-
Indonesia	02	-	-
Total	12	08	05

1.5 Table : National Defence Courses

Offered Country	Army	Navy	Air Force
Pakistan	02	06	02
Bangladesh	01	01	01
Nepal	01	-	-
Indonesia	01	-	-
Malaysia	01	-	-
India	02	-	01
<b>Total</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>04</b>

1.6 Table: Staff Courses

	SLA	SLN	SLAF	Coast Guard
Courses offered by United States of America	45	34	26	06
Non- Scheduled Courses	34	34	26	04
<b>Total</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>10</b>

1.7 Table : Non-scheduled Courses

### Seminars, Workshops and Tours

Opportunities for Foreign Tours/ Workshops and Seminars have been granted as, 114 for Sri Lanka Army, 42 for Sri Lanka Navy, 78 for Sri Lanka Air Force and 13 for the Department of Sri Lanka Coast Guard.

### Trainings for Peacekeeping Duties of United Nations Organization

Duties relevant to sending war inspectors, armed troops, necessary equipment for the troops and medical facilities to the countries nominated by United Nations Organization were conducted as follows.

	Army	Air Force	Total
Officers	76	40	116
Other Rankers	374	178	552
<b>Total</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>668</b>

1.8 Table : Nominated Personals for UN Peace Keeping Duties

### ➤ General Services

Necessary measures regarding the requests and Redress of Grievances from Tri-forces members, granting opportunities to enter Universities under special entrance and paying compensations for Tri-forces members were conducted.

Compensation and Allowances	SLA	SLN	SLAF	Total
Paying Compensation for Dependents of Deceased Military Persons	50	18	5	73
Paying Salary and Allowances for Military Persons Disabled in Action until 55 years of age	831	17	3	851
Paying Special Compensation for Widows of Deceased Military Persons once Remarried	33	2	1	36
Paying Salaries for Children under 26 years of Age	37	-	-	37
Salary and Allowance for War Heroes Disabled or Deceased Solely due to Non-Terrorist Reasons while on Active Service in Operational Areas	483	158	94	735

1.9 Table : Paying Compensation and Allowances for Tri-Forces Members

## University Entrance

Applications for Special University Entrance for 2017/2018 Academic Year of Tri-Forces have been forwarded to the University Grant Commission as follows:

	Engineering Stream	Medical Course/ Dental Stream
SLA	10	19
SLN	-	07
SLAF	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>26</b>

1.10 Table: Applications for Special University Entrance

## Various Requests

Progress regarding the request letters forwarded to the Defence Division by the Armed Forces Persons and their family members directly or via Presidential Secretariat, Prime Minister Office, different Ministers, various persons and institutions. After calling reports regarding the requests instructions were given and submitted to the relevant institutions for necessary onward actions.

SLA	852
SLN	132
SLAF	91
From the Committee on Public Petition	24
Letters from Ombudsman Office	05
<b>Total</b>	<b>1104</b>

1.11 Table: Various Requests

Type of Medal	SLA	SLN	SLAF
Videsha Sewa Padakkama	-	5	111
Deerga Sewa Padakkama	5291	2213	444
Deshaputhra Padakkama	10546	-	90
Prasansaneeya Padakkama	-	12	-
Kariyakshama Seva Padakkama	16	-	-
Uttama Seva Padakkama	3633	1242	471
Purna Bhumi Padakkama	12960	-	-
North and East Operational Medal	9918	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>42364</b>	<b>3472</b>	<b>1116</b>

1.12 Table : Offering Medals and Gallantry for Tri Forces Military Persons to appreciate their Great Service

## 1.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Obtaining adequate staff members.
- ★ Scanning documents - Through scanning, it is expected to obtain relevant information immediately.
- ★ Management of Postage.

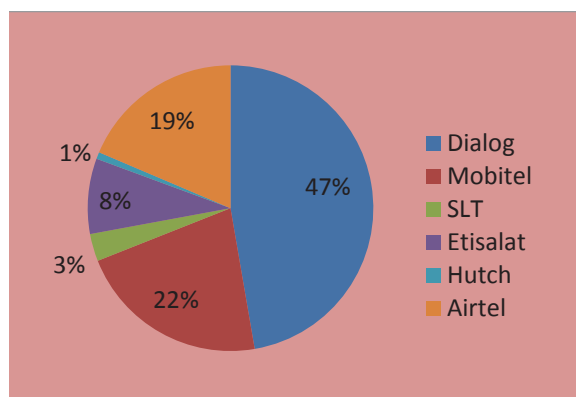


## 02. TECHNICAL DIVISION

### 2.1 Overview

Technical Division of Ministry of Defence is entrusted to deal with Communication and Engineering matters in relation to national security whilst formulating strategies for the utilization and development of its applications to be used to the general public of the Country. Communication Scope covers Radio Communication, Telecommunication Services, Television Broadcasting and Data Communication. Also grants the approval required by the Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka for importation, Installation and Commissioning of Communication, Navigational and Surveillance equipment which could affect the national Security. Engineering Scope covers all civil and field engineering support required developing infrastructure facilities as instructed by the Government whilst ensuring the National Security.

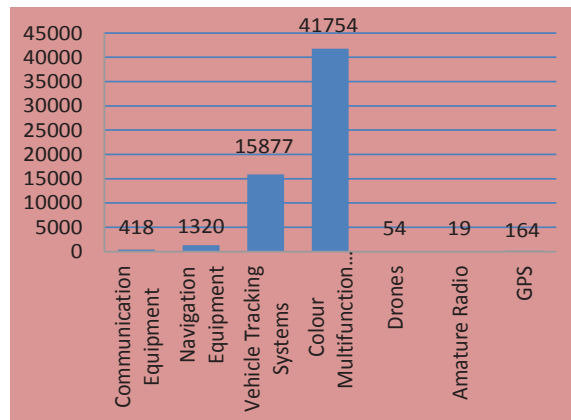
Technical division coordinates and liaises with the Ministries and Institutions on communication and Engineering matters with regard to national security. Defence Head Quarters Complex Project (DHQC) and the Strategic Defence Communication Network (SDCN) project are the ongoing major projects handled by the division, at present. In addition, research projects implemented by Center for Research and Development (CRD) are also supervised by the Technical Division.



2.1 Graph : Security Clearance for Tower Construction - 2018

In 2018, the division granted security clearance for Telecom Operators to construct 129 towers. Further, granted security clearance for 104 vendor licenses of Electronic / Communication related applications.

- Security clearance was given for importation of Communication and Navigational equipment, Vehicle Tracking Systems, Colour Multifunctional Printers, Drones (Quardcopter, Airplane, UAV) and radio equipment for Armature Radio License Holders (Local/Foreign), GPS.
- Security clearance on allocation of Radio Call Signs/ Frequencies for 418 fishing trawlers registered in Fisheries and Aquatic Department was granted in liaison with Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka (TRCSL).



2.2 Graph : Security Clearance for Tower Construction - 2018

### Physical & Financial Progress of Projects and Research Centers functioning under the Technical Division

#### ➤ Defence Headquarters Relocation Project

Colombo Master Plan of 1979 envisaged shifting of government offices from Colombo to the new administrative capital of Sri Jayewardenepura, Kotte enabling release of large extents of high-commercial-value land for commercial development. The prime objectives of all Services to come under one Defence Headquarters Complex is to utilize resources effectively which presently divided amongst several institutions and to minimize the duplication of infrastructure, to provide defence personnel with a state of the art office complex, to further enhance their Operational/ Administrative/Logistic efficiency and to minimize the disturbances caused to the general public and to economic activities by minimizing the presence of high security zones within the Concentrated Development Zone. The construction started in the year 2011 and has been progressing to date. The construction activities are phased out into two for the convenience of construction management and to maintain financial viability.

#### Physical Progress

Physical progress of construction works as at 01<sup>st</sup> January 2018 was (Phase 1) 47% and overall progress (Phase 1) as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 was 51.3%.

#### Financial Progress

Allocation for Year 2018 (LKR)		4,000,000,000.00
Net Provision for the year		3,920,243,250.00
<b>Expenditure (LKR)</b>		
Actual Expenditure	2,958,941,181.91	
Outstanding Bill as at 31.12.2018	617,847,625.58	
Total Expenditure with Outstanding bills		3,576,788,807.49
Balance as at 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2018		343,454,442.51

2.1 Table : Financial Progress

- **DHQC Project – Phase I**

Phase I consists of construction of the Main Buildings Complex (Nine blocks), Communication Building, Security Building, Sewerage Treatment Plant, Water Sump & Pump House, Permanent Accommodation for 250 officers & Temporary Accommodation for other ranks.

Phase I is further divided in to following stages due to financial restrictions enforced during the constructions and due to exigency of Army Headquarters occupying the building.

**Stage 01** To complete Blocks 6, 7, Communication Building, Security Building, Sewerage Treatment Plant, Water Sump and Pump House end of April 2019.

**Stage 02** Construction of balance work under phase I.

- **DHQC Project – Phase II**

Phase II consists of permanent accommodation and associated facilities for 500 officers and 6100 living-in staff (OR) of Tri Forces including cook houses/messes and related external works.

- **Project Management & Construction**

To facilitate construction, project specific structures were established as follows;

- Project Management Unit (PMU) - Project Management and Procurement
- Construction Management Unit (CMU) - Construction work of project

Project consultant is Central Engineering Consultancy Bureau for Architectural and Structural design, Mechanical Engineering, Plumbing, Information Technology and Quantity Surveying.



Block No 1 proposed for Ministry of Defence



Block No. 06 proposed for Army Headquarter



Block No. 07 proposed for Army Headquarter



Block No. 08 proposed for Office of Chief Defence Staff



Block 03 proposed for Sri Lanka Navy Headquarter



Block 04 proposed for Sri Lanka Air Force Headquarter





Communication Building and Signal Tower



Security Building



Water Sump and Pump House



Sewerage treatment plant

#### ➤ Strategic Defence Communication Network Project



Strategic Defence Communication Network (SDCN) Project will provide a secure common communication backbone which consists of 37 microwave links and Network Management

System (NMS) connecting pre-selected terminal points of the Tri Forces, Police and STF in Island wide.



In 2016, installation of 10 electrical generators out of 22 has been fully completed and rest of the generators has been delivered to respective functions. Construction of eleven self-supported

communication towers are in progress and the construction are to be completed by mid of this year and the tender for thirty seven microwave radio links has been floated.

During the period (January to December 2018), physical progress is 2.7% and financial progress is low (17.2%) compared to annual allocation (658.74Mn).

#### ➤ Center for Research and Development

CRD is located at its own complex at Moragahahena Road, Pitipana from 2015. Another two storied building has been completed to provide accommodation for Research Officers attached to CRD and declared opening by the Secretary of Defence in January 2017.

##### Vision

To design, develop and lead to production of indigenous solution for defence applications by establishing a world class science and technology base and equip for the defence forces as well as other government institutions with internationally competitive system and solutions.

##### Objectives

- Acquire and design the best systems, based on the best practices and available resources in the defence sector.
- Design the necessary interfaces to integrate IT and Non-IT based systems operationally in the defence sector.
- Developing a fully-fledged R & D organization to emulate and evaluate its effectiveness and suitability.
- Implementing a fully-fledged R & D organization for the defence sector in Sri Lanka.

➤ Success of the Projects as at 2018.12.31

S/N	Activity/Project	Introduction	Current Status
1	Smart Target System of Jungle Lane Firing	This project is designed to enhance the training of Army personnel on Jungle Lane Firing	At present, nearly 98% of the project has been completed and handed over to the Special Forces Regiment to test the system. It is expected to utilize the funds that will be allocated in 2019
2	Development of Low Cost Secure Voice Encryption	This project is designed to enable secure communication among communications devices used in three services.	At present, nearly 55% of the project has been completed. Further research is in progress.
3	Integration effect on intelligence preparation of the battlefield (IPB) and development of training simulator	This project is designed to develop a Simulator system for student officers of DSCSC.	About 90% of the entire project has been completed and handed over to DSCSC for testing. Entire project is expected to handover to DSCSC in Oct 2018.
4	Election Complaints Management System	This is a system for managing election related complaints during an election	Currently, this project has been completed and handover to DSCSC.
5	Reference system mapping & tracking of endangered Asian elephant species in Sri Lanka	This project is designed to develop a solution to track wild elephants using mobile and web technologies.	About 75% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress.
6	Electronics alarm systems for border villages to prevent wild elephant intrusions attacks	This project is designed to develop an Electronics alarm systems for border villages to prevent wild elephant intrusions attacks	The project testing has been carried out and further testing is progressing at the Maduruoya Army SF camp and 60 % has completed at present.
7	HI-TECH SOLDIER –III	The Aim is to use the modern technology in the battlefield to enhance the power of troops by eliminating the conventional methodologies.	This software system is utilized in the Diyakawa exercise and currently steps taken into handover it to SL Army and 80% development has done.
8	Mail Management System-MOD	This computer system is designed to increase the efficiency of the letter distribution process (Branches and Units) of the Ministry of Defence.	Currently, this research project has been completed by 100% and handover to the MOD.
9	Land Acquisition Management System	The project is designed to develop computer system for acquire tri forces lands to Parliament affairs, Policy planning division of Ministry of Defence	Currently, this project has handover to additional secretary of parliament affairs and planning office by entering the project data for further study.
10	Process Management System for Dte of Welfare-SL Army	This software system is developed to fulfill the request of the Army Welfare Director	Currently, this project has been completed by 20% and collecting data is on progress
11	Drone Mapping Survey for AERO City Development Project Ministry of Megapolis & Western Development.	This project is designed to survey to collect geographical information and mapping geographical areas using drones. The project will be used for AERO City Project of Ministry of Megapolis & Western Development.	Project has been completed and has been handed over to Ministry of Mega Police and Western Development.
12	Development Smart Jacket with Tracking System (GPS/GPRS)	This project is designed to develop a Smart Jacket powered by solar power to track soldiers on the battle field.	About 30% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress. Planned to handover in year 2019.
13	Small Arms Firing Simulator(SAFS)	A simulated system that will enhance and maintainance of the the firing skills of the soldiers.	The project is 100% complete and production process is being carried out. Six SAFS systems for Sri Lanka Army and 1 for Sri Lanka Navy have been provided up to date.
14	Simulation Platform with 3DOF (SP3DOF)	Production of movable platform that can simulate the moments of military tanks and vehicles, air crafts and naval vessels.	Project has been completed and integration of the system to vehicle simulators are in progress.
15	Atmospheric Water Generator Project	This project is designed to develop an Atmospheric Water Generator to extract drinking water from atmospheric water vapor.	About 10% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress.
16	Smart Target & Evaluation System Shooters and Weapons Systems Project	This project is designed to develop an indoor mobile range with a smart target and evaluation system.	About 60% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress.
17	Under Water Robotic Vessel Development Project	Designing of a remote control under water robotic vessel.	As the first stage of the project, we have completed under-water MAGURA II robot and further improvements are now taking place. 90% of the project has been completed successfully and the first production will be delivered to Sri Lanka Navy in September 2018.

2.2 Table : Progress of Projects as at 2018.08.31

➤ **Projects Commenced in 2016 and brought forward to 2018**

S/N	Activity/Project	Introduction	Current Status
1	Development of a Solar Pannel	Aim of this research is to develop solar panels that can be printed on any surface to overcome production and installation costs of traditional solar panels.	This project is completed. It is expected to utilize the funds that will be allocated in 2019 for production of the units for practical usage.
2	Development of Anti - Befouling and Anti corrosive paint using Nano Technology	The aim of this project is to study bio-fouling and their species of Sri Lankan territorial water and to develop an anti-bio-fouling and anti-corrosive paint locally using Nano Technology	Project is completed and the developed paint is on testing now.
3	Total Training Simulator Solutions for Long/Middle Range Weapon & Close Combat Operations	The Research involves the development of a simulator system for long/middle range weapons and close combat.	About 70% of the entire project has been completed and further researches are on progress.
4	Customizable Fire Control Solution With Stabilize Platform.	Designing of a fire control unit which can be adjusted as per the user requirement	About 85% of the entire project has been completed and further researches are on progress.
5	Guided Rocket and Missile System Development Project	The aim of this project is to acquire and enhance the technology of guided rocket systems development which will be the initial step of the rocket launching, seeking and guiding.	Chemical compounds are involved in the project have been identified at the research stage. These chemical compounds can be combined with a variety of solid propellant missiles that can change the distance. Accordingly, the initial investigations had been conducted and a few small missile units have been successfully tested. Accordingly, a major level missile launch has been planned to be carried out in the near future. 65% of the project has been completed.
6	Development of Hydrogen Fuel Cell for Quad Copters and UAVS	The aim of this project is to develop high efficiency, low weight, high capacity, long lasting Hydrogen fuel cell to be used with quad copter and UAVs to increase their flight time.	About 40% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress.
7	Armor Tank Simulator System Development	The aim of the project is to develop a Tank simulator to train tank crews.	Design of an armored vehicle and required software and mechanical elements are designed and completed. Arrangements have been made to supply the first unit to Sri Lanka Armored Corps for testing in end of October 2018. 70% is completed
8	Brain Controlled Interface for Artificial Limbs (BCI)	The research involve designing of an artificial limb which can be controlled by brain.	Entire research and final model has been completed. It is expected to complete the project with funds that will be allocated in 2019.
9	Indoor Positioning System	A home-based identification system	About 45% of the entire project has been completed and further research is in progress. It is expected to complete the project with funds that will be allocated in 2019.

2.3 Table : Projects Commenced in 2016 and brought forward to 2018



➤ **Projects Commenced in 2015 and Brought Forward to 2018**

S/N	Activity/Project	Introduction	Current Status
1	Braille to Sinhala Converter	Aim of this project is to develop a computer-based system for blind persons to easily and efficiently obtain their examination results.	This project has completed.
2	Development of virtual reality parachute jumper and skydiver training Simulator	Virtual reality sky diver and parachute jumper training simulator is designed to give virtual reality environment for parachute jumper trainees of three services before being exposed to real environment. The system allows instructors to monitor activities of trainees.	At present 98% of the project has been completed. Could not receive the required 02 nos of fan on expected time. Expect to hand over complete project within first quarter in 2019.
3	Under Water Acoustic Sensor Array (UASA)	The equipment is used to disclose activities under the sea surface in support of Naval Surveillance Operations.	The first step of the project is to produce sound sensing devices for identifying sound sensing devices. A database will be created to map the sea water properties of Sri Lanka Ports (lewdness, temperature, clarity) throughout the year and year. The sound waves in accordance with the data in the database should be analyzed to determine its location and its location. 60% of the project has been complete
4	Design & Development of HF/VHF & UHF Radio Transceiver	Aim of this research is to locally develop a secure radio set for communication	UHF trans receiver development is completed. About 95% of the VHF trans receiver has been completed. Expect to complete the entire project in second quarter of 2019.
5	Train Tracking System	The objective of this project is to develop a system that enables main control room of the Sri Lanka Railways to track trains using GPS technology and to update commuters on location and possible arrival time of trains. Testing of the system is in progress and implantation of the system will be completed as per availability of funds with Sri Lanka Railways.	The whole project has been completed and agreement has been signed with the Department of Railways and GPS/GSM equipment have installed in 10 trains in their run.
6	Medium Range UAV System development (Phase 1)  The Lihiniya MK I UAV characteristics are as follows; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Max. Take-off Weight - 38 kg</li> <li>● Operational ceiling - Up to 3000 feet above mean sea level</li> <li>● Endurance time- 1.5 Hrs</li> <li>● Total fuel capacity- 3.5 liter</li> <li>● Max. payload weight - 1 kg</li> <li>● Max. airspeed- 60 knots</li> <li>● Range - 6 km</li> </ul>	The LIHINIYA MK I UAV system is designed as an experimental analysis UAV for testing the aerodynamic performance and to mature the conceptual design of indigenous UAV developed by Research and Development team at Sri Lanka Air Force Also this UAV intends to use as a stable platform to mature the indigenous auto-pilot and navigation.  The LIHINIYA MK I UAV is a HTOL UAV configured as High Wing, Twin Tail Boom with a single pusher type engine. There are two main modules of the Project. Which are;  1. UAV Aircraft 2. Ground Control Station	1. System with two GCS and mobile Advance Ground Control Station (AGCS) is handover to user formation. 2. Preparation operational and technical manuals including followings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Description Manual</li> <li>● System Maintenance Requirements</li> <li>● Flight Manual</li> <li>● GCS Operational Manual</li> <li>● UAV and AGCS Maintenance Manual</li> <li>● UAV and AGCS Operational Maintenance work cards</li> <li>● UAV and AGCS Periodic Maintenance work cards</li> <li>● EP and IP normal and emergency checklists</li> <li>● UAV and AGCS Illustrate Part Catalogues (IPC)</li> </ul>
7	Medium Range UAV System development (Phase 2) The Lihiniya MK I UAV characteristics are as follows; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Max. Take-off Weight - 52 kg</li> <li>● Operational ceiling - Up to 10,000 feet above mean sea level</li> <li>● Endurance time - 7Hrs</li> <li>● Total fuel capacity - 19 liter</li> <li>● Max. payload weight - 1.5 kg</li> </ul>	Extensive Research knowledge and data that has been accumulated over period of six years can be utilized to complete Lihiniya Mk-11 project	1. 80% Completed. 2. Following milestones achieved <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Autopilot development and testing together with Airframe</li> <li>● Interfacing OTUS U-135 Gyro Stabilized camera</li> <li>● Redundant Electrical Power System Design and Testing</li> <li>● Testing and Interfacing Hirth-4103 engine with on board power generation</li> <li>● Need to purchase long range data link and spares for the engine.</li> </ul>

2.4 Table : Projects Commenced in 2015 and brought forward to 2018

## ➤ Issues and Challenges

### Defence Headquarters Relocation Project

- Extention of Time claims (EOT).
- Unexpected additional work and cost implications.
- Warranty for already installed/completed infrastructure.
- Establishment of maintenance unit and cost implication.

### Strategic Defence Communication Network Project

Issues on acquiring adequate land extent caused delay in floating the tender for construction of eleven self-supported communication towers. As most of the bidders have submitted incomplete bids, tenders for towers and Microwave Radio have to be recalled. Balance electrical generators (12 No's) can be installed once the construction of eleven self-supported communication towers is completed.

### Center for Research and Development

The center is currently focusing on 15 research areas, but only a few sections remain active in the limited scope of existing buildings. Further, the research activities are being carried out with greater difficulty due to the non-availability of scientific facilities and other building related requirements.

In the process of purchasing materials for weapon and war related me productions, the Center follow the procedure and purchase them through registered local suppliers with the MOD approval. However most of the time due to the non-availability/unawareness of hi-tech war like equipment, no one bid for those tenders. If such items can be purchased directly from the foreign suppliers, the process will be fast as well as economical.

The confidentiality of some researches for the tri forces are important so the project progress and other vital details of the projects are briefed to the CRD Steering Committee. However, all these projects details and progress are requested by the tender boards. Therefore, the confidentiality of some confidential projects will not be maintained.

The professional officers attached as research officers from tri forcers in the institute are not paid a special encouragement allowance. An encouragement allowance on successful completion of a project can encourage the officers as well as keep them employing in the institute without leaving.

Few important project works are being temporary halted due to non-availability of funding.

## 2.3 Future Prospects

### ★ Defence Headquarters Relocation Project

- Completion of Block No 6, 7 and 8 for Sri Lanka Army Headquarters.
- Completion of Communication Building and Signal Tower (Common facility).
- Completion of Security Building (Common facility).
- Road Network to facilitate functioning of AHQ without restricting balance construction work.
- Complete Water Sump and Pump House (Common facility).
- Temporary Accommodation for 2000 ORs at Kinhadeniya
- Complete Sewerage Treatment Plant (Common facility)

### ★ Strategic Defence Communication Network Project

To complete the construction of eleven towers by end of year 2018 and installation of Microwave Radio Links with the Network Management System within the year 2019 and monitor the system progress to review the future requirements to enhance the Network.

### ★ Center for Research and Development

It has been planned to improve the scientific laboratory facilities and other accommodation facilities in order to fully function all research wings under the CRD with the limited available space. Accordingly, planning has been made to obtain required approval.

- To take necessary actions to obtain the approval for the research allowances for the research officers who successfully complete the projects.
- The main objective of the research and development center is to formulate a national banquet for conducting defence related research and development activities for tri services, thereby formulating effective strategies and policies for National Security. Accordingly, this center played a major role for successful research and development activities during the past 10 years. Activities were further expanded to obtain the services of other Government Institutions, which are relevant to the protection of the State as well as the Research and Development Center on the instructions of this Ministry. Accordingly, various issues have been arisen due to state rules and regulations in relation to other government agencies.
- To obtain procurement guideline and special approval to purchase hi-tech war like equipment directly from the foreign suppliers in order to enhance the efficiency of the entire research process.

## 03. PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS DIVISION

### 3.1 Overview

The division handles the duties in respect of reporting to the parliament of the Ministry. Land matters of Tri-Forces and other institutes coming under the purview of the Ministry, handling grievances made by the general public are also handled by the division. In addition, matters related to the purchasing of apparel materials to the Tri-Forces and the Department of Civil Security are coordinated by the division.

### 3.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Land Matters

One of the main functions carried out by this Division is vesting and acquiring of land for the Forces and the Ministry in co-ordination with Ministry of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms, Department of Land Commissioner General, Department of Forest Conservation, Divisional Secretariats and Local Authorities. Following functions were performed during the year 2018.

- Obtaining land vesting/ acquisition applications through the Tri-Forces.
- Obtaining the recommendations and observations from the Divisional Secretaries and the institution where land ownership is vested.

- Submitting the land acquisition/ vesting requests to the Secretary of Ministry of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms, and Land Commissioner General with all required supporting documents.
- Carrying out field inspections in the case of uncertainty occurred in ownership of the lands.
- Coordinating surveying of lands, co-ordinate obtaining valuation reports of the lands.
- Obtaining the approval of the Treasury to allocate the funds to pay the compensation for lands to be acquired for security forces, through the allocation of Ministry of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms.
- Obtaining the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers for land acquisitions when necessary.

In addition, to support the Government's initiative in supporting the reconciliation and resettlement activities, this division, together with the Tri-Forces co-ordinates matters pertaining to the returning of lands to the original owners, and the necessary assistance is provided to re-establish the required camps. In releasing Lands during the year 2018, a remarkable role was played expeditiously under the Presidential Task Force on Northern and Eastern Provinces Development as afore-stated.

The progress of the land release in Northern and Eastern Provinces from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018 is as follows.

Province	Army		Navy		Air Force		Total		Grand Total
	State	Private	State	Private	State	Private	State	Private	
North	4706.35	910.67	9.76	108.15	0.00	0.00	4716.11	1018.82	5734.93
Eastern	22.00	36.50	0.00	3.67	0.00	0.00	22.00	40.17	62.17
Total	4728.35	947.17	9.76	111.82	0.00	0.00	4738.11	1058.99	5797.10

3.1 Table : The progress of the land release in Northern and Eastern Provinces from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018

#### ➤ Duties in respect of reporting to the Parliament

- **Providing Answers for the Oral Questions raised by the Parliamentarians.**

Having co-ordinated with relevant Institutions / Divisions of the Ministry, answers for 15 questions have been prepared in three languages and submitted to the Parliament in time.

- **Consultative Committee of the Ministry of Defence**

The first meeting of the Consultative Committee of the Ministry of Defence was held at the Parliament on 17.10.2018. Answers/ Sub Answers for all proposals submitted.

- **Committee on Public Petition**

In the event of providing the answers which were forwarded by the General Public to the Committee on Public Petitions regarding the Tri-Forces and the other Institutions coming under this Ministry, necessary actions were taken to forward the answers to the Committee on Public Petitions by preparing the relevant answers through obtaining the necessary facts from the respective Divisions / Institutions.

In the year 2018, answers for four(04) petitions were directly provided to the Committee on Public Petition through this Division, while the other petitions were forwarded to the relevant divisions to provide the answers.

- **Sectoral Oversight Committee Meetings**

In the event of holding the Sectoral Oversight Committee Meetings at the Parliament which relevant for the Ministry of Defence, the respective officers were participated and requested information and reports were forwarded. In addition, to that, the relevant officers have been participated with necessary information for the Sectoral Oversight Committee on other Ministries when called for.

- **Questions forwarded under the Standing Orders at the adjournment of the Parliament and the questions forwarded to the Hon. Prime Minister at the Parliament.**
- During the period of review, answers have been provided to 04 adjournment motions and 02 Standing Orders which are relevant for this Ministry.

● **Preparation of Cabinet Memoranda and Providing Observations for the Cabinet Memoranda.**

Six (06) Cabinet Memoranda relevant to the subject matters of the Division were prepared and forwarded to obtain the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers. The Observations of the Minister of Defence were prepared and forwarded for 35 Cabinet Memoranda which were submitted by other Ministries.

➤ **Provide uniforms and textile materials to the Tri-Forces and the Department of Civil Security-DTAC**

Matters related to the purchasing of apparel materials to the Tri-Forces and the Department of Civil Security were being carried out with the coordination of the Ministry of Industries and Commerce, Resettlement of Protracted Displaced Persons and Co-operative Development. The necessary Cabinet approval has been granted to spend an amount worth of Rs. 1,596,474,650.00 and VAT to purchase the required materials from the respective manufacturing institutions.

➤ **Appeals and Grievances of the General Public**

Necessary actions were taken to provide the reliefs to the appeals and grievances made by the General Public directly to the Ministry and also through the Presidential Secretariat, Office of the Prime Minister and Ministry of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development, Vocational Training & Skills Development and Youth Affairs other Government Institutions. 87 appeals and grievances of the General Public have been received by this Division from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.

### 3.3 Future Prospects

It is expected to take necessary actions to retain only the lands essential for the security of the country out of private lands used by Tri - Forces in the North & East and release the other portions and to provide them to legitimate owners. The plan which prepared to release the lands are as follows. This will be amended on the requirements arisen from time to time.

Province	District	Lands proposed to be released (acres)	
		State Lands	Private Lands
North	Jaffna	1.47	262.58
	Kilinochchi	535.49	50.61
	Mullaitivu	273.00	80.92
	Mannar	532.60	6.00
	Vavuniya	52.03	7.64
	Total	1394.59	407.75
Eastern	Ampara	2.00	0.50
	Batticaloa	5.00	13.60
	Trincomalee	33.38	5.00
	Total	40.38	19.10
Grand Total		1434.97	426.85

**3.2 Table:** Lands proposed to be released in 2019

## 4. ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

### 4.1 Overview

The administration division is in-charge of the postal, transportation, Armed forces and Welfare, Api Wenuwen Api and Signal divisions which controls all the internal administration duties of the ministry and also maintains the establishment and admin matters of the following institutions.

#### ➤ Administration Division

##### Personnel Administration and Establishment Matters

- Maintenance of Personal files of all staff officers and non-staff officers in the Ministry and related establishment duties
- Establishment duties related to all staff and non-staff civil officers in Sri Lanka Army, Sri Lanka Navy and Sri Lanka Air Force (except the personal file maintenance)
- Establishment duties including recruitment, promotions, transfers of the departmental civil officers of the State Intelligence Service, Combined Languages Training Center, Research and Development Center and Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka

##### Human Resource Management and Development

- Granting opportunities to participate in local and foreign training courses for staff officers and non-staff officer in the Ministry
- Granting six month computer training for the students of Technical and Vocational Training Centers

##### Maintenance and Management Matters

- Cleaning the Ministry of Defence premises and Media center
- Maintenance and repairing the vehicles of Ministry of Defence

##### Contribution to the National Programme

- Implementation and contribution to the National Programmes including service providing, welfare programmes and various celebrations published by Presidential Secretariat, Prime Minister's Office and other Government institutions

##### War Heroes Welfare

- Welfare services for Tri forces and Civil Security members are maintained by Armed forces Welfare division and Api Wenuwen Api division under the administration division. This includes granting houses for war heroes and other relevant welfare activities.

### 4.2 Achievements in 2018

Responsibility	Activities	Performance		
Increase the Productivity	Updating Personal Files	Files with Complete Details - 391		
	Settling the Payments Without Delay- Bills Granting approval	Vouchers Submitted by the Administrative Division – 2840		
	Distribution of Mails Effectively		Received	Sent
		Register post	11,200	12,920
		By hand	35,400	34,960
By post		25,200	27,000	
Composing Information Management for Accurate Decisions	1. Human Resource Management System			
	● Granting New Appointments	97		
	● Retirement	05		
	● Promotions	09		
	● Granting Increments	314		
	● Transfers	41		
	2. Vehicle Management System			
	● Vehicle Repairs	100		
	● Newly Imported Vehicles	10		
Development of Human Resources, Knowledge and Skills. ● Implementation of Training Programme and Providing Facilities ● Granting basic computer training of National Institute of Labour Studies for 114 of ministry officers	Organizing Workshops	04		
	Organizing Welfare Activities	03		
	Granting Six Months Training for Student Trainers	47		
	Participation for Local and Foreign Training Programmes	Local	Foreign	
		20	24	

4.1 Table: Performance of 2018



## ➤ Armed Forces Welfare Division

Welfare activities for Tri-forces and Civil Security Services members contributed their lives to protect Unity and Territorial Integrity of the motherland.

Followings are conducted for the welfare of the Tri-forces and Civil Security Services members.

- Offering plots of land to construct houses for war heroes
- Granting bursaries for grade 5 scholarship examination passed war heroes children
- Granting financials under Meth Sewana Project to complete half-built houses of war heroes
- Granting recommendations to give long term lease license for war heroes residing government and Mahaweli lands
- Facilitating government school admission of the war heroes children
- Facilitating government service transfers for war heroes spouses
- Implementing various welfare programmes for war heroes

District	Divisional Secretariat	Distributed Plots of Land					Total
		Army	Navy	Air Force	Police Service	Civil Security Service	
Kurunegala	Kotawehera	12	06	04	-	-	22

4.2 Table: Government Land Distribution Project for War Heroes to Construct Houses

Number of Children				Total
Army	Navy	Air Force	Police Service	
125	11	05	20	161

4.3 Table: Bursary Granting Project for Grade 5 Scholarship Examination passed War Heroes Children under National Defence Fund

## ➤ Financials granting project to construct houses for war heroes under National Defence Fund (Meth Sewana)

Through the Meth Sewana project Rs.750,000/- was granted to 300 war heroes beneficiaries to construct their half-built houses.

Forces	Army	Navy	Air Force	Total
Number of beneficiaries of part I	91	34	20	145
Number of beneficiaries part II	107	36	12	155
Total number of beneficiaries	198	70	32	300

4.4 Table : Meth Sewana House Beneficiaries

Army	Navy	Air Force	Total
92	16	18	126

4.5 Table : Granting Recommendations to give Long Term Lease License for War Heroes Residing Government and Mahaweli Lands

Year	Armed Force	Grade										Total
		2	3	4	5	7	8	9	10	11		
2018	Army	3	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	1	8	
	Navy	-	3	2	1	2	-	-	1	-	9	
	Air Force	4	2	2	1	1	3	1	-	-	14	
	Police	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	
Total		8	6	5	2	4	5	2	1	1	34	

4.6 Table : Granting Relief Letters for Admission of the War Heroes Children to Government Schools

Armed Force	Transfers of Teaching Service	Transfers of Health Service	Transfer of Other Government Institutions	Total
Army	13	17	3	33
Navy	18	9	9	36
Air Force	10	7	6	23
Total	41	33	18	92

4.7 Table: Granting Relief letters to Facilitate Government Service Transfers for War Heroes Spouses

It is expected to implement "Semata Sewana" Housing project under loan and funds of National Housing Development Authority in the divisions of Dambulla, Kotawehera, Alahera, Gampaha, Colombo and Hambanthota.

Bursary Granting Project for Grade 5 Scholarship Examination passed War Heroes Children under National Defence Fund

- Granting scholarships for around 200 children of war heroes who passed grade 5 scholarship examination in 2018

Financials Granting Project to Construct houses for War Heroes under National Defence Fund

- During 2019, granting per Rs.750,000/ to 200 war heroes and 25 senior officers of Tri-forces to construct their half-built houses.

## ➤ "Api Wenuwen Api" Housing Project

This division is mainly implementing the welfare programmes to fulfill housing requirements for the armed forces members using the provisions of Api Wenuwen Api fund established under Api Wenuwen Api fund Act No.6 of 2008.

Basic two methods of granting housing provisions for War Heroes

- (01) Offering fully built houses
- (02) Providing financials to fully construct the half-built houses

Project	Amount of Money Expected to be Expended for one house	Target Number of Beneficiaries	Cost Expenditure
Completed house Project	Rs. 1,500,000.00	50	75 Million Rupees
Half-built house Project	Rs. 750,000.00	400	300 million Rupees
Total	-	450	375 Million Rupees

4.9 Table : Projects Implemented during 2018

### Constructing Houses for War Heroes through pictures



Project	Number of Offered Completed Houses	For Completing Half-Built Houses	Total
Army	48	240	288
Navy	-	100	100
Air Force	02	60	62
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>450</b>

4.10 Table: Project Performance in 2018

### 4.3 Future Prospects

#### ➤ Administration Division

- ★ Organizing training programmes identifying the training requirements for the staff of the Ministry of Defence
- ★ Making the service efficient by granting opportunities for the staff members to participate in training programmes, workshops and seminars conducted by this Ministry and other Ministries

- ★ Maintaining accurate information by updating training information system
- ★ Organizing Welfare activities

#### ➤ Armed Forces Welfare Division

	District	Divisional Secretariat	Plots of Land to be Distributed
01	Anuradhapura	Mahawilachchiya	32 pieces
02	Chillaw	Anamaduwa	10 pieces
03	Chillaw	Mundalama	17 pieces
04	Polonnaruwa	Alahera	207 pieces
05	Rathnapura	Kolonna	21 pieces

4.11 Table : Government Lands granting Project for War Heroes to Construct Houses

## 5. CIVIL SECURITY & DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

### 5.1 Overview

The following main objectives are expected to be fulfilled through the execution of the tasks assigned to this division.

- Building a secure civil society
- Ensure safety in the utilization of explosive in the commercial field.
- Provision of regulated Private security Services and authentication of maritime security service agencies.
- Provision of opportunities for academic and professional development to members of the Armed Forces, Police and Civil Security Force as well as to their children.

### 5.2 Achievements in 2018

Activity		Progress in 2018									Total Completed
		Annual Target	1 <sup>st</sup> Term		2 <sup>nd</sup> Term		3 <sup>rd</sup> Term		4 <sup>th</sup> Term		
			To be Accomplished	Completed	To be Accomplished	Completed	To be Accomplished	Completed as at 8/31	To be Accomplished	Completed	
1	Provide approval for the explosive permits	4090	1011	941	956	767	1114	810	1009	799	3317
2	Provide approval for the explosive licenses	2690	453	248	1107	1012	865	647	265	129	2036
3	Provide the approval for the wholesale merchants to purchase the explosives	645	167	149	155	121	163	120	160	111	501
4	Obtain the explosives for the production of Fireworks and Aliwedi	98	40	14	10	9	18	23	30	15	61
5	Obtain the approval for obtaining the explosives to the production of match boxes	54	10	20	11	10	15	23	18	12	65
6	Issuance of Visa	10	2	1	4	1	3	1	1	3	6
7	Provide permission for foreign VIPs	40	6	7	9	9	16	7	9	7	30
8	Provide Authority for Private Security Agencies	20	5	5	3	2	9	1	3	20	28
9	Renewal of the registration of Private Security Agencies	140	80	69	15	6	5	2	40	75	152
10	Provide approval for the operations of the vessels with dangerous containers	1480	397	282	358	344	372		405	327	953
11	Approvals for Tinted glasses (Vehicles)	267	160	29	60	33	30	14	17	4	80
12	Annual salary increments of the Civil Security Division	52	23	17	8	14	13	5	8	8	44
13	Transfers of the Civil Security Division	1	1	1		4		0		3	8
14	Maritime Security Operation through Rakna Lanka	1815	330	357	467	438	491	500	527	606	1901
	● Number of the maritime security officers with firearms	268	44	62	71	48	73	35	80	49	194
	● T 56	100	17	23	16	11	31	5	36	8	47
	● 84 S	122	26	30	22	32	45	25	29	35	122
	● 12 BOW	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	
	● LMG	24	2	12	1	5	6	5	15	7	29
	● Ammunitions	107500	16200	41900	12000	22500	30200	21359	49100	26800	112559
	● Number of the maritime security officers without firearms	3720	898	856	994	914	901	991	927	1091	3852
Maritime security operations through the Sri Lanka Navy											
15	Store the firearms of the commercial vessels at the Colombo Port temporary	221	35	59	55	39	68	35	63	45	178
16	Vessels operations by deploying the Netherland security officers without firearms	29	9	0	10	0	6	1	4	-	1
17	Approval for the transportation firearms by land	154	39	60	33	56	25	50	57	83	249

Activity		Progress in 2018									
		Annual Target	1 <sup>st</sup> Term		2 <sup>nd</sup> Term		3 <sup>rd</sup> Term		4 <sup>th</sup> Term		Total Completed
			To be Accomplished	Completed	To be Accomplished	Completed	To be Accomplished	Completed as at 8/31	To be Accomplished	Completed	
18	Approval for the transportation firearms by air	54	10	10	18	21	13	11	13	14	56
	● Firearms	741	196	114	189	88	155	79	201	186	467
	● Ammunition	15500	35990	30394	40380	61585	35700	23500	42930	44675	160154
19	Transportation of additional firearms by sea Galle Port	980	207	246	230	226	230	151	313	235	858
20	Embarking and disembarking of the maritime security troops	3	2	0	1	0	-	1	-	—	1
21	Provide the approval to seal the firearms within the vessel	4	-	0	2	1	2	0	-	—	1
22	Operations of the vessels from the outside of the Port	68	21	15	17	5	15	6	15	22	48
23	Operations of the vessels from the inside of the Port	30	-	13	9	10	11	10	10	13	46
24	Training of Sea Marshals	7	-	0	7	0	-	0	-	4	4
25	Requests for new firearms/provide licenses for the protection of the cultivation/ animal husbandry	150	10	0	110	0	20	0	10	12	12
26	Requests for .38 & 9mm firearms for the protection of the property and lives	85	15	0	40	2	25	5	5	15	22
27	Requests for firearms for the protection of the Public and Private Institutions	65	15	0	15	1	15	3	20	41	4
28	Requests for the firearms for the State banks and Private banks (NSB)	2000	300	0	300	0	1100	450	300	40	490
29	Requests for the firearms for the sports purposes	70	20	0	35	0	5	3	10	-	3
30	Requests for the firearms for the sports purposes	825	395	35		47		0	452	-	82
31	Importing of Air Rifles and Air Pistols	6000	1500	2382	1500	521	1500	876	1500	-	
32	Issuance of new firearms for the decayed firearms	60	20	0	15	0	15	0	10	0	0
33	Applications received for assigning the firearms possessed by the persons who exceed 65 years of age within his family / Issuance of licenses	200	50	29	50	19	60	8	40	10	66
34	Free firearm licensed / new issuance Public representatives	54	14	5	14	5	13	0	13	1	11
35	Free firearm licensed / renewals Public representatives	336	98	76		21		10	238	8	115
36	.38 and 9mm firearms – Renewal of the licenses	2073	716	496		32		4	1357	919	1451
37	.38 & 9mm weapons transfers			3		0		0		2	5
*	Issuing of Firearms has been temporarily hold with effect from Nov. 2017										

## 06. FINANCE DIVISION

### 6.1 Overview

There are 05 sub – sections existing under the account division of the Ministry of Defence.

- Procurement Section
- Payment Section
- Finance Section
- Loan and Advanced Section
- Salary Section

Following functions are performed by this division

- Preparation of annual budgetary estimates of the ministry, demanding annual imprest, submission of monthly accounts summaries, preparation of revenue accounts, preparation of annual appropriation accounts and dealing with official bank accounts coming under the ministry.

- Dealing with procurement officers in relation to the ministry, departments, institutions and projects coming under the ministry inclusive of the forces.
- Purchasing of goods and services productive as economically for objectives and purposes of the ministry and faith tang for same and management of current assets through the implementation of fixed assets management system.
- Dealing with payments for recurrent expenditure and capital expenditure of the ministry.
- Dealing with payment of salary allowances and loan advances for the staff of the ministry and projects coming under it.
- Dealing with losses, damages writhing off taken place and keeping books in the ministry and departments, institutions and projects coming under it.

S/N	Institution / Section	Recurrent Expenditure (Rs. Million)			Capital Expenditure (Rs. Million)		
		Quantum of Provision	Real Expenditure as at 31/12/2018	Expenditure %	Quantum of Provision	Real Expenditure as at 31/12/2018	Expenditure %
1	Ministerial Office	22.2	17.3	77.93	1.9	1.2	62.06
2	General Administration	2,996.8	2,927.6	97.69	4,533.3	3,399.9	75.00
3	State Intelligence Service	1,448.8	1,374.2	94.85	193.3	188.8	97.65
4	National Cadet Corps	457.1	417.2	91.27	35.5	17.7	49.93
5	Research & Development Center	13.1	12.8	97.81	43.0	42.5	98.75
6	Chief of Defence Staff	65.2	61.7	94.62	3.2	2.9	89.81
7	Office of the State Ministry	36.3	25.0	68.79	1.6	1.0	60.44
8	Instructions Development	1,925.1	1,827.9	94.95	6,821.2	6,087.2	89.24
<b>Total</b>		<b>6,964.6</b>	<b>6,663.7</b>	<b>95.68</b>	<b>11,633.1</b>	<b>9,741.2</b>	<b>83.74</b>

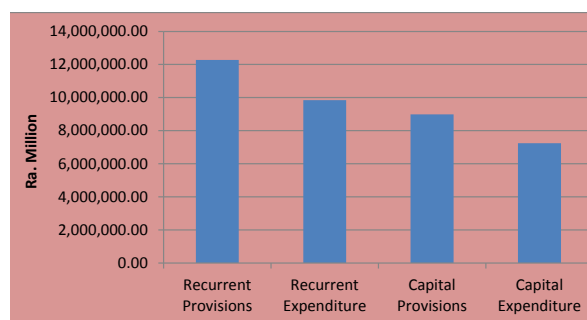
6.1 Table : Financial Progress

#### ➤ Financial Division

Annual Budgetary Estimate – 2019 and Revenue Estimate – 2019 have been prepared and submitted

Following Reports/ Returns have been Submitted during the year 2018.

- Salary and Statistical Report.
- Cash Flow Statement of the National Defence Fund.
- Monthly Account Summary.
- Monthly Imprest Money Requesting Report.
- Arrears Bills Report.
- Description of Bank Account
- Imprest Reconciliation
- Monthly Imprest Requesting Report.
- Appropriation Account.
- Bank Reconciliation Statement.
- Real income Report.
- Arrears Income Report.
- Income Account.
- General Deposit Reconciliation.
- Accumulated Expenditure Report.
- Performance Report.
- Zero Provision Report.



6.1 Chart : Financial Progress

Description	As at 31.12.2017		As at 31.12.2018	
	Approved Annual Imprest	Received Imprest	Approved Annual Imprest	Received Imprest
<b>Recurrent</b>	5,938.39	3,649.825		4,151.956
<b>Capital</b>	6,150.36	2,880.862		1,335.337
<b>Advance 'B' Account of Public Officers</b>	75.00	8,000	100.000	96.125

6.2 Table : Monthly Imprest Money on the Approval of the General Treasury as per the Annual Requirement of Imprest Money - 2018



Income head	Estimate Rs. Million	Accountancy
Explosive and License Fee	22.6	21.02
Rental income of buildings of the Government	3.7	3.72
<b>Rental income</b>	<b>80.7</b>	<b>821.23</b>

**6.3 Table :** Accounting of Income of the Ministry during the Year 2018

Institution	Recommendations for Supplies Provision (Rs million)	Quantum Obtained the Approval	Recommendations for Transfer of Provisions and Provision FR 66	Approval (Rs. Million)
Ministry	1,925.5	1,925.50	225,356	179,765
<b>Other Departments</b>				
Army	12,499,000	839,300	102,095,110	2,335,110
Navy	529,100	157,909.10	435,000	100
Air Force	839,319	389,462	481,500	166,319
Civil Secretary Department	55,240	-	830,960	828,900
Coast Guard Department	17,300	2,500	4,000	17,300

**6.4 Table :** Affairs in relating to Provision Regarded to the Ministry and Departments, Institutions and Projects coming under it

Description	Quantum Requested	Quantum Recommendation Granted
Opening of Bank Accounts	02	02
Closing of Bank Accounts	01	-

**6.5 Table :** Affairs in relation to Bank Accounts of the Ministry and Other Departments coming under it

FR	Quantum Requested (Rs. Million)	Quantum Recommendation (Rs. Million)
FR 115	35	35,875
FR 835	46.50	42

**6.6 Table :** Approved for Payments under FR 115 and Building Rentals under FR835

### ➤ Payment Division

Payments for vouchers relevant to the following institutions are made by the Payment Section.

- Staff of the Ministry
- Administration and Staff of the Ministry
- State Intelligence Service
- Development and Research Institution
- Chief of Defence Staff
- Media Center

Payment of all expenses pertaining to the year was carried out during the year 2018. Vouchers approximately 10211 in number have been received to the payment section from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018. in respect of vouchers received to the payment section during the year 2018 itself in line with the year 2016 and 2017 respectively actions have been taken as follows during the specified period.

- All the vouchers receiving to the payment section have been computerized under G – 35 vouchers management systems numbers of cheques have also been computerized after the payment made.
- When it enables to provide printed cheques 100% issued to outside institutions by the ministry, it could be ensured the more clearance and more credibility on the institution.
- In addition, it has become more official due to payments are made by slip payments through their accounts for most institutions.

As there is a shortage of human resources and physical resources in particular computer, it has become a problematic in dealing with more efficiently.

### ➤ Loan Advance Division

Providing loan facilities for officials and employees who are employing this Ministry as well as State Intelligence Services and Language Training Centers and providing facilities for that purpose.

Description	Maximum Debit Limit of the Expenditure (Rs.Mn.)	Minimum Limit of Receiving (Rs.Mn.)	Maximum Limit of Debit Balances (Rs.Mn.)
As per Appropriate Act 2018	100.0	50.0	275.0
From 01.01.2018 Up to 31.12.2018	96.1	53.6	210.8

Summarized particulars on loans granted under Government Provisions for Officials and Employees concerned under the above Ceilings during the year 2018 by this section for the benefit of Public Employees.

Type of Loan	For SIS Officers (Rs.Mn.)	For Officers in the Ministry (Rs.Mn.)	State Ministry of Defence	Total
Special Advances	2.6	0.25	0.012	2.8
Festival Advance	11.9	1.8	0.46	14.2
Distress Loans	56.3	14.6	8.2	79.0
Cycle Loans		0.006		0.006
Debt Relief		0.007		0.007
<b>Total</b>	<b>70.8</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>96.1</b>

**6.8 Table :** Summarized particulars on Loans granted under Government Provisions for Officials and Employees

- Accordingly, total amount of loan granted as loans for benefit of the aforesaid officials from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018 was Rs. 96,126,556.27
- Number of files of applications referred to grant property loans to Commercial Banks with recommendations of this Ministry from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018 was 17 (seventeen)
- Cancellation of Attorney – Power and settlement of property – 150.

- Granting of internal loans abetments and recoveries of advance 'B' account of public officers for the aforesaid period has been updated and maintained.
- In terms of FR 506(D) government advance 'B' account reconciliation statement as at 31.12.2018 has been submitted to the auditor general on 28.02.2019

#### ➤ Procurement Division

This division carry out the procurement matters pertaining to all the department and projects coming under the ministry inclusive of these forces. Under this procurements matters consists in a value exceeding Rs. 200 million relevant to the tri forces. (SLAPC) and ministerial procurement matters (MPS) are carried on by this division. Matters in respect of procurement conceived are carried on by this division. accordingly following procurement matters have been carried out during this period.

S.N	Institution	No of Procurements	Value (Rs. Millions)	Present Situation						
				Drafting Bid Documents	Issuance if Bid Documents	Evaluation of Bid Documents	Procurement Committee Decision	Appeals	Awarded	Cancelled
01	SL Army	08	4,618.34	-	-	-	05	-	-	03
02	SL Air Force	18	10,696.60	04	-	02	08	04	-	-
03	Project of Construction of Defence	05	1,658.00	-	-	-	-	-	05	-
04	Sir Jhon Kotelawala Defence University	01	205.00	-	-	-	-	01	-	-
05	Strategic Defence Communication Net Project	01	602.00	-	01	-	-	-	-	-

6.9 Table : Procurement Level – SCAPC

S.N	Institution	No of Procurements	Value (Rs.Million)	Present Situation						
				Drafting Bid Documents	Issuance if Bid Documents	Evaluation of Bid Documents	Procurement Committee Decision	Recalled	Awarded	Cancelled
01	Ministry of Defence	160	214.50	-	-	-	-	-	160	160
02	SL Army	07	921.20	01	-	01	01	-	04	-
03	SL Air Force	02	323.00	-	01	-	-	-	01	-
04	Defence HQS Construction Project	11	998.00	-	-	-	-	02	09	-
05	Sir Jhon Kotelawala Defence University	13	1,501.00	02	-	02	-	-	09	-
06	State Intelligence Service	32	37.30	-	-	-	-	-	32	-
07	Strategic Defence Communication Net Project	02	440.00	-	-	-	-	-	02	-

6.10 Table : Procurement Level –MPC

- Procurements Implemented Under Indian/ Any Other Loan Schemes

SN	Institution	No of Procurements	Value (USD Million)	No Awarded Within the Duration	Number Recalled	Not Completed
01	SL Army	02	12.99	01	01	01
02	SL Air Force	02	3.22	-	01	01

6.11 Table : Procurement- SCAPC

- Approvals under FR

NO.	Institution	Quantum Approval Granted
01	SL Army	133
02	SL Navy	30
03	State Intelligence Service	12
04	SL Air force	225
05	Sir Jhon Kotelawala Defence University	05

6.12 Table : Under FR 136 approvals are granted

NO.	Institution	Quantum Approval Granted
01	SL Army	53
02	SL Navy	89
03	SL Air force	71
04	Defence HQS construction project	02

6.13 Table : Granting approval for Letter of Credit

In addition granting approval to obtain vehicles on rental basis and also granting approval of CEPEC in relation to the forces are carried out by this section.

#### ➤ Supply Loss and Damage Division

- With a view to accomplish the objectives and purposes of the Ministry of Defence, purchasing of goods productive economically in pursuance of laws & regulations acts & ordinances, strong them, issuing them to relevant seetrons and documentation.
- Providing facilities required to the ministry and all the departments and institutions coming under it through registration of annual suppliers.
- Protection of the safety of non-financial assets owned the ministry and departments and institutions administered under it through boards of services and of grids and disposal of unnecessary grids property.
- Dealing as per provisions stipulated in FR 102 in respect of damages caused to property and property take charged owned to the ministry and departments and institutions administered under it.
- Accordingly, as per FR 104 (3), minimizing the loss caused to the government calling final report of FR 104 (4) and report of board of injury immediately often the preliminary report is received and through recovering the loss from them including departmental charges if there are persons who responsible for same.

- Management of fixed assets owned the ministry through the fixed assets management system.
- Carrying out functions systematically in respect and documentation.
- Having identified the requirements of the ministry and departments and institutions coming under it under FR 855 and granting approval required in the manner suit to it.
- Contribution to the procurement process through granting approval under 9.3.1 of the procurement guidelines for repairing from local agents/representatives of estimated vehicles and machine and equipment's over Rs. Two lakhs.

#### Progress during the period from 01.01.2018 up to 31.12.2018.

- Preparation of the main procurement plan pertaining to the ministry and projects coming under it. (in relation to head of expenditure 103)
- Earned and income of an amount of Rs. 44,423,906.55 by registering suppliers for the year 2018 and credited to the government fund.
- Providing goods and services required to the ministry and institutions administered under it. Enabling to perform their own tasks incurring minimum cost as per specified standards with transparency according to the procurement plan.
- Discharging annual board of services, disposal activities – 2017 and the general treasury.
- Granting approval under procurement guidelines 9.3.1 (b) repair from local agents of estimated vehicles and machines & agreement over more than Rs. Two lakhs.
- As per procurement plan 2018, purchasing storing and distribution of goods& services efficiently & effectively.
- Carrying out of activities on files of loss & damages, recovering without delay.

Institution	No of Files
Sri Lanka Army	40
Sri Lanka Navy	60
Sri Lanka Air Force	26

6.14 Table Granting Approvals for Letter of Credit

#### "Api Wenuwen Api" Fund

"Api Wenuwen Api" fund was established by the act No. 06 of 2008 with the main purposes and objectives.

- Implementation of schemes to provide financial and to members of the armed forces in order to construct shelters.
- Providing and to service personnel for obtaining housing facilities.
- Making provisions to and service personal in obtaining loans from financial institutions and in repaying such loans.

- preparation of a scheme to ensure the recovery of loans in the case of death. Permanent liability caused by actions or any other means on sustained injury of service personnel.

Administration, management and control of the fund has been vested to a management board presided by the secretary of the ministry of the minister in charge of the subject of state defence comprising persons possessing experiences and specialist knowledge who are bearing designations nominated by the fields of legal finance.

The island wide project of constructing houses for the sake of next War heroes who sacrificed them lived in active service and these who disabled in operation and also those who are in the service at present are being implemented under the provision of housing aids facilities and for that purpose for armed service personnel of which has become the main objective of the "Api Wenuwen Api" fund.

Accordingly provisions have been released/ allocated in order to construct complete & half built houses of island wide war heroes during the year 2018 (capital expenditure) further, operational expenses incurred when implementing such projects are indicated separately.

#### ➤ Provisions granted for houses

NO.	District	Expenditure (Rs.)
01.	For complete 50 houses	75,000,000.00
02.	For half built houses of war heroes (To Release First Installment)	400,643,632.00
03.	Project operational expenditure (Recurrent Expenditure)	8,269,041.00

6.13 Table : Provisions granted for houses

Similarly, a sum of Rs. 1,043,500 has been released for welfare of war heroes and projects carried out by the retired glaciers flagged association.

During the year 2019, it is expected to 600 half built houses in consideration of rearrangements of half built houses of war heroes by the "Api Wenuwen Api" fund and also it is anticipated to deal with requirements for welfare of war heroes lonerning a periodical proposal on the approval of the board of management.

#### ➤ State Ministry of Defence

Preparation of budget in relation to the State Ministry of Defence incurring expenses in compliance with budgetary provisions, providing particulars pertaining to preparation annual appropriation accounts, carrying out of procurement activities and coordination matters in institution coming under the state ministry.

Description	State Ministry of Defence	National Cadet Corps	Defence Servicers College
Recurrent Expenditure	177.00	69.60	-
Capital Expenditure	12.00	15.00	93.07

6.14 Table : Progress as at 31.12.2018 (Rs. Million)

## 07 POLICY AND PLANNING DIVISION

### 7.1 Overview

Policy and Planning Division is engaged in the formulation of Policies relevant to the Scope of the Ministry and in the task of Supervising the Progress of the ministry and State Ministry and also institutions affiliated there to. It also formulates activities required to implement Projects and Programs in order to ensure the National Defence and restore the reconciliation process with institutions together with institutions affiliated to the Ministry inclusive of the Tri – Forces, Civil Security Department and Coast Guard Department, through the utilization of Annual Provisions.

#### Functions

- Taking necessary actions to formulate Policies relevant to ensuring the National Security and coordination.
- Preparation of annual action plan and monitoring the utilization of Provisions.
- Preparation of Project Proposals and Submission to the Department of National Planning for funding requirements.
- Obtain Cabinet approval for the various Projects, Programmes and reports.
- Supervision of Projects carried out by the Ministry of Defence and its affiliated institutions as well as reviewing the Progress of those Projects.
- Provide Project information to the other government institutions.
- Provide assistance for Special Projects and Programmes implemented by the government in relation to the line Ministers
- Supervision of the Physical Progress of Projects / Programmes.
- Preparation of the Performance Report and the Progress Report and table in the parliament

### 7.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Obtaining Cabinet approval for Projects, Programmes and Reports

Actions are being taken to obtain Cabinet approval to implement Projects that exceeded Rs 20 Mn and Cabinet approval has been granted for 37 new projects in 2018.

#### ➤ Preparation of the Performance Report

The Performance report in 2017 was Prepared and table of in Parliament. In addition, Performance Reports of the Tri – Forces were tabled in the parliament.

#### ➤ Review of Progress

Progress review meetings were held in order to monitor the quarterly progress with the participation of all the institutions affiliated to Ministry.

#### ➤ Preparation of Annual Progress Report

The Progress report was prepared by analyzing the progress of the Ministry of Defence and its affiliated Institutions in 2018, covering the time period from 01.01.2018 to 31.12.2018 and it was submitted during the budget debate of 2019.

#### ➤ Preparation of the Annual Action Plan

Action Plan for the year 2018 was prepared and forwarded to the Presidential secretariat, Treasury Operations Department and the National Budget Department.

#### ➤ Submission of Project Progress Reports

Reports on monthly, quarterly progress in projects implemented through the Ministry and its affiliated Institutions were submitted to the Presidential Secretariat, National Budget Department and Project Monitoring & Management Department.

#### ➤ Capacity Development of Humanitarian Search and Rescue Teams.

Provisions regarded to purchase equipment for skills development of search & rescue teams of the Tri – forces and providing training in respect of disaster management are allocated and progress was monitored.

### 7.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Execute future plans according to the action plan of 2018, effectively utilize the allocated provisions and supervision.
- ★ Prepare and forward the action plan for 2019 to the relevant government institutions and effectively utilize the provisions.
- ★ Prepare the performance report of 2018 and table of in parliament before the due date.
- ★ Coordination of functions relating to policy formulation.
- ★ Assisting to prepare Budget Estimates for the year 2020 and preparation of the Progress Report – 2019 required submit the Progress of the Ministry at the time of budget Committee.
- ★ Providing assistance required to implement National Programmes.

## 8. INTERNAL AUDIT DIVISION

### 8.1 Achievements in 2018

Institution	Internal Audit Scope and Audited Date
Ministry of Defence	Transport Division - 2018/01/22
	Supply Division and Stores - 2018/03/
	Payment Vouchers of March 2018 -2018/06/14
	Payment Vouchers of April 2018 -2018/08/09
	Payment Division and Finance Division -2018/08/27
	Payment Vouchers of May 2018 -2018/08/28
	Transport Division -2018/09/12
	Api Wenuwen Api Fund -2018/10/17
State Ministry of Defence	Payment Vouchers - 2018/07/04 Payment Vouchers - 2018/08/08 Payment Vouchers - 2018/08/31 Payment Vouchers - 2018/09/26
Sri Lanka Army	Investigation of Highleg boots Procurement 2018/04/23
Sri Lanka Navy	Bank Reconciliation -2018/07/12 Food Procurement Division -2018/11/30
Sri Lanka Air Force	Procurement Division -2018/06/06
Civil Security Department	Horowpathana Force - 2018/10/06
Sri Lanka Coast Guard Department	SLCG Waruna (Wellawatte) -2018/12/03 Head Office - 2018/12/03
Sir John Kotelawala Defence University	Procurement Division and Finance Division -2018/03/19 Special Investigation (Payment) -2018/06/04 Special Investigation (Buying goods for Defence University Hospital) -2018/01/22
Explosives and Firearms Procurement Unit	Procurement Division -2018/06/11
Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited	Catering Division -2018/07/13
Defence Service College	Stores -2018/08/24
Joint Services Language Training Institute	Stores -2018/09/13
Centre for Research and Development	Procurement Division -2018/11/02
Ranaviru Sewa Authority	Payment Division and Stores -2018/04/11
National Cadet Corps	Procurement Division and Stores -2018/04/11

8.1 Table : Audits done in 2018



## 09. LAW AND ORDER DIVISION

### 9.1 Overview

The Ministry of Law & Order and Southern Development which was established by the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1942/10 dated 24.11.2015 continued its duty up to 27.03.2018 within the scope of Law & Order and Southern Development until it was established as the Ministry of Law & Order by the Gazette Extraordinary No.2064/26 dated 28.03.2018. Subsequently it was renamed as the Ministry of Law & Order up to 11.05.2018 and the scope was expanded with the Ministry of Public Administration and Management in terms of the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2070/56 dated 12.05.2018. Thereafter it was combined with the Ministry of Defence by the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2096/17 dated 05.11.2018 ensuring its duty as per the policies drawn by the government through the scope assigned with the Law & Order division.

Accordingly, Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force are ensuring their commitment to establish a law abiding society through maintenance of law & order, curbing crimes, violence, harassment and illegal actions, stifling of crimes and anti social acts as well as establishing social discipline. The National Police Commission also provides enormous corporation for the smooth functioning of these initiatives. Sri Lanka Police, Special Task Force and National Dangerous Drugs Control Board put their shoulder to the wheel to control dangerous drugs which is identified as a menace in the Country.

This Division constantly take actions in line with the policies of the government to create a conducive environment while ensuring the co-existence in order to perform the mammoth task of safeguarding the freedom and peace of all the communities living in the Island.

Law & Order Division has gone on to shoulder enormous onus of carrying out the main tasks of safeguarding the law & order in the country, controlling of vehicular traffic and taking of suitable measures for road safety, formulation and initiation of productive plans for control and prevention of circulation and the use of dangerous drugs. All the corporation required for formulation of policies, guidance, supervision, evaluation of performance and follow up in order to create a developed country are being rendered continuously.

#### Conforming to the Guidance .....

“I will establish Independent Commissions to secure the impartiality of the judicial, police, elections and auditing Institutions and the office of the Attorney-General.”

“I will introduce a political merit system to secure the impartial functioning of the Public Service in accordance with government policies.”

“Maximum action will be taken to prevent the abuse of women and children that has grown to unbelievable proportions in the country due to the wrong actions of people of all walks of life. I will provide facilities to speed up and

end in a short span of time the trials related to these offences. Thereby I will act to completely stop the abuse of women and children.”

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“A Special Force will be established, combining the National Intelligence Service, the Special Task Force, Sri Lanka Customs and the Authority for the Control of Dangerous Drugs to suppress drug dealers.”

“Special Rehabilitation Centres will be established to rehabilitate drug addicts.”

#### From the Budget Proposals 2018.....

“The SLTDA will establish 25 life guarding stations on the coast and the Government will collaborate with Sri Lanka Police to strengthen 20 Tourism Police Units in popular tourist spots to ensure the safety of Tourists.”

#### (No. 136)

“Mr Speaker, in ensuring security in the country asymmetric threats including cyber terrorism, financial crimes, drugs and human trafficking are the emerging issues. It is incumbent upon us to ensure that our security forces are properly capacitated with not only hard infrastructure but also with soft infrastructure including the ability to access information not only within the country but also collaborate with our neighbors without infringing on the privacy of our people. Therefore, resources will be allocated as follows.”

“Community policing has been identified to be a key element in the Police reform process especially in positioning Sri Lanka Police as a professional, people friendly law enforcement agency.”

“A Police and Criminal Justice University, a brainchild of the Prime Minister will be established. This will focus on areas of Human Rights, International Law, Security, Criminology, Forensics, Investigational and Intelligence Analytics.”

“The Cyber Crime Investigation Unit of the Sri Lanka Police will be strengthened while upgrading the Police Information and Communication Systems to meet the modern day demands.”

#### Objectives

- To compile policies and to guide for the maintenance of a peaceful ambience which enables each and every citizen to live without fear and apprehension.
- To control vehicular traffic for facilitating transport and formulate rules and regulations on minimizing the traffic congestion.
- To take necessary action in liaison with the National Police Commission with a view to improving the efficiency of the Police Service.
- To formulate policies for the prevention of the use and circulation of dangerous drugs and socially reintegrating the drug addicts after rehabilitation.

## Duties and Functions

- Maintenance of law and order.
- Implementation of strategies inclusive of wider reforms ensuring social discipline.
- Taking necessary measures to improve the efficiency of the Police Service in consultation with the National Police Commission.
- Seeing to the prevention and combatting of various crimes and anti social acts that have turned out to be a social menace.
- Controlling the vehicular traffic.
- Prevention and control of the use of dangerous drugs.

## 9.2 Achievements in 2018

### Staff of the Division

Serial No.	Designation	Service	Grade	Salary Scale	Approved Cadre		Cadre as at 31.12.2018	
					Permanent	Casual	Permanent	Casual
1	Secretary	-	-	SL -2006	01			
2	Additional Secretary	S.L.A.S.	Special	SL 3-2006	02		02	
3	Chief Finance Officer	S.L.Acc.S.	Special	SL 3-2006	01			
4	Senior Assistant Secretary	S.L.A.S	I	SL 1-2006	03		02	
5	Director (Planning)	S.L.P.S.	I	SL 1-2006	01			
6	Chief Accountant	S.L.Acc.S.	I	SL 1-2006	01			
7	Chief Internal Auditor	S.L.Acc.S.	I	SL 1-2006	01		01	
8	Assistant/Deputy Director (Planning)	S.L.P.S.	II/III	SL 1-2006	02		01	
9	Assistant Secretary	S.L.A.S.	II/III	SL 1-2006	03		03	
10	Accountant	S.L.Acc.S.	II/III	SL 1-2006	02		01	
11	Legal Officer	Departmental	II/III		01			
12	Administrative Officer	P.M.A.S.	Supra	MN 7-2006 A	01		01	
13	Translator (Sinhala -English)	G.T.S.	Special, I	MN 6-2006A	01			
14	Translator (Sinhala -Tamil)	G.T.S.	Special, I	MN 6-2006A	01		01	
15	Coordinating Secretary – Secretary	Temporary	-	-		01		
16	Information Communication Technology Officer	I.C.T.S.	Class II Grade II	MN 6-2006A	01			
17	Statistics Officer		I/II		01		01	
18	Development Officer	D.O.S.	III,II,I	MN 4-2006 A	24		16	
19	Still Photographer	Temporary				01		
20	Public Management Assistant	P.M.A.S.	III,II,I	MN 2-2006 A	40		37	
21	Driver	D.S.	III,II,I Special	PL3-2006	15		13	
22	Office Assistant Service	O.E.S.	III,II,I, Special	PL1-2006	18		17	
23	Camera Operator Assistant	Temporary				01		
<b>Total</b>					120	03	95	

9.1 Table :Staff of the Division as at 31.12.2018

In addition to the approved cadre a Director (Media) (Non SLAS) is also in the service on approval of Cabinet of Ministers.

## Divisional Performance

### ➤ Towards achieving objectives of the Division

#### ● Developing Human Resources

Officers numbering 105 were sent to several training courses during the year 2018 in view of enhancing the performance of the staff. Two officers were given training on Government Procurement Process, four officers on Computerized Payment Method, 40 officers on drafting of Cabinet Memorandum, four officers on English Language and Information Technology, 46 officers from several grades on Second Language Courses while 6 staff officers were given overseas training and conferences within four countries.

#### ● Initiating the Special Tasks in a Formal Manner

Annual Action plan, Annual Performance Report in the year 2017, progress report enabling to use at the Budget Debate 2019 were prepared as per the circulars and forwarded to relevant institutions.

Sixty two Cabinet Memoranda were submitted during the year under review in order to perform the tasks carried out by the division and the institutions under its purview in a formal and transparent manner. As per the approval and recommendations granted to those memoranda actions are underway to take necessary steps in order to perform the tasks of the division and the institutions under its purview in a proper manner.

Twelve development project proposals of Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force were evaluated and submitted those to the National Planning Department enabling them to forward the recommendations to the National Budget Department.

Action has been taken to obtain the approval for three procurements at a value of Rs.952.04 million under the Cabinet Appointed Standing Procurement Committee, five procurements at a value of Rs. 453.08 million under the Ministerial Procurement Committee and 6 recommendations from Departmental Procurement Committee.

Twenty bid openings were carried out during the year 2018. Among them 14 procurements are in relation to the Ministry while four procurements are for Special Task Force and two for Sri Lanka Police.

Recommendations were issued for 23 Letters of Credit in respect of Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force.

Conducting of monthly committee meetings in relation to elimination of inhuman harassment under National Human Rights Action Plan 2017-2021 and initiations of short term, medium term and long term activities.

Preparation of nine oral answers for Parliament Questions, Answers for 13 questions under standing orders 23/2 and 53 reports requested by Parliament Sectorial Committee, Parliament Public Petition Committee.

Submission of observations of the Hon Minister prepared for four Cabinet memoranda forwarded by other Ministries.

● **Contributing to the Institutional and Administrative Tasks of the Institutions that are Functioned under the purview of the Ministry**

Approval of the National Police Commission was obtained to amend the recruitment and promotion procedure of support service in Sri Lanka Police.

Action was taken to approve 167 promotions, 15 backdates for promotions, 18 permanent in several posts, 38 retirements and 04 re-employments on contract basis to Government Gazetted Officers of Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force. Also 75 requests in relation to that were forwarded to the National Police Commission.

Action was taken to forward recommendations of the Secretary of the Ministry to the National Police Commission in respect of promotions to 204 officers, 89 back date promotions, 337 retirements, 1,252 reinstatements, 317 transfers, 1,272 requests in relation to disciplinary actions of Inspector Grades Officers of Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force and transfers to 78 OICs.

Action was also taken to recruit Doctors qualified at Kotelawala Defence University as well as Nurses on contract basis to Police Medical Division of Sri Lanka Police.

Action is being underway to recruit Police Security Assistants to Police Constables, Police Constable Drivers and posts in the Police Support Services as well as to grant pension entitlements to Police Security Assistants who are not in the active service on several reasons at the granting of appointments with permanent and pension entitlements. Approval was granted for foreign training to 320 officers in Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force.

Action was taken to create 14 supernumerary posts in Sri Lanka Police in order to promote to the post of Chief Inspector of Police on the basis of supernumerary posts given to 14 Police Inspectors who have recruited to Sri Lanka Police as Sub Police Inspectors in the years 1989/90 and faced injustice, by National Police Commission on approval of Management Services Development. Action was taken to promote them to the post of Chief Inspector of Police.

Officers numbering 379 were called for an interview before Tripartite Committee for consideration of officers faced injustice due to political reasons and 129 officers were named as subjected to injustice due to political reasons. Approval of the Cabinet of Ministers was also obtained in that regard and the process in relation to that is in the final stage.

Approval was granted to set up 17 new Police Stations and Police Posts and a special Police Division during the year under review.

Preliminary actions were taken to acquire land plots of 640 for Police Stations, Police Posts, Holiday homes for Government Gazetted Officers and Special Task Force camps and 271 land plots were cleared.

Co-ordination to table the Performance Report 2017 of Sri Lanka Police and Annual Report 2015 of National Dangerous Drugs Control Board to the Parliament.

Action was taken to confer Poornabhumi Award for 145 Police Officers, DeshaPutra Award to 13 officers, Excellent service medal for 723 officers and Riviresa mission medal and contents for an officer.

Granting approval for 270 film directions, teledramas, advertisements, weddings number of trainings and other activities in relation with security.

Action was taken to attach officers in relation to 80 requests made for VIP security, High Commissions and Prisons.

● **Supervising the Target Progress**

Action was taken to organize nine monthly and quarterly Progress Review Meetings and three quarterly Audit and Management Committee Meetings in order to identify issues of each institution and thereby to find solutions.

● **Implementing the Methods of Managing the Public Grievances**

Emergency call services and public grievance management methods were implemented as follows in view of providing opportunity to obtain relief in relation to the matters that were late or not initiated by the law & order division or institutions under its purview, while providing opportunity to public to make complaints and allegations against public institutions and officers and providing opportunity to forward problems and grievances of officers who are working under the institutions which comes under the purview of the Division.

Complaints received and solved during the year 2018 under those measures are as follows.

Srl. No	Management Measure	2018		Percentage
		Complaints Received	Complaints Solved	
01	Ministry Public Day	1,070	476	45%
02	118 Emergency Calls	41,319	41,319	100%
03	Tell President	3,871	3,437	89%
04	Tell IGP	2,046	1,644	80%
05	Public Relief Day of IGP	1,328	1,047	78%
06	Public Relief Room	1,171	598	51%
07	119 Emergency Calls	1,123,210	1,118,801	99%
Total		1,174,015	1,167,322	99%

**9.2 Table:** Number of Public Grievances Received and the Measures taken

**Taking Necessary Measures in Making the Roles of the Institutions under the Divisions More Efficient and Productive**

● **Obtaining International Corporation to Maintain Law and Order**

This Division was entered in to two memoranda of understanding with Indonesia and Iran during the year 2018. In addition, actions in relation to submission of proposals and signing of agreements in order to enter in to agreements with Qatar, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Australia, Vietnam, South Africa, Russia, Thajikistan and International Committee of the Red Cross are also been carried out.

### ● Sri Lanka Police in Liaison with People in a New Approach

A committee with experts was established in 2016 to identify the present shortcomings and weaknesses in order to reform Sri Lanka Police in line with future requirements and thereby update it as a better and efficient Police Service. Recommendation report submitted by the committee was reviewed at 2 workshops held on 11.05.2018 and 04.09.2018 with the participation of the Hon. Minister, Secretary including the officials of the Ministry, officials of Sri Lanka Police and other stakeholders. Police Reforms Action Plan prepared including the matters agreed was submitted for cabinet approval.

### ● Establishment of a University for Sri Lanka Police

Approval of the cabinet was obtained on 02.10.2018 in order to instruct the Legal Draftsman to draft the Act in relation to the proposed University of Police Criminal Justice for Sri Lanka Police. Accordingly it was forwarded for Legal Draftsman.

### ● Establishment of a method for automated payment of fines

This proposal was submitted to establish speedy, flexible automated payment system for fines that are not submitted for courts for traffic offences. As per the instructions of National Agency for Public Private Partnership (NAPPP) which comes under the purview of Ministry of Finance and Mass Media, proposal was submitted to obtain the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers.

### ● Upgrading Police Information and Communication System

This project was initiated in view of enhancing the efficiency of the institution through improving of capacities such as Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance.

It is scheduled to implement the first stage of the project within the Western Province and later to expand within the Island as a second stage. Approval of the Cabinet was granted to obtain proposals from institutions that could be initiated the project on grants or loans on concessionary rates.

### Supervising the Performance of Infrastructure development projects

A sum of Rs.1,760 million out of Rs 1,954 million allocated to development projects for Sri Lanka Police for the year 2018 was incurred and physical and financial progress of each project is as follows.

Projects	2018 Allocation (Rs.Mn.)	Financial Progress (Rs. Mn.)	Physical Progress
New Buildings and Structure	1,433	1,407.59	Completed 17 Ongoing 31
Construction of a Police Academy	243	109.22	Completed 01 Ongoing 07
Development of Police Training College	65	59.28	Completed 02 On going 04
Prefabricated Buildings	85	67.82	Completed 125 Ongoing 02
Purchasing Horses & Dogs	128	116.99	Purchased 18 horses Purchased 45 dogs 10 Local dogs at Procurement stage
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,954</b>	<b>1,760.90</b>	

9.3 Table :Performance of Infrastructure Development Projects of Sri Lanka Police



Constructed Katupotha Police Station



Constructed Women Barracks in Malalasekara Mawatha



Provision of Rs.1,686.3 million was allocated for development projects of Special Task Force for the year 2018 and Rs. 1,152.5 million was spent in that connection. Physical and Financial progress of each project are as follows.

Projects	Allocation 2018 (Rs.Mn.)	Financial Progress (Rs. Mn.)	Physical Progress
Prefabricated Buildings	169.5	117.53	Completed 25 On going 19
New Buildings and Structure	310.80	220.68	Completed 16 On going 18
Development of Barrack Facilities in 07 Camps	110	32.8	Completed 02 On going 05
Officers sent for UN Peace Keeping Mission	1,096	781.5	Trained officers and several equipments purchased
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,686.3</b>	<b>1,152.5</b>	

9.4 Table : Performance of Infrastructure Development Projects of Special Task Force

A sum of Rs. 745 million was allocated to Sri Lanka Police for the year 2018 by the Budget Proposals in respect of development activities such as setting up of Tourist Police Units, introduction of Community Police concept, improving of Police Information and Communication System in line with present requirements, strengthening of Cyber Crime Investigation Unit, Police Reforms, establishment of Police University. Also, Rs. 41.94 million was spent during the year in that connection.



Completed Officers Barrack in Tangalle Camp



Completed Auditorium and resident building at Katukurunda Training School

## ● Being in the Assistance in order to maintain the Stabilization of the Normal Community Life of the Country

Provision of Policy and Strategic Guidance required to speed up the Solutions for Crimes Reported in the Island

A key indicator that reflects the progress of maintaining the law and order in the country is the absolute number of reported crimes and the relative value of the resolution of reported crimes. The numeric table below shows the changes happened in regard to number of reported crimes and solved crimes during the year 2018 as a result of the programmes and projects implemented under the guidance of the Ministry.

Type of Crime	2016			2017			2018		
	Reported	Solved	%	Reported	Solved	%	Reported	Solved	%
Grave Crimes	36,937	26,869	72%	35,979	28,016	78%	36,355	28,246	78%
Minor Offences against Persons	45,579	30,481	67%	42,224	29,303	69%	41,888	27,831	66%
Minor Offences against Properties	33,349	15,969	48%	32,881	16,664	51%	31,415	14,143	45%
Petty Compliants	1,039,350	1,038,942	99%	1,029,087	1,029,047	99%	1,013,661	971,617	96%
Grave Crimes and Minor Crimes against Children	5709	3,294	58%	5,054	3,711	73%	5,799	3,172	55%
Grave Crimes and Minor Crimes against Women	9,042	4,976	55%	8,444	6,100	72%	8,211	5,168	63%
Corruption Related Offences	1,255	1,217	97%	1,055	1,025	97%	954	868	91%
Statutory Offences	46,171	44,177	96%	49,013	46,857	96%	40,607	38,102	94%

9.5 Table : Classification of Reported Crimes and Progress Made

The progress made on the resolution of grave crimes, corruption related offences and other statutory offences means the number of suspects arrested and the progress made on the resolution of minor offences and petty complaints indicates the number of such cases finalized through finding solutions by Sri Lanka Police or on referral to the Mediation Board.

## ● Taking Necessary Steps in order to Streamline the Vehicular Traffic so as to Secure the Lives and Property of the People

As per the Numeric Table No.06 appended on vehicular accidents, there was a decline of 6% of total vehicular accidents in the year 2018 comparing to the year 2017. Accordingly it vouches for the fact that the measures to file complaints against those involved in vehicular offences and vehicular accidents, handing out fines, introduction of new programmes to manage the vehicles for minimizing the vehicular traffic as well as the steps taken to venture into legal measures as a remedial measure to the traffic congestion have had a direct impact.

Year	Fatal Accidents	Serious Accidents	Minor Injuries	Accidents with Damages	Total Accidents	No. of Vehicles	No. of Accidents per 1,000 Vehicles
2016	2,824	8,148	14,604	13,510	39,086	6,795,469	6
2017	2,922	8,302	13,592	13,072	37,889	7,247,122	5
2018	2,953	8,475	12,264	12,064	35,756	7,727,921	5

9.6 Table : Vehicular Accidents



## ● Contributing Actively to Eliminate the Drug Menace

Action has already been initiated with the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers to sign a memorandum of understanding with the member countries of coordination centre on strengthening in order to avoid drug circulation among Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal and Sri Lanka. Approval of the Cabinet of Ministers was granted on 21.09.2018 to the Cabinet Memorandum submitted in relation to amendments to the Act Against dealing of Narcotic drugs and Psychotropic substances Act No. 1 of 2008.

Approval of the Cabinet of Ministers was obtained to draft a special provisions act on drug control in order to prepare a formal process to control drug dealing with the support of Three Forces. The drafting process is being carried out at present. Objective of this task is to take steps to eliminate drug menace.

As per the instructions given to Sri Lanka Police and Special Task Force to control illicit liquor and narcotic drugs distributed throughout the country, several raids were carried out and reported offences in relation to narcotic drugs and liquor was increased by 12% during 2018 in comparison with the year 2017. The Numeric Table No. 07 below depicts that it was able to solve 94%.

Srl. No	Offence	2016		2017		2018	
		Reported	Solved	Reported	Solved	Reported	Solved
1	Offences of Narcotic Drugs	88,352	86,330	107,944	104,641	124,940	120,052
2	Offences of Liquor	120,105	111,028	120,198	113,037	129,813	119,514
<b>Total</b>		<b>208,482</b>	<b>197,358</b>	<b>228,142</b>	<b>217,678</b>	<b>254,753</b>	<b>239,566</b>
<b>Percentage</b>		<b>94%</b>		<b>95%</b>		<b>94%</b>	

9.7 Table : Narcotic Drugs

The Numeric Table No. 08 vouches for the fact that it was possible to apprehend most of the narcotic drug hauls in circulation throughout the country by providing relevant instructions to carry out raids on priority basis after having analyzed the pattern of the expansion of narcotic drugs in the Island following the identification of areas from which the most number of complaints are received and that the apprehension of such contraband has seen an up turn by 15% in 2018 as against the year 2017.

Narcotic	Number of Arrests								
	Drugs			2017			2018		
	Kg	g	mg	Kg	g	mg	Kg	g	mg
Cannabies	36,817	698	506	19,723	980	949	884	457	162
Opium	15	399	970	-	02	575	-	08	380
Hashish	27	443	650	39	042	554	82	291	597
Heroin	205	147	430	124	829	051	721	363	175
Morphine	-	74	730	-	-	250	-	194	784
Cocaine	1,302	735	42	222	122	075	09	859	780
Other	506	523	334	383	602	853	556	389	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>38,872</b>	<b>3,019</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>20,481</b>	<b>2,577</b>	<b>3,307</b>	<b>10,254</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>904</b>

9.8 Table : Narcotic Drugs Related Arrests



Narcotics and Liquor related raids by the Special Task Force

## Other Raids Carried out by the Special Task Force

The Numeric Table No.9 shows the number of planned raids carried out by the Special Task Force in curbing informal and destructive ventures taking place in the country.

Srl. No	Arrested Contrabands	2016	2017	2018
1	Dust Tea	35	32	30
2	Transport of Cattle	42	128	88
3	Meat Unfit for Consumption	35	51	79
4	Weapons & Explosives	44	154	248
5	Raids Related Drugs (Illicit Liquor / Permitted Liquor/ Foreign Liquor)	247	755	1,328
6	Other (Sand, Soil, Wallapatta, Treasure, Wood, Gem Mining, Cigarettes )	702	4,582	5,939
7	Toxic Narcotics	349	940	1,934
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,454</b>	<b>6,642</b>	<b>9,646</b>

9.9 Table :Other Raids carried out by the Special Task force

The above table depicts a considerable increase of raids carried out by Special Task Force. It is an increase of 356% of the year 2017 in comparison with the year 2016. Also there is an increase of 45% in 2018 in comparison with 2017. This increase occurs as a result of increasing of drugs related raids and other raids.

## Financial Provisions and Utilization

The Financial Provisions allocated for the year 2018 were effectively managed and accordingly the financial progress was 82% of the total provision (the Recurrent Expenditure 93% and the Capital Expenditure 57%).

The manner in which the total provision and the total expenditure have been divided as capital and recurrent expenditure is as shown below.

Type of Expenditure	Total Provision		Total Expenditure		Percentage of Expenditure
	Amount (Rs.)	Percentage	Amount (Rs.)	Percentage	
Recurrent	8,343,394,000	68%	7,800,629,842	78%	93%
Capital	3,923,460,000	32%	2,233,635,124	22%	57%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,266,854,000</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10,034,264,967</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>82%</b>

9.10 Table : Financial Provisions and Utilization- 2018

## 10. OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF DEFENCE STAFF

### 10.1 Overview

The origins of the Office of the Chief of Defence Staff could be traced back to the Joint Operations Command (JOC) established in 1985 to coordinate all operational aspects of the Tri-Services and Police. Thereafter, the Joint Operations Bureau was created on 04 January 1999 replacing the Joint Operations Command and the Joint Operations Headquarters (JOH) replaced the Joint Operations Bureau in year 2000, which existed only for a short period. With the termination of the Humanitarian Operation, the duties of the Joint Operation Headquarters was expanded by the Chief of Defence Staff Act No. 35 of 2009, thereby the Office of the Chief of Defence Staff was established to address the post conflict challenges on 15 July 2009. The Chief of the Defence Staff (CDS) is the highest ranking military officer in the Sri Lankan Armed Forces and His Excellency the President shall appoint from among the persons presently serving as Commander of the Army, the Commander of the Navy or the Commander of the Air Force as the case may be, an officer to be the Chief of Defence Staff to function under the direction, supervision and control of the Secretary to the Ministry of Defence.

The mission of the OCDS is to provide strategic directions and develop joint doctrine for the Armed Forces in Sri Lanka.

The responsibilities of Chief of Defence staff are:

- Assist in providing strategic directions and developing doctrines for joint employment.
- Coordinate matters in respect of the functions related to Intelligence, Planning and Implementation of Joint Operations.
- Advise on the extent to which the Programmes, Recommendations and budget proposals of the Armed Forces for a fiscal year conforms to the priorities
- Advise on the extent to which the major programmes and policies of the Armed Forces related to man a n power and equipment conforms to strategic plans.
- Formulation of policies for the joint training and peace-keeping operations.
- Assess military requirements with regards the proposed defence procurements.

Expenditure	2018 Allocation (Rs.Mn.)	Expenditure as at 31.12.2017 (Rs.Mn.)	Percentage %
Recurrent	3.2	3.0	93.87
Capital	65.2	62.6	95.97
<b>Total</b>	<b>68.4</b>	<b>65.6</b>	<b>95.87</b>

10.1 Table: Details of the Financial Progress of the Institution

### 10.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Operations and System Branch

- Coordinating with three forces, a special operations room was manned at OCDS to provide security to prevent any sabotage incident during the Local Government Election period which was held on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2018 and also troops were employed to provide security for 167 vulnerable points as per the request made by the Inspector General of Police.

Army	-	113 x 2746
Navy	-	18 x 616
Air Force	-	1 x 32

- A Special operation room was manned to coordinate with Tri forces and Police and took relevant control measures from 06<sup>th</sup> March 2018 to 08<sup>th</sup> March 2018 due to the clash occurred between two groups mainly at Kandy and other areas of the country.
- Troops of Sri Lanka Corps of Military Police were provided to assist Sri Lanka Police for security during the new year festival and musical show at Mahiyanganaya on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2018 which was organized by Sri Lanka Rupavahini Cooperation and Divisional Secretariat Office - Mahiyanganaya.
- Troops of Sri Lanka Corps of Military Police were provided to assist Sri Lanka police for the security during the new year festival and musical show at Mattakkuliya public ground on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018 which was organized by police community members of Mattakkuliya and officers of Mattakkuliya police station.
- Troops of Sri Lanka Corps of Military Police were provided to assist Sri Lanka police for the security during the musical show at Bandarawela Municipal Council Play ground on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2018 which was organized by Sri Lanka Telecom.
- Troops of Sri Lanka Corps of Military Police were employed to provide security during the May Day Parade which was presided by Prime Minister at Sugathadasa Stadium on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- Made arrangement to provide security for transporting examination papers of grade 5 scholarship examination from 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2018 and September 2018.
- Made arrangement to provide military police troops from tri forces to provide security along the road which annual Esala Perahara of Bellanwila Rajamaha Viharaya visited.
- Naval Life guard teams and naval petrol teams were provided during the annual ceremony of Ave Maria Church at Polhena.
- Made arrangement to provide security for the convocation ceremony of Kotelawala Defence University which was held BMICH on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018 and 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2018.

- Made arrangement to transport examination papers of Catholic Sunday schools final examination by Navy on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2018 and 25<sup>th</sup> November 2018.
- Made arrangement to provide security from Tri Forces during the period of GCE ordinary level examination from 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2018 to 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

#### ➤ **Assisting to Disaster Relief Operations**

- As per the request made by Disaster Management Center Coordinated with tri forces and provided assistant to overcome following disaster situations in the country from 01<sup>st</sup> Jan 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri Forces and provided troops for the disaster relief operations at Diklanda and Katukurunda Grama Niladari Divisions in Gampaha district to assist for the victims of heavy wind flown on 13<sup>th</sup> Jan 2017.
- Coordinated and provided the assistance of troops from Sri Lanka Army and helicopters from Sri Lanka Air Force to douse the fire occurred at the Kanadola garbage dump at Mudduwa, Ratnapura on 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018.
- Coordinated and provided troops from Sri Lanka Army to douse the fire occurred at Daragodayaya Reservoir in Horombuwa Grama Niladhari Division, Monaragala on 06<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018.
- Coordinated and provided Sri Lanka Navy assistance to search and rescue a missing fishing boat and its' crew which was launched from Handala, Wattala on 12<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018.
- Coordinated and provided troops from Sri Lanka Army to douse the sudden fire occurred at Mahamerawatta, Diulapitiya before the fire reach up to the communication tower located at the area on 17<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Air Force and helicopters assistance were provided to search and rescue a missing fishing boat and its' crew in Mullaitivu Sea on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Air Force and helicopters assistance were provided to search and rescue a missing fishing boat and its' crew in Nayaru, Mullaitivu on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and provided assistance for rescue Rambo Fishing boat and its' crew which broke down the its' engine in Beruwala Sea on 14<sup>th</sup> April 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri Forces and provided the immediate assistance of troops to renovate the leaking anicut of Andhal Oya at Uhana AG Division on 07<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and provided two boats each for Walallawita and Palindanuware during the heavy rain and flood at Kalutara district on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018.

- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Air Force troops were provided to douse the fire occurred at a market in Monaragala on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri forces and provided troops to rescue and relocate the victims due to floods at depressions of Dodamgoda, Millaniya, Madhurawala, Horana, Bulathsinnhala, Ingiriya, Palindanuware, Kiriella, Kuruwita, Alapatha and Rathnapura AG divisions on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and Sri Lanka Air Force and provided troops to rescue the victims due to flood at Galoruwa and Paduwasnuwara in Kurunegala district on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to lay sand bags and clean the spill gates due to threat of braking the dam of Allapthawewa, Ratnapura with heavy rain on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri forces and provided 1 x 40 troops for seven days to Pethiyagoda Rajamaha Viharaya, Kelaniya for clean four water canals at Kelaniya area from 26<sup>th</sup> May 2018 onwards.
- Coordinated with Tri forces and provided troops to rescue victims due to flood at Ekala, Jaella, Bopitiya, Uswetakeiyawa, Katana and Balummahara in Gampaha district and Wellampitiya, Kollonnawa, Mulleriyawa, Nawagamuwa, Welihindha, Hanwella, Warawa, Buthgamuwa in Colombo district on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and naval assistance were provided to rescue a missing fishing boat and its' crew which was launched from Arugambe, Ullai fishing harbor on 02<sup>nd</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and naval assistance were provided to remove a body of whale which heap to Beruwala beach on 04<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and naval assistance were provided to search and rescue two persons who drawn in sea in front of Lanka beach hotel Negambo on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and assistance were provided to victims of heavy winds which flown along Ampara Uhana, Navindaweli, Sayindamaruda, Thirukkivil and Samanturai AG Divisions destroying 136 houses on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri forces and provided assistance to normalize the situation of areas which caught to heavy wind at Kurunagala and Kuliyapitiya on 19<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and Assistance of Navy divers were provided to open the stucked sluice which under 15 feet of water at Paliyagama Wewa in Puttalam district on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Coordinated with 25 Sri Lanka Army and 20 Sri Lanka Air Force, troops were provided to prepare the land for the inaugural ceremony of "Preparedness before Disaster Programme" at in front of Bhikku University near the German Bridge, Malwathu Oya on 07<sup>th</sup> July 2018.

- Coordinated with Tri forces and assistance were provided to reconstruction of damaged houses due to heavy wind flown along Homagama AG division on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Bambarakanda area in Badulla district and to rescue ten persons who stucked on the Babarakanda hill due to the fire on 13<sup>rd</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and naval assistance were provided to rescue a missing vessel and its' crew which launched from Dikkowita fishery harbor in Gampaha On 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at the reserve near Badulla - Passara road on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Rahanathkanda reserve in Monaragala district on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Uduhawara reserve in the Badulla district on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Kolongastanna reserve in the Badulla district on 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at the above forest area of the Sabaragamuwa University, Ratnapura on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Sapugoda hill in Moneragala district on 05<sup>th</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to reconstruct Siwmunise Wehera temple in Ampara district which was heavily damaged due to strong wind flown along the area on 02<sup>nd</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Helamulla reserve in Badulla district on 22<sup>th</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Kalugalakanda reserve in Galle district on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri Service and provided troops to clean Pamankada, Thalakotuwa and Wellawatta area simultaneously with the cleaning programme of "NOKUNU" Volunteer organization on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Gonadeniya Teak reserve in Hambantota district on 01<sup>st</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Alugolla Gonadeniya Kanda area in Badulla district on 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy, Air Force and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Blue Mendal Garbage Dump on 04<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Mapitikanda reserve in Hambantota district on 05<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Ampitihena reserve in Baulla district on 06<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Muththettu Thenna reserve in Kandy district on 07<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Randenigala reserve in Kandy district on 08<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Minigala Kanda reserve in Monaragala district on 15<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and provided assistance to search & rescue 02 persons who lost at Girithale Tank reservoir whilst bathing, in Polonnaruwa district on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at Katugahakanda Pathana reserve in Badulla district on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and provided assistance to search & rescue a 14 years old boy who lost at Gurugaloya reservoir reserve in Kandy district on 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to rebuild the infrastructure facilities of the victims due to flood at Akurana Town in Kandy district on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to reconstruct the damages houses due to heavy wind flown at Madurakkuliya area in Puttalam district on 01<sup>st</sup> October 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and Coast Guard provided troops to prevent mixing oil to Kelani River which already mix to Rathgawaththa cannal in Gampaha district on 01<sup>st</sup> October 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to reconstruct the Iththekulama Tank Bunt in Anuradhapura district on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018.
- Coordinated with Tri Service and provided assistance to rescue 06 persons who got struck due to broken of the Thiththahakulam Tank Bunt in Mullaitivu on 08<sup>th</sup> November 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy, Air Force and provided assistance to rescue the crew of wrecked fishing boat at Dewundara PuranaWella sea area in Matara district on 27<sup>th</sup> November 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Navy and provided assistance to drag a fishing boat immediately to land due to a fisherman got died on board whilst the boat was at the sea in Galle district on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018.



- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at upper forest reserve at Maussakele reservoir in Nuwara Eliya district on 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018.
- Coordinated with Sri Lanka Army and provided troops to douse the fire occurred at stores belongs to Puttalam Municipal Council in Puttalam district on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.

#### ➤ Other Activities

- Views and recommendations were forwarded to MOD on introducing action air gun sport to Sri Lanka and importing them to country.
- Details of anti personal mines pertaining to prepare the Initial report of Anti personal mine ban convention (OTTAWA CONVENTION) was forwarded to MOD.
- Preparing and activating a national policy on drowning prevention and water safety in Sri Lanka is on process.
- Proposal were forwarded to MOD on using and prohibiting of light weapons and small arms along with arms trade treaty.

#### ➤ Doctrine and Training Branch

- The Ministry of Defence has allocated Rs. 2,000,000.00 by the vote No 103-01-07-2401 to the OCDS for the training of Tri Service Officers.
- The coordination and liaison had been made by the OCDS to conduct Vocational Training for the ORs' belongs to Tri Services prior their retirement. Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka has conducted two programmes for the period of 6 months and one year during year 2018. 512 and 427 ORs' were respectively participated for two programmes which conducted by annually in year 2018.
- Regional Seminar on "Increasing Women in UN Peace Keeping Mission" organized by the Association for War Affected Women (AWAW) was successfully conducted in liaison and coordination with the OCDS from 08<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at Hotel Hilton Colombo. 14 officers including diplomats belong to five countries of South Asia were participated along



with 23 Sri Lankan officers for the programme. Entire programme was funded by the Association for War Affected Women (AWAW).

- The OCDS in collaboration with Sri Lanka Atomic Energy Board, National Authority for the Implementation of Chemical Weapons Convention in Sri Lanka and the country office of WHO was able to conduct a Advance CBRN (Chemical,

Biological, Radiation and Nuclear) preventive and responder course with the participation of 37 Tri services Officers from 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2018 to 27<sup>th</sup> April



2018 at the premises of RHQ of SLAC Mutwal. The total expenditure incurred for the course was Rs.154952.50 and the amount was born by the OCDS.

- Managing Defence in Wider Security Context (MDWSC) Course in which conducted by the Defence University of United Kingdom was held from 1 – 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018 under the liaison and coordination of the



OCDS at Hotel Mövenpick, Colombo. 27 officers from Tri Service and 03 officers from MOD were participated for the course.

- The Executive Development Programme which conducted by the Postgraduate Institute of Management (PIM) was held from 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at the PIM, No 28, LeslyRanagalaMawatha in liaison and coordination



with the OCDS. 30 officers belong to Tri services were participated and Rs.892,500,00 was allocated for the programme.

- The 1<sup>st</sup> Round of Sri Lanka - Pakistan Armed Forces Defence Dialogue Staff talks which coordinated by the OCDS was held from 03<sup>rd</sup> and 04<sup>th</sup> October 2018 at the auditorium of Ministry of Defence with the participation of 20 officers from Tri services of Sri Lanka and Pakistan.
- The OCDS has organized a training programme



on 'Cyber Security' with the assistance of Sri Lanka Computer Emergency Readiness Team (SLCERT) was conducted with the participation of 74 Tri services officers from 0900hrs to 1600hrs on 16.11.2018 at RHQ SLAC Mutwal. The total expenditure for the programme was Rs. 50,216.20



- The Ministry of Defence has allocated Rs.2,000,000.00 to the OCDS for the training of officers belongs to tri services by the vote No



103-01-07-2401. The expenditure for the Advanced CBRN preventive and responder course was Rs.150,952.50 and amount allocated for the Executive Development Programme was Rs.892,500.00. The amount spent for the Cyber Security Course was Rs.50,216.20 and total expenditure for the entire courses were Rs.1,093,668.70. The balance amount of Rs.900,000.00 is allocated for the Tri Services officers earmarked for Defence Attaches / Counsellors Course was scheduled to conduct in January 2019.

#### ➤ Naval and Air Operation Branch

- 872 no. of applicants for Drone Camera Operations, applied for the approval of Chief of Defence Staff from 01<sup>st</sup> January 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 and 832 applicants were approved.
- 18 no. of applicants for Building Constriction security clearance applied for the approval of Chief of Defence Staff from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 and all 18 applicants were approved.
- Special Dengu prevention program has been conducted with the participation of Army, Navy, Air Force and Civil Security Department troops from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018. Chief of Defence Staff successfully coordinated the program and those details were briefly mentioned below.

Institution	Amount
Army Participation	16,782
Navy Participation	7,772
Air Force Participation	5,472
Civil Security Department Participation	14,476
<b>Total Participation</b>	<b>44,502</b>

10.2 Table :Participated Members of the Tri- Forces and Civil Defence Departments - 2018

No. of Premises Visited	1,967,110
No of premises with Larvae	24,174
Number Corrected	163,147
Notice	44,098

10.3 Table :Special Dengue Program-2018

#### ➤ Coordinating Branch

##### Coordination Festivals

- Total coordination of the requirements for the celebrated 70<sup>th</sup> Independence Day celebrations/ District Independence Day celebrations of Sri Lanka took place at Galle Face Green/ district level on 04<sup>th</sup> February 2018 under the patronage of HE President Maithripala Sirisena who is also the Commander -in -Chief of the Armed Forces, with the participation of the Chief of the Armed forces.
- Coordinated the requirements of the National War Heroes Commemoration Ceremony 2018 was held under the patronage of the President Maithripala



Sirisena at the War Hero Memorial Monument at the Parliament grounds in Battaramulla and 'Pahan Aloka Pujawa' at Kalani Rajamaha Viharaya on 19 May 2018.

The Assistance of the Tri-Forces and the Civil Defence Department with the Approval of the Ministry of Defence was coordinated with regard to following activities

- Coordinated activities for the facility of tri-forces stalls for educational & trade exhibitions organized by schools in Island wide.
- Coordinated the participation of tri-forces and civil security members for blood donation programs conducted by the government and non-government organizations under the supervision of National Blood Bank island-wide.
- Coordinated the construction activities of the three forces and the Civil Security Department.
- Coordinated the activities of tri-forces support for the District rally and Jamborees conducted by the Sri Lanka Scout Association.
- Coordinated the anticipated service from the three Forces and the Department of Civil Security for Sinhala Avurudu celebrations called "Surya Mangalaya", which was held under the state patronage in various parts of the country.
- Coordinated the activities of providing the required service / labor contribution from Tri-Forces and Civil Defence for Religious ceremonies including State Vesak Festival.
- The tri-forces assistance was carried out for credential's awards ceremony of Foreign Ambassadors, Sanghanayake's awards ceremony for the monk and parliamentary sessions.
- Provided assistance to tri-forces personnel for the betterment of youth in the Kurunegala district implemented by the Ministry of National Policies and Economic Affairs.

- Coordinated assistance to provide the required support from the tri services and civil defence force for the local government elections which was held on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2018.
- Coordinated assistance of the Tri Service for the success “Nilamehewara” President Community service & “V2025 Enterprise Sri Lanka” programme.
- Provided assistance of the three Armed Forces for success International Mother Language Day Programme which was held 21 Feb 2018 and other programs held on corresponding to International Day.
- Coordinated assistance of the Tri Service for sports events such as Sri Lankan Wonder of Asia Ironman 70.3 Colombo Program from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> of February 2018 with the participation of local and foreign athletes.
- Arranged to provide the assistance of the Tri Service for funeral ceremony of Ven. Daranagama Kusala Damma Thero which was held on 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2018 and Dr. Lester James Peries’s was on 02<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 with the full state honors.
- Provided necessary assistance to professional service veterans to equip with knowledge of agriculture, apply for self-employment projects.
- Coordinated the assistance required for the implementation of a concurrent National Program on Narcotic Remedy during the period from 26<sup>th</sup> June to 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated the awareness programs for banking services for members of the tri-forces.
- Coordinated the expected services from the Ministry of Agriculture to minimize the issues that are caused from wild animals for the cultivation in agricultural areas.

#### ➤ **Coordination of Foreign VIPs/ State Guests and Foreign Travel**

- Official Visit of Hon. Lee Hsien Loong Prime Minister of Singapore to Sri Lanka from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> January 2018.
- State Visit of H.E Joko Widodo President of the Republic of Indonesia to Sri Lanka from 24<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> January 2018.
- Visit of General Zubair Mahmood Yayat, NI (M) Pakistan Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff Committee to Sri Lanka from 27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> Jun 2018.

- Official Visit of Hon. General Prayuth Chan – o-Cha, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand to Sri Lanka to Sri Lanka from 12<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Coordinated the assistance to participation of the children of service persons, who had been killed due to terrorism for the Project Common Bond Summer 2018 Program which was held from July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018 to August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at Colby College in Wrightville, USA,
- Official Visit of Hon. Itsunori Onodera Minister of Defence of Japan, to Sri Lanka from 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2018.
- Coordinated the assistance for the participation of the three armed forces orchestras for the Russian International Music Festival which was held in Moscow, Russia, from 20<sup>th</sup> of August until the 02<sup>nd</sup> of September 2018.

### **10.3 Future Prospects**

- ★ Conducting three-wheeler repairing vocational training courses for members of the Tri-Forces personnel with the collaboration of David Pieris Motor Company.
- ★ Continue to coordinate military ceremonies during national/ state events as instructed by the Ministry of Defence.
- ★ Continue to provide assistance to maintain law and order in terms of security as instructed by the Ministry of Defence.
- ★ Continue to provide assistance in terms of man power requirements during strikes and other emergency needs as instructed by the Ministry of Defence.
- ★ Continue to coordinate foreign delegations, Diplomats, Senior Military Officials during their visits and to facilitate discussions between Tri Services.
- ★ Continue to provide assistance during Disasters.
- ★ Continue to facilitate Staff Talks.
- ★ Continue to coordinate and provide assistance for dengue prevention programme.

## 11. OFFICE OF THE MILITARY LIAISON OFFICER

### 11.1 Overview

- Proper execution of all the subjects within the scope of Military Liaison Officer's Office.
- Notification of the orders and decisions made by the Minister of Defence, State Minister of Defence, Secretary of Defence to the office of the Chief of Defence Staff, Army, Navy, Air Force and the Civil Security Department and coordination, collaboration with Government and other agencies and taking actions in order to achieve the objectives of the Ministry.
- Implementation and supervision of policies taken by the State and Defence Ministry.

### 11.2 Achievements in 2018

- Co-ordinated the functions of the Tri-forces and provide relevant instructions and approval.
- Acted as the Ministry coordinator in respect of state functions.
- Coordinated of domestic tours of foreign dignitaries, diplomats and high ranking officials of the Tri-forces and providing assistance.
- Liaise with the Ministries/Institutions to fulfill various requirements of the Tri-forces.
- Provided assistance and coordinated through expertise and resources of the Tri-forces regarding requirements of various Ministries/Departments/Institutions.
- Conducted Military Assistance Programs with foreign Defence Attachés/Coordinators (about 15 personnel representing 11 countries) in Sri Lankan Embassy. Conduct Defence Attachés/ Coordinators conferences presided by the Defence Secretary.
- Granted approval for local and foreign visitors to enter the Headquarters and Camps of the Tri-forces and granted permission to meet/confer with the Chief of Defence Staff / Commanders of the Tri-forces and senior officers.
- Granted approval to the Chief of Defence Staff, Commanders of the Tri-forces as well as senior officers to attend various functions and gatherings/celebrations hosted by foreign delegates. Also, granted approval to each of the Tri-forces upon request to attend non – Military functions clad in uniform besides attending to such functions and the Chief Guest. Taken steps to grant approval when officers and other rankers of the Tri-forces connected with electronic and printed media.
- Organized and coordinated meetings/sessions and lectures held at the Ministry.
- Provided diplomatic clearance to foreign naval vessels/ aircrafts which do not run on schedule subject to recommendation given by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- Released goods imported for the Armed Forces from Customs and grant approval to requests for the release of goods such as all equipment, air crafts, air craft equipment and boat engines, imported on behalf of other individuals/ agencies which could pose a threat to State security from Customs.
- Provided air travel facilities to diplomatic dignitaries facilitate travel through daily scheduled air crafts of the Air Force in addition to taking necessary actions as per requests made for the use of helicopters according to requirement.
- Granted of permission to visitors/vehicles arriving to the Ministry in accordance with requests made by the divisions concerned.
- Liaise with the Surveyor General in order to obtain maps / aerial maps as per requests made for requirements of the Tri-forces and other institutions.
- Provided direction and supervision for the construction of the "Sandahiru Seya".
- Carried out administrative functions of all officers/ other rankers of the Tri-forces attached to the Ministry. Carrying out supply and transfers up on requests for Tri -forces professionals for various divisions of this Ministry and State Ministry of Defence (SMOD)
- Granted approval for civilians to visit Military establishments especially Abimansala, Ranaviru Sevana, Mihindu Seth Medura and grant permission to them to offer inmates with refreshments and donations.
- The CCSCBU has been established separately and thereby, supervised the measures taken by this Unit.
- Supervised future actions of the 18<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Parties of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES).
- Nominated ADCs for His Excellency the President during state ceremonies. Such request made by the Presidential Secretariat will be communicated to relevant Service Headquarters which in turn will submit the nominations to the PS and obtain security clearance for these Tri-forces officers





- Provided assistance of the Tri-forces and Civil Security Department, subject to the approval of the Defence Secretary for maintenance of religious places/ important government buildings/construction of new buildings.
- Render the assistance of the Navy for water sports/ travel and other activities conducted by the Government or other agencies.
- Provided advisory services to State schools (bands/ scouts/ lectures etc).
- Coordinated Sri Lankan tours of foreign senior Tri-forces when foreign armies visit Sri Lanka for training methodically assign the coordination of their tours with Headquarters of the Tri Forces and carried out Administrative assistance and supervision.
- Provided assistance of the Tri-forces and CSD to eradicate the epidemic of Dengue (as per request of the Ministry of Health, covering island wide on school level/ regional level/district level).
- Facilitated to provide the service of Tri-forces bands for all functions as required.
- Granted approval for providing security for all events conducted at the Galle Face Green approved by the Sri Lanka Port Authority.
- Made available Tri-forces assistance for State functions (Independence Day/ Ranaviru Commemoration Day) and provide assistance and provide bugle players as per requests made for ceremonies of Birthday commemoration (memorial ceremonies) of Late Heads of State.
- Granted permission for exportation of modernized boats and fishing boats (after verification of the necessary documents).
- Granted approval for photography and filming films and Tele-dramas at Galle Face Green and Lighthouse premises (Permission for aerial photography is granted by the Office of the Chief of Defence Staff).

- Concerned requests for filming – granting approval after obtaining views and observations from relevant Heads of Services or Media Director with regard to shooting inside Army camps. If there are scenes which contain particulars of the Tri-forces and scenes which include Tri-forces' attire/vehicles.
- Notified the Ministry of Foreign Affairs about arrests of Sri Lankan fishermen in Indian waters by Indian Authorities, once it is communicated by the Defence Attaché of the Indian High Commission to the Ministry and copied to the Sri Lanka Navy.
- Communicated with the Ministry of Public Administration, Management and Law & Order in connection with providing Police protection as per requests for Tri-forces security for numerous functions.
- Granted required approval as is appropriate when approval is requested regarding providing media publicity by the Media Centre.
- Made necessary arrangements regarding requests made to exhibition stalls of the Tri-forces.
- Granted approval subject to conditions stipulated for conducting Carnivals/ Lotteries/ Motor cars racing events for the purpose of accruing income for welfare of the Tri-forces.
- Referred requests made from many individuals/ business entities for promotions of their products ceremony Tri- forces personnel to Tri- forces Commanders.
- Provided humanitarian assistance of members of security personnel for the people who affected to natural mishaps and human disasters in the Island.
- Provided assistance immensely of the security personnel for religious events such as vessel festival and National functions organized by the Government.
- Provided assistance in maximal to reconciliation mechanism launched by the present Government.

#### Department Progress

##### ➤ Humanitarian services provided for the general public

- Provided assistance required from the Army due to inadequacy of Railway Security Staff for the security at Dematagoda, Maligawatta, Maradana, Colombo Store, Railway Yard and Railway as a result of train strike continued for 48 hours from 29.05.2018.
- Actions have been taken to build water refinery plants by the Navy to provide drinking water facilities for localities of kidney diseases were in abundance.
- Provided assistance by deploying Armed personnel from 01<sup>st</sup> January up to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 during this year to present the outbreak of Dengue as follows:





Army	15349
Navy	6710
Air Force	5221
CSD	12298

- According to requests made to obtain services of Bands and Cultural Groups for various events, actions have been taken to provide requirements subject to existing Policies.
- Labour contribution of the Tri -forces were provided to projects of Kidney Hospitals which are being built in cities such as Polonnaruwa, Madawachchiya, Anuradhapura, Kandy for Kidney patients in the Country.
- Construction work of 09 tanks and Electricals Elephant Fence in 20<sup>th</sup> Junction Van-Ela road, Gomarankadawala are already being built by the Labour Contribution of Army in various localities in the country.

#### ➤ Contribution provide by the Security Forces for celebrations conducted by Government's various Ministers/ Departments.

- Special appreciation of the Heads of Government Departments/ Ministries have been received for the contribution and assistance rendered by Security Forces in various ceremonies conducted by many State Ministers/ Departments as well as various institutions.

#### ➤ The "Sandahiru Seya" Project

Approximately 1730 personnel of the Tri-forces and CSD have been deployed for the construction of "Sadahiru Seya" (Stupa) and bricks needed for the said constructions have been supplied by Tile Factory situated at Alayapattuwa, Galkadawala, Bingiriya, Mahiyanganaya and Ampara belonged to Ceylon Porcelain Corporation and sand have been provided from the locality of Kanagarayankulam and Silawathurai Whilst, sand confiscated by the Court of Law have also been utilized for the construction of the Stupa. Further, timber required to burn bricks are taken from the locality submerged from the water in Kaluganga river project.



This Stupa consists with 282.6 fthight and 255 ft in diameter. This Stupa being constructed in heredity to the art of Stupa has already been completed upto 73.9ft in height. It has been planned to conclude the height of 90 ft upto the Garbhaya (ගර්භය) as at 01.03.2020.

#### ➤ Colombo City Beautification Unit

Regular observations of maintenance of 11 walking tracks and main parks, Children's Parks, Street Lamps, main routes and pavements were carried out by this CB Unit whilst,



assisting to the Civil Police to apprehend/ arrest persons involved in disposal of garbage in unauthorized places so as to affect the beautification of the city.

At present, operational preventive units round – the – clock have already been established to prevent unauthorized garbage disposals in urban and suburban areas under the Ministry of Local Government and Provincial Councils and necessary measures have been taken to attach a team consists with 30 members (per 10 men in each services) from Tri-forces for observation duties under the said unit in keeping with Cabinet decision.

Two awards namely "Colombo City Beautification Awards 2017" and "Mihisaru Awards 2017" were conferred to the Colombo City Beautification Unit by Hon.Patali Champika Ranawaka, Minister of Megapolis and Hon.Isuru Deshapriya, the Chief Minister of Western Province in appreciation of the commendable service rendered through the Knowledge and Labour in accomplishment of the solid garbage management system in Colombo district with the firm determination for the future generation in having as citizens with dignity in a salubrious city.

#### ➤ Engaged Services of Fauna & Flora ( CITES 2019)

Eighteenth (18<sup>th</sup>) Conference of Parties of the Convention on International Trade (CITES CoP18) in respect of Endangered Species of Fauna and Flora is scheduled to be held at the



BMICH from 23<sup>rd</sup> May to 03<sup>rd</sup> June 2019. The Sri Lankan Secretariat (CITES CoP18) has been established at BMICH premises under Ministry of Buddhism for that purpose.

This Ministry has to be acted in respect of the security duties and construction work of this conference. As per the direction and instructions of His Excellency the President, future actions are being taken in collaboration with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Department of Fire, Ministry of Sustainable Developments and Wildlife, Tri Forces and Civil Security Department.



Construction works of the said Conference have been entrusted to the Tri-forces and the CSD and it has been informed to the CITES CoP18 Sri Lankan office pertaining to amount to be incurred. Further, discussions are being held by calling parties involved to this conference intermittently with a view to continue these affairs smoothly.

➤ **Providing Labour Contribution for the Development of Religious Places.**

Labour contribution of about 510 in number of personnel is the Tri-forces and CSD has been provided for the development work of 284 religious places in Sri Lanka during the period from 01 January up to 31 August.

➤ **Diplomatic Clearance has been granted to following Foreign Vessels to enter the Island during the year.**

S/No	Country	No of Ships
1	India	6
2	Iran	3
3	Pakistan	1
4	Maldives	2
5	Qatar	2
6	Thailand	1
7	Indonesia	2
8	Japan	3
9	Russia	2
10	France	2
11	China	2
12	Bangladesh	3
13	United State of America	9
<b>Total</b>		<b>38</b>

11.1 Table :Diplomatic Clearance granted to Foreign Vessels

➤ **Diplomatic Clearance has been granted to Foreign Air Crafts to Land the Country. Fly across the Country during this Year as follows:**

S/No	Country	No. of Ships
01	United States of America	77
02	Pakistan	2
03	British	3
04	Japan	7
05	Kuwait	1
06	India	6
07	Oman	4
08	Germany	3
09	UAE	1
10	Bahrain	1
11	New Zealand	7
12	Thailand	1
13	Malaysia	2
14	Australia	9
15	Russia	5
16	Salvia	1
17	Iran	2
18	Azerbaijan	1
19	France	9
20	Brazil	1
21	Angolian	1
22	Switzerland	2
23	Indonesia	1
24	Qatar	2
25	Ukraine	12
26	Morocco	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>162</b>

11.2 Table :Diplomatic Clearance granted to Foreign Air Crafts

➤ **Providing Assistance required for the Co-ordination Matters of Diplomatic visits of the Foreign Diplomatic Missions and Higher Ranking Officials of the Tri-Forces.**

● **Foreign Diplomats**

- I. Visit of the prince Edward of England and Team 31.01.2018 -04.02.2018
- II. Visit of Prime Minister of Singapore - 22 - 24.01.2018
- III. Visit of the President and Envoys of Indonesia - 24 - 25.01.2018
- IV. Visit of the Prime Minister - 12 - 13.07.2018
- V. Visit of the Prime Minister of Defence and Envoys of Japan - 20 - 22. 08.2018
- VI. Visit of Minister of Defence Rwanda in Sri Lanka. -29.08.2018 - 01.09.2018
- VII. Visit of the Deputy Minister of the Ministry of Defence in Peoples Republic of China in Sri Lanka - 04 - 07.11.2018

### ● Foreign National Defence Colleges

- I. Visit of the NDC of Pakistan in Sri Lanka - 16 - 20.04.2018
- II. Visit of the NDC of Korea in Sri Lanka - 16 - 20.06.2018
- III. Visit of the NDC of China in Sri Lanka - 19 - 21.06.2018
- IV. Visit of the NDC of Zimbabwe in Sri Lanka - 01 - 07.07.2018
- V. Visit of the NDC of India in Sri Lanka - 27 - 29.08.2018
- VI. Visit of the NDC of Bangladesh in Sri Lanka - 16 - 21.09.2018

### ● Higher Ranking Officials of Foreign Tri Forces

- I. Visit of the Commander of the Army – Pakistan - 14 - 18.01.2018
- II. Visit of the Commander of the Army – Nepal and envoys - 18 - 22.01.2018
- III. Visit of the Commander of the Army – India and envoys - 13 - 18.05.2018
- IV. Visit of the President of the Joint Chief of Staff – Pakistan - 27 - 30.06.2018
- V. Visit of the GOC of American Pacific Zone and envoys - 21 - 24.07.2018
- VI. Visit of the Major General of the Army Pakistan and envoys - 04 - 12.08.2018



### 11.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Establishment of the Ministry in new building at Battaramulla and Akuregoda is expected.
- ★ Continuing works in accommodation which had already made available until such time the said establishment is finalized.
- ★ It is expected to continue the services performed during this year in 2019 too.
- ★ Taking measures to continue services to be performed by security forces for well being of the citizenry.

## 12. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DIVISION

### 12.1 Overview

The International Relations Section of the Defence Ministry functions directly under the supervision of the Secretary of the Ministry of Defence, and is tasked with handling all substantive aspects of the foreign relations of the Defence Secretary. The section also supports the foreign relations work of the State Ministry of Defence.

Earlier the Section was headed by a senior career officer of the Sri Lanka Foreign Service at the rank of Senior Assistant Secretary but at present, all these matters have been assigned to the Office of Chief of National Intelligence and coordinates by Chief of National Intelligence.

The International Relations Section of the Ministry provides Defence policy positions on issues related to national security which have an international dimension in consultations with the Secretary of Defence.

The International Relations Section engages in the following Activities on a Regular Basis:

- Coordinate the substantive aspects of inward and outward visits from Foreign Countries related to defence
- Handle all communications of the Secretary of Defence with Foreign Dignitaries
- Coordinate with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and provide defence input as required
- Prepare briefing material/talking points/speeches/programmes for foreign visits undertaken by the Secretary of Defence and follow up on decisions arrived at during such visits
- Prepare defence input for foreign visits being undertaken by HE the President, Minister of Foreign Affairs and the State Minister of Defence
- Coordinate work related to defence agreements/MoUs with foreign countries ;Provide defence input for the UN General Assembly (UNGA) Sessions
- Coordinate responses to defence related issues raised in the UN Human Rights Council
- Coordinate Defence Ministry's interactions with the United Nations Office of Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)
- Coordinates the Office of the Chief of National Intelligence on Counter Terrorism work (UN Security Council Regulations 1267, 1373, 1540 etc) and coordinate interactions with the UN Counter Terrorism Executive Directorate; Streamline bilateral defence cooperation of the Ministry of Defence
- Coordinate defence related matters with regional organisations such as SAARC, BIMSTEC, Shangri-La Dialogue, ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF), Bali Process etc.
- Coordination of the work of the annual defence dialogues with Japan / China and India
- Coordinate the work of the Trilateral Maritime Security Cooperation Arrangement between India, Sri Lanka and the Maldives
- Coordinate the work of the Australia-Sri Lanka Joint Working Group on People Smuggling and Other Transnational Crime
- Prepare policy positions on international conventions related to arms trade and disarmament
- Prepare defence input for international treaties and conventions (For Ex. the International Convention on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR)
- Coordinate response from the defence establishment on concerns raised by UN Special Procedure Mandate Holders
- Prepare cabinet observations on foreign policy matters which have defence implications
- Prepare Cabinet papers and Notes to Cabinet on Defence matters which have an international dimension
- Coordinates the work of the Office of the Chief of National Intelligence on compiling responses to the UN Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances (UN WGEID) and the UN Working Group on Arbitrary Detention (UN WGAD) among others
- Assist with requests from Lanka Logistics and Technologies Ltd (LLTL) on their work with foreign governments
- Provide policy input to the Policy Planning Division of the Ministry of Defence on the external security environment and bilateral, regional and global strategic developments of interest.

### 12.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Mr. Jeffery Feltman, Under- Secretary- General (Political Affairs) of the UN- 09<sup>th</sup> March 2018

The UN Under-Secretary General (USG) for Political Affairs Mr. Jeffrey Feltman met the Secretary to the Ministry of Defence Mr. Kapila Waidyaratne PC on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at the Ministry of Defence. During the ensuing discussion, matters relating to the national reconciliation process including land release were taken up. The Under- Secretary General was briefed on the progress of the reconciliation process and its current status. Mr. Feltman was pleased with the actions taken in this regard. The Director (Asia and Pacific) DPA, Ms. Mari Yamashita, Reconciliation and Development Advisor, UN Sri Lanka, Ms. Gita Sabharwal and Secretary to USG, DPA, Ms. Mary Sack accompanied the Under-Secretary General during his visit to the Ministry.

Senior Officers of Ministry of Defence and Tri Forces officers were also present at the discussion.



➤ **MoU signed between the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda, on Defence and Security Cooperation**

The MoU was signed by State Minister Hon. Ruwan Wijewardene and Minister of Defence of the Republic of Rwanda Hon. General James Kabarabe on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at Kigali, Rwanda. This MoU primarily focused on close cooperation, mutual understanding and collaboration to promote peace, stability and well – being of the Armed Forces and to enhance the ties of friendship and fraternity between two states in the matter of Defence Security.

➤ **Japanese Defence Minister meets State Minister of Defence – 21 August 2018 at the Ministry of Defence**

The Japanese Defence Minister Hon. Itsunori Onodera met the State Minister of Defence Hon. Ruwan Wijewardene at the Ministry. During the meeting a cordial discussion was held between the visiting Japanese Defence Minister and State Minister Wijewardene. Ambassador of Japan in Sri Lanka His Excellency Mr. Kenichi Suganuma, Additional Secretary - Parliamentary Affairs, Policy & Planning, Chief of Defence Staff, Commanders of the Army and Air Force, Chief of Staff of the Navy, Director General Coast Guard and Ministry officials were also present at the occasion.

➤ **5<sup>th</sup> Australia - Sri Lanka Joint Working Group meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018 in Galle Face Hotel, Sri Lanka**

The 5<sup>th</sup> Bilateral Joint Working Group (JWG) on People Smuggling and other Transnational Crime between Sri Lanka - Australia was held in Galle Face Hotel, Colombo on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018. The meeting was co-chaired by Secretary, Ministry of Defence Mr. Kapila Waidyaratne, P.C and Mr. David Wilden, Acting Deputy Secretary (Policy Group) Department of Home Affairs, Australia.

Secretary Defence in his inaugural speech expressed that the dialogue between Sri Lanka and Australia is a viable platform to share knowledge and experiences including



best practices, views in addressing the People Smuggling and other Transnational Crime. Further, he said that the outcomes of the meetings are immensely helped both parties to develop understanding among agencies to implement productive counter measures in addressing human smuggling and transnational crime.

Mr. David Wilden in his speech explained the forming up of a new portfolio under the Department of Home Affairs to meet up with the better coordination required in combatting



human smuggling/trafficking and other transnational crime. Further, he emphasized that the Government of Australia is committed to support Sri Lanka in capacity building and legislative reform to combat transnational crime.

In this context, the Sri Lankan delegation reiterated its commitment on combatting human trafficking/smuggling through productive partnership with the government of Australia to prevent such efforts and bring perpetrators to justice while addressing grievances of victims.

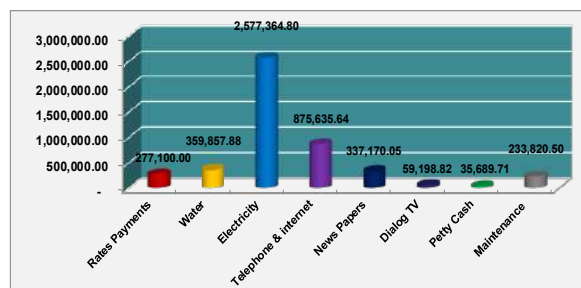
## 13. MEADIA CENTER

### 13.1 Overview

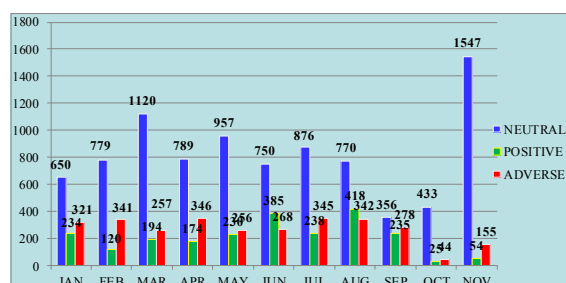
The Ministry of Defence Media Centre is the premier media unit which accumulates and disseminates accurate and reliable Defence, related news to local and foreign media in the shortest possible time. It also distributes information in correct perspective to counter exaggerated or wrong media propaganda both at local and international level.

- Compile the news related to the National Security and release them promptly to the media.
- Identify the threats related to National Security and neutralize them through the media.
- Coordinate with the respective sections of the Ministry of Defence on the matters related to the National Security.
- Improve the interaction with the MOD and its affiliated institutions.
- Maintain a newspaper archive/data base for future reference.
- Coordinate with the Media institutions to support and accomplish the expected goals of the MOD.
- Coordination of written and verbal statements to the media when required.

- During the period of 2008 to 2014, the capital and recurrent expenditure of the Media Centre had been settled through a direct vote but, since 2015 the MOD has started providing money through one of its own votes (103-01-06), on the written requests made by the Director, Media Centre.
- A petty cash imprest worth of Rs.5000.00 is granted to meet with minor financial requirements and duly approved bills are produced to the MOD for reimbursing.



13.1 Chart : Recurrent Expenditure 2018



13.2 Chart : Defence Related News Summary 2018 - Print Media

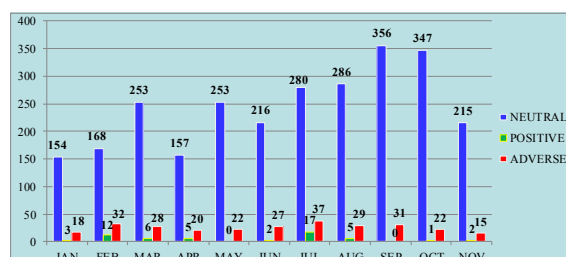
### 13.2 Achievements in 2018

Force	Officers	Other Ranks
Sri Lanka Army	08	16
Sri Lanka Navy	03	18
Sri Lanka Air Force	01	08
Sri Lanka Police	01	05
Special Task Force	-	01
Civil Security Department	-	03
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>51</b>

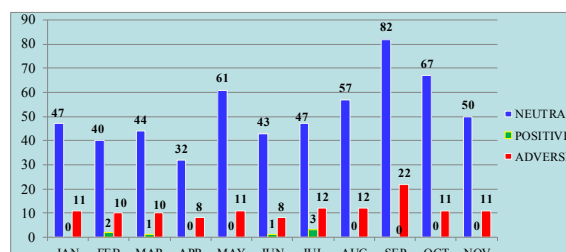
13.1 Table : Organizational Structure – Cadre

Month	Press Briefing	Press Release	Media Coverage
January	-	3	3
February	-	3	2
March	-	5	5
April	-	7	3
May	-	3	1
June	1	9	5
July	-	5	2
August	1-	4	3
September	-	2	2
October	-	8	3
November	-	3	2
December	-	3	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>36</b>

13.2 Table : Details of Press Briefings, Press Releases and Media Coverage by MOD-MC.

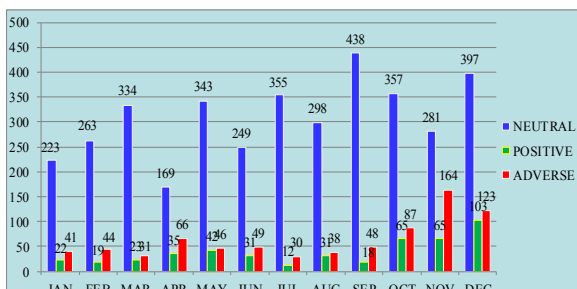


13.3 Chart : Defence Related News Summary 2018 - TV News Bulletin

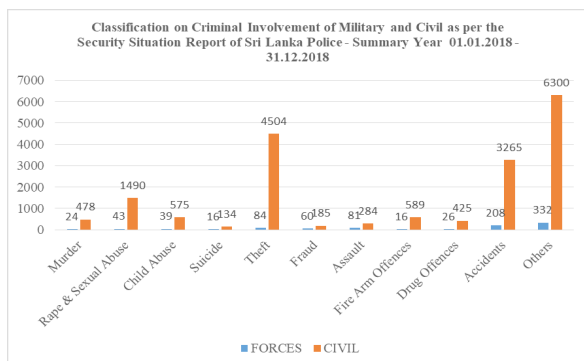


13.4 Chart : Defence Related News Summary 2018 - Radio





13.5 Chart : Defence Related News Summary 2018 - Web



13.6 Chart : Crime News Summary – 2018 Source: Police Report

## Issues and Challenges

Media publicity and public relations go hand in hand at present and the MOD Media Centre itself has identified several issues and challenges when achieving its goals. Media Centre has taken steps to facilitate the civil and military coordination in order to cater to the present National Interest. This enables the defence related institutions to obtain public support to adopt good governance policies.

Even though the Media Centre is an institution which comes under the purview of the MOD, it lacks the scope and resources to reach for the true and correct news promptly, to disseminate them to the public on time.

At present, the press releases are sent in all three languages. But, we have only a Tamil-newspapers coordinator/writer in the Media Centre. The service of professional Sinhala and English media Coordinators/writers will be benefitted immensely by the organization.

The MC doesn't have the service of a media team consisted of qualified reporters, announcers, video and still cameramen, writers, technicians and the equipment like camera and audio recorders.

Communicating with the public and institutions in a cooperative manner is vital to obtain news for publicity. The staff in the Media Centre are not professionally qualified for mass media activities. As a result, the interaction with the institutions and the public gets so low that the Media Centre gets only a few news for publicity. The professional courses for the staff is necessary to develop that quality in them.

## Proposals

- As an institution established under the purview of MOD to transmit the correct defence related details to the public, the Media Centre accumulates news from their media units, of the events of MOD and the other affiliated organizations from their media units, and disseminates to the general public through print and electronic media. To carry out that task fruitfully, the MC proposes to employ a professionally qualified media team.
- The MC proposes to employ a professionally qualified English Media coordinator/writer and Sinhala Tamil language journalists in the organization.
- The MC proposes to supply the essential media equipment such as still and video cameras and audio recorders and employ the relevant technical staff to carry out reporting the events.

## 13.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Courses/workshops on mass media will be arranged for the staff in coordination with the National Media Training Institute.
- ★ A special monitoring board within the institution will be established to expedite countering adverse news published against armed forces and national security nationally and internationally.
- ★ Conferences and workshops will be arranged with all print, electronic and web based media institutions for an effective and efficient media campaign.
- ★ Training programmes in media related activities for the staff in the media units of the Tri-forces, Police, STF and CSD will be carried out.
- ★ A fully equipped team consisted of cameramen, reporters and authoritative officers will be established to reach the place instantly and report true and correct news to media in a speedy way in emergency situations on National Security.
- ★ Language courses will be conducted for the staff of the Media Centre in coordination with National Languages Department.
- ★ A monthly/quarterly magazine/newspaper will be published to report on the events done/to be done by the Tri-forces, and the affiliated institutions of MOD.
- ★ Resource persons with specialized knowledge on cyber protection and the latest equipment to protect the data connected to National Security will be utilized.

**Progress of the Institutions  
coming under the  
Ministry of Defence**

## 14. DEPARTMENT OF SRI LANKA COAST GUARD

### 14.1 Overview

The Department of Sri Lanka Coast Guard (SLCG) was established after enacting the Coast Guard Act No. 41 of 2009 enacted by the Sri Lanka Parliament on 09<sup>th</sup> December 2009 in order to ensure the protection of life and property at sea, enforcement of national jurisdiction in the maritime zones and awareness towards dangers to ocean resources from marine pollution round the clock, round the year ensuring the mission and vision of safe, secure and serene maritime environment. SLCG being a law enforcement agency at sea has been empowered with legal authority to search and arrest ships, craft and personnel engaged in illegal activities in all maritime zones of Sri Lanka and in the high seas. In order to constitute legal proceedings against the offenders, every officers of SLCG shall deem to be a Peace Officer within the meaning for the purposes of the Code of Criminal Procedure Act No. 15 of 1979.

SLCG ceremonially established on 03<sup>rd</sup> March 2010 and rapid progress was made during the past years. Today, SLCG performing duties with Offshore Patrol Vessel (OPV), Fast Patrol Vessels (FPV), Fast Patrol Craft (FPC) and Inshore Patrol Craft (IPC) as surface platforms and shore stations including Fishing Monitoring and Lifesaving Points.

### 14.2 Achievements in 2018

SLCG comprises with following Departments and Regional Directorates in order to address multifarious tasks while interacting with various ministries and agencies involved in the same field:

#### ➤ Operation Department

Following operations were conducted by Operations Department during the year 2018.

#### ● Life Saving Operations.

SLCG is manning 13 Life Saving points around the country and conducted life saving operations throughout the year. It is significant to note that, in the year 2018, 228 lives including 104 foreigners have been rescued by SLCG lifeguards.

#### ● Coastal Surveillance to Deny Illicit Activities.

All Ships and crafts belong to SLCG are being utilized to deny illicit activities in off shore/territorial waters around the country. 10 numbers of Fast Patrol Boat (FPB) and 02 numbers of Inshore Patrol Craft (IPC) have been deployed in Northern region and remaining IPCs have been deployed at selected main/fishery harbours in Western North Western and Southern regions. Two 30 meter long Fast Patrol Vessels (FPVs) donated by the government of Japan under the project for Maritime Safety Capability Improvement in Sri Lanka, joined SLCG fleet after commissioning as 'SLCGS Samudra Raksha' and 'SLCGS Samaraksha' on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2018. In addition to aforesaid tasks, 02 No's of IPCs are deployed for whale watching monitoring duties at the coastal area off Mirissa.

#### ● Monitoring of Illegal, Unregulated and Unreported Fishing.

18 numbers fishing monitoring points have been established within the fishery harbour around the country in order to support the National Plan of Action to deter IUU fishing in Sri Lankan waters and high seas. All fishing vessels are checked before they are proceeding to high sea fishing to ensure the legality of fishing gears and equipment on board, and also on arrival, same checking process is done to ensure the legality of fish catch. The fishing monitoring points are established in following fishery harbours;

1. Kalpitiya	7. Negombo	13. Dikowita
2. Beruwala	8. Ambalangoda	14. Hikkaduwa
3. Galle	9. Mirissa	15. Dondra
4. Gandara	10. Nilwella	16. Kudawella
5. Tangalle	11. Hambanthota	17. Kirinda
6. Oluvil	12. Valaichchenai	18. Cod Bay

#### ● Community Awareness and Social Service Activities.

Regular community awareness programmes on following subjects have been conducted for the civilians living along the coastal belt.

- Safety of life at sea.
- Marine pollution prevention & Maritime environment protection.
- Coastal protection.
- Lifesaving.
- Beach cleaning programmes.
- Fishing community awareness programmes to prevent illegal fishing activities.
- Tree planting (Mangrove).

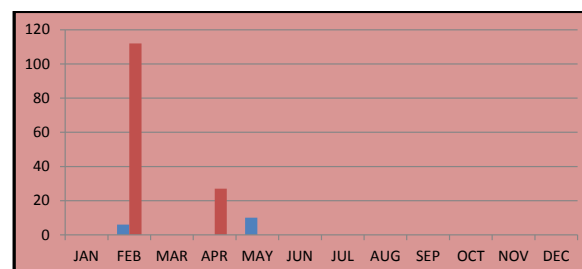
#### ● Search and Rescue (SAR) Operations.

Assistance rendered to Sri Lanka Navy and Sri Lanka Police to carryout SAR operations in coastal area/ at sea using available resources when requirement arises.

#### ● Law Enforcement Operations.

Law enforcement operations have been carried out in territorial waters and rendered necessary assistance to other national law enforcement agencies and government authorities to perform their respective duties. Further, SLCG Fleet units executed repatriation operations in collaboration with Sri Lanka Navy and Indian Coast Guard. Details of the repatriated fishermen in year 2018 are as follows;

- Total Sri Lankan Fishermen repatriated by Indian Coast Guard to Sri Lanka - 16 No's
- Total Indian Fishermen repatriated by Sri Lankan Coast Guard to India - 139 No's



14.1 Chart: Statistical analysis of the repatriation in year 2018

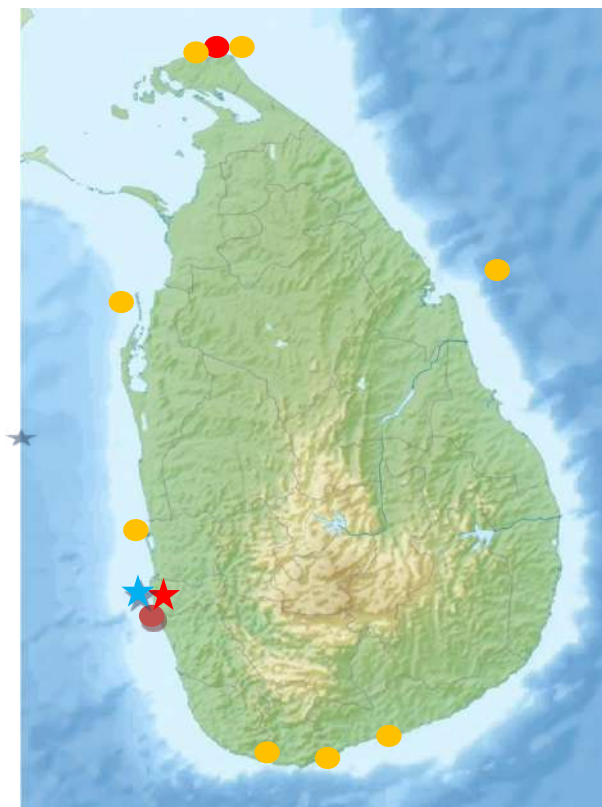
● **Maritime Environment Protection.**

SLCG Oil Spill Response team is acting as the first respondent to any oil spill incident in the country and SLCG oil spill team have successfully responded to the oil spill occurred in Kolonnawa - Heenela on 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018, off Muthurajawela sea due to leak in crude transferring pipe

from sea to shore on 08<sup>th</sup> September 2018 and in Cod bay Fishiery harbour on 11th September 2018. Further, under Turtle Conservation Project, preservation of turtles eggs and release of baby turtles to the sea is continuing and under Echo Friendly Project and Punarudaya program planting of Mangrove trees along the coast lines is continuing adjacent to CG stations and bases.

**Craft Stationed Around Sri Lanka are indicated in the map given below**

Deployment of Sri Lanka Coast Guard Ships and Craft as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018



**RDSR- REGIONAL DIRECTOR SOUTHERN REGION**

**RDNR- REGIONAL DIRECTOR NORTHERN REGION**

**RDWR- REGIONAL DIRECTOR WESTERN REGION**

**RDER- REGIONAL DIRECTOR EASTERN REGION**

★ **OPV-OFFSHORE PATROL VESSEL**

★ **FPV - PAST PATROL VESSEL**

● **FPB - PAST PATROL BOAT**

● **IPC - INSHORE PATROL CRAFT**

● **HPC-HARBOUR PATROL CRAFT**

**SLCG CRAFT ATTACHED TO RDNR**

- **FPB AT KKS HARBOUR**  
CG 401 CG 406  
CG 402 CG 407  
CG 403 CG 408  
CG 404 CG 409  
CG 405 CG 410

- **IPC AT PPD**  
CG 204

- **AT KAREINAGAR**  
CG 203

**SLCG CRAFT ATTACHED TO RDWR**

- SLCGS SURAKSHA (OPV)
- SLCGS "SAMUDRA RAKSHA" (FPV)
- SLCGS "SAMARAKSHA" (FPV)

- **IPC AT DIKOWITA**  
CG 202

- **COLOMBO HARBOUR - (HPC)**  
CG 101  
CG 102

**SLCG CRAFT ATTACHED TO RDSR**

- **IPC AT GALLE HARBOUR (IPC-02)**  
CG 207  
CG 208

- **MIRISSA HARBOUR (IPC-01)**  
CG 206

- **KIRINDA HARBOUR( IPC-01)**  
CG 201

**SLCG CRAFTS ATTACHED TO RDER**

- **TRINCOMALEE HARBOUR (IPC-03)**  
CG -209  
CG-210  
CG-80 (fire boat)

### ➤ Personal and Administration Department

Personal & Administration Department was established under the Personal and Administration Directorate to conduct personal and administration activities of Sri Lanka Coast Guard and office as well. Mainly carryout activities to fulfill the needs of cast ships, crafts, institution.

The General Work scope of Personal and Administration Directorate is as follows.

- Carry out internal drafting action of personal attached to Sri Lanka Coast Guard Department.
- Maintaining and updating of all personal files of all personal attached to the Sri Lanka Coast Guard Department and maintaining of HRMS system.
- Take necessary action for appeals and grievances of personal attached to Sri Lanka Coast Guard Department.
- Issuing and renewing of Coast Guard identity cards.
- Dealing with issues of existing lands for clear the land titles with ownership and acquisition of new lands for SLCG.
- Coordinate task entrusted to Coast Guard Department for assisting for national level program conducted for implementing government policies.

As per above work scope the activities conducted by Personal & Administration department during the year 2018 is as follows.

- There are 06 officers and 84 sailors were attached to SLCG from Sri Lanka Navy during year 2018 and the total number of officers and personnel were recorded 93 and 1300 as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.
- There are 120 numbers of appeals and grievances where resolved.
- Adjacent beach areas of Cast Guard bases and detachments were cleaned by Coast Guard personnel in weekends and public holidays throughout the year 2018 under the Beach Cleaning Project.
- Food plant cultivation program was conducted in all Coast Guard regions under the National Food Production Year 2018 from 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.
- Dengue prevention programmes were conducted throughout the year under National Dengue Prevention Programme.
- “Punarudaya” environment protection programme was inaugurated in all Coast Guard regions on 05<sup>th</sup> November 2018.
- Office for the Regional Director Easter Region was established on 2 January 2018 and 02 officers and 07 numbers of Coast Guard sailors were attached for duties.
- 23 numbers of Oil Spill and Boarding courses qualified sailors were attached to Cod bay substation on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2018
- 09 numbers of Coast Guard sailors were attached to SLNS ‘Vijaya’ on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018 for whales watching monitoring duties.
- A fishing monitoring point was established at SLNS ‘Elara’ on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018 and 11 Coast Guard personnel were attached for duties.

### ➤ Training Department

S N	Name of the Course, Seminar & Exercise	No of Coursed, Visits, Meetings, Seminars and Exercises	No of Participants	Country
1	Working Level Meeting (WLM) of the 1 Heads of the Asian Coast Guard Agencies Meeting (HACGAM)	1	1	Bangladesh
2	1 Heads of Asian Coast Guard Agencies Meeting (HACGAM)	1	2	Bangladesh
3	Capacity Building Training Course for Asian VTS Operators	1	2	China
4	05 <sup>th</sup> Sri Lanka – India Annual Defence Dialogue (ADD)	1	1	India
5	Maritime Search & Recue Exercise 2018 (SAREX 18)	1	1	India
6	Scholarship for Personality & Productivity improvement Workshop for Senior Rank Officials	1	1	India
7	Workshop on Drug Law Enforcement	1	1	India
8	Initial Planning Conference – DOSTI	1	2	India
9	Ship Rider Training Onboard ICG Ship (DOSTI Exercise)	1	2	From India to the Maldives
10	BAKAMLA'S Capacity Building Programme for HACGAM	1	1	Indonesia
11	Familiarization Training Program on Machinery and Equipment, Operation and Maintenance of the Fast Petrol Vessel	1	8	Japan
12	Maritime Law Enforcement Course	1	1	Japan
13	Maritime SAR, Maritime Disaster Prevention & Marine Environment Protection Course	1	1	Japan
14	Master's Course on Maritime Safety & Security Policy Program	1	2	Japan
15	Working Level Meeting of the Coast Guard Global Summit 2018	1	1	Japan
16	Maritime Security Administrative Capacity Building for Maritime Police	1	3	Korea
17	Strengthening Capacity of Maritime Safety & Security Agencies	1	1	Korea
18	Ex Participants of SAR, Disaster Prevention & Environment Protection Course	1	2	Malaysia
19	Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Explosive, Commodities Identification Training (CBRNE-CIT)	1	2	Maldives
20	Trilateral Exercise 'DOSTI'	1	2	Maldives
21	09 <sup>th</sup> Exercise of 'BARRACUDA'	1	1	Pakistan
22	Hamilton Water Jets Training	1	3	Singapore
23	World Border Security Congress and Interpol General Assembly adopts Data Processing Policy on Refugee	1	1	Spain
24	Third Meeting of the Task Force on Planning and Preparedness	1	1	Thailand
25	Working level Meeting (WLM) of the CG Global Summit Sub Regional Workshop on 'Effective Implementation of Security'	1	2	UK
26	International Maritime Officer Course	2	2	USA
27	International Maritime Domain Awareness	1	2	USA
28	International Boarding Officer Course	1	1	USA
29	Civil Military Response to terrorism / Maritime Terrorism Seminar	1	1	USA
30	US Coast Guard Academy 2022 (Academy Class)	1	1	USA

14.1 Table : Foreign Courses, Visits, Meeting, Seminars and Exercises



S/N	Course	No of Courses	No of Participants	Remarks
1	SLCG Acquaintance Course	3	128	-
2	RFD Handling and Surf Negotiation Course	2	22	-
3	Oil Spill Preparedness and Response Training	3	109	-
4	Maritime Boarding Officer Course	1	23	
5	Search & Rescue Coordination Execution	1	20	
6	Maritime Vessel Search Course	1	13	Conducted by Australian Border Force (ABF)
7	Maritime Boarding & Vessel Search Course	2	60	SLN-10 pers
8	Maritime Law Enforcement for Officers	1	8	Conducted by USCG Officials
9	Disaster Prevention & Environmental Protection Course	2	36	-
10	MLE Instructor Development Phase II	1	8	Conducted by USCG Officials
11	Incident Command System for Officers	3	14	-
12	Instructor Techniques Course	2	50	ATC Mirissa 10 TTC Maharagama 40
13	Basic Life Saving Course	6	122	-
14	Basic Life Saving Refresher Course	3	22	-
15	Intermediate Level Life Saving Course	4	39	-
16	Intermediate Level Life Saving Refresher Course	3	27	-
17	Bronze Medallion Life Saving Course	3	38	-
18	Bronze Medallion Life Saving Refresher Course	2	24	-
19	Life Saving Silver Medallion Preparation Course	1	02	-
20	Train the Trainer Course	2	26	-

14.2 Table: Local Training

S/N	Course	No of Courses	No of Participants	Remarks
1	Life Saving Basic & Resuscitation Course	5	161	for SLA
2	Life Saving Basic & Resuscitation Course	4	125	for SLN
3	Life Saving Basic & Resuscitation Course	3	36	for SLAF
4	Life Saving Basic & Resuscitation Course	2	22	for Civilians
5	Life Saving Basic & Resuscitation Course	1	49	for University of Uva Wellassa
6	Life Saving Intermediate Course	2	28	for SLN
7	Life Saving Silver Medal Preparation Course	1	2	for SLN

14.3 Table: Life Saving Courses Conducted for other Forces and Organizations

## ➤ Civil Engineering Department

The Civil Engineering Department of SLCG has constructed few building while maintaining the existing infrastructure. Metal corrosion of buildings established closer to the sea becomes a major issue and decision has been taken to concern more on wooden structures to minimize this problem. Most of the constructions are commenced by direct labour of the department and skilled sailors of SLCG. Shifting of SLCG Headquarters and Rear Headquarters are the major jobs in hand and the tasks completed are as follows:

Completed Projects by 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018

S/N	Project Description	Remarks (Rs.)
01.	Repairing of Lifesaving point of Mirissa.	40,493.00
02.	Repairing of Lifesaving point in Hikkaduwa	75,688.00
03.	Repairing of Lifesaving point in Benthota	1,380,864.00

14.4 Table : Renovation & repairing works of Life Saving Points-Funds (for materials and Contractual jobs) allocated from tourism board



Life Saving point of Mirissa



Life Saving point in Hikkaduwa



Life Saving point in Benthota

S/N	Project Description	Remarks (Rs.)
01.	Constructions of general mess of Coast Guard Station Kirinda	930,432.91
02.	Fabrication of water tank stand at Coast Guard Station Kirinda	140,000.00

14.5 Table : Completed SLCG projects.



Fabrication of Water Tank stand at Coats Guards Station Kirinda



General Mess of Coast Guard Station Kirinda

S/N	Project Description	Remarks (Rs.)
01.	Shifting of SLCG Waruna (Stage I)	4,930,828.80
02.	Construction of Security Fence at Coast Guard Station Kirinda	888,673.00
03.	Construction of Wardroom of Chilaw	1,502,968.50

14.6 Table : On-going Projects.



Security Fence at Coast Guard Station Kirinda



Wardroom at Coast Guard Station Chilaw



Sri Lanka Coast Guard Waruna Shifting Project

S/N	Description	Cost (Rs.)
01	Total Estimated Cost	2,894,223.37
02	Total Material Cost	2,060,479.99
03	Total Labour Cost	568,125.00
04	Total Supervision Cost	170,250.00
<b>Total Work Done</b>		<b>2,798,854.99</b>

14.7 Table : Minor Constructions & Maintenance Works in 2018.

#### ➤ Engineering Department

S/N	Project	Remarks
01	Repairs and Maintenance of Ships & Craft belongs to Sri Lanka Coast Guard	Repairs and Maintenance Cost of Ships & Craft through Sri Lanka Navy Rs.9,189,475.54
02	Acquisition of 02 No's 30m Fast Patrol Vessel Under JICA Grant	Both Vessels handed over to Sri Lanka Coast Guard of 10 <sup>th</sup> July 2018 on completion construction.
03	Procurement of Machinery and Equipment for Sri Lanka Coast Guard	Total Cost of Purchasing of Equipment & Machinery is Rs. 2,808,029.80
04	Acquisition of 02 No's Inshore Patrol Craft from Sri Lanka Navy.	Cost of project is Rs.75,181,365.50 and Craft handover 02 No's Craft to Sri Lanka Coast Guard on 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2018.
05	Purchasing of 04 No's containers to store oil spill equipment's.	Cost of 04 No's containers is Rs. 960,000.00
06	Repairs and Maintenance of Vehicles belongs to Sri Lanka Coast Guard	Repairs and Maintenance cost of vehicles is Rs.5,547,416.23
07	Purchase of Mitsubishi Fuso Crane truck for Oil spill response duties.	Cost of Crane truck is Rs.11,270,000.00
08	Purchase of 02 No's Toyota Single Cabs for Oil spill response duties.	Cost of 02 No's single cabs is Rs. 10,811,693.72
09	Acquisition of 04 No's OBM's	Total cost of 04 No's OBM's is Rs. 1,486,257.00
10	Acquisition of 04 No's RHIB's	Total cost of 04 No's RHIB's is Rs. 2,769,677.70
11	Purchase of Leyland Flatbed truck for Oil spill response duties.	Cost of Flatbed truck is Rs.4,500,000.00

14.8 Table : Projects and Activities undertaken by the Engineering Department

#### ➤ Electrical & Electronic Department

S/N	Project	Remarks
01	Installation of Security Lighting System at Coast Guard Station 'Kirinda'	Procurement cost -Rs. 55,000.00
02	Installation of new electrical wiring in view of shifting SLCG Waruna for a new location.	Procurement cost Rs: 465,000.00
03	Installation and commissioning of 40 KVA Generator LSTS Balapitiya	Procurement cost Rs: 1.7 Mn
04	Installation and commissioning of 40 KVA Generator at SLCG Rohana	Procurement cost Rs: 1.7 Mn
05	Shifting of 30 KVA Generator used at SLCG Rohana to Coast Guard Station Panadura	Installation cost Rs: 45,000.00
06	Installation and commissioning of 05 KVA Generators at Coast Guard Station Dikovita, Oluvil and CChilaw	Procurement cost Rs: 520,000 (MDA project)
07	Installation of FURUNO FAR 2127 Radar at SLCG Rohana and Lifesaving Training School Balapitiya	Radar were provided by SL Navy under MDA Project
08	Relocation/Upgration of electrical wiring DG Chalet, Wallawatha	Procurement cost Rs: 45,000.00
09	Installation of Electrical wiring of General mess Building at Coast Guard Station Panadura and Kirinda.	Procurement cost Rs: 899,000.00

14.9 Table : Projects and Activities undertaken by the Electrical & Electronic Department



Installation of security lighting system at Coast Guard Station 'Kirinda'



Installation and Commissioning of 40 KVA Generator at SLCG 'Rohana' and Lifesaving Training School 'Balapitiya'



Shifting of 30 KVA Generator from SLCG 'Rohana' to Coast Guard Station



Installation of FAR 2127 RADAR at SLCG 'Rohana' and Life Saving Training School 'Balapitiya'



Installation and Commissioning of 05 KVA Generators at Coast Guard Station Dikovita, Oluvil and Chilaw



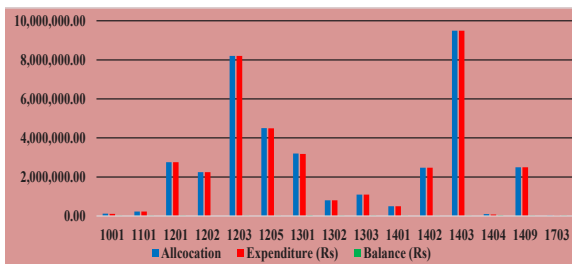
Installation of Electrical wiring of General mess Building at Coast Guard Station Panadura and Kirinda

## ➤ Logistics Department

Sri Lanka Coast guard logistics Department was established on the same date as the launching of the coast Guard. It is one of the first born departments of Coast Guard. Sri Lanka Coast guard established Logistics department to provide logistical support to other relevant departments, ensuring smooth functioning of the Coast Guard. Sri Lanka Coast Guard Logistics Department is containing 03 officers, 03 Senior Sailors and 12 Junior Sailors.

Description	Vote	Allocation (Rs.)	Expenditure (Rs.)	Balance (Rs.)
Salaries & Wages	1001	120"000'00	104"432'00	15"568'00
Domestic	1101	230"000'00	229"980'00	20'00
Stationery & Office Equipment	1201	2"760"000'00	2"753"165'38	6"834'62
Fuel	1202	2"250"000'00	2"250"000'00	-
Diets & Uniforms	1203	8"200"000'00	8"199"972'23	27'77
Other	1205	4"500"000'00	4"497"383'30	2"616'70
Vehicles	1301	3"200"000'00	3"176"997'98	23"002'02
Plant Machinery & Equipment	1302	800"000'00	799"837'19	162'81
Building & Structures	1303	1"100"000'00	1"098"902'28	1"097'72
Transport	1401	500"000'00	499"616'80	383'20
Postal & Communication	1402	2"475"000'00	2"474"835'84	164'16
Electricity & Water	1403	9"500"000'00	9"497"897'05	2"102'95
Rents & Local Taxes	1404	100"000'00	78"493'16	21"506'84
Other	1409	2"500"000'00	2"496"011'02	3"988'98
Implementation of the Official Languages Policy	1703	15"000'00	12"218'50	2"781'50
<b>Total</b>		<b>38,250,000.00</b>	<b>38,169,742.73</b>	<b>80,257.27</b>

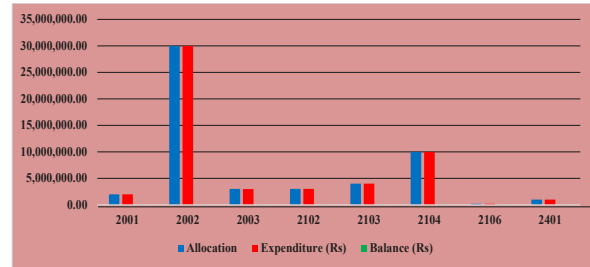
14.10 Table :Funds Summary as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 – Recurrent



14.2 Chart : Funds Summary as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 – Recurrent Votes

Description	Vote	Allocation (Rs.)	Expenditure (Rs.)	Balance (Rs.)
Building & Structures	2001	2,000,000.00	1,997,114.65	2,885.35
Plan Machinery & Equipment	2002	30,000,000.00	29,998,959.80	1,040.20
Vehicles	2003	3,000,000.00	2,993,572.71	6,427.28
Furniture & Office Equipment	2102	3,000,000.00	2,997,452.63	2,547.37
Plant Machinery & Equipment	2103	4,000,000.00	3,995,060.02	4,939.98
Building & Structures	2104	10,000,000.00	9,999,947.45	52.55
Software Development	2106	200,000.00	196,785.00	3,215.00
Staff Training	2401	1,000,000.00	999,001.13	998.87
<b>Total</b>		<b>53,200,000.00</b>	<b>53,177,893.39</b>	<b>22,106.60</b>

14.11 Table : Funds Summary as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 – Capital Votes



14.3 Chart: Funds Summary as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 – Capital Votes

## 14.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Improve surveillance and communication network of Sri Lanka Coast Guard.
- ★ Purchase and install 02 No's Marine based Diesel Alternators (225KVA) onboard SLCGS 'Suraksha' and to attend routine underwater maintenance of SLCGS 'Suraksha' during the first quarter 2019.
- ★ Establish New Radars at Coast Guard Station Kirinda, Halawatha and Chilaw.
- ★ Establish new land deployment in Coast Guard Northern Region preferably in Wettalakerni, Madal and Gurunagar area.
- ★ Arrange awareness programmes for fishery communities.
- ★ Establish a new armoury at Coast Station Oluwil.
- ★ Farther implement Tree Planting programmes as per the 'Punarudaya' introduced by the President Secretariat.
- ★ Implementation of Garbage management programmes.

## 15. STATE INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

### 15.1 Overview

SIS is the premiere intelligence organization in the country which is responsible for National security and comes under the administrative purview of Ministry of Defence. The intelligence is collected with regards to threats emanating from internal and external sources for security, economy, social, cultural and religious etc. Intelligence is widely make use in formulation of government policies and strategies. Hence intelligence pretty much part of the implementation of principles of good governance for the development of the country.

### Functions

The following are some of the duties and responsibilities of the origination

- Collection of Information and Analysis
- Conduct Confidential Inquiries
- Vetting Inquiries on all Sensitive Organizations Persons including Tri-Forces
- Threat Assessment on VVIP, VIP and Other Visiting and Local Dignitaries

- Conduct Training for Other Agencies
- Foreign Liaison
- Human and Physical Resource Management
- Maintaining and Advance Database
- Archiving of Documents

### 15.2 Future Prospects

- ★ Organize local and foreign training courses for offices to enhance their skills and capabilities
- ★ Increase the number of professional employment categories
- ★ Liaison with local and foreign intelligence agencies and counterparts
- ★ Efficient and effective use of physical resources
- ★ Acquisition of new and advance technology

## 16. JOINT SERVICES LANGUAGE TRAINING INSTITUTE

### 16.1 Overview

The Joint Services Language Training Institute was established under the Ministry of Defence in 1986 as a training institute for the purpose of teaching Tamil for security force personal, aiming of updating the knowledge to read, write and speak Tamil. The institute has completed 96 courses at the end of year 2018 for the Army, Navy, Air Force and Special Task Force personal and thereby trained 146 officers and 8387 other ranks.

Year 2018 this institute started to conduct English and French language courses and at end of the year 08 officers and 17 other ranks of Tri Forces and Special Task Force have successfully completed the French course and 153 other rank successfully completed the English course.

### 16.2 Achievements in 2018

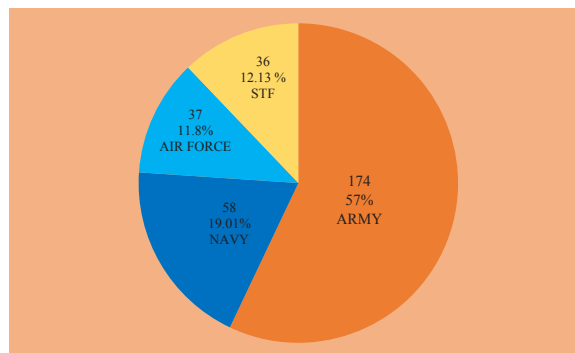
The institute has successfully completed following courses during the year 2018.

Course	Duration	Strength	
		Officers	ORS
Tamil Language Training Course – No 96	2018.01.23 – 2018.07.24	06	120
English Language Training Course – No 01	2018.01.29 – 2018.04.03	-	45
English Language Training Course – No 02	2018.04.26 – 2018.07.31	-	48
English Language Training Course – No 03	2018.08.14 – 2018.11.15	-	60
French Language Training Course – No 01	2018.06.12 – 2018.10.12	08	17
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>290</b>

16.1 Table : Courses Started in 2018

Course	Duration	Strength	
		Officers	ORS
Tamil Language Training Course – No 97	2018.08.14 – 2019.01.23	06	68
English Language Training Course – No 04	2018.12.03 – 2019.03.08	-	46
French Language Training Course – No 02	2018.10.23 – 2019.02.22	07	22
<b>Total</b>		<b>13</b>	<b>136</b>

16.2 Table : Courses Started in 2018 and Complete on year 2019



16.1 Chart :Percentage of attendance of Tri-Forces and Police students of English Tamil and French courses in year 2018

### Issues pertaining to training & Administration

- The Institute has insufficient accommodation facilities to fulfill the requirement.
- Requirement of a light vehicle and heavy vehicle
- Requirement of additional fuel allocation for the English and French courses. (For the Lecturers and Students who are participating the courses)
- Requirement of an ambulance (With a driver & fuel allocation)
- Requirement of instructors for Tamil instructor course and French language course

### 16.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Construction of Officer's/ WO's and SGT's accommodation buildings.
- ★ Construction of a New Auditorium.
- ★ Renovation of student officers living area.
- ★ Construction of 5 X guard points in camp perimeter.



## 17. INSTITUTE OF NATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES SRI LANKA

### 17.1 Overview

In July 2016, the Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka (INSSSL) was established by His Excellency the President of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Mr. Maithreepala Sirisena. Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka is functioning under the Ministry of Defence.

INSSSL has designed to get a good understanding of the security environment with a view to safeguarding national security and discuss issues of research and expertise through policy and strategy with the Government of Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka's strategic location has led to its continuing traditional and unconventional security threats. Therefore, it is necessary to draw on the expertise and strategic thinking of security and related subjects in order to ensure the safety of Sri Lanka policy makers.



INSSSL Policy Briefs	Date submitted	Action Taken
Ensuring Food Security in Sri Lanka	January 2018	Submitted
Media and Democracy: Misinformation, Fake News and its Impact on National Security	June 2018	Submitted

**17.1 Table:** Submission of Policy Briefs

Description	Allocation (Rs.)	Expenditure as at 31-12-2018 (Rs.)	Balance (Rs.)
Recurrent	15,000,000	9,635,691	5,364,309
Capital	4,000,000	1,527,148	2,472,852

**17.2 Table :** Financial Analysis

### 17.2 Achievements in 2018

Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka works on variety of projects spanning on variety of themes within National Security.

- Threat Lens
- Publications
- Roundtable Discussion
- Security Salon
- Seminars and Symposiums
- Public Lectures

### Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposium/ Workshops

#### ➤ INSSSL Symposium on “Managing Fake News and Misinformation”

On the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2018, the Institute of National Security Studies in Sri Lanka (INSSSL) organized a symposium on ‘Media and Democracy: Misinformation, Fake News and its Impact on National Security’. The objective of this forum was to make an independent observation by gathering perspectives from government, private sector, media, and plural sector on reforms to current media practices. Summarized in this press release were the salient points of the discussion.



#### ➤ INSSSL Conduct a joint workshop with Munasinghe Institute for Development

A research workshop on Sustainable Blue Green Economy in Sri Lanka and Indian Ocean was held on 18<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at Renuka Hotel Colombo. It has been identified that resources of the Indian Ocean as an important element of the national sustainable development strategy. The School of Advanced Studies (SOAS), UK, and the Institute of National Security Studies (INSS), Sri Lanka, have joined with MIND, to organize this initial workshop that brings together key researchers and stakeholders, interested in the topic.



➤ **The Director General of INSSSL conducted a presentation for Bangladesh Delegations on “National Security of Sri Lanka to South Asia”**

The Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekara of INSSSL conducted a presentation on “National Security of Sri Lanka to South Asia” at the Ministry of Defence on 18<sup>th</sup> Sep.2018 for Bangladesh delegation to Sri Lanka.



**Round Table Discussions**

➤ **Round Table Discussion on security “Trends in regional environment in South Asia”**

A round table discussion titled “Trends in regional environment in South Asia” was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2018 at the institute board room. The keynote speech is driven by Dr. Mallika Joseph. She is a Senior Fellow at INSSSL and currently serving as the policy advisor of The Hague-based Global Partnership for the Prevention of Armed Conflict (GPPAC).

➤ **Round Table Discussion on “Sri Lanka’s Role in BIMSTEC”**

On 20<sup>th</sup> September 2018, the Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka, hosted a round table discussion on ‘Sri Lanka’s role in BIMSTEC’. The panelists of the discussion were Mr. Kithmina Hewage, research officer at the Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka, Mr. Rohan Masakorala, CEO of Shippers’ Academy Colombo, and Prof. Hemanthi Ranasighe, Dean of faculty of Graduate Studies University of Sri Jayawardenepura, Commander Sanjeeva Dias, Director of Armed Service Operations and Natasha Fernando, Analysis Assistant at INSSSL auditorium.



➤ **Round Table Discussion on “OBOR in South Asia: Trade, Culture and Security”**

On 15<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2018, the Institute of National Security Studies Sri Lanka, conducted a round table discussion on ‘OBOR in South Asia: Trade, Culture and Security’ at INSSSL.

Prof. Swaran Singh from Jawaharlal Nehru University in New Delhi, Dr. Priyanga Dunusinghe from University of Colombo, Commodore DMLA Dissanayake from Sri Lankan Navy, Commodore Y N Jayarathne from Sri Lankan Navy, Ms. Ramla Wahab Salman from International Centre for Ethnic Studies, Dr. Ranga Jayasinghe. Ms. Kasuni Ranasinghe and Ms. Savithri Sellapperumage from INSSSL were engaged as panelists and the discussion was moderated by Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekara of INSSSL. The occasion was graced by the Defence Attaches and representatives from embassies.

**Security Salons**

➤ **Oceanography as a Strategic Tool”**

Eleventh ‘Security Salon’ was held on the 29<sup>th</sup> of March 2018 at the Ministry of Defence. The discussion was chaired by the Additional Secretary for Civil Security and Development, Mr. N.G. Panditharathna. Dr. Chulanee Attanayake, Research Director of INSSSL introduced and invited the eminent speaker, Commodore Y N Jayarathna, Deputy Director General of the Sri Lanka Coast Guard to deliver his lecture on “Oceanography as a Strategic Tool: How Marine Science Integrate Geo-Politics”.



➤ **“Fake News, Disinformation and Subversion: A Singapore Perspective”**

The twelfth Security Salon was delivered by Dr. Shashi Jayakumar, Head of the Centre of Excellence for National Security, Singapore. His lecture titled “Fake News, Disinformation and Subversion: A Singapore Perspective” was held on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at the Ministry of Defence. The session was chaired by the Mr. Kapila Waidyaratne P.C, the Secretary of Defence.



**Threat Lens**

➤ **Threat Lens on “Food Security”**

Seventh Threat lens on “Meeting the Challenges and Ensuring Food Security in Sri Lanka” was held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January 2018 at the Ministry of Defence. The program was conducted with the aim of organizing a discussion in which to propose sustainable mechanisms to ensure food security in Sri Lanka by using inputs from different stakeholders in food cultivation and agrarian research and development work at the policy making level.



**Public Lectures**

➤ **Public Lecture on “India’s selected participation in China’s Belt and Road initiative”**

INSSSL conducted a public lecture on “ India’s selected participation in China’s Belt and Road initiative “by Prof. Swaran Singh, senior fellow of INSSSL on 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018 at INSSSL auditorium.

➤ **Public lecture on the Battle of Narambaddha, Thisara Sandeshaya and Dedigama Parakkramabahu**

On 1<sup>st</sup> of November, 2018, INSSSL held a public lecture on “the Battle of Narambaddha, Thisara Sandeshaya and Dedigama Parakkramabahu” conducted by the Mr. Prasad Fonseka, addressing a number of unresolved issues in Sri Lanka’s history from Dambadeniya to Gampola at INSSSL auditorium. Director General Mr. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera, Prof. Vinnie Witharana, officers of three armed forces and a large number of literary experts participated in this event. Prof. Vinnie Witharana did the keynote speech.

➤ **Public Lecture on “Marine Environment Pollution in Sri Lanka”**

On 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018, the INSSSL held a public lecture on “Marine Environment Pollution in Sri Lanka” conducted by Dr. P. B. Terney Pradeep Kumara.



**Memorial Lectures**

➤ **Annual Memorial Lecture Series in Honour of late Maj Gen Vijaya Wimalaratne**

Annual Memorial Lecture Series in Honour of late Maj Gen Vijaya Wimalaratne were held on 8<sup>th</sup> August 2018. This lecture was delivered by Major General Udaya Perera (Rtd) RWP RSP VSV USP USA WC psc.

INSSSL as the National Security Think Tank conducted this lecture to honor the late Maj Gen Vijaya Wimalaratne and his contribution as a brilliant strategist and leader to Sri Lanka’s armed forces, defence and security. This was in remembrance of his 26<sup>th</sup> Death Anniversary. The aim of this Annual Memorial Lecture was to commemorate the war hero and to educate the future generations on our great military strategists. The knowledge sharing through this lecture was aimed at instilling strategic thinking and building professionalism in the next generation of the armed forces.



The event was attended by chairman of INSSSL, the Secretary of Defence Mr. Kapila Waidyaratne PC, senior officials of the Ministry of Defence, distinguished military officers, academics and family members of the late Major General Vijaya Wimalaratne.

**International Conference**

INSSSL held its inaugural international conference, Colombo Shangri La Colloquium under the theme: “*Towards a collective security policy for South Asia: building resilience and stability*”.

The event was held on 16<sup>th</sup> Dec. at Shangri La Hotel Colombo Sri Lanka. The event was graced by the Secretary of Defence, Mr. Hemasiri Fernando who was the keynote speaker of the event. The conference was set to explore the challenges and opportunities for a collective security policy for South Asia which is the regional focus of the year.

The Colombo Shangri La Colloquium is a track II event with the participation of scholars and practitioners from international and regional think tanks from following countries; Japan, China, Maldives, France, Pakistan, Bangladesh, India, Nepal and Sri Lanka.

The Colloquium would comprise three panels on key sub-thematic areas:

Presentation 01	
China-India Maritime Cooperation in the Indian Ocean	Professor Swaran Singh (India)
Presentation 02	
The Escalating US-China Confrontation: How should Japan, India & Sri Lanka respond?	Dr. Satoru Nagao (Japan)
Presentation 03	
China’s Maritime Silk Road: Progress and Implication	Dr. Huang Yunsong (China)
Presentation 04	
Sri Lanka Navy’s Contribution towards Maritime Security Cooperation in the Indian Ocean	Captain P K Warnakulasooriya (Sri Lanka)
Presentation 05	
China’s rise in the Indian Ocean: a Maldivian perspective	Dr. Rasheeda M Didi (Maldives)
Presentation 06	
Geopolitics of Indian Ocean: Sri Lankan Perspective	Prof. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera and Ms. Savithri Sellapperumage (Sri Lanka)

17.3 Chart: Session 1 - Maritime Security Cooperation in the Indian Ocean (Chaired by Ambassador Palihakkara)

Presentation 01	
Countering Violent Extremism	Ambassador Amjad Majid Abbasi (Pakistan)
Presentation 02	
Illiberalities, regime legitimization and ‘main streaming’ extremism: Unpacking the implicit complicity between the ruling elites and majoritarian extremism in South Asia	Dr. Ranga Jayasuriya (Sri Lanka)
Presentation 03	
Understanding the Drivers of Youth Radicalization	Maj Gen A N M Muniruzman (Rtd) (Bangladesh)
Presentation 04	
Countering Violent Extremism Global Trends and Implications on South Asia	Maj Gen Ravipriya (Sri Lanka)

17.4 Chart: Session 2 - Countering Violent Extremism (Chaired by Maj Gen Udaya Perera (Rtd))



Presentation 01	
Security Challenges in Asia and beyond: European perspective	Dr. Francoise Nicolas (France)
Presentation 02	
Security Cooperation through the BIMSTEC: A Regional Perspective	Ms. Natasha Fernando (Sri Lanka)
Presentation 03	
Sub regionalism-New Regionalism in South Asia	Dr. Uttam Sinha (India)
Presentation 04	
Economic & Social threats in Globalized South Asia	Ms. Kasuni Ranasinghe (Sri Lanka)

17.5 Chart: Session 3 - Security Agenda through Regionalism (Chaired by Mrs. Ramla Wahab-Salman)



## Official Visits

### ➤ Director General, INSSSL meets Dr. Roger Kangas in Washington DC

Mr. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera, Director General of INSSSL met Dr. Roger Kangas on the 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2018 in Washington DC. Dr. Kangas is the Academic Dean and a Professor of Central Asian Studies at the Near East South Asia Center for Strategic Studies.



### ➤ Director General speaks at the Hudson Institute

Mr. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera, Director General of the INSSSL was invited to speak on the panel “China’s Growing Influence in the Indian Ocean: Implications for the US and its Regional Allies” at the prestigious think tank in Washington DC, the Hudson Institute on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018. At the panel, Mr. Abeyagoonasekera emphasized the important role Sri Lanka could play as the “regional stabilizer” in the Indian Ocean Region (IOR) due to the Islands geostrategic position”.



Director General speaks at the American Society for Public Administration on Public Sector Leadership for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Century

Mr. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera, Director General of INSSSL was invited to speak at the prestigious American Society for Public Administration (ASPA). Greater Cincinnati Chapter and to the Northern Kentucky University Master of Public Administration students on the 20<sup>th</sup> February 2018.

### ➤ INSSSL participation in International Conferences 2018

- Dr. Chulanee Attanayake, Director Research at INSSSL and Ms. Priyanka Moonesinghe, Research Analyst at INSSSL participated at the Conference on Crisis Management organized by the Centre for South Asian Studies in cooperation with the Near East Asia Center for Strategic Studies in Kathmandu, Nepal from 31<sup>st</sup> January to 1<sup>st</sup> February 2018.
- Ms. Priyanka Moonesinghe, Research Analyst at INSSSL participated in a three-day national workshop on “Countering Violent Extremism: Building Resilience and Capacity” from 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018 in Dhaka, Bangladesh. The programme was jointly organized by the Bangladesh Institute of Peace and Security Studies and the Bangladesh Centre for Terrorism Research.
- Director General, Mr. Asanga Abeyagoonasekera of the National Security Think Tank (INSSSL) was invited by the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) to attend the 17<sup>th</sup> Shangri-la Dialogue in Singapore. This was a ‘Track One’ inter-governmental security forum held annually by an independent think tank, the IISS, which is attended by Defence Ministers, permanent heads of ministries and military chiefs of Asia-Pacific states.



### ➤ INSSSL Director General visits think tanks and security institutes in Brussels and Berlin

Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekera of INSSSL was invited to Brussels and Berlin for a study and dialogue program for security policy experts and think tank members organised by Konrad Adenauer Stiftung on 5<sup>th</sup> -9<sup>th</sup> November. During the program he visited NATO Headquarters, European External Action Services, Think Tanks in Brussels and Berlin and the Federal Chancellery of Germany. He was invited to present at a panel discussion at Konrad Adenauer Stiftung on ‘Security and stability in the Indo-Pacific’ along with other panelists Prof. Raja Mohan, Dr. David Brewster, Vice Admiral Pradeep Chauhan, Dr. Ahmed S. Mansoori and Brian Harding of CSIS Washington. The panel discussion was moderated by Dr. Garima Mohan of Global Public Policy Institute.

Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekera was participated in 36<sup>th</sup> Cambridge International Symposium on Economic Crime on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018 at Cambridge University

➤ **Director General Asanka Abeyagoonasekara was represented Sri Lanka at CICA (Conference on international and confidence build in measures in Asia) on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

Sri Lanka became a member of CICA in August 2018. From its observer state in 2012, Sri Lanka became as the 27<sup>th</sup> Member. He was delivered the inaugural statement after Sri Lanka becoming a full member of CICA.



Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekara was invited to the Asia Think Tank Summit and COSATT Planning Meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018 at Bali (Indonesia)

Director General Asanga Abeyagoonasekara participated in 11<sup>th</sup> South Asia Conference at Institute of Defence Studies and Analyses (IDSA) the premier government security think tank in New Delhi on LTTE returning back, India on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018.



## INSSSL visits

On 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2018 INSSSL staff members visited Sri Lanka Signal Crop (SLSC). In that discussion INSSSL thanked the SLSC and appreciated the great work done by our Army officers for our nation.



## Our Publications

### ➤ INSSSL Defence Quarterly

The INSSSL Defence Quarterly is a newsletter that is published once every three months with the intention of bringing together news and events that take place at the Institute. This includes events hosted by the institute, latest publications, international conferences attended by the Director General and staff, visits of international scholars to INSSSL and opinion pieces/articles. The quarterly bulletin is disseminated amongst local and international academia, think tanks and research institutes, government institutions and other interested persons.



### ➤ INSSSL Defence Review 2018

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## 17.3 Future Prospects

Programs	Number of activities
Publish Defence Review	1
Publish Books Covering key thematic areas	2
Publish monographs Covering key thematic areas	5
Produce periodicals Covering key thematic areas	1
Conduct research for thematic areas	1
Conduct national conferences	1
Host/ co-host International/ Regional Conference	3
Conduct Regional Security Dialogues	1
Facilitate/ host stakeholder discussions/ consultations	12
Facilitate/ host roundtable discussions	12
Public Lectures	12
Produce Newsletters (Defence Quarterly)	4
Recruit International Research Fellows	2
Recruit International Research Interns	4

17.6 Table : Future Plans



## 18. RAKNA ARAKSHAKA LANKA LIMITED

### 18.1 Overview

Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited has been established under the Ministry of Defence as a Government Owned Limited Liability Company and an establishment of National Importance, capable of contributing towards the National Economy uninterrupted and in providing security to such nationally important strategic establishments. This company has been registered at the office of the Registrar of Companies as “Pramuka Arakshaka Lanka Limited on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2006, and subsequently, its name had been changed on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2007 to “Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited” with the Motto –“Protection is Priority”.

This establishment was formed to ensure the opportunity to all those War-Heroes of the Tri-Forces and the Police Force who have retired honourably after sacrificing their lives for the unity of the nation –Sri Lanka and her Territorial Integrity, to continue serving the nation , always holding their honour at the highest esteem and ensuring labour not to be exploited and with the sole intention of concentrating on National Development, this company was established. The main objectives of this company have been right from its inception to provide a service with integrity to a large number of Government Ministries and Departments as well as strategic national economic centres by ensuring the members of the service to be retired or honourably discharged servicemen from the Tri-Forces and the Police Force, and by the virtue of the same background that would guarantee the highest possible discipline , efficiency and dedication on which to provide a Security Service of which all can be proud of.

Going beyond that, our establishment created the Maritime Security Service by commencing the “Maritime Security Division of Rakna Arakshaka Lanka on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2011. Through that, it became possible to contribute a lot of foreign exchange to strengthen the Sri Lankan economy by providing protection for the foreign Merchant Vessels which sail through the Indian Ocean.

#### ➤ Structure of Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited

- Land Security Division :Provision of Security Services to establishments
- Marine Security Division : Provision of Security Services to Merchant Vessels.
- Catering Services Division

#### Vision

Establishment of an outstanding Commercial and Industrial Security Service which will stand out in all the possible sectors in strategically important sites under both the state as well as the private sector, which have varying levels of relations.

#### Mission

By shouldering the task of providing security to establishments of the Government as well as Private sectors which are of strategic importance and that way contributing towards the progress of the national economy.

#### Objectives

- Contribution towards the National Development Process.
- Extension of Assistance during National Disasters.
- Extension of assistance to the Government in solving unemployment.
- Through the promotional publicity winning more clients for the Traditional Land based services.
- Giving attention to the possibilities in assisting the development of projects beyond the suitable mainly for the Human Resources with background in Armed Services to provide opportunities for the members of such families as well as for the general public
- To assist the government in achieving the welfare objectives for both the male and female officers who have been discharged or retired from the Armed service as well as from the Police Service.
- Assistance given to the government in achieving the goals of the government for the male and female officers who have retired.
- Assisting the Ministry of Defence and Public Security to establish standards for the Male and Female Officers of the Private Sector by lifting the standards to higher levels by being involved in“Providing Security Services”.
- Development of opportunities not only for the employees of Rakna but also for other beneficiaries to acquire skills in suitable sectors chosen.
- Introduction of Social Welfare programmes.

### 18.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Board of Directors

##### Mr. Nalaka Kaluweva-Chairman

Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited  
Addl. Secretary to the President Presidential Secretariat.

##### Mr. R.P.R.Rajapaksa

Director  
Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited  
Addl. Secretary ( Parliamentary Affairs )  
Ministry of Defence.

##### Mr.B.A.T.Rodrigo

Director  
Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited  
ComptrollerGeneral’s Office  
Ministry of Finance

Chief Executive Officer

**Rear Admiral. D.M.S.Dissanayake** – RWP,RSP ,VSV, USP ,ndu,ADIDSS, hdme,MMS, Msc( MS & S )

### ➤ No of Employees

All the employees of Rakna Arakshaka Lanka Limited are engaged on the basis of 'One Year Service Contract' renewable yearly up to the age limit of sixty ( 60) years.

In this regard, there is no approved maximum number of employees and it is decided by the numbers of security servicemen required by the clients as shall be decided according to the agreements. Also, the Security Servicemen and the Administrative Staff members are not subject to transfers between security sites and the transfers possible are limited to internal transfers only.

No of Employees as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018

#### A – In Active Service

Junior Security Officers	-	492	
Lady Security Officers	-	100	
Visiting Security Officers	-	07	
Chief Security Officers	-	08	
Officers In Charge	-	99	
Registered Sea Marshals	-	06	712
Office Staff	-	77	
Sector Managers		5	82
		794	

B - Registered Sea Marshalls - 530

### ➤ Land Operations Divisions

Under the Land Operations Division, security services are provided to establishments of the State Sector as well as the Private Sector and as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018, the foregoing had been provided with security services.

#### Name of the Establishment

1. MILCO Limited
2. BRANDIX Establishment
3. Post Graduate Institute of Medicine
4. Planetarium ( Ministry of Technology and Research )
5. Sri Lanka Customs
6. National Gems and Jewelry Authority
7. Independent Television Network
8. Sathuta Builders Private Limited
9. Sri Lanka Medical Council
10. Ceynor Foundation
11. Ruhunu University
12. Sri Lanka Electricity Board
13. Ministerial Residencies – Ministry of Public Administration
14. Sri Lanka Medical Association
15. Government Factory
16. Sri Lankan Airlines – Katunayake
17. Sri Lanka Steel Corporation
18. Department of the Registrar of Companies
19. Maliban Biscuits – Puliyankulama
20. Marine Environmental Protection Authority
21. Gems and Jewellery Research Institute
22. Coconut Cultivation Board
23. Sunken Construction Private Limited
24. Ministry of Finance and Media
25. Sri Jayawardenapura General Hospital

26. National Procurement Commission
27. Rigit Tire Corporation Ltd
28. Coconut Research Institute
29. Sri Lanka Foundation
30. National Insurance Trust Fund
31. Divisional Secretariat – Tissamaharama.
32. Atomic Energy Authority
33. Sri Lanka Thripasha Limited
34. Sri Lanka Gamma Irradiator Centre
35. National Centre for Non-Destructive Testing
36. Marangoni Tire Industries Company
37. Sri Lanka Savings Bank of Sri Lanka
38. Dehiwela – Mt.Lavinia Municipal Council
39. Tourist Development Board
40. Lanka Hospitals
41. House of Fashions
42. Mumtas Mahal
43. Litro Gas Company
44. Valibel Finance Ltd. – Bandarawela Branch
45. Nileka Jewellers
46. Rupavahini Corporation
47. Maliba Diary & Agri Product - Kekirawa

Security Service to be commenced on 01.01.2019 – Not in above establishments.

Establishment	No of Security Personnel
1. University of Peradeniya	- 161
2. Sri Lanka Telecommunication Regulatory Commission	- 12

### ➤ Physical Progress of Land Operations Divisions

Month	Targeted No of Security Officers	Actual No of Security Officers
2018 - January	900	921
2018 - February	900	932
2018 - March	900	872
2018 - April	950	845
2018 - May	950	845
2018 - June	950	838
2018 - July	1,000	876
2018 - August	1,000	689
2018 - September	1,000	715
2018 - October	1,050	689
2018 - November	1,050	719
2018 - December	1,050	712

18.1 Table : Security Officers

Month	Targeted No of Shifts	Actual No of Shifts Performed
2018 - January	27000	28081
2018 - February	27000	27289
2018 - March	27000	30712
2018 - April	28500	26644
2018 - May	28500	28650
2018 - June	28500	27480
2018 - July	30000	28922
2018 - August	30000	28576
2018 - September	30000	23574
2018 - October	31500	25581
2018 - November	31500	23960
2018 - December	31500	24282

18.2 Table : No of Shifts per Month

➤ **Maritime Security Division**

Month	Targeted		Actual	
	Armed	Unarmed	Armed	Unarmed
2018 - January	24	445	12	158
2018 - February	24	495	12	158
2018 - March	24	495	5	172
2018 - April	24	495	18	181
2018 - May	24	495	17	239
2018 - June	24	495	16	223
2018 - July	24	567	9	216
2018 - August	24	567	11	213
2018 - September	24	567	9	228
2018 - October	26	639	8	233
2018 - November	26	639	7	225
2018 - December	26	639	11	214

18.3 Table : Deployment of Security Personnel during the year 2018

Month	No of Maritime Companies	No of Registered Security Officers
2018 - January	11	465
2018 - February	11	463
2018 - March	11	460
2018 - April	11	485
2018 - May	11	526
2018 - June	11	539
2018 - July	08	537
2018 - August	08	533
2018 - September	08	532
2018 - October	08	532
2018 - November	08	531
2018 - December	08	530

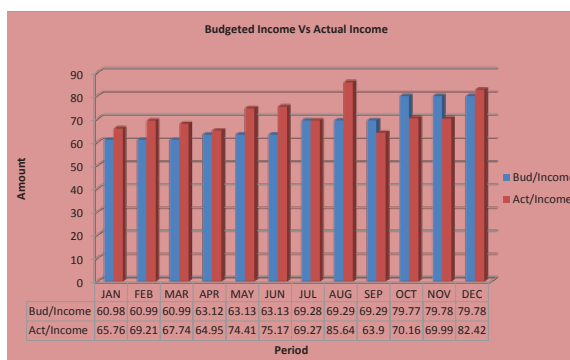
18.4 Table : No of Maritime Security Companies and Maritime Security Officers

Month	Projected Profit	Actual Profit
2018 - January	0.50	0.99
2018 - February	0.50	1.00
2018 - March	0.50	0.92
2018 - April	0.50	0.74
2018 - May	0.50	0.88
2018 - June	0.50	0.52
2018 - July	0.50	0.60
2018 - August	0.50	0.95
2018 - September	0.50	0.81
2018 - October	0.50	0.50
2018 - November	0.50	0.91
2018 - December	0.50	1.00

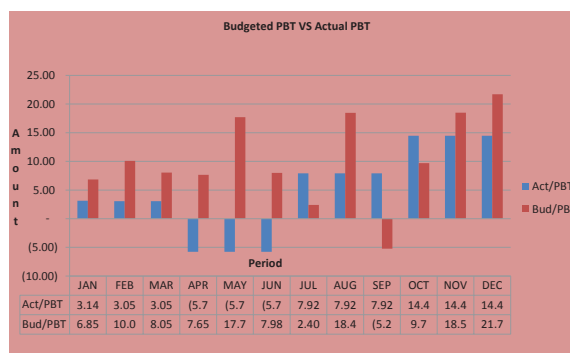
18.5 Table : Financial Progress of Catering Services – Profit (Rs. Million)

Month	Targeted		Actual	
	Revenue E	Profit before Tax	Revenue	Profit before Tax
2018 - January	60.98	3.14	65.76	6.85
2018 - February	60.99	3.05	69.21	10.08
2018 - March	60.99	3.05	67.74	8.05
2018 - April	63.12	(5.77)	64.95	7.65
2018 - May	63.13	(5.76)	74.41	17.71
2018 - June	63.13	(5.77)	75.17	7.98
2018 - July	69.28	7.92	69.27	2.40
2018 - August	69.29	7.92	85.64	18.46
2018 - September	69.29	7.92	63.9	(5.23)
2018 - October	79.77	14.47	70.16	9.7
2018 - November	79.78	14.48	69.99	18.5
2018 - December	79.78	14.48	82.42	21.7

18.6 Table : Overall Financial Progress of the Company – Profit (Rs. Million)



18.1 Chart : Estimated Revenue and Actual Revenue



18.2 Chart : Estimated Profit before Tax and Actual Profit before Tax

➤ **Problems and Challenges that came up during the Period**

- Non implementation of the Public Finance Circular No: 445 of 12.08.2010 of the Ministry of Finance and Planning on the provision of Security Services to the Ministries, Departments, Statutory Boards, State Banks. Government Owned Companies and Government Corporations.

- Deprivation of Business Opportunities due to the strict adherence to Lowest Quotations in place of Quotations based on better and High Quality Services which were unavoidably higher.
- The difficulties faced when offering services to client establishments in the Western Province due to limitations caused by the shortage of suitable persons in recruiting better quality security personnel.
- The Maritime Security Personnel seeking employment directly through other Maritime Security Companies and the subsequent engagements with vessels provided by them.
- The decrease in the opportunities for Maritime Security Personnel due to the shrinkage of Highly Volatile Security Zones .
- The present trend adopted by the Merchant Shipping vessels to sail without Security help.
- The drops in the prices offered for Maritime Security due to the heavy competition among the Security Service Providing maritime companies.
- Security Personnel from other countries joining vessels from Sri Lankan Ports, at cheaper rates .
- The absence of restrictions for the Foreign Maritime Security Personnel to join vessels

### 18.3 Future Prospects

- ★ Promotional efforts to recruit at least 150 Security Personnel during each Quarter.
- ★ Efforts to enter the opportunities in providing Security Services to Educational Institute including the Universities.
- ★ Efforts to be made to increase the Security Providing Potential in the State Sector Banks like the Bank of Ceylon and the People's Bank which require over 1,000 personnel..
- ★ Enhancement of the Quality Standards of the Security Personnel.
- ★ To make all the efforts to retain and protect the loyalty and the dependency of the clientele we already have.
- ★ To make efforts to secure service contracts with clients like Five Star Hotels which are prepared to offer better payment rates for services.
- ★ Establishment of Agreements with Maritime Security Providing Companies to increase the numbers of the Maritime Security personnel.
- ★ Development of the Website to secure opportunities in providing Maritime Security Services by promoting the service, internationally.
- ★ Introduction of more variety into the range of products we offer now to the General Public as a measure from the Catering Services.
- ★ Introducing measures to popularize the Catering Services

**Progress of the Institutions  
coming under the  
State Ministry of Defence**



## 19. NATIONAL CADET CORPS

### 19.1 Overview

In 1881, the Ceylon Cadet Battalion, a small team of school children of Royal College was established by Mr. John B. Cull (The Principal, Royal College) with the concept of “Develop discipline through drill”, which was changed after 107 years. In 1988, the National Cadet Corps (NCC) has been established under the Manpower Mobilization and supplementary forces Act.

The Air Force, Navy and Police Cadet wings were also established in addition to the Army Wing after the reorganization of Cadet Corps. Further, it had been divided into Junior and Senior Cadetting and subsequently boys and girls of both categories.

In 2015 the National Cadet Corps came under the administration of the State Ministry of Defence from the Ministry of Defence. As per the present organization structure, there are 9 x Provincial HQs and 38 x Battalions with the Training Centre at Rantembe. At the end of 2018 4397 platoons totalling to 109,925 cadets strength is available. Annually 40,000 cadets are being trained at Rantembe.

#### Vision

To groom youth to be dynamic, disciplined citizens with extra-ordinary leadership qualities in order to face utmost challenges in the society.

#### Mission

To train school cadets and inspire cadets using effective training curriculums in order to develop Character, Sportsmanship, Self-reliance, Discipline, Civic Mindedness, Spirit of Adventure, Responsibility, Comradeship to be a valuable human resource of well-trained youth, capable of providing leadership in all aspects of life.

#### Training Criteria

The Training Criteria of the National Cadet Corps are as follows.

- Encourage leadership, initiative and teamwork
- Enhance and promote the image of the youth.
- Encourage to acquire the basic concept of teamwork and other interpersonal skills in order to produce future leadership
- Encourage youth and to inculcate to foster importance of community service and responsibilities.
- Create opportunity to develop physically, intellectually and socially.
- Achieving sustainable development objectives.

According to the instructions of His Excellency the President Maithripala Sirisena, Honorable Ranil Wickramasinghe, The Prime Minister and Honorable Ruwan Wijewardene, State Minister of Defence to enhance the activities of the Cadet Corps, which is a cadre of children who are trained through the Cadet Corps and admired the sound discipline and leadership. So 2018 was very busy year for NCC.

The first step towards restarting the Junior Cadets that had been stopped for over 36 Years was to commenced as a pilot project in Trincomalee and Monaragala districts. At the end of the project, 08 boys and 08 girls platoons were participated in the NCC Training Centre, Rantembe. The State Minister of Defence, Hon Ruwan Wijewardene was gracefully participated as the Chief Guest in the Passing Out Parade.

### 19.2 Achievements in 2018

- Established 500 x new Senior Cadet Platoons in National Schools, MMVs and MVs.
- Established 500 x new Junior Cadet Platoons.
- Given the opportunity to 40,000 x Cadets to take part in Assessment Camps at Rantembe Training Centre.

In addition, the following camps were conducted annually.

- **Assessment camps in Training Centre Rantembe**
  - Army wing Boys Assessment Camps
  - Army wing Girls Assessment Camps
  - Naval, Air, Police wings Boys / Girls Assessment Camps
  - Band wing camps - Eastern / Western - boys / girls
- **School level training**
- **Battalion level training**
  - One - day training camp
  - Two - day training camps
- **Provincial level training**
  - One - day training camps
  - Two - day training camps
- **Officers' Training Camps and Courses**
  - Course for Probationary Officers
  - Officer Training Course
  - Course for Platoon Commanders
  - Band Training Course for Officers
- **National level Activities**
  - Senior Cadet Boys Division Championship - Herman Loose Trophy
  - Senior Cadet Girls Division Championship - De Zoysa Trophy
  - All Island Eastern Band Assessment Camp - Boys
  - All Island Eastern Band Assessment Camp - Girls
  - All Island Western Band Assessment Camp - Boys
  - All Island Western Band Assessment Camp - Girls
  - Junior Cadet Championship Trophy
  - National Independence Day parade

➤ **Foreign tours**

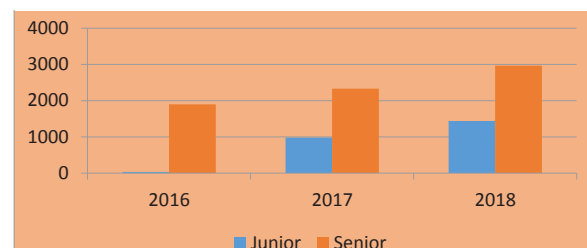
- Training camps, military ceremonies and Republic Day ceremonies by the invitations from foreign countries.

➤ **Special Camps**

- Cadets' Advanced Course
- Junior Leadership Course
- NCOs' Band Course

Distribution of cadet platoons	Junior	Senior	Total
2016	32	1893	1925
2017	978	2326	3034
2018	1437	2960	4397

19.1 Table : Distribution of Cadet Platoons

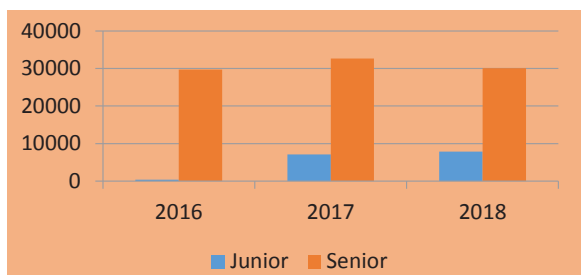


19.1 Chart : Distribution of Cadet Platoons

➤ **Number of Cadets training in Training Centre**

Distribution of cadet platoons	Junior	Senior	Total
2016	400	29726	30126
2017	7150	32640	39790
2018	7878	30065	37943

19.2 Table : Distribution of Cadet Platoons



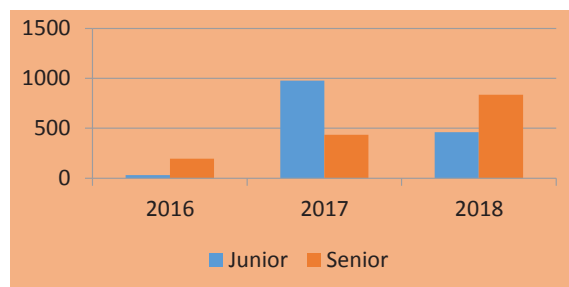
19.2 Chart : Distribution of Cadet Platoons

Description	Number of Cadets
Target	38090
2018.12.31 Number of Cadets training in Training Centre	37943 (99.61%)

➤ **Distribution of New Cadet Platoons**

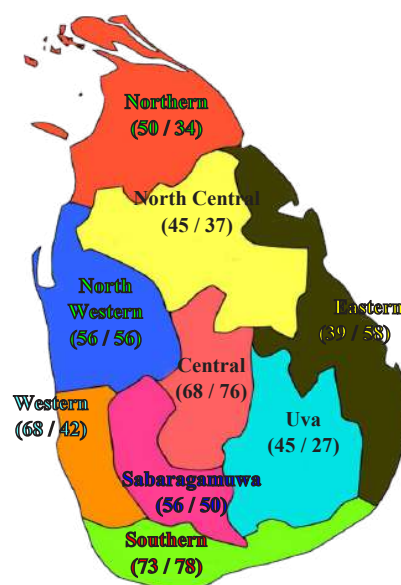
	Junior	Senior	Total
2016	32	195	227
2017	978	433	1240
2018	459	836	1295

19.3 Table : Distribution of New Cadet Platoons



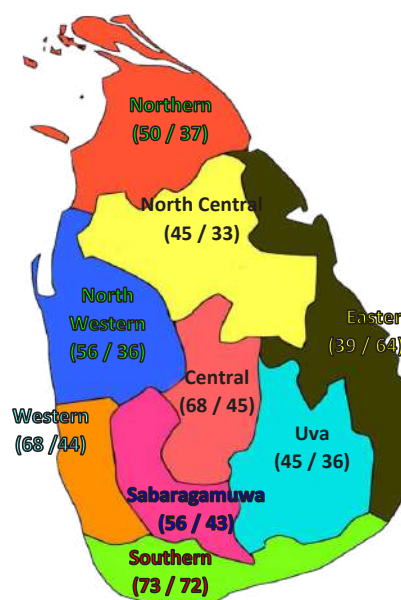
19.3 Chart : Distribution of New Cadet Platoons

Progress of Objective 2018 – Junior Cadetting



Description	Number of Platoons
Target	500
2018.12.31 Number of Cadets training in Training Centre	458 (91.6%)

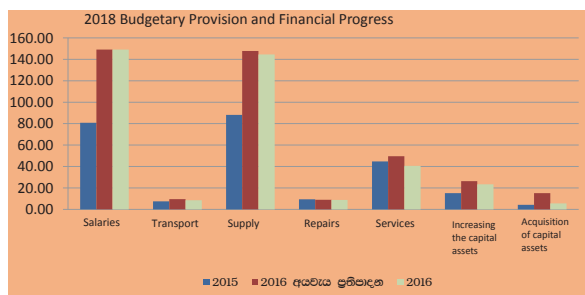
Progress of Objective 1 – Senior Cadetting



Description	Number of Platoons
Target	500
2018.12.31 Number of Cadets training in Training Centre	410 (82%)

#### ➤ Financial Progress of the National Cadet Corps

The National Cadet Corps received Rs. 457.20 million as Recurrent expenditure and Capital expenditure as Rs. 16.30 million. On the advice of His Excellency the President, the budgetary provisions were used to achieve the National Cadet Corps Objectives of extending the cadetting to the National schools, the Central College and the rural schools



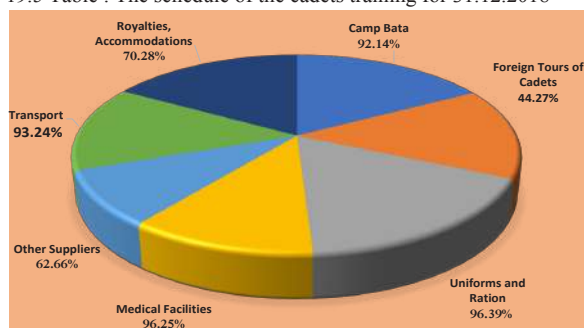
19.4 Chart : 2015, 2016 Budgetary Provision

Management Expenditure Head	Provisions Allocated for 2018 (Rs. Million)	Expenditure Incurred by 31.12.2018		Other
		Cost (Rs. Mn)	%	
Recurrent	457.10	417.21	91.27%	
Capital	35.50	17.72	49.93%	
Total	492.60	434.93	88.29%	

19.4 Table : Financial Progress 2018

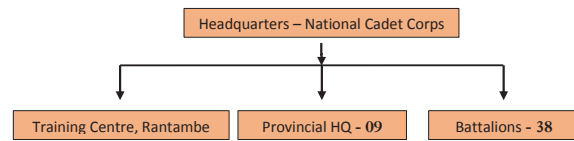
		Approved Amount (Rs. Mn)	Expenditure (Rs. Mn.)	Percentage %
1003	Camp Beta	23.54	21.69	92.14%
1102	Foreign Tours of Cadets	9.65	4.27	44.21%
1203	Rations and Uniforms	138.6	133.6	96.39%
1204	Medical Facilities	0.8	0.77	96.25%
1205	Other Supplies	3.0	1.88	62.66%
1401	Transport	56.7	52.87	93.29%
1409	Other Services (Royalties, Accommodations)	12.9	9.08	20.28%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>245.19</b>	<b>224.16</b>	<b>91.42%</b>

19.5 Table : The schedule of the cadets training for 31.12.2018



19.5 Chart : Expenditure Shedule

#### ➤ The structure of the National Cadet Corps



##### ● The Headquarters of NCC

The Headquarters of National Cadet Corps is located at No. 15, Dutugemunu Street, Pamankada, Dehiwala working with 43 officers, 36 other ranks and 41 civil servants with the guidance of the State Ministry of Defence working towards improving the quality of cadet training practices on administrative and operational functions.

##### ● Training Centre – Rantembe

The only training centre of the National Cadet Corps has been established in Rantembe. It has 22 officers, 47 other personnel and 61 civil servants.

##### ● Provincial Headquarters

Nine provincial offices have been set up covering all provinces. Seven officers and nine civil servants are employed.

##### ● Battalion Headquarters

There are 38 Battalions covering the entire island. The main objective is to conduct cadet training in schools, in which case the cadets will be trained to qualify for the Herman Loose Cup and the De Soysa Cup. 114 Officers, 223 Other Personnel and 55 Civilians are stationed in Battalion.

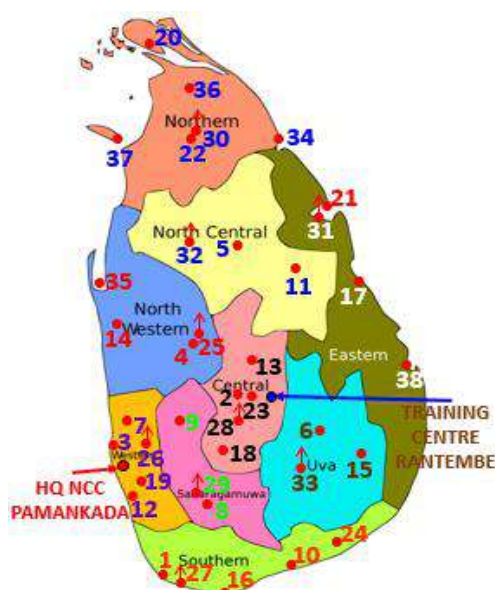
#### ➤ Battalion Distribution 2018

In addition, Senior Cadets who are attached to the Cadet Corps will be invited to Republic of India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Maldives and Nepal to participate in Republic Day, Victory Day, Special Camps and Trail Treks. The government take all the expenditure for these tours by the supervision of the State Ministry of Defence, and on the other hand Foreign cadets take chance to attend to the Hermann Loos competition and have the opportunity to share their knowledge and ideas with the Sri Lankan Cadets.

Accordingly, cadets who have joined the Cadet Corps and trained them expected to be with Good discipline and empowerment, Leadership training, Physical and mental health and well-being, Skills development opportunities, Ability to work with local foreign cadets. NCC is expected to make a citizen who can contribute to the socio-economic development of Sri Lanka.



- 1 NCC - Gall
- 2 NCC - Kandy
- 3 NCC - Colombo
- 4 NCC - Kurunegala
- 5 NCC - Anuradhapura
- 6 NCC - Badulla
- 7 NCC - Gampaha
- 8 NCC - Rathnapura
- 9 NCC - Kegalle
- 10 NCC - Tangalle
- 11 NCC - Polonnaruwa
- 12 NCC - Kalutara
- 13 NCC - Matale
- 14 NCC - Kuliyaipitiya
- 15 NCC - Monaragala
- 16 NCC - Matara
- 17 NCC - Ampara
- 18 NCC - NuwaraEliya
- 19 NCC - Pannipitiya
- 20 NCC - Jaffna



- 21 NCC - Trincomalee
- 22 NCC - Vavuniya
- 23 NCC - Senkadagala
- 24 NCC - Hambanthota
- 25 NCC (G) - North Central
- 26 NCC (G) - Western
- 27 NCC (G) - Southern
- 28 NCC (G) - Central
- 29 NCC (G) - Sabaragamuwa
- 30 NCC (G) - Northern
- 31 NCC (G) - Eastern
- 32 NCC (G) - North Central
- 33 NCC (G) - Uva
- 34 NCC - Mulathivu
- 35 NCC - Puttalem
- 36 NCC - Kilinochchi
- 37 NCC - Mannar
- 38 NCC - Baticolola

### Special Occasions in 2018

#### Junior Cadet Training Camps – Pilot Project (Western Province)



#### Junior Cadet Assessment Camps (Boys/Girls) - 2018



#### Senior Cadet Assessment Camps (Boys/Girls) - 2018





Hermann Loos Champions Trophy – 2018



De Soysa Champions Trophy - 2018



All island Eastern Band Assessment Camp - 2018



All island Western Band Assessment Camp - 2018





## 20. RANAVIRU SEWA AUTHORITY

### 20.1 Overview

Ranaviru Seva Authority has been established in year 1999 bearing upon the number 54 parliament act for the purpose of uplifting the living standards of the disabled soldiers and families those who sacrificed in action, missing in action, disabled in action in the armed forces and police due to the catastrophic war prevailed in Sri Lanka.

#### Functions

(As per Ranaviru Seva Authority Act No. 54 of 1999 )

- Making arrangements for after care and rehabilitation for the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have become disable in the operation/ action
- Providing houses and assistance to the members of the Three Armed Forces and Police who have become disabled in action and dependents of the members of the Three Armed Forces and Police who have died or who have been missing in action.
- Providing medical facilities and assistance for the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have become disabled in action and Dependents of the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have died or who have been missing in action.
- Providing scholarships and other assistance with a view to make access for education to the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have become disabled in action and Dependents of the members of the Three Armed Forces and Police who have died or who have been missing in action
- Providing assistance for engagement in productive employment for the dependent of the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have become disabled in action and
- Establishment of technical, agricultural or commercial enterprises with the aim of enabling the members of the Armed Forces and Police who have become disabled in action and dependents of the members of the three armed forces and police who have sacrificed in the action, missing in the action.
- Taking all necessary action to ensure the proper functioning of the Authority.

### 20.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Institutional Progress

##### Financial Progress

Description	2018 ( Rs. Mn. )		
	Allocation for 2018	Expenditure	Progress %
Recurrent ( A )	111.06	79.15	71.26
Capital ( B ) = C+D+E+F	529.98	412.78	77.88
Rehabilitation and Improvement of Capital Assets ( C )	8.00	-	-
Acquisition of Fixed Assets ( D )	25.50	0.98	3.80
Ranaviru Welfare Programmes ( E )	168.65	93.74	55.67
To provide rehabilitation and care for disabled	7.60	4.49	59.08
To provide and assist in housing	22.20	21.50	96.84
To provide and assist in medical care	8.80	3.56	40.45
To have access to education and higher education, by providing scholarships	28.66	21.32	74.38
To secure gainful employment	34.60	4.38	12.66
To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to discharge of the functions of the Authority	66.50	38.49	57.87
Welfare Project ( 750/- ) ( F )	327.83	318.06	97.02
Grand Total ( G = A + B )	641.04	491.93	76.74

20.1 Table : Financial Progress in 2018

##### Physical Progress

#### ● Rehabilitation of disabled war Heroes

According to the number 54 Parliament act, it is prime duty and responsibility of the Ranaviru Seva Authority to eliminate inconvenient of the disabled war heroes and creating conducive environment to fulfill their needs. In order following programs have introduced specially for them by Ranaviru Seva Authority.

- Providing Equipments for disable war heroes
- Providing Sanitary Facilities
- Training workshops for disable war heroes

Rehabilitation of Disabled War Heroes	Physical		Financial (Rs. Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Allocation	Expenditure
Sanitary Facilities - New	57	57	3.45	2.55
Sanitary Facilities - Installments	30	30		
Providing Equipments for Disabled War Heroes	400	245	1.95	0.87
Training Workshops for Disable War Heroes	08	08	2.20	1.07

20.2 Table : Rehabilitation of Disabled War Heroes



● To provide and Assist in Housing.

According to act of the Ranaviru Seva Authority members of the armed forces and the Police who have become disabled in action and the dependants of members of the armed forces and the police force who have sacrificed missing in action could be obtain through the priority basis.

- Virusumithuru Housing Project
- Providing Housing Loans
- Providing Land



Accordingly, the progress of year 2018 is given below.

Provision of Housing and Related Assistance	Physical		Financial (Rs.Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Annual Target	Progress
Housing Loans - New		79	19.50	21.19
Housing Loans - Installments		12		
Viru Sumithuru Housing Project – Full houses	488	106	1.50	0.11
Viru Sumithuru Housing Project – Semi houses	425	1154		
Providing plots of lands – Through Divisional Secretaries.		32		
Providing plots of lands – getting approval of the Divisional Secretaries.		22		
Giving Deeds		211		
Sending name lists for land registry		83		
Conducting land registry Interviews		03		

20.3 Table : Provision of Housing

● To Provide and Assist in Medical Care.

According to the Ranaviru Seva Authority act physically and mentally empowerment of the soldiers and families those who sacrificed missing in action and disabled in action and their dependents/ Noks. Providing medical facilities and assist them.

To provide and assist in medical care	Physical		Financial (Rs. Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Annual Target	Progress
Medical Aids – New	80	68	8.80	3.56
Medical Aids – Installments	840	506		

20.4 Table : Medical Aids Progress

- To have access to education and higher education, by the provision of scholarships and the other forms of assistance.

According to the above provision following activities are currently involving

- Ranaviru Dudaru Savings Investment Scholarship
- G.C.E. O/L, A/L Scholarships
- Scholarships for the University Students
- Foster Parents Scheme Aids
- Skills Promotion Aid/ Loan

To have access to Education and Higher Education, by providing Scholarships	Physical		Financial (Rs.Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Annual Target	Progress
Ranaviru Dudaru Savings Investment Scholarship - New	650	259	17.86	14.74
Ranaviru Dudaru Savings Investment Scholarship - Previous payments	1378	1037		
G.C.E. O/L, A/L Scholarships - New	450	286		
G.C.E. O/L, A/L Scholarships - Previous payments	680	692		
Scholarships for the University Students - New	70	100		
Scholarships for the University Students - Previous payments	240	261	4.80	5.10
Foster Parents Scheme Aids	800	658		
Skills Promotion Aid	60	25	3.00	1.18
Skills Promotion Loan	04	01	2.00	0.30

20.5 Table : Scholarships for Educations and Higher Education

● To secure gainful employment

To Setup and assist Agricultural or commercial industries with a view to providing employment to the members of the disabled in action and dependents of the families those who have sacrificed in the action, missing in the action.

- Self-Employment Loans
- Self-Employment Aids
- Enterprise Development Workshops

Accordingly, the progress of year 2018 is given below.

To Secure Gainful Employment	Physical		Financial (Rs.Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Annual Target	Progress
Self-Employment Loans - New	100	15	20.00	4.12
Self-Employment Loans - Installments		11		
Self-Employment Aids	50	05	2.50	0.25
Enterprise Development Workshops	45	01	4.06	0.01

20.6 Table : To Secure Gainful Employment

- To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to discharge of the functions of the Authority.

To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary or conducive to the discharge of the functions of the authority following programs are there such as.

- Rana Viru Mapiya Surakuma programme
- Mapiya Rakawarana benefits
- Sansada Officials District Meetings
- Celebration of National Ranaviru Day
- Maintanance of Mailapitiya Remembrance Park
- Developing Yakabedda as an Elders home
- Providing “ Virusara ” Privilege Cards
- Ranaviru women programme
- Establishing Sports Camps and Sports Clubs
- “ Senhiru Siyapatha ” Project

Accordingly, the progress of year 2018 is given below.

To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to discharge of the functions of the Authority	Physical		Financial (Rs.Mn.)	
	Annual Target	Progress	Annual Target	Progress
Mapiya Rakawarana benefits	37,250	35,842	327.83	318.06
Rana Viru Mapiya Surakuma programme	1,470	1,280	33.32	31.14
Sansada Officials District Meetings	20	20	1.00	0.29
Ranaviru women programme	50	05	5.79	0.40
Celebration of National Ranaviru Day	09	09	7.75	7.12
Establishing Sports Camps and Sports Clubs	09	05	0.84	0.56
Infrastructure Development of war hero villages	05	-	0.95	-
Providing “ Virusara ” Privilege Cards		41640	1.00	0.01
Developing Yakabedda as an Elders home			1.02	0.56
Maintanance of Mailapitiya Remembrance Park			0.84	0.56
“ Senhiru Siyapatha ” Project	04	04	4.00	0.52

20.7 Table : To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to discharge of the functions of the Authority.



## Issues, Challenges and Proposed Solutions

### Issues

#### ➤ Issues due to Scarcity of Funds

- Not receiving money for the requirements of the War heroes
- Difficulties in obtaining the equipment and other goods required for the disabled
- No available funds to provide medical aid.
- Difficulties to carry out War Hero Scholarship programme and insufficient funds to provide the scholarships as requested.

#### ➤ Issues arisen when the services are provided in coordination with other Public Institutions

- Unavailability of lands to construct houses and difficulties in getting deeds and permits.
- No coordination among Government and Non-Government Organizations which serve the war heroes.
- Lack of assistance from the other institutions when infrastructure is developed, in contrast to the war period.
- Not providing suitable locations for Provincial Offices.

### Challenges

Providing service to the war hero community amongst all the issues mentioned above.

### 20.3 Proposed Solutions

- ★ Building up the pride and dignity of the war heroes through an awareness campaign organized by government and non-government organizations under the direct supervision of His Excellency the President
- ★ Increasing the public funds allocated for Ranaviru Seva Authority
- ★ Establishing a government level coordination with other public and other institutions which contribute to provide services to war heroes.
- ★ Participating to health systems like Agrahara to increase the health conditions of the war hero families.
- ★ Instructing the Public banks to provide a special service to the war hero community.
- ★ Obtaining the contribution of local government institutions to build up the dignity and pride of the war heroes.
- ★ Increasing the government mediation in solving salary, pension and other professional issues faced by war hero communities.

## 21. DEFENCE SERVICES COMMAND AND STAFF COLLEGE

### 21.1 Overview

Defence Services Command and Staff College (DSCSC) is an institute that provides military education to the officers of the Tri-Services. Established as the Army Command and Staff College on 28 August 1998 with the aim of imparting knowledge on Command and Staff aspects for selected officers of the Sri Lanka Army. The College transformed as the Defence Services Command and Staff College expanding its military education in a joint environment of Tri-Services on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2007 widening the horizon of the professionalism of the officers to par with the other Staff Colleges of the world. Moreover, it was an important milestone in the history of the Sri Lankan armed forces, all military doctrines, strategic level planning and teachings were brought under one entity.

In the year 2018, the College conducted 'psc' course for 126 student officers from Tri-Services and 14 foreign officers. The course was followed by 140 officers and out of them 134 officers successfully completed the course and 2 officers could not pass the 'psc' course and 4 officers returned to the units on the disciplinary grounds. It was a successful year for DSCSC in terms of academic, since 104 officers received Masters in Defence and Strategic Studies M(Defs). Further there was a significant development in administrative activities. It had continued to uphold the recognition as one of the leading military training institution both psc and masters degree for middle grade officers of Tri-Services and executives in the capacity of addl/asst and sec in the civil sector.

DSCSC functions directly under the Ministry of Defence and is governed by a Board of Management (BOM). The BOM consists of the Chief of Defence Staff, the three Service Commanders, Vice Chancellor - KDU, Secretary to the Treasury or his nominee, Commandant and Brigadier Coordinating of the DSCSC headed by the Secretary to the Ministry of Defence. DSCSC is staffed by Service personnel from the Tri-Services and civilian staff employed by Ministry of Defence. The Chief Executive Officer of DSCSC is the Commandant.

The Course Number 12 of the year 2018 commenced on the 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018 and terminated on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The Course consisted with the following local and foreign student officers:

Army	-	72
Navy	-	27
Air	-	27
Foreign	-	14
<b>Total No of students</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>140</b>

In the year 2018, the College has introduced many creative concepts. The College was able to endorse on ten core values and a driving tenet related to those values. It was allowed to inculcate and improve discipline, personality, professional skills with knowledge and personal development among student officers by acquainting with the core values. Core

values are emphasized in all spheres of activities of the College and upholding of which, improvement of overall character of officers of the Tri-Services and growth of the institution are intended. The Core Values are Learning, Honour, Respect, Decorum, Excellence, Innovation, Responsibility, Professionalism, Mission Command, Pristine Environment, The Driving Tenet: Common Sense.

### 21.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Academic Progress during the Period

The DSCSC course curriculum is consisted with 4 Academic Terms. The **First Term** extended for 13 weeks and was commenced on 03<sup>rd</sup> January 2018 and terminated on 06<sup>th</sup> April 2018. The following subjects were covered during the period;

- Arms and Services.
- Combat Support Service.
- Command, Command Support and Decision Making.
- Doctrine, Operations and War Fighting.
- Intelligence Staff Duties.
- General and Logistic Staff Duties.
- Operations of War.
- Research Methodology.
- Sri Lankan Studies.

The college has conducted some exercises to develop subject and practical knowledge of the student officers of course no 12 during the Term.



#### Exercise – 'Master Writer'

This exercise was conducted on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2018 for the Army Student Officers at the College with the aim of improving their ability of writing various forms of military correspondences.





#### Exercise – ‘Round Robin’

This exercise was conducted on 09<sup>th</sup> January 2018 for Navy student officers, within the college premises with the aims of improving oral expression of thoughts, develop confidence in public speaking and leadership skills.



#### Exercise – ‘Thunder Strike’

This was conducted from 01 to 02<sup>nd</sup> March 2018 for Air Force student officers at the College premises with the aim of exercising student officers on practical usage of Air power.



#### Exercise – ‘Tutorial Estimate’

This was conducted on 17<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018 for Army and Navy student officers at the college premises with the Aim of practicing the techniques of conducting estimate and operational staff work including war gaming at brigade level in order to impart a clear understanding on the estimate process and its application for war fighting.

The **second term**, consisted with 15 weeks, commenced on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2018 and terminated on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The following subjects were covered during the period;

- Air Warfare.
- International Affairs
- Military Assistance to the Civil Authorities.
- Operation of War.
- Strategic Studies.

The college has conducted some exercises to develop subject and practical knowledge for course no 12 during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.



#### Exercise – ‘Upper Cut’

This map exercise and Tactical Exercise Without Troops (TEWT) was conducted from 05<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> May 2018 for Army student officers in college premises and in general area Narammala with the aim of exercising Student Officers on planning a offensive operations at brigade level in the framework of a Division.



#### Exercise – ‘Kontiki’

This was conducted from 01<sup>st</sup> to 04<sup>th</sup> July 2018 for Navy student officers in general area Kithulgala to Kosgama with the aim of exercising student officers to practice/develop command and leadership skills, team work, creativity and professionalism in an atmosphere of adventure and to develop confidence in task planning.





#### **Exercise – ‘Concrete Jungle’**

This map exercise and TEWT was conducted from 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018 for Army and Air Force student officers in the college premises and in general area Kurunegala and Ethugala with the aim of exercising student officers in planning and conducting of an attack and defence in the framework of operations in built-up area (OBUA).



#### **Exercise – ‘Shadow Dance’**

This map exercise was conducted from 20<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018 for student officers of Army and Air Force at the college premises with the aim of developing student officers’ knowledge and understanding the skill of war gaming as a staff tool, and to confirm their understanding of the battle procedure, planning and conduct of joint offensive and defensive operations at divisional/operational level setting in Army and Navy/Air Force student officers respectively.

The **Third Term**, which was scheduled for 10 weeks, commenced on 20<sup>th</sup> August 2018 and terminated on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

- CRC Workshop on International Humanitarian Law (IHL).
- Joint Operations.
- Management Studies.
- Maritime Warfare.
- Operations Other than War including Counter Insurgency.
- Overseas Study Tour.

The college has conducted some exercises as for the syllabus to develop subject and practical knowledge of course no 12 during the 3<sup>rd</sup> Term.



#### **Exercise – ‘Ink Blot’**

This map exercise was conducted from 04<sup>th</sup> to 08<sup>th</sup> September 2018 for Army student officers at the college premises with the aim of practicing in planning a divisional deployment in a COIN scenario and testing them in writing a brigade level estimate related to an defensive operation in COIN.



#### **Exercise - ‘Trident’**

This exercise was conducted at the SLN Dockyard Trincomalee on 06<sup>th</sup> Sep 18 for Navy student officers. Aim of this exercise was to inoculate the rationale operational planning and decisive mailing process as members of operational staff.



#### **Exercise – ‘Rock Apes’**

This was conducted on 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018 for Air Force Student Officers at the Air Force Base - China Bay and the college premises with the aim of giving theoretical and practical knowledge on producing an air field defence plan.



#### Exercise – ‘Purple Turtle’

This map exercise was conducted from 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>th</sup> July 2018 for student officers of Tri Services at the college premises with the aim of practicing student officers in planning of an Amphibious Operation in a Joint operational setting.

The **fourth Term**, which was scheduled for 08 weeks, commenced on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018 and terminated on 13<sup>rd</sup> December 2018.

- Military Technology.
- UN Peace Support Operations.
- Training for Operations.
- Security.
- Administrative Studies.
- Nuclear, Biological and Chemical Warfare.

The college has conducted some exercises as for the syllabus to develop subject and practical knowledge for course no 12 during the Term.



#### Exercise – ‘Ghost Walk’

This was conducted on 27<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at general area Weliweriya, Pugoda and Kirindiwela for Army student officers with the aim of exercising student officers to write a Tactical Exercise without Troops (TEWT) on offensive operation at battalion level in a conventional scenario.



#### Exercise – ‘Sea Lion’

This exercise was conducted on 12<sup>th</sup> Nov 18 within the college premises for Navy student officers. The aim is to comprehend the key concepts and principles of maritime strategy and relate to present and future maritime operations.



#### Exercise – ‘Magnum Force’

This strategic planning exercise was conducted from 27<sup>th</sup> October to 02<sup>nd</sup> November 2018 for student officers at the college premises. The aim of the exercise is to apply various staff planning and decision making tools at the strategic level in conducting strategic analysis.



#### War Technology workshop

This workshop was conducted from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November 2018 by Directing Staff from Defence Services Command and Staff College from India. The aim of this workshop is to develop war technology knowledge of the students.

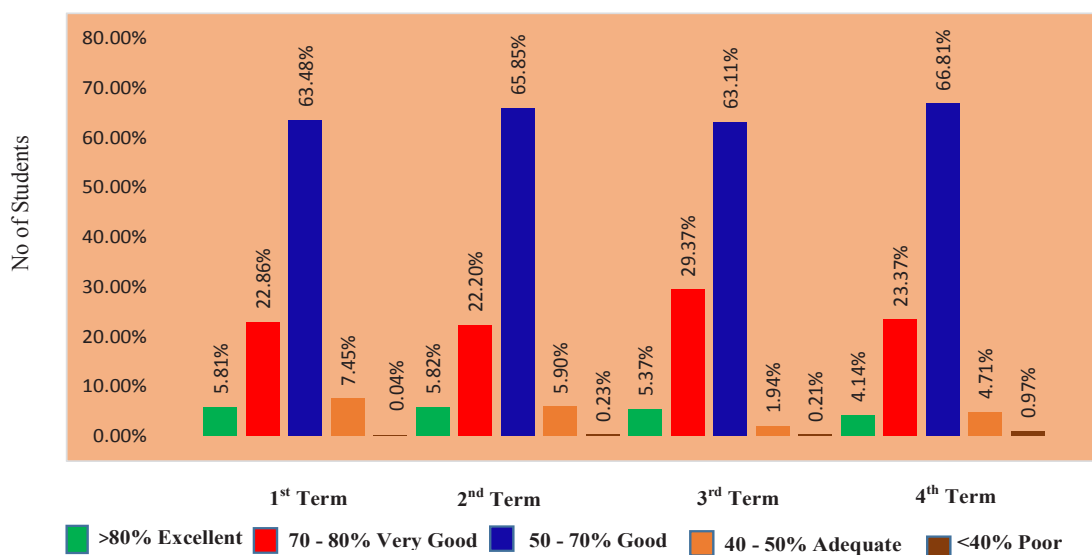
### Summary of Progress Achieved by the Student Officers First Term to Fourth Term.

SN	Description of Results	1 <sup>st</sup> Term					2 <sup>nd</sup> Term				
		>80% Excellent	70 - 80% Very Good	50 - 70% Good	40 - 50% Adequate	<40% Poor	>80% Excellent	70 - 80% Very Good	50 - 70% Good	40 - 50% Adequate	<40% Poor
1.	<b>Output 1:</b> Increased knowledge on command & staff duties of students	5.81%	22.86%	63.48%	7.45%	0.4%	5.82%	22.20%	65.85%	5.90%	0.23%
2.	<b>Output 2:</b> Increased Knowledge on Post Graduate Studies of Students (Pass Rate)	100%					100%				

20.1 Table : Summary of Process Achieved by the Student Officers First and Second Terms

SN	Description of Results	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term					4 <sup>th</sup> Term				
		>80% Excellent	70 - 80% Very Good	50 - 70% Good	40 - 50% Adequate	<40% Poor	>80% Excellent	70 - 80% Very Good	50 - 70% Good	40 - 50% Adequate	<40% Poor
1.	<b>Output 1:</b> Increased knowledge on command & staff duties of students	5.37%	29.37%	63.11%	1.94%	0.21%	4.14%	23.37%	66.81%	4.71%	0.97%
2.	<b>Output 2:</b> Increased Knowledge on Post Graduate Studies of Students (Pass Rate)	89%					75.47				

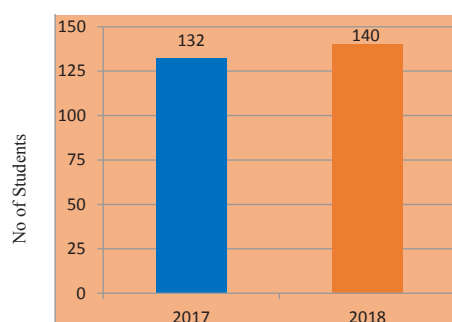
21.2 Table : Summary of Process Achieved by the Student Officers Third and Fourth Terms



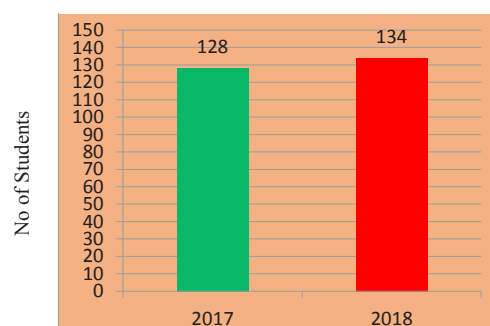
21.1 Chart : Progress of the Student Officers on First to Fourth Term

### ➤ Academic Indicator

#### ● Student Participation

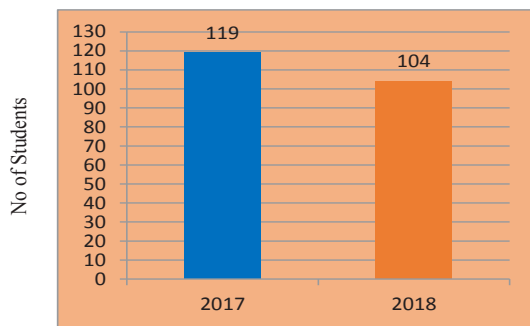


21.2 Chart : Increasing of Tri Services Participation

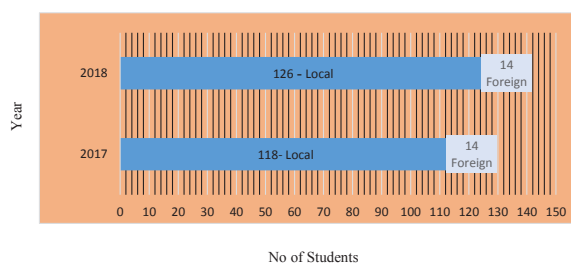


21.3 Chart : Qualifying of Staff Course.





21.4 Chart : Awarding of Master of Science Degree (MSc).

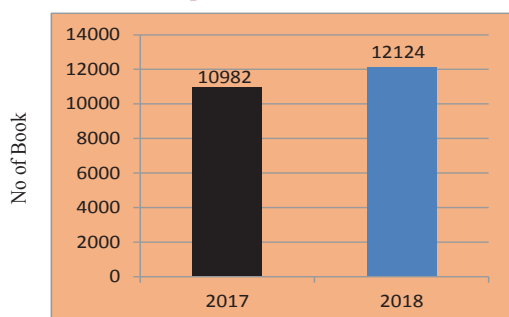


21.5 Chart : Local and Foreign Student Participation

S/N	Key Performance Indicator	Measurement	Target/Milestone Reached
1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student Participation Indicator</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increased of student participation of tri Course up to 140.</li> <li>Increasing of the percentage of qualifying the staff Course up to Optimum level.</li> <li>Increasing the percentage of awarding of Master of Science (D &amp; SS) degree</li> <li>Gradual increasing of Foreign Student participation.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No of the students attended for Staff Course in year 2017 was 132 and it increased up to 140 in year 2018.</li> <li>No of students qualified in year 2017 was 128 and it increased up to 134 in year 2018.</li> <li>Awarding of Master of Science (M Def SS) in year 2017 was 119 and it decreased up to 104 in year 2018.</li> <li>Foreign student officers participation in year 2017 was 14 and it same as in year 2018.</li> </ul>

20.3 Table : Key Performance Indicators – Academic Indicator

#### ➤ Academic Development Indicator.



21.6 Chart : Development in Library Facilities

Ser	Key Performance Indicator	Measurement	Target/Milestone Reached
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developing of reading material at library in quality and quantity wise.</li> <li>Developing of modern training aids quantitatively and qualitatively.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of books available in year 2017 was 10982 and it was develop up to 12124 in year 2018. The Library system was computerized and develop.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30.01 Million worth of training aids purchased from the capital vote for the development of training facilities of the student officers</li> </ul>

20.4 Table : Key Performance Indicators – Academic Development Indicator

#### ➤ Progersss of the course

The total number of officers reported for the DSCSC course no 12-2018 was 140 and 4 officers out of them were returned to their Units due to discipline matters. Accordingly, the Course consisted with 68 Army Officers ,27 Navy Officers, 27 Air Force officers and 14 officers representing 10 friendly foreign countries. Besides 2 local officers ,all other local and foreign officers completed the course successfully and received the title “psc” achieving 99% of the aggregate standard of the Course while 92% conferred the Msc (Defence Studies ) offered by the Kotalawela Defence Academy. The Graduation Ceremony was held on 12<sup>th</sup> December 2012 under the patronage of His Excellency the President.



The first in the order of merit of the foreign student officers receiving the ‘Golden Owl Award’.



Receiving the ‘Golden Pen Award’ for the best Commandant Research Paper from the President of Sri Lanka.



The first in the order of merit of the army wing receiving the 'Golden Owl Award' from the president.



The first in the order of merit of the foreign student officers receiving the 'Golden Owl Award'.

### Physical and Financial Progress of Development Projects / Programmes

#### ➤ Development Programmes and Projects

The "Abode of Wisdom", newly constructed four - storied building consisting of well equipped Library and Exam Hall was declared open on 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018 by the president, for the benefit of student officers.



A sum of 12.19 Mn was spent for the maintenance, reconstruction and uplifting of facilities of the buildings. Besides that 80 Mn was spent for the construction of 2 - three storied student accommodation buildings.



Fulfilling the requirement of ration storage facilities, two storied building with store rooms and an office room was newly constructed and declared open by the commandant on 11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018.



The under mentioned projects on Information Technology and Administration were established in order to facilitate the student officers, academic and non academic staff.

- Installation of fiber optic system.
- Establishment of War Gaming centre.
- Installation of auto teller machine.
- Installation of CCTV system
- Installation of IPTV system.

#### ➤ Financial Progress - 2018

The treasury has allocated Rs 140.20 Mn as the capital expenditure and Rs 258.91 Mn on the recurrent expenditure for the year 2018. But imprest has been released only Rs.134.17 Mn for capital and Rs 234.13 Mn for recurrent expenditure from treasury operation department.

Rs 8.20 Mn additional allocation has been requested from national budget department for paying civil employees' salaries to the newly recruited civil cadre and other administration expenses.

Information Technology Project and installation of CCTC camera system phase ii was implemented utilizing Rs 17.92 Mn. The project is facilitating both local and foreign students, academic and non-academic staff. These facilities reflect the standards of college hence it enhances the productivity of the college. As a result, local and foreign officers and the officers from the administrative service have become more interested in following the course.

Two student accommodation buildings were completed at a cost of Rs 80 Mn and it was beneficial for the local and foreign student officers and their family accommodations.

Besides that, a four-storied building consisting of well equipped Library and Exam Hall which the construction work started in 2017 was completed and declared open by the president on 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018 with a cost of Rs 142.87 Mn.



Further, a two storied building with an office room and a store room was constructed with the cost of Rs 3.5 Mn. Construction of Basket Ball court and outdoor theatre for the betterment of officers and their families was completed with the cost of Rs 1 Mn.

Besides the above projects, 8 more College buildings were renovated and reconstructed with the cost of Rs 12.19 Mn and as a result a large sum of money could be saved instead of constructing new buildings.

The expenditure for the purchase of the plant and machinery, furniture and office equipment were Rs 30.01 Mn. These were utilized for replacement of depreciates and utilized for college requirements.

S/N	Vote Head	Sub Vote	Amount (Rs million)	Total Amount (Rs million)
1.	Capital	Rehabilitation and improvement of fixed assets	16.92	234.48
		Acquisition of fixed assets	30.14	
		Other capital expenditures	187.42	
2.	Re-current	Personal Emoluments	47.27	134.15
		Supplies	32.14	
		Maintenance	7.58	
		Contractual services	47.16	
Total			368.63	368.63

20.5 Table : Expenditure for the Purchase of the Plant and Machinery, Furniture and Office Equipment

#### ➤ Midterm Activities

It has been scheduled to implement the following projects under the Mid Term Capital vote in the year 2019.

##### ● Construction of Headquarter building Rs 523Mn

The proposal has been submitted for the Cabinet approval to construct a Headquarter building in which all Academic, Administrative and other supportive branches to function under one roof.

##### ● Construction of a Four Storied accommodation building for the other ranks at a cost of Rs 42Mn.

The cabinet has approved construction of a four storied accommodation building for the Other ranks.

##### ● The approval has been given by the Cabinet for the construction of an accommodation building for the use of Senior Non Commissioned officers at a cost of Rs 89.30 Mn.

### 21.3 Future Prospects

#### ★ Recommend to Purchase the following vehicles.

- Ambulance.
- Gully Bowser.
- Tractor with Trailer.

#### ★ Vehicles to obtain on Rental Basis.

- 01 x Air Conditioned Bus (26/29 Seater).
- 05 x Luxury Cars (To transport University Lecturers).
- 02 x Air Conditioned Vans (KDH 7/8 Seater).

Development projects suggested to improve the infrastructure facilities in 2019

- Construction of a Headquarter building for the Defence Services Command and Staff College.
- Construction of three - storied accommodation building for Other Ranks of tri services.
- Construction of three - storied accommodation building for the NCOs'.
- Information Technology and Communication Facility Enhancement Project .Phase III
- Sport Complex Building Project.

The schedule educational programme has been conducted to achieve the aims and objectives through the modern teaching methodology.

#### ★ Skill Development of Staff

Skill development of the staff is done on the concept of learning organization, where every member of the staff (Academic and Non-academic) is subjected to a learning/ training program. All the members of the teaching staff of the college were included along with student officers in the Overseas Study Tour conducted annually for each course in order to get a better understanding of the military establishments, government organisations and to build bilateral military relationships with other friendly foreign countries. A total of 11 countries were visited in the year 2018. Those countries are Australia, China, UAE, Israel, Indonesia, Japan, Philippines, Russia, Rwanda, South Korea and Turkey. Further, in order to provide better exposure for the teaching staff, a reciprocal workshop program was conducted with Defence Services Command and Staff College of Bangladesh and Pakistan. Teaching Staff from each college visited and interacted with their counterparts to conduct workshops. A team from the Indian Armed Forces also visited to conduct a Military Technology Teaching Package, furthering the same effort in the latter part of the year. Internal training for Academic Staff and Administration Staff was conducted in order to develop their skills in their profession. Training for each category of staff was conducted on a schedule at least ones in a week in the form of training sessions and lectures. In some instances external resource personnel had delivered lecturers/conducted workshops, and in some instances staff visited outside institutions to obtain a better insight. Both civilian and military staff included in the training.

#### General Evaluation of the Progress, Lessons Learnt, Issues and Challenges

##### ★ Lessons learnt

The College was able to successfully adopt strict financial control with well-planned and transparent procurement plan. Foresight was demanded from all executive officers who were responsible for projects. They were demanded of continuous awareness of their allocated, spent and remaining funds. This strict control of funds allowed flexibility which enhanced the efficiency and ROI of the College.

#### ★ Issues and Challenges

As a whole there were no financial issues during the year 2018 and due to the lesser imperst received Rs 24.78 million, same worth of unpaid bills had to be carried forward.

The College does not have sufficient amount of vehicles and some of the available vehicles are not roadworthy. As a result it has effected to the smooth running of the training and administrative fields. It is suggested to purchase new vehicles that are roadworthy or obtain them on rental basis to fulfil the vehicle requirement of the College. Especially there is a sheer necessity of having an Ambulance and a Gully Bowser to the College. To purchase Ambulance, Gully Bowser, Tractor with the trailer. To obtain on the rental basis 01 x Air conditioned bus (26/29 seater), 05 x Luxury cars (To transport university lecturers), 02 x Air conditioned vans (KDH 7/8 seater).

#### Activities Suggested to Improve the Organization

##### ★ Organizational

The College is in need of an establishment to support the students on their research activities. It is a necessity to bring life for the dormant “Academic Branch “under the Coordinating Wing which may take on the research related activities. The vacancies of the staff, mainly of uniformed staff need to be filled. A dedicated number of troops for ‘training support’ are required to be incorporated in to the organization. An initial financial investment is not expected in both those projects.

#### ★ Capital

Infrastructure development takes prominence in the medium term development plan of DSCSC. The staff course being a residential course, the students need to be provided with a well-equipped Indoor Gymnasium complex which costs Rs 89.30 Mn in order to uplift their physical and mental status which will be beneficial for the academic and non-academic staff. Further it has been scheduled to construct three storied accommodation building with Sergeants’ Mess for the Senior Non Commissioned Officers at a cost of Rs 89.32 Mn and a three storied accommodation building for the Other Rankers at a cost of Rs 42 Mn. In addition an administration building at a cost of Rs 523.46 Mn has been proposed to provide facilities for the administration and coordination of all college activities. It will also be beneficial to the foreign delegations, academics and staff to hold conferences and discussions.

## 22. DEFENCE SERVICES COLLEGE

### 22.1 Overview

Defence Services College was established in January 2007 at Malay Street in Colombo 02 mainly to ease the challenges currently encountered by the members of the Armed Services and the Police, pertaining to admission of their children to popular schools. Later a cabinet approval has been granted to develop DSC concept as a special educational project to establish the Defence Services Colleges in each district and the DSC Colombo as the centralized hub of the system. Accordingly there are two schools (DSC Colombo and DSC Kurunegala) function at present. DSC directly operates under the direction of the Ministry of Education and its administration control is undertaken by the Ministry of Defence.

### 22.2 Achievements in 2018

#### ➤ Defence Services College – Colombo

DSC – Colombo, which was established on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2007 and function as a National School and the students' population is over 3428 at present. The college is committed to a rigorous, comprehensive approach to promote all academic and extracurricular activities and is regarded as the supreme resource to be utilized in accordance with the guidance of Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Defence.



#### ➤ Defence Services Viru DaruViduPiyasa – Kurunegala

Defence Services College, Kurunegala was established on 29 January 2009 and DSC functions as a mixed school and the student population is over 1415 up to Grade 11 at present.



#### Financial Progress of the Institutions

Following are the details of the budgetary allocations received for the year 2018 and progress up to 31 December 2018.

Srl No.	Description	Financial Allocations (Rs. Mn)	Progress up to 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 2018 (Rs. Mn)	
			Expected Progress	Achieved Progress
01	Construction of Hostel Building Complex - DSC Colombo	Rs. 369 Mn	Rs. 93.03 Mn	Rs. 93.03 Mn (Bills to be paid/ Tender awarded - Rs. 100.1 Mn)
	Establishment of Solar Project - DSC Kurunegala			
	Construction of Hostel Building Complex			

22.1 Table : Capital Expenditure

### Institutional Progress

#### ➤ Progress of the matters functioned under State Ministry of Defence

Administration of the both DSC Colombo and Kurunegala, Development and maintaining works of infrastructure facilities are coordinated by Administrative wing. Accordingly, following development projects are conducted as described below:

#### ➤ Construction of Hostel Building for DSC Colombo

The main objective of constructing a hostel complex is to provide accommodation and mess facilities to the students coming from the distant areas and more specifically to enable them to excel in their studies, maintain good health, safe and secure life while enjoying modern facilities and participation in extra-curricular activities essential for personality development. In order to provide the hostel facilities, a cabinet approval (CP/14/1078/503/098 dated 2014.07.28 ) has been granted to construct a four-storied Hostel block with the total allocation of Rs. 448.1 Mn (Excluding Labour). Accordingly, 77% of the total project had been completed upto end of the year 2018 and the physical and financial progress up to 31 Dec 2018 is as follows.

Srl No.	Description	Construction Agent / Contractor	Achievement up to 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 2018	
			Physical	Financial
01	Construction of Hostel Block	Sri Lanka Army 6 <sup>th</sup> Engineering services Regiment	77%	Rs. 53.63 Mn (Bills/ Tender awarded Rs. 21.8 Mn)

22.2 Table : Physical and Financial Progress of Construction of Hostel Building for DSC Colombo



#### ➤ Establishing Solar Powered Electricity System for the DSC Colombo

In order to minimize the expenditure for monthly electricity bills of DSC Colombo and obtain an alternative power project with long-term economic benefits and positive environmental implications a cabinet approval has been given by CP16/1993/703/080 dated 19 October 2016 to establish Solar Powered Electricity System for DSC Colombo and sum of Rs. 30 Mn has been allocated for this project. The paper advertisement has already been published for selecting a supplier and the project is expected to be completed during the year 2019.

### ➤ Construction of Common Facilities Building

A cabinet approval has been granted (CP/17/1118/703/048 and dated 21 June 2017) to construct a Common Facilities building project has been commenced and expected to be completed before end of the year 2019. Accordingly, nearly 13 % of the total project had been completed up to end of the year 2018 and the financial and physical progress of the project is as follows.

S/N	Description	Construction Agent / Contractor	Progress	
			Physical	Financial
01	Construction of New Class Room Building	Sri Lanka Navy	13%	Rs. 39.4 Mn (Bills/ Tender awarded Rs. 57 Mn)

22.3 Table : Physical and Financial Progress of Construction of Common Facilities Building



### 22.3 Future Prospects

The budgetary allocations has been requested for following development projects DSC Colombo and Kurunegala.

Srl No.	Project
01	Completion of Remaining Works of Hostel Building Complex – DSC Colombo
02	Establishing a Solar Project Electricity System for Defence Services College Colombo
03	Completion of the Common Facilities building for Defence Services Viru Daru Piyasa – Kurunegala.

22.4 Table : Approved Projects for 2019