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31<sup>st</sup> May 2013

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

**Accelerated Programme to address Post Conflict Land Issues in the Northern and Eastern Provinces of Sri Lanka**

As you are aware the **Lessons Learnt and Reconciliation Commission (LLRC)** of Sri Lanka was appointed by the President at the end of the 27 year conflict to investigate the institutional, administrative and legislative measures which need to be taken into account in order to prevent any recurrence of a similar conflict and to promote national unity and reconciliation among all communities.

I am pleased to inform that the Government of Sri Lanka has recently launched a special accelerated programme with regard issues related to land in the Northern and Eastern provinces consistent with the recommendations of the LLRC.

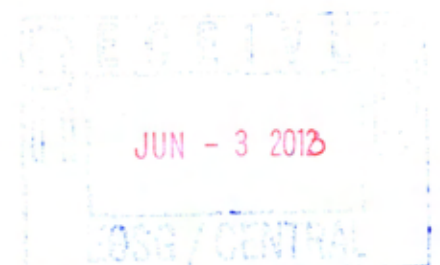
I am pleased to bring to your attention the enclosed Notice circulated by the Lands Commissioner General's Department of Sri Lanka on this matter.

Please accept, Excellency, assurances of my highest consideration.

Palitha T.B. Kohona  
Ambassador/ Permanent Representative

H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon  
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**LAND COMMISSIONER GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT**  
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**Land Secretariat, No: 1200/6, Rajamalwatta Road, Battaramulla.**

## Notice

### **SPECIAL ACCELERATED PROGRAMME ON SOLVING STATE LAND ISSUES IN THE NORTHERN AND EASTERN PROVINCES**

**(Implementing the Recommendations of the Lessons Learnt and Reconciliation Commission)**

The Land Commissioner General's Department has launched a special accelerated programme to solve State Land issues in Northern and Eastern provinces. With the closing stages conflict circumstances in those areas, the department has driven its special attention to implement LLRC recommendations in collaboration with Provincial Land Commissioners, Government Agents and Divisional Secretaries.

#### **In Northern and Eastern Provinces;**

- ✓ Do you have/had own State Land?
- ✓ Had or presently having an encroached State Land?
- ✓ Are you a residence in Northern and Eastern provinces who have requested a State Land?

#### **If so, have you experienced any problems with regard to the relevant lands?**

- ❖ Forward your problems to respective Divisional Secretariat office directly or by post or via Grama Niladari.
- ❖ Collect the specified form from the Grama Niladari or Divisional Secretariat office.
- ❖ You can download the specified form from the Land Commissioner General Department's website ([www.landcommdept.gov.lk](http://www.landcommdept.gov.lk)).

- ❖ Then you will receive an acceptance receipt with a registration number.
- ❖ Mean time Divisional Secretariat office will take necessary actions to solve your problem with their fullest interest.
- ❖ Use your registration number for each and every inquiry.
- ❖ Your co- operation to the relevant officials and genuine interest on the matter will solve the problem in a short period of time.

Further details can be obtained from all Divisional Secretariats, Provincial Land Commissioner Offices or LLRC unit of the Land Commissioner General's Department within the Northern and Eastern Provinces. Apart from that you can refer Circular 2013/01 or other notices which have been published on Land Commissioner General's Department's website ([www.landcommdept.gov.lk](http://www.landcommdept.gov.lk)).

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