

# PARLIAMENT OF SRI LANKA

# Selection of youth representatives to assist the Sectoral Oversight Committees

The Parliament has approved the establishing of Seventeen Sectoral Oversight Committees on the following subject areas with the participation of Members of Parliament representing all the political parties in Parliament:-

- (1) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Religious Affairs and Co-Existence
- (2) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Reconciliation and National Unity
- (3) Sectoral Oversight Committee on National Security
- (4) Sectoral Oversight Committee on National Economic and Physical Plans
- (5) Sectoral Oversight Committee on International Relations
- (6) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Increasing Export of Goods & Services
- (7) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Alleviating the Impact of the Economic Crisis
- (8) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Energy & Transport
- (9) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Food Security & Agriculture
- (10) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Environment, Natural Resources & Sustainable Development
- (11) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education
- (12) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Foreign Employment & Labour
- (13) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Just and Law Abiding Society
- (14) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health
- (15) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Children, Women and Gender
- (16) Sectoral Oversight Committee on Media, Youth, Heritage and New Citizen
- (17) Sectoral Oversight Committee on an Open & Accountable Government

The Chair of a Committee may summon five youth representatives each to assist the Committees in relation to the inquiries conducted by the Committees as per the provisions of the amended Standing Orders passed by Parliament on 05.10.2022 and applications are invited from Sri Lankan citizens who possess the following qualifications and experience:-

Applications prepared in accordance with the specimen given below should be sent under registered cover along with the copies of certificates of educational/professional and experience, to reach the "Secretary-General of Parliament, Parliament of Sri Lanka, Sri Jayewardenepura Kotte" on or before January 09th, 2023. "Selection of Youth Representatives for Sectoral Oversight Committees" should be indicated on the top left hand corner of the envelope. (This information is found on the website: www.parliament.lk)

## 1. Age Limit

Not less than 18 years and not more than **35** years of age as at the closing date of applications.

### 2. Educational Qualifications and Experience

Applicants who possess the educational qualifications and experience prescribed in the following (a) and (b) may apply to be selected as youth representatives for the Sectoral Oversight Committees:-

- (a) A degree from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission; or
- (b) Passed G. C. E (Advanced Level) in 03 subjects at one sitting

Applicants should possess sound knowledge/professional experience/skills in the subjects of the aforementioned Committees.

### 3. Method of Selection

Appropriate youth representatives will be selected to serve on each Committee as the case may be based on their qualifications and expertise in subjects specified in the applications submitted by the applicants.

- 4. Applicants should attach copies (NOT ORIGINALS) of the following certificates to their applications and the originals of the certificates should be produced when called upon to do so:-
  - (a) Birth Certificate
  - (b) Copy of the National Identity Card
  - (c) Certificates confirming the Educational Qualifications
  - (d) Certificates confirming the Professional Qualifications
  - (e) Certificates confirming the Experience
- **5.** Any information in the application found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable for disqualification.
- 6. Applications received without copies of the relevant certificates and not prepared in accordance with the specimen will also be rejected.

**Secretary-General of Parliament** 

Parliament of Sri Lanka Sri Jayewardenepura Kotte.

December 18, 2022.