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All Secretaries of Ministries
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All Heads of Local Government Authorities
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Requesting Financial / in-Kind Assistance from Foreign States, Lending Agencies, Foreign Organizations and Diplomatic Missions

This refers to the Circular No: PS/EAD/Circular/16/2022 dated January 09, 2023 issued by the Secretary to the President on "Interaction by Government Ministries/Institutions with Foreign States, International Organizations, Diplomatic Missions accredited to Sri Lanka and Sri Lanka Missions Abroad"

It has been observed that some of the line Ministries, Provincial Councils, Local Government Authorities and Government Agencies directly communicate with the Foreign States, International Organizations, and Diplomatic Missions on requesting financial / in-kind assistance without following stipulated procedures in the related Circulars and government guidelines.

Therefore, you are instructed to refrain from dealing directly with Foreign States, Lending Agencies, Foreign Organizations and Diplomatic Missions in this regard and make all the requests for financial / in-kind assistance through the Department of External Resources with a copy to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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