



## Ministry of Finance

# Invitation for Proposal / Submission for Enactment of New Customs Act

As per Budget Proposal No. 604 / 2016, the Ministry of Finance in consultation with the Cabinet Committee on Economic Management has taken action for enactment of the proposed new Customs Act.

For the purpose of enactment of the new Customs Act, a Steering Committee, an Official Level Technical Committee and drafting Committee have been established with representatives from the key stakeholders and guide and facilitate the enactment of the proposed new Customs Act.

Given the above background, the Ministry of Finance has decided to invite WRITTEN SUBMISSION / PROPOSAL. Prospective submissions / proposals with national interest will be considered for incorporation into enactment process of the proposed new Customs Act.

Accordingly, Government Institutions, Trade Unions, Professional Organizations, Academies and Individuals are hereby invited to submit relevant proposal(s) in line with emerging requirements of the international trade, trade facilitation and Customs administration.

All proposals or submissions should be in written form and included the following information for easy processing:

- a) Name, Address and Contact No of the Proponent of the Proposal / Submission. If the Proponent is a Trade Union / Professional Organization / Government Department, Name, Address and Contact No of such organization
- b) Main Area of the Proposal (*Clearly elaborate your idea / proposal enabling the drafters to understand easily*)

All proposals/ submissions should reach on or before July 11, 2016 to;

Director General,  
Department of Trade and Investment Policy,  
Ministry of Finance,  
Colombo 01.

For clarification, you may contact, Mr. G.D.S.P.Kumara, Asst Director, Dept of Trade and Investment Policy and his telephone No. 011 2484599.

*Let's join hands on this national endeavor!*

Secretary,  
Ministry of Finance  
The Secretariat  
Colombo 01