



Ministry of Technology and Research

Subjects and Functions¹

| Duties & Functions Column I | Departments, Public Corporations & Statutory Institutions Column II | Laws to be implemented Column III |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formulation of Policies, Programmes and Projects in regard to the subjects of Technology, Research and all subjects that come under the purview of Departments & Statutory (institutions listed in Column II, on the basis of Mahinda Chinthana- Vision for the Future & any other overall National Policies that may be adopted by the Government. 2. Direction of the implementation of such policies, programmes & projects within time lines agreed with the national planning authorities & within budgeted resources, with a view to achieving relevant objectives. 3. Reforming of all systems & procedures to ensure the conduct of business in an efficient manner deploying modern management techniques & technology where applicable while eliminating corruption & waste. 4. Provision of all public services that come under the purview of the Ministry in an efficient and people friendly manner. 5. Scientific and Industrial research. 6. Establishment & control of Standards. 7. Socio-economic research. 8. Planning & conducting research by providing required facilities to research & research institutions. 9. Researches in specific areas of basic science & promotion of fundamental studies. 10. All other subjects that come under the purview of Organizations listed in Column II. 11. Supervision of the Organizations listed in Column II. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sri Lanka Institute of Nanotechnology (Pvt.) Ltd² 2. National Research Council 3. Institute of Fundamental Studies 4. National Engineering Research & Development Centre 5. National Science Foundation 6. National Science & Technology Commission 7. Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment 8. Sri Lanka Standards Institute 9. Planetarium 10. Sri Lanka Inventors Commission 11. Inventors' Fund 12. Atomic Energy Authority³ 13. Arthur C. Clarke Institute for Modern Technologies 14. Industrial Technology Institute 15. Polipto Lanka (Private) Ltd.⁴ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Institute of Fundamental Studies Sri Lanka Act, No. 55 of 1981. • Science & Technology Development Act, No 11 of 1994. • Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment Act, No. 32 of 2005. • Sri Lanka Inventors Incentives Act, No. 53 of 1979. • Sri Lanka Standards Institute Act, No. 6 of 1984. • Atomic Energy Authority Act, No. 19 of 1969. • All other legislations pertaining to the subjects specified in Column I & II, and not specifically brought under the purview of any other Ministry and remaining currently in force. |

¹ Notification published in Gazette Extraordinary No. 1681/3 dated 22.11.2010 as amended by Notifications published in Gazette Extraordinary No. 1736/23 of 14.12.2011 and Gazette Extraordinary No. 1796/10 of 06.02.2013.

² Included by Notification published in Gazette Extraordinary No. 1736/23 of 14.12.2011.

³ Included by Notification published in Gazette Extraordinary No.1796/10 of 06.02.2013.