



# MINISTRY OF TRADE

## REGISTRATION OF IMPORTERS TO IMPORT ESSENTIAL GOODS UNDER THE INDIAN CREDIT SCHEME FOR THE YEAR 2022

Applications will be received for the Registration of Importers at the Ministry of Trade, for the Importation of the undermentioned Essential Goods from India for the Year 2022 as agreed between the Governments of India and Sri Lanka.

- **ESSENTIAL FOOD ITEMS**
- **ESSENTIAL MEDICINES**
- **CEMENT**
- **TEXTILES**
- **ANIMAL FODDER**
- **RAW MATERIALS USED FOR INDUSTRIES**
- **SPECIAL FERTILIZER VARIETIES**

Importers who have effected essential Imports from India during the previous year or Importers who are expecting to make such imports from India can register themselves from **21.03.2022** up to **28.03.2022** at the Ministry of Trade, by accessing the Website of the Ministry <https://www.trade.gov.lk> on on-line method. A hard copy of the completed application could either be sent by Registered Post or handed over to the Ministry of Trade, to be received at or before **3.30 p.m.** on **28.03.2022**.

Further details / required assistance can be obtained from Ms E.A. Ekanayake, Assistant Secretary on (0762566047) and if any inconvenience occurs relevant to the registration work, it can be attended to at the special unit installed on the Third Floor of the Ministry of Trade for the purpose by calling over.

Further details can be obtained from the undermentioned Telephone Numbers.

Item	Contact Person	Designation	Institution	Telephone No.
Essential Food Items	Mr Kumudu Meegahage	Director	Ministry of Trade	0718246920
Essential Medicines	Mr Dinusha Dassanayake	General Manager	State Pharmaceuticals Corporation	0773721188
Textiles	Mr B.L.S.P. Nishantha	Chief Technical Officer	State Ministry of Batik, Handlooms.....	0771505494
Animal Fodder	Dr Ms. N. Priyankarage	Registrar	Department of Animal Products and Health	0718038954
Raw Materials / Cement used for Industries	Mr L.A. Udasiri Perera	Director	Ministry of Industries	0702939230
Special Varieties of Fertilizer	Mr Kasun Mahathanthila	Deputy Director General	National Fertilizer Secretariat	0718500592

**Secretary**  
**Ministry of Trade,**  
**No. 492, R.A. de Mel Mawatha,**  
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