

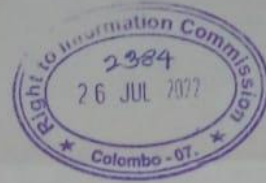


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My No :- PMO/ADM/01/21/02/08
Date :- 25.07.2022



Chairman
Right to Information Commission

Dear Sir,

Notice to the Public Authority

This refers to your letter No. RTIC/Appeal/513/2021 dated 01.06.2022 sent to me on the above matter and hearing held on 15.06.2022 at the Right to Information Commission.

02. The information request made by Mr. K. Dilip Amudan referred in the above letter was rejected in accordance with the provisions of sub-section 5 (1) (b) (i) of the Right to Information Act dated 16.11.2021 and it is also informed that the appeal (RTI10) submitted by Mr. K. Dilip Amudan, had not been received by me.

03. The request of Mr. Dilip Amudan for information dated 07.10.2021 was rejected on the grounds that it included information regarding the security of the then Prime Minister Hon. Mahinda Rajapaksa.

04. However, it is kindly informed you that the following information could be provided, on the decisions taken after consultation with the Right to Information Commission on 15.06.2022 regarding the relevant request.

1. Details of other members who participated in the visit to Italy with the Hon. Prime Minister (Without details of the officials who participated in the visit for the security of the Hon. Prime Minister)

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| I. | Ms. Shiranthi Rajapaksa | - Spouse of the Hon. Prime Minister |
| II. | Mr. Gamini S. Senarath | - Secretary to the Prime Minister |
| III. | Mr. Yoshitha Rajapaksa | - Chief of Staff to the Prime Minister |
| IV. | Mr. E. Malaka Chandradasa | - Coordinating Director |
| V. | Dr. A. P. K. K. Kanthan Mudiyansele | - Medical Officer |
| VI. | Mr. P. K. Kattadige | - Personal Assistant |
| VII. | Ms. A. D. K. Attanayake | - Female Personal Assistant |
| VIII. | Mr. G. K. D. Sumudu Ranjith Wasantha | - Teleprompter Operator |
| IX. | Mr. Rajitha W. P. Wickramage | - Media / Photographer |

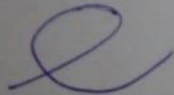
2. The reason why each of those members was included to this visit

I.	Ms. Shiranthi Rajapaksa	- Spouse of the Hon. Prime Minister
II.	Mr. Gamini S. Senarath	} Officers of the Prime Minister's Office
III.	Mr. Yoshitha Rajapaksa	
IV.	Mr. E. Malaka Chandradasa	
V.	Dr. A. P. K. K. Kanthan Mudiyansele	- Medical Officer
VI.	Mr. P. K Kattadige	} Personal Assistants
VII.	Ms. A. D. K. Attanayake	
VIII.	Mr. G. K. D. Sumudu Ranjith Wasantha	} Media
IX.	Mr. Rajitha W. P. Wickramage	

3. The expenses of that visit in detail

• Expenditure on food and miscellaneous allowances for the Hon. Prime Minister and other members of the team	} = Rs. 1,353,362.43
• Airfare expenses	= Rs. 8,635,200.00
• Accommodation and other expenses	= Rs. <u>16,695,800.00</u>
• Total expenses incurred by the Prime Minister's Office on the visit to Italy	} = Rs. <u>26,684,362.43</u>

Thank you.
Yours sincerely,



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