






Compliance Monitoring & Safety Division

1.1. **Name of the officer in charge** : Mrs. J. P. Marasinghe - Principal Scientist (Toxicology)

1.2. **Telephone number of the officers in charge** : 0718480675



Services provided to the public	How those services are performed (in detail)
 Providing high quality pesticides	Selection for registration of pesticides with minimum risk to human health and environment through analysis of technical data
 Giving recommendations for correct use of pesticides.	Assist in the study of scientific compatibility (e.g., determination of pre-harvest intervals) for pesticide recommendations and in the formulation of recommendations.
 Educating famers and the public on the safe use of pesticides	Contribute to surveys, awareness workshops and print publications.
 Educating farmers and the public on the safe use of pesticides	Giving recommendation by conducting project to study the toxicity of pesticides to human and beneficial organisms.
 Supervise student projects	Designing and supervising university, diploma and school student projects.

2.1 Name of the officer in charge : Mrs. P. W. Y Lakshani - Assistant Director of Agriculture (Research)

2.2 Telephone number of the officers-in-charge : 0714400653



Services provided to the public	How those services are performed (in detail)
✓ Activities on Pesticides Act, 1980 No. 33	Public Awareness on Pesticide Registration, Providing Information, Participating in Workshops
✓ Pesticide regulation	Conducting Ecological and Toxicological Assessment provided at Pesticide Registration.
✓ Pesticide quality certification test	Evaluation of quality certificates issued on the importation of pesticides and quality assurance before packaging of pesticides
✓ Pesticide quality test	Conducting physical and chemical tests of pesticides in the Central Analytical Laboratory
✓ Pesticide residue test	Issuance of Pesticide Residue Testing and Research Papers on Vegetable, Fruit and Rice Samples
✓ Issuing analysis reports to the court regarding illegal pesticides	Analyze illegal pesticides and issue analysis reports to the courts
✓ Pesticide related research	Conducting technical training programs for university students. Guiding and conducting research for university students.
✓ Factory inspection of pesticide packaging	Urgent inquiries, quality inspection
✓ Activities related to ISO 17020 accreditation	Ensure quality analysis