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MINISTRY OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Declaration of the 4th of January as the National day against Child Abusing

By virtue of powers vested in me under Section 38 of the Child Protection Authority Act, No. 50 of 1998, I, Sumedha G. Jayasena, Minister of Child Development and Women's Empowerment, hereby declare, the 4th of January as the National Day Against Child Abusing, in keeping with the approval granted by the Cabinet of Ministers under item 45 (Cabinet Paper 08/1765/333/010) on Wednesday 2nd September 2008 as effective date of the child Protection Authority.

It is expected to build a most friendly and protected environment for the Sri Lankan Children by making a broad base active intervention at national level by declaring this date making elders as well as children aware of the repercussions of child abusing and prevention of the same.

SUMEDHA G. JAYASENA,
Minister of Child Development and Women's Empowerment.

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