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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

#### SPORTS LAW No. 25 OF 1973

#### Order made under the Section 41 and read with the Section 39 (3) of the Sports Law No. 25 of 1973

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 39 (3) of the Sports Law No. 25 of 1973, I appoint the committee consisting of following members to investigate the matters related to financial control, administration and sports promotion of the Football Federation of Sri Lanka and to submit a complete report to me containing relevant observations and recommendations prior to the expiry of two (02) months from the date of printing this *Gazette* Notice.

- i. Mrs. Sarojini Kusala Weerawardena - Retired High Court Judge (Chairman of the Committee)
- ii. Mr. Kingsley Fernando - Former Secretary to the Ministry (Committee Member)
- iii. Mr. Sudath Nagahamulla - Retired Deputy Inspector General of Police (Committee Member)
- iv. Mr. Ananda Peiris - Retired Rear Admiral (Committee Member)
- v. Mr. Susil Rohan Ramanayake (Committee Member)
- vi. Miss. Shalini Fernando (Attorney at Law), Committee Secretary

Mrs. W. M. Irangani Wijeratne, Stenographer.

The committee shall pay attention on the following points :

1. Delaying the preparation of new constitution by the Football Federation since 2012.
2. Financial control of the Football Federation from the year 2018.
3. Administration of the Football Federation.
4. Norminal football clubs established with the determination of obtaining votes.



5. Procedure for recruiting employees for office work, payment of wages and their role.
6. Actions and recommendations required to be taken for future progression of Football.

The facilities shall be made available so as to safeguard the humane right of every citizen to engage in a sport of their choice, in an area of their choice.

It is hereby informed that this committee has powers to obtain all the facilities that may be required under Section 39 (3) and to have all information from the respective councils, committees, associations and other boards for the execution of the aforesaid functions.

Having kept the utmost devotion and confidence in your prudence, capability and loyalty, I hereby direct you to take all such steps as may be required to execute the above investigations of the Special Inquiry Committee constituted as per the aforesaid provisions.

**ROSHAN RANASINGHE (M. P.),**  
Minister of Sports and Youth Affairs.

At Colombo,  
on 21st day of February 2023.

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