



**Notification to the public.**

**To receive recommendations/comments/suggestions for draft Anti-Terrorism Bill to replace the Prevention of Terrorism (Temporary Provisions) Act No. 48 of 1979.**

The Anti-Terrorism Bill has been drafted by an expert committee appointed by the Ministry of Justice, Prison Affairs and Constitutional Reforms on the approval of the Cabinet to draft a new law by identifying the lacuna of the Prevention of Terrorism (Temporary Provisions) Act No. 48 of 1979, which is presently in force in Sri Lanka.

The Bill was published in the Gazette of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka on 17 March 2023. (Issued on 22.03.2023) The relevant bill can be downloaded in three languages under the publications of the documents.gov.lk website.

Please send your recommendations/comments/suggestions (if any) regarding the relevant bill, to the Secretary, Ministry of Justice, Prison Affairs and Constitutional Reforms within 10 days from the date of publication of this notice.

Send your comments to the address below mentioning the words "Suggestions for Anti-Terrorism Bill " on the left corner of the envelope.

**Secretary**  
**Ministry of Justice, Prison Affairs and Constitutional Reforms,**  
**No. 19, Sri Sangharaja Mawatha,**  
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Secretary  
Ministry of Justice, Prison Affairs and Constitutional Reforms

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