

**15. Implementation of recommendations of the Committee appointed to review the recruitment process of the public service and management the cadre.**

Approval of the Cabinet of Ministers was granted at their meeting held on 30.12.2024 to appoint an officers' committee headed by the Secretary to the Prime Minister for taking necessary steps on the recruitment quantities that should essentially be done by recognizing the requirements, priorities and time frames by reviewing the recruitment process of the government service. Considering the requests made to that committee to fill the vacancies in the posts in respective ministries as well as the departments and other institutions under those ministries, the Cabinet of Ministers granted approval to the resolution furnished by the Hon. Prime Minister to grant approval to the relevant Ministries and affiliated institutions for making the following appointments recommended by the committee

Serial No.	Ministry / Local Government Institution / Commission	No. of Vacancies recommended for recruitment by the Committee
1.	Ministry of Education, Higher Education and Vocational Education	442
2.	Ministry of Justice and National Integration	452
3.	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	705
4.	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Lands and Irrigation	10
5.	Ministry of Plantation and Community Infrastructure Facilities	37
6.	Ministry of Finance, Plan Implementation and Economic Development	76
7.	Ministry of Defense	102
8.	Ministry of Public Security and Parliamentary Affairs	19
9.	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Employment and Tourism	10
10.	Ministry of Trade, Commerce, Food Security, and Cooperative Development	01
11.	Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development	166
12.	Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and community Empowerment	167
13.	Ministry of Housing, Construction, and Water Supply	33
14.	Ministry of Fisheries, Aquatic and Ocean Resources	50
15.	Ministry of Science and Technology	23
16.	Ministry of Ports and Civil Aviation	248
17.	Central Provincial Council	203
18.	North Central Provincial Council	06
19.	National Police Commission	01
20.	Teachers for Sri Lanka Teachers' Service	23,344
	Total employees	26,095