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All Secretaries of Ministries, Heads of Departments, District Secretaries, Divisional Secretaries,

## Revision of the Letter of Appointment in relation to the introduction of a new pension scheme for public officers.

Reference the Public Administration Circular No. 21/2017 dated 25.08.2017.

02. Accordingly, **Section 07** of the letters of appointment issued for the officers recruited for combined services with a date of appointment after 01.01.2016, is revised as follows in terms of the provisions of the above circular.

"This appointment is pensionable. You shall be subjected to a policy decision taken by the government in future on the pension scheme to which you are entitled. Further, you shall make contributions to the Widows and Orphans' / Widowers and Orphans' Pension Scheme. You shall make your contributions in such manner determined from time to time by the government".

03. Further, the services and the dates of appointment relevant to the above revision are mentioned below and this revision is not applied for the officers who were recruited for Public Management Assistants' Service on limited basis. Please make the relevant officers aware in this regard.

| Service   | Date of appointment |
|---|---------------------|
| Government Translators' Service                                     | 24.11.2016          |
| Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service -2 (II)  | 02.05.2016          |
|   | 05.09.2016          |
|   | 17.04.2017          |
| Development Officers' Service                                       | Date of appointment |
|   | after 01.01.2016    |
| Public Management Assistants' Service                               | 09.03.2016          |
|   | 04.07.2016          |
|   | 15.08.2016          |
|   | 16.01.2017          |
| Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service -3 (III) | 17.10.2016          |
|   | 20.03.2017          |
|   | 02.05.2017          |
| Office Employees' Service   | Date of appointment |
| Drivers' Service  | after 01.01.2016    |

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