

Performance Report 2016

(A summery report consisting the performance of the main divisions of the Department of Archaeology and provincial offices in the year of 2016)

**Project Operating and Evaluation Division
(Planning Division)
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Department of Archaeology

Vision

Proper management of overall archeological heritage and endowing it to the future generation

Mission

Act as the chief institute and the main regulating organization responsible for the management of archeological heritage of Sri Lanka.

Objective

There are several objectives of the Department of Archeology in order to achieve this Mission.

- 1) Promotion of Resources
 - (i.) Human
 - (ii.) Establishments
- 2) Preservation of overall archeological heritage
- 3) Registration of archeological heritage
 - (i.) Archeological sites and monuments
 - (ii.) Movable Artifacts
- 4) Promoting the public awareness on archeological heritage
- 5) Conservation and maintenance of archeological sites, monuments, and movable artifacts
- 6) Research

Divisions operated for achieving objectives of the Department

Academic Division

- Investigation and registration division
- Excavation division
- Museum division
- Architectural conservation Division
- Chemical conservation division
- Epigraphy and Numismatics division
- Maintenance division
- Improvement division

Non Academic Divisions

- Accounts Division
- Administrative Division
- Project Operation and evolution
- Legal Division

Provincial offices and District Archaeological offices under the Department

1. Western Province
2. Central Province
3. Southern Province
 - Galle/ Matara
 - Hambanthota
4. Northern Province
 - Jaffna/ Kilinochchi
 - Mannar/ Mulativ/Vawniya

5. Wayamba Province
6. North Central Province
Anuradhapura
Polonnaruwa
7. Uva Province
Badulla
Monaragala
8. Sabaragamuwa Province
Kegalle
Rathnapura
9. Eastern Province
Ampara/Batticaloe
Trincomalee

Zonal Offices under directed under Provincial Offices

1. Western Province

- No.01 - Udugampoala Zone
- No.02 - Gampaha Zone
- No.03 - Kotte Zone
- No.04 - Colombo special zone
- No.05 (1) - Pathahawatta zone
- No.05 (2) – Ganeuda Zone

2. Central Province

- No. 01 - Sigiriya Zone
- No. 02 – Dambulla Zone
- No.03 – Manikdena Zone
- No. 04 – Nalanda Zone
- No. 05 – Kandy Zone
- No. 06 – Kandy Special Zone
- No. 07 – Udunuwara Zone
- No. 08 – Yatinuwara Zone
- No. 09 – Kundasala Zone
- No. 10 – Hanguranketha Zone
- No. 11 – Kothmale Zone

3. Southern Province (Galle/ Matara Districts)

- No. 01 – Hikkaduwa Zone
- No. 02,03 – Galle Zone
- No. 04 – Matara Zone
- No. 05 – Kasagala Zone

4. Southern Province (Hambanthota District)

- No.06– Hambanthota Zone
- No.07– Tissa Zone
- No.08- Yatala Zone

5. Northern Province (Jaffna District)

- No. 01 – Jaffna Zone
- No. 02 – Delft Zone
- No. 03 – Walikamam Zone
- No. 04 – Thenmarachchi Zone
- No. 05 – Wadamarachchi Zone
- No. 06 – Kilinochchi Zone

6. Northern Province (Vavuniya/Mulativ/Mannar Districts)

- No. 07 – Vavuniya Zone
- No. 08 – Mulativ Zone
- No. 09 – Mannar Zone

7. North Western Province

- No. 01 – Puttlam Zone
- No. 02 – Thonigala Zone
- No. 03 – Rajanganaya Zone
- No. 04 – Yapahuwa Zone
- No. 05 – Arankele Zone
- No. 06 – Kurunegala Zone
- No. 07 – Panduwasnuwara Zone
- No. 08 – Dambadeniya Zone
- No 09 - Halawatha Zone

8. North Central Province (Anuradhapura District)

- No. 01 – Padaviya Zone
- No. 02 – Kiralagla Zone
- No. 03 – Mihinthale Zone
- No. 04 – Anuradhapura Zone
- No. 05 – Anuradhapura Special Zone
- No. 06 – Thanthirimale Zone
- No. 07 – Manakanda Zone
- No. 08 – Ritigala Zone

8. North Central Province (Anuradhapura District)

- No. 09 – Upulwehera Zone
- No. 10 – Medawachchiya Zone
- No. 11 – Thambuththegama Zone
- No. 12 – Nochchiyagama Zone
- No. 13 – Ethul Nuwara Zone

9. North Central Province (Polonnaruwa District)

- No. 14 – Medirigiriya Zone
- No. 15, 16 – Polonnaruwa Zone
- No. 17 – Namalpokuna Zone

10. Uva Province (Badulla District)

- No. 01 – Maiyanganaya Zone
- No. 02 – Badulla Zone
- No. 03 – Diyathalawa Zone

11. Uva Province (Monaragala District)

- No. 01 – Galbedda Zone
- No. 02 – Maligawila Zone
- No. 03 – Bibila Zone
- No. 04 – Buduruwagala Zone

12. Sabaragamuwa Province (Kegalle District)

- No. 01 – Aranayaka, Mawanella Zone
- No. 02 – Dedigama Zone
- No. 03 – Deliwala Zone
- No. 04 – Seethawaka, Zone

13. Sabaragamuwa Province (Rathnapura District)

- No. 05 – Rathnapura Zone
- No. 06 – Maduwanwela Zone
- No. 07 – Budugala Zone

14. Eastern Province (Thikunamalaya District)

- No. 01 – Gomarankadawara Zone
- No. 02 – Thikunamalaya Zone
- No. 03 - Seruwila Zone

15. Eastern Province (Ampara/Batticaloe Districts)

- No. 04– Batticaloe Zone
- No. 05 – Padiyadora Zone
- No. 06 – Owagiriya Zone
- No. 07 – Deeghawapiya Zone
- No. 08 – Lahugala Zone

Exploration and Documentation Division

Role of the Division

- Conducting special and urgent Exploration.
- Declaring Archaeological Reserves.
- Declaring Archaeological sites and monuments as reserved sites and monuments.
- Prevention of destruction of artifacts and implementation of Archaeological Ordinance against destruction of artifacts.
- Conducting surveys of evaluation of Archaeological impacts.
- Inspection of ancient factors of the proposed site for mineral project and granting recommendations.
- Collecting geographical information of archaeological sites and monuments and preparing maps.
- Conducting maritime Exploration.
- Registration of mobile artifacts.
- Answering for the questions of administration affairs and archaeological sites and monuments of districts.
- Declaration of the directory of National Archaeological sites.

Exploration Projects implemented during the year 2016

➤ Exploration of Divisional Secretariat Serunuwara in Trincomalle District

Explorations were carried out in 2015 at the Divisional Secretariat Division Thambalagamuwa in Trincomalee District and in 2016 Explorations were carried out at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Serunuwara in Trincomalee District during the period from 01.09.2016 to 15.10.2016 with the objective of identifying and reporting of archaeological site at the said area. Around 60 archaeological sites spread over 16 Grama Niladhari Divisions of the Divisional Secretariat Division of Serunuwara could be identified and reported by the head office under the financial provisions provided by the District Archaeological Office in the Trincomalee District.

It has been able to identify and report archaeological sites such as Mangala Stupa of Serunuwara and ruined places of Buddhist temples belong to the Anuradhapura and Polonnaruwa eras, pre historic places, and Megalithic cemetery sites belong to ancient historic era, and places of cave inscriptions, rock inscription under this Explorations. Image house of Gedige tradition belonged to the Polonnaru era found at Sirimangalapura area is a significant architectural creation.



➤ **Project of declaring reserved/ ancient monuments**

In terms of the Section 16 of Artifacts Ordinance, 157 sites situated in the following districts have been published as ancient monuments in the Gazette paper of the year 2016.

District	Number of monuments declared as reserved monuments
Anuradhapura	02
Kurunegala	01
Kandy	24
Matale	07
Nuwaraeliya	01
Kegalle	19
Rathnapura	02
Badulla	07
Monaragala	20
Galle	06
Matara	06
Gampaha	03
Kaluthara	15
Colombo	01
Mannar	04
Mulativ	31
Kilinochchi	08

➤ **Exploration at Dimbulagala**

It has been suggested to conduct a 05 year archaeological Exploration in 05 phases from the year 2016 at the area of Dimbulagala for which the attention of the Department of Archaeology has not been focused for a long time due to the terrorist conflicts. Accordingly, the surrounding area of Dimbulagala rock was divided into 05 parts and Exploration activities were started during this year at the Dimbulagal Temple and the surrounding area under the first phase. In this Exploration 18 ancient monuments at the surrounding area of Dimbulagala Temple were identified and reported. At the Exploration archaeological sites such as cave habitations with pre historic factors, caves with carved ditches, places of iron production, and old blasting places of rocks could be reported.



➤ **Projects carried out by the special unit of preventing destruction of artifacts .**

This section has conducted several projects such as workshops for making aware of police officers at 25 Police Units of Preserving Heritage and delivered lectures to school children in order to make aware the children about prevention of destruction of artifacts for the year 2016. Accordingly, awareness lectures were delivered to school children in 20 selected schools in North Central Province. Thus, 1683 lectures were delivered all over the country in 2016.

Apart from this, action was taken by this Unit to prevent destructions of artifacts reported from various areas in Sri Lanka over the year and to take legal measures in respect of them.

Destruction of artifacts	Number of cases reported
Stealing of artifacts	10
Deforming and destruction of artifacts	17
Unauthorized excavations made in search of artifacts	173
Other offences taken under Artifacts Act	03

Information on destructions of artifacts during the year 2016

➤ **Project of registration of mobile artifacts**

The main objective of this project is to search and study about the movable artifacts owned by every institute and people of Sri Lanka and regularly report and establish a data bank. Under the first step it is expected to search about public institutes, religious institutes, museums and people possessing artifacts and to report under a priority order. Every movable artifact is reported with models and photographs according to a prescribed format. Following facts are expected to be confirmed by this project.

- Identity of movable artifacts
- Providing legal protection for artifacts.
- Confirming the security of artifacts.
- Building a data collection enabling to study.

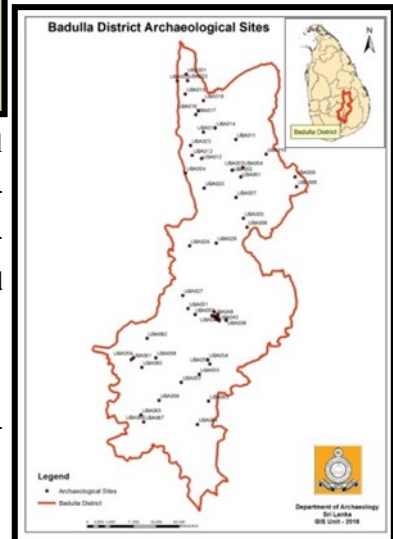
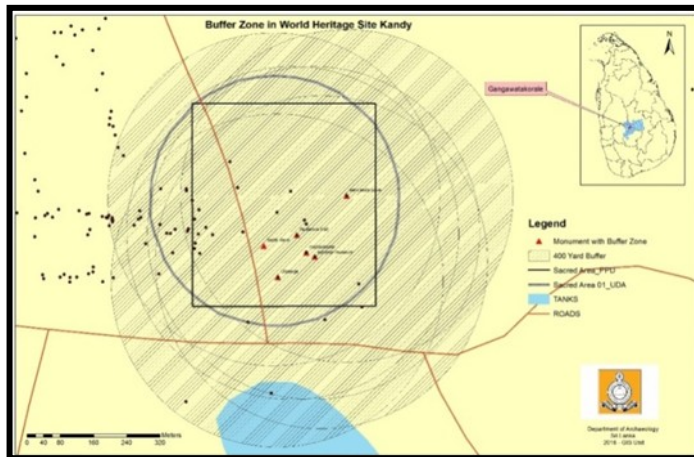
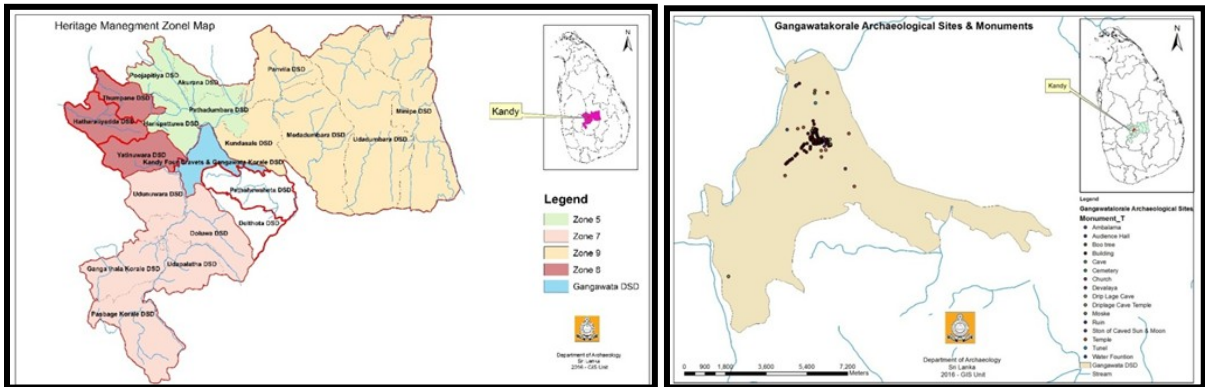
Project of registration of movable artifacts in 2016 by the Head office and Provincial offices are as follows.

Office	Place of registration	Number
Head Office	Laboratory of the Department of Archelogy Harbour Museum	865
Western provincial Office	Dutch Museum	50
Southern Provincial Office	Maritime archeological museum, Galle	50
North Central Provincial Office	Artifacts at the stores of Zonal Archeological Office at Polonnaruwa	214
North Western Provincial Office	Nagolla Rajamaha Viharaya Meddepola Rajamaha Viharaya Uyanwaththa People's Museum Temples- Divisional Secretariat Division Wariyapola Temples- Divisional Secretariat Division Nikaweratiya Temples- Divisional Secretariat Division Kotawehera	2700



➤ **Geographical Data processing Unit. (GIS)**

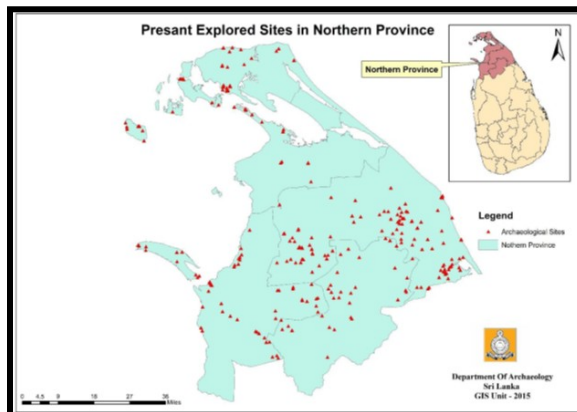
Preparing maps of gazette archeological sites and monuments in Divisional Secretariat Division Gangawata Korale in the Central Province. preparing 400 yards map for archeological monuments within 400 yards Kandy a world heritage. Projects such as preparing maps indicating maintenance zones of Kandy District were implemented in this year.



GPS data of archeological sites at Divisional Secretariat Level were obtained for preparing Badulla District Map at the initial investigation and Badulla District map has been prepared for the year 2016 by using those data. Next steps of that investigation is scheduled to be carried out during ensuing years.

16 and 17 phases of the Northern Provincial investigation have been carried out this year.

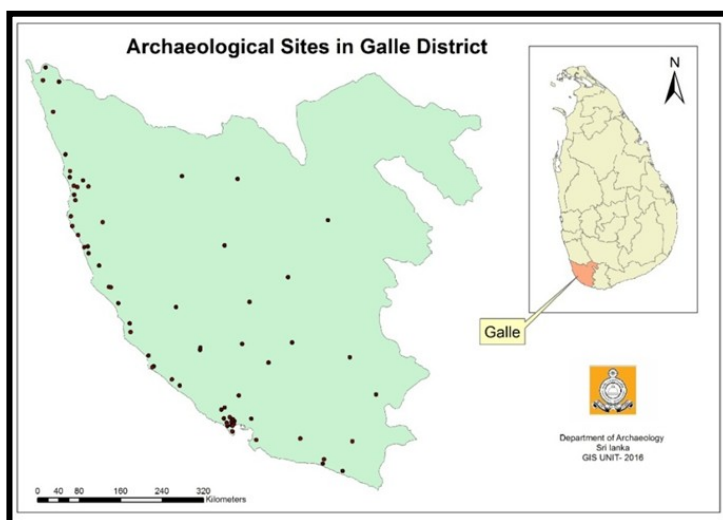
Accordingly, preparing of maps with archeological sites of the North Western Province using the data of the previous years has been completed this year.



➤ **Mapping of archeological sites and monuments in Galle District of the Southern Province**

Human resource development has been initially executed during this year through the project of entering information including GPS coordination Photographs and details to the internet. Similarly, initial activities of obtaining GPS Coordination of Ruwanweliseya and nearby area and entering information to the internet have been done. It is expected to complete these activities and publish the web page by the Archaeological Symposium to be held in 2017.

In addition to the estimated projects, activities such as preparing the map in respect of the destruction of artifacts occurred in 2016 have been done by this unit by using information obtained by the Unit of Preventing Destruction of Artifacts.



➤ **Projects of evaluation of archeological impact.**

Archeological Damages Evaluation Survey in respect of the Northern Express Way project was carried out in 2016 by a representative institute registered at the Department of Archeology and report of that survey has been submitted.

In addition, a site inspection was carried out by the officers of the Department of Archeology and the projects released as per the observation report are as follows.

Northern Province	-	04 Projects
Eastern Province	-	09 Projects
Western Province	-	08 projects
Southern Province	-	10 projects
North Western Province	-	07 Projects
Sabaragamuwa Province	-	03 Projects
Uva province	-	10 projects
Central Province	-	16 projects
North Central Province	-	14 Projects

➤ **Inspection of historical factors of the proposed site for mineral project and granting recommendations**

Number of recommendations provided for extraction of mineral and stones from January to September 2016 as follows.

District	Number of recommendations
Anuradhapura	217
Ampara	51
Kaluthara	70
Badulla	43
Kegalle	37
Colombo	60
Gampaha	172
Galle	86
Kurunegala	179
Thrikunamalaya	29
Puttlam	42
Hambanthota	105
Vawniya	08
Rathnapura	112

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in 2016 (Rs.)	Targets for the year 2016	Financial Progress as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2016 (%)
01	Reporting of archeological monuments in order to gazette the archeological monuments in the North Central Province.	33,000.00	Gazetting archeological monuments of the Northern Province	-	10%
02	Registration of artifacts (nearby the Colombo Harbor)	14,450.00	Registration of movable artifacts nearby Colombo Harbour	14,450.00	50%
03	Field work and site inspection	764,190.00	Identifying and registration of artifacts	233,866.00	100%
04	Declaring archeological monuments.	50,000.00	Declaring monuments	7,399.00	75%
05	Registration project of movable artifacts	Only traveling expenses	Registration of movable artifacts	-	100%
06	Making aware of the officers of the 25 police Unites of securing Heritage	Only traveling expenses	Making aware of the officers of the 25 police Unites	-	100%
07	Making aware of school children about prevention of destruction of artifacts	Only traveling expenses	Making aware of school children	-	100%
08	Mapping of archeological sites in Central Province – phase I	32,250.00	Registration, preparing maps and date files.	25,275.00	100%
09	Mapping of archeological sites in Southern Province – phase I	21,250.00	Registration, preparing maps and date files.	15,876.00	67%
10	Initial investigation for registration and mapping of archeological sites and monuments of the Northern Province (Phase- 16)	55,562.00	Registration, preparing maps and date files.	-	95%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in 2016 (Rs.)	Targets for the year 2016	Financial Progress as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2016 (%)
11	Initial investigation for registration and mapping of archeological sites and monuments of the Northern Province (Phase- 17)	46,462.00	Registration, preparing maps and date files.	39,946.00	86%
12	Mapping of archeological sites in Uva Province	16,250.00	Mapping of archeological sites	3,800.00	23%
13	Investigation at Dimbulagala – Phase I	103,372.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments of dimbulagala Rock and around the Dimbulagala Rock.	59,203.00	100%
Western Province					
01	Registration project of movable artifacts	19,750.00	Registration of movable artifacts	15,542.00	100%
02	Investigation of southern bank of the middle vally zone of Kelani River.	31,500.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at the middle vally and southern bank of the Kelani River.	24,000.00	100%
03	Investigation in Colombo District	7,950.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments in Colombo District.	4,670.00	100%
04	Daily site inspection and purchase of consumer articles.	5,350.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors.	5,350.00	100%
Central Province					
01	Investigation at Divisional Secretariat Division Galewela	19,980.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at divisional secretariat division of Galewela.	19,980.00	100%
02	Investigation of 05 ancient temples situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division Kundasalaya.	20,000.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at 05 ancient temples located in the Divisional Secretariat Divisions of Kundasalaya.	19,930.00	100%
03	Site inspection and inspection of places of blasting rocks	20,000.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and stones.	20,000.00	100%
04	Registration project of movable artifacts - preparing final report of the Aththaragama Rajamaha Vi-	11,000.00	Preparing final report of registration of movable artifacts at Aththaragama Rajamaha Viharaya	11,000.00	100%
Sothern Province					
01	Registration project of movable artifacts	66,627.00	Registration of movable artifacts	8,600.00	100%
Northern Province- Jaffna, Kilinochchi Districts					
01	Site inspection and inspection of places of blasting rocks	5,490.00	Identifications and registration of archeological facts/ and providing recommendations for mineral and stone extraction	-	8%
Northern Province – Mulativ, Mannar, Vawniya Districts					
01	Site inspection and inspection of places of blasting rocks	10,000.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and	10,000.00	100%

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	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in 2016 (Rs.)	Targets for the year 2016	Financial Progress as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2016 (%)
North Western Province					
01	Field work and site inspection	50,000.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and	43,150.00	100%
02	Registration project of movable artifacts	12,790.00	Registration of movable artifacts	12,298.00	100%
03	Investigation of the premises of Nawawangu Nandimithra temple, Pallama. (provisions are provided by the Ministry of Tourism)	248,010.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at the premises of Nawawangu Nandimithra temple, Pallama.	230,058.00	100%
04	Investigation of Kudiramale situated at Vilpaththu National Park and surrounding area of Kudiramale.	48,000.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at Kudiramale situated at Vilpaththu National Park and surrounding area of Kudiramale.		100%
North Central Province – Anuradhapura District					
01	Registration project of movable artifacts	395,000.00	Registration of movable artifacts	380,276.00	100%
North Central Province – Polonnaruwa District					
01	Investigation at Devanagala and Thrikonamaduwā	30,000.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at Devanagala and Thrikona-	30,000.00	100%
02	Gazetting archeological sites and monuments at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Welikanda, Elahera, Dimbulagala.	3,000.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Welikanda, Elahera, Dimbulagala.	30,000.00	100%
Uva Province – Badulla District					
01	Field work and site inspection	40,000.00	Identification and registration of archeological facts/ providing recommendations for extraction of minerals/	14,300.00	100%
02	Registration project of movable artifacts	33,867.00	Registration of movable artifacts	2,200.00	100%
Uva Province – Monaragala District					
01	Field work and site inspection	40,000.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and	31,925.00	80%
02	Registration project of movable artifacts	33,867.00	Registration of movable artifacts.	20,024.00	100%
Sabaragamuwa Province – Kegalle District					
01	Investigation at Mahabeligala – Phase I	25,600.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments of Mahabeligala.	19,820.00	100%
02	Registration of movable artifacts	28,300.00	Registration of movable artifacts	28,300.00	100%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in 2016 (Rs.)	Targets for the year 2016	Financial Progress as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Physical Progress as at 31.12.2016 (%)
Sabaragamuwa Province – Rathnapura District					
01	Investigation of the land belong to the Department of Forest Conservation, Budugala.	16,100.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments of the land belong to the Department of Forest Conservation, Budugala.	16,100.00	100%
02	Registration project of movable artifacts	28,300.00	Registration of movable artifacts		75%
Eastern Province – Ampara, Batticaloe Districts					
01	Field work and site inspection	9450.00	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and stones.	1,500.00	100%
02	Investigation of Nuwaragala Kanda – Phase I	17,850.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at nuwaragala Kanda.	17,850.00	100%
Eastern Province – Trincomalee District					
01	Field work and site inspection	Only traveling expenses	Identification and registration of archeological factors/ granting recommendations for mining of mineral and stones.	-	100%
02	Investigation at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Serunuwara	20,000.00	Registration of archeological sites and monuments at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Serunuwara.	10,515.00	100%
General Deposits/ grants of External bodies					
01	Mapping of archeological sites and monuments in the Western Province – Kaluthara District – Phase I - (UNDP)	797,925.00	Mapping of archeological sites and monuments in Kaluthara District.	75,676.00	60%
02	Releasing GPS coordination and photographs in to the internet (North, North Central, Eastern) (CCF)	400,000.00	Releasing GPS coordination and photographs in to the internet	382,884.00	90%

Excavation Division

Role of the excavation division

A number of various projects are implemented for the purpose of securing the archeological heritage and enhancing researches and public awareness.

1. Excavation project for the evaluation of archeological impact.
2. Research excavations relating to ancient history and pre historic eras.
3. Implementation of projects, analysis of excavation data, preparing reports and excavation projects taken place before conservation of dilapidated archeological monuments.
4. Excavation projects of monuments carried out before the conservation and ensuring for the public exhibition.
5. Supervision of archeological excavations carried out by other licensed institutes under the permission of Department of Archeology.

Following analysis projects were implemented by the Excavation Division of the Department of Archeology during the year 2016.

1. Excavation of Megalithika Cemetery, Mahagalwewa, Hambanthota
2. Excavation of Udugama Stupa and Weheragodella Stupa of the Divisional Secretariat Division Embilipitiya, Rathnapura.
3. Excavation of old building at Weliwathuregama, Polonnaruwa.
4. Manabharana Viharaya, Ampara- Excavation - II Phase
5. Research excavation at Therappuwa Viharaya, Monaragala.
6. Excavation of Sonuththara Stupa, Matale.
7. Excavation of palace mound at Sinhapitiya, Kandy.
8. Excavation of Punchi Sigiriya Stupa, Ampara
9. Excavation of Stupa mound at Siriwaddana Rajamaha Viharaya at Dehiwatta, Trinkomalee.
10. Excavation made prior to the construction of proposed new preaching hall at Sithulpawwa Viharaya.
11. Excavation made near the pond on the rock of the Haththikuchchi Viharaya at Rajanganaya.
12. Excavation for damage evaluation at the premises of Hiltop Hotel, Galle.

In addition to these excavation projects data analyzing activities were carried out and action was taken to obtain precise samples thereby for chronology as well as excavation reports completed during previous years were printed and equipment required for analyzing of old clay pots were purchased.

Excavation of the Stupa mound

➤ Excavation of Gonagolla Punchi Sigiriya

This site is situated at Grama Niladhari Division of Kothmale Colony No. W/104/A-1, of the Divisional Secretariat Division Uhana of Ampara District in the Eastern Province. (Northern Latitudes 7° 24' 54° and Eastern Longitude 81° 39' 18°).

This excavation work was carried out during the period from June - July in 2016 with the objective of conservation of the ruined site due to unauthorized excavations. This site has been severely damaged due to unauthorized excavations made at several times. Dilapidated parts were removed and the Stupa building with the height of two meters was exposed. The diameter of the stupa is 10.40 meters.

The architectural features of this stupa belong to the early part of the Anuradhapura Era (C.E. 3-5). The base of the Stupa was made with Granite and Moulding Bricks. The pieces of mortar used for the plastering of Stupa Garbha have been left there. Similarly, it is evident by the left over factors of the terrace and Stupa Garbha that the Stupa has been reconstructed at a later period after the original construction. Padmasana of various sizes, altars with the footprint of Buddha, coins, and glass beads are among the artifacts found at this place. Analysis activities of the exposed artifacts are still being carried out.



Photos taken before and after the excavations

➤ Excavation of palace mound located at Sinhapitiya, Gampola

This site is located at Sinhapitiya Village of Godagama Grama Niladhari Division of Divisional Secretariat Division Uda Palatha, Kandy District. (Northern Latitudes 7° 09' 34° and Eastern Longitudes 80° 33' 28°)

This land has been identified and named as a reserved monument of the Department of Archeology (100978-1956/10/05). Although no artifacts are to be seen at the surface a monument had existed during the period of Kandy Kingdom according to the folklores. This building is spread over an area of one Acrea excavations were carried out by using three trenches of 01 meter in width and 7-10 meters in length on the building. Although a number of clay pots and pieces of roofing tiles were found sufficient factors were not reported enable to identify the building which is said to be here. There was only a metal layer which could be guessed as a part of a foundation. It is hard to identify the first utility of the place due to the scattering and misplacing of artifacts on the surface as the premises had been acquired for human settlements and various development activities.



Bricks and clay found at the excavations made at palace mound situated at Sinhapitiya, Gampola.

➤ **Excavation of Damage evaluation at the premises of Hiltop Hotel , Galle.**

This site is located close to Galle Fort and behind the premises of Galle Town Hall of the Divisional Secretariat Division of Kadawathsathara in Galle District. (Northern Longitudes 6° 4' 0° and Eastern Latitudes 80° 11' 43°).

This excavation was carried out after removing the Hiltop Hotel located previously at this premises in order to find out whether the premises is of archeological value before construct the proposed building.

Although excavations were carried out through 4 research pits in order to identify the nature of surface and inside of the ground any artifact of archeological value was not found from this premises. This premises could be considered as a place from which Mattel were obtained for the construction of Galle Fort.



A photograph of the place before excavation

➤ **Excavation of ruined Stupa mound at Siriwaddana Purana Raja Maha Viharaya, Dehiwatta, Serunuwara.**

This ancient Stupa mound of Siriwaddana Purana Rajamaha Viharaya is located at Grama Niladhari Division of Dehiwatta (No. 217) of Divisional Secretariat Division Serunuwara in Trincomalee District, in the Eastern Province.(Northern Longitudes 8° 21' 32° and Eastern Latitudes 81°16' 17°).

This excavation was carried out under personel financial contribution during the period from January to March in 2016 with the objective of studying architectural features of the Stupa, identifying the era amd conservation of the Stupa. This Stupa mound is 4.5 meters in height. The soil of the middle of the mound had been removed by unauthorized excavations and the Stupa Mound was fully covered with a Bo Tree.

According to the Mahawansha this Stupa is said to have been constructed by King Gothabaya of King Yatalathissa (B.C. 2nd century). Construction featur have been reveled at this excavation to the effect that the Stupa had been enlarged at two times after the original cosntruction. The enlargement process could have been made during the period from B.C. 2nd century to B.c. 10th Century. Further, clay sculpture, parts of roofing tiles, pieces of clay pots, and copper and iron metal parts were found at the excavations. It is very important to be able to uncover a number of bricks with Brahmi Charactors and other symbols.

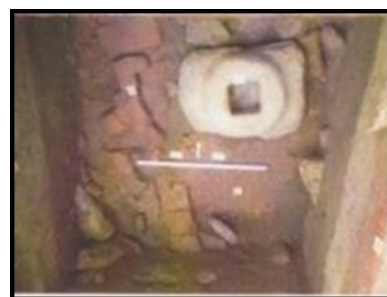
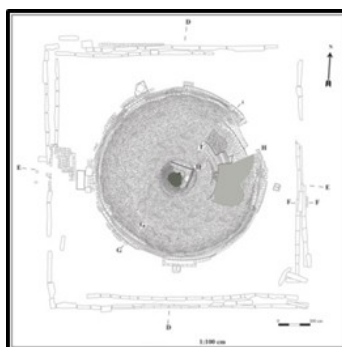


➤ **Excavation made prior to the construction of new proposed preaching hall at Sithulpawwa Viharaya.**

This site is located at the Sithulpawwa of Yala National Park of Grama Niladhari Division Ranakeliya in the Divisional Secretariat Division Tissamaharamaya of Hambanthota District. (Northern Longitudes 6°23' and Eastern Latitudes 81°26').

This is a very important historical site to be protected as an archeological reserve for future research requirements which has been popular as a monastery from historical era, an area where a number of ancient monuments and sites are located in.

Excavations were carried out in two phases to find out a proper place to construct the new proposed preaching hall at this place. Accordingly, a number of artifacts were found at the excavation carried out in 2015 and therefore it has been recommended to shift the aforesaid new construction to another place. Although several research pits were excavated at the northern part of the said premises during 2016 no artifacts were found from the place. Therefore it has been proposed to construct the new preaching hall under the supervision of the Department of Archeology whilst preserving the ancient landscape of the place.



Photographs No. 01 and 02
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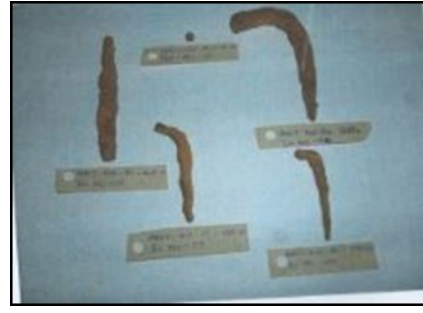
Formation of layers of a research pit at Sithulpawwa Viharaya and bricks and base stone exposed.

➤ **Research excavation carried out at Therappuwa Raja Maha Viharaya, Nakkala, Monaragala.**

Therappuwa Raja Maha Viharaya is located at Therappuwa Grama Niladhari Division of the Divisional Secretariat Division Badalkumbura in Monaragala District of the Uva province. (Northern latitudes 6° 52' 39" and Eastern longitudes 81° 17' 16").

This is a premises consisting an extent of three Acres where a vast number of ruins such as a dilapidated Dagoba, stone pillars, buildings and staircases are present. They expose architectural features of the early period of Anuradhapura Era. Folklores reveal that this area is related to the story of Therapuththabhaya Giant out of the Ten giants of King Dutugemunu described in Mahawansa. Further, 37 monuments belong to the said era are located in close proximity of this place.

This research excavation was carried out by the Department of Archeology in order to decide an appropriate premises for the construction of the proposed new Stupa. It was able to find out several artifacts such as pieces of roofing tiles, pieces of clay pots and decayed iron nails by the small scale research pits and excavation of ditches.



Excavation site of Therappuwa Viharaya and Iron nails among the artifacts found from the excavation.

➤ **Excavation carried out at Sonuththara Viharaya**

Sonuththara Raja Maha Viharya is located at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Wilgamuwa Hettipola in Matale District of the Central Province. This excavation was carried out in 2016 with the objective of directing the ruined Stupa mound which has become a jungle for conservation.

The diameter of the Stupa which was uncovered was **30.20** meters. It has been constructed upon a SALAPATHALA MALUWA in extent **16.20x 16.20** meters. A flower altar, Siripathul Stone, a part of Yupa Stone belong to the Stupa were among the uncovered artifacts. Those features reveal the architectural features of the early period of Anuradhapura Era. In addition it was an important event which was able to uncover pieces of clay pots and pieces of bricks with pre Brahmi syllable.



A view of the Stupa after excavation

➤ **Excavation near the pond on the Haththikuchchi Viharaya, Rajanganaya**

This famous archeological site is located at Milewa Grama Niladhari Division No. 30 of the Divisional Secretariat Division Giribawa in Kurunegala District of the North Western Province. (Northern Latitudes 8°06'15 and Eastern Longitudes 80°24'62°). A vast number of rock caves belong to the early period of Anuradhapura Era are present here. Similarly, an enormous number of monuments with architectural features of Wanawasi Tradition are present here. Further, more records (epigraphy) and other artifacts have been found from this site.

The objective of this excavation is uncovering the base of the ruined building near the caves belong to the Haththikuchchi Temple Complex and to design plans to conserve it. The base was uncovered by making excavation ditches according to the open excavation methodology. mattel pieces of the base and UDALIPATH, YATALIPATHA, pieces of clay pots and roofing tiles and pieces of bricks of various constructions were found at this excavation. Factors were found to the effect that the building would have been constructed upon a base made of Mattel and bricks and door frames and mattel pillars would have been constructed upon the base and the walls were constructed with clay mortar.



Photo of the front side of the rock cave of Haththikuchchi Viharaya at Rajanganaya and a phase of excavation

➤ **Excavation of Weheragodella Stupa and Udugama Stupa mound**

This sites are located near Padangala and Udugama junction of the Divisional Secretariat Division Embilipitiya in Rathnapura District. It was able to uncover ruins of the old Stupa at the excavation of Weheragodella in Padangala. Further, Mahameru Stones, Siripathul Stones and rocky altars were present among the uncovered artifacts. It is scheduled to submit the reports of this excavations in the future. Further analyzing activities of the excavation of Weliwathuregama Stupa in the Divisional Secretariat Division Hingurakgoda in Polonnaruwa District are being carried out.

➤ **Megalithic cemetery at Mahagalwewa in Hambanthota District**

This site is located at Mahagalwewa Grama Niladhari Division of the Divisional Secretariat Division Sooriyawewa in Hambanthota District of the Southern Province. Excavation of the cemerty yard belongs to Megalithic Tradition which is spread over a premises in wxtent 950 Square meters was carried out during May and June in 2016 and futher analyzing activities are being carried out.

A large number of artifacts belong to pre historic era of Sri Lanka could be uncovered by this excavation. Factors of 19 tombs of Megalithik tradition constructed as boxes with large granite slabs were uncovered. Pieces of clay pots, glass beads, parts of equipment made of iron, burnt bones were uncovered among these ruins.



After the excavation of Megalithic Cemetery , Mahagalwewa

Excavation projects implemented in 2016

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
01	Excavation of Mahagalwewa Megalitic Cemetery	111,000.00	Research Excavation	53,618.00	95%
02	Excavations at Udugam Stupa	67,834.00	Exposing excavation	27,059.00	90%
03	Excavation of ancient building at Welivathuregama	75,000.00	Exposing excavation	65,220.00	95%
04	Excavation of Manabharana Viharaya – Phase II	57,200.00	Exposing excavation	22,950.00	100%
05	Research Excavation at Therapahuwa Viharaya	18,108.00	Excavations for evaluation of damages	10,950.00	100%
06	Excavation of Sonuththara Stupa	90,900.00	Exposing excavation	-	100%
07	Excavation of palace building of Sinhapitiya	14,700.00	Exposing excavation	14,684.00	100%
08	Excavation of Punchi Sigiriya Stupa at Gonagolla	69 644 00	Exposing excavation	42 135 00	100%
09	Excavation of the Stupa building of Siriwardhana Raja Maha Viharaya, Dehiwatta	General Deposit	Exposing excavation	External provisions	100%
10	Excavation made prior to the construction of proposed new preaching hall at Sithulpawwa Viharaya.	General Deposit	Excavations for evaluation of damages	External provisions	100%
11	Excavation near the pond situated on the rock at Haththikuchchi Temple.	31,825.00	Exposing excavation	21,455.00	100%
12	Purchase of equipment for analysis of old clay pots	2,48,000.00	For analytical activities	2,48,00 00	100%
13	Excavation of damage evaluation at the premises of Hotel Hiltop	General Deposit	Excavations for evaluation of damages	External provisions	100%

Museum Division

Objectives of the Section

- Upgrading the existing exhibition quality of all museums
- Improving public awareness about Sri Lankan heritage
- Construction of new museums
- Registration of all the artifacts.
- Conservation of artifacts
- Maintenance of museums and information centers.
- Formal acquisition of artifacts found from investigations and excavations

➤ Archeology Week Program

Special Archeological exhibition was arranged 07 July in 2016 on behalf of the Archeology Week. Developmental milestones acquired by Sri Lankans at various historical eras from Pre historic era to golden era of Anuradhapura were exhibited here. People were made aware about the archeological heritage and developmental milestones at historical eras by the exhibition.



➤ Special programs for Vesak Festival

A special exhibition was conducted with the sidelines of Vesak Festival held at the Prime Minister's Office on behalf of Public Vesak Festival in 2016. An exhibition of artifact and an exhibition of Buddha Relics found from Neelagiriya were conducted with the side lines of this exhibition which delineated various occasion from prehistoric Era to golden Era.



➤ Conducting Buddha Relics Exhibitions and Mobile exhibitions

Exhibitions of Buddha Relics found from Neelagiriya were conducted at various temples of the country. In addition, Archeological exhibitions were conducted at schools of the island in order to make aware school children of the said schools and people.



➤ **Reorganization of Kandy Museum**

This project was implemented with the objective of maintaining the archeological museum located at the premises of Sri Dalada Maligawa formally and attractively as well as to ensure the security of the artifacts places therein. Further, one of the crucial objectives of this project was to update the academic activities of this museum and accordingly, activities such as arranging the landscape around the museum, drawing formal designs for 62 wooden artifacts kept or exhibition and filling applications and taking color photographs of them were carried out. Further, activities such as preparing register of artifacts including last year's initial documents and manuscripts, photographs and designs, arranging the background of the cupboards where artifacts were placed, and fixing a square net cover to prevent the coming of monkeys into the museum were carried out.



➤ **Maintenance of museums**

All the museums of the Department of Archeology were attractively maintained for the public interest.

Projects implemented in the year 2016

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
01	Maintenance of Kotte Museum	70,010.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	65,191.00	100%
02	Maintaining museums and conducting exhibitions of Buddha Relics	597,600.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	279,075.00	100%
03	Special exhibition for the Vesak Festival (Prime Minister's Office)	158,360.00	Making aware of public	156,345.00	100%
04	Exhibition conducted on account of Archeology Week (Ministrial Provisions)	1,372,008.00	Making aware of public	1,231,235.00	100%
05	Maintenance of Museum at Kandy	64,706.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	35,364.00	100%
06	Maintaining of Information Center at Nalanda Gedige.	5,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	4,990.00	100%
07	Reorganization of Kandy Museum.	1,400,196.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	1,400,196.00	90%
08	Maintenance of Matara Museum	59,400.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	57,657.00	100%
09	Maintenance of Yatala Museum	40,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	40,000.00	100%
10	Maintainance of Mulkirigala Information Center.	3,300.00	Providing security for the museum	3,300.00	100%
11	Maintenance of Jaffna Museum	36,424.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	31,105.00	85%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
12	Maintenance of Vawniya Museum	20,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	14,819.00	100%
13	Maintenance of Puttlam Museum	26,974.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectator	24,310.00	100%
14	Maintenance of Yapa-huwa Museum	20,600.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	16,880.00	100%
15	Maintenance of Pandu-wasnuwara Museum	31,700.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	27,900.00	100%
16	Repair of the ceiling of Puttlam Museum (CCF)	74,523.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	72,523.00	95%
17	Maintenance of Mihin-thalaya Museum	33,550.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	33,120.00	100%
18	Maintenance of Anuradhapura Museum	58,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	47,900.00	100%
19	Reorganization of Anuradhapura Museum. (Amarican Embassy)	34,102,695.00	Organizing an exhibition at the optimum level	34,102,695.00	95%
20	Maintaning information center of Maligawila	25,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	24,934.00	100%
22	Maintenance of Dedi-gama Museum	41,096.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	31,265.00	100%
23	Completing remaining work of the Maduwanwela Museum	571,700.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	419,827.00	100%
24	Maintenance of Maduwanwela Museum	40,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	40,000.00	100%
24	Maintenance of Kaththankudi Museum	35,980.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	-	75%
25	Maintenance of Kaththankudi Museum	432,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	346,500.00	100%
26	Maintenance of Maritime and Naval History museum at Trincomalee	100,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	100,410.00	100%
27	Painting the walls and floor of the Seruwila Museum.	5,000.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	5,000.00	100%
28	Construction of concrete curbs to place old artilleries organizing at to exhibitory level (CCF Provisions)	436,432.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	436,432.00	100%
29	Organizing Welgamwehera information Center to exhibitory level	246,400.00	Organizing a regular exhibition for spectators	211,998.00	80%

Division of Architectural Conservation

Designing and implementations of programs required for registration, reporting, and conservation of all historical architectural factors in Sri Lanka for public exhibition properly are handled by the Division of Architectural Conservation and following activities are performed for the above purposes.

- Reporting architectural factors
- Designing proposals for conservation
- Implementation of conservation activities.
- Preparing conservation reports
- Supervision and implementation of new constructions at archeological sites.

➤ **Conservation of Bolossagama Welikanda Sri Sudharshanaramaya**

This project was implemented with the objective of conserving the image house of Bolossagama Welikanda Sri Sunandarama Temple situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division Dodamgoda in Kaluthara District. The roof, walls and floor of the image house were conserved under this project and an amount of Rs. 280,224.00 was incurred for this project.



Before conservation



After conservation

➤ **Conservation of Chaithyawardhanarama Viharaya Meewalpathaha**

This conservation project was conducted with the objective of conserving the Dagoba of Chaithyawardhanarama Viharaya Meewalpathaha situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division of Galewela in Kandy District. The base which was uncovered by an excavation was stable and factors were available to the effect that most probably terrace circles (*Pesa Walalu*) and core (Garbhaya) would have been there. Conservation activities of this Dagoba were carried on the basis of these factors.



Before conservation



After conservation

➤ **Conservation of Dutch Fort Jaffna**

This conservation project was carried out with the objective of conserving Dutch Fort Jaffna situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division Jaffna in Jaffna District. Activities of Atalaya was carried out under Site No. 11,12 and 13 and works of the Wall and access road were carried out under No. 14 . The amount incurred for this project is Rs.4,907,059.



Before conservation



After conservation

➤ **Conservation Tholangamuwa Preaching hall**

Tholangamuwa preaching hall is situated at the Divisional Secretariat Warakapola in Kegalle District and conservation activities of the roof, walls and floor of Tholangamuwa Preaching hall were carried out under this conservation project.



Before conservation



➤ **Conservation of Maduwanwala Walavva**

This project was implemented to conserve the Maduwanwala Valawwa situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division Kolonna in Rathnapura District. Works such as plastering of walls of the Mdueanwela Valawwa, confirming excavated walls, conservation of the pandol and stone door frame were carried out under this project. An amount of Rs. 1,280,740.00 had been incurred for this project.



After conservation

➤ **Conservation of Deeghavapi Dagoba**

This conservation project was implemented with the objective of conserving Deeghawapi Dagoba situated in the Divisional Secretariat Division Adlachchena in Ampara District. Conservation activities of the Garbhaya of Dagoba and conservation activities of the third terrace were carried out under this project and an amount of Rs. 957,200.00 was incurred for this project.



Before conservation



After conservation

➤ **Conservation of the Stupa mound at Murukkuwatawana Temple**

This conservation project was implemented with the objective of conserving the Stupa Mound of Murukkuwatawana Temple situated at the Divisional Secretariat Division Karuwalagaswewa in Puttlam District. Conservation activities were carried out after revealing the Stupa Mound and an amount of Rs. 270,000 was incurred for this project.



Before conservation



After conservation

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
01.	Paramadhammachethiya Piriven Viharaya	Only for the approval	Conservation of Awasaya and roof	Provisions were not needed	75%
02.	Jayasumanaramaya, Bulugahagoda	Only for the approval	Conservation of image house	Provisions were not required	100%
03.	Lexicon building	Only for the approval	Conservation of the roof	Provisions were not required	100%
04.	Saraswathie Pirivena, Balagalla	68,935.00	Conservation of Awasageya (monks' residence)	32,906.00	100%
05.	Sri Sudharshanaramaya, Welikanda, Bolossagama	338,921.00	Conservation of image house	280,224.00	100%
06.	Deepaloka Viharaya	1,416,072.00	Conservation of the roof/ floor and walls	600,468.00	100%
07.	Gun powder stores, Negombo	872,685.00	Conservation of gun powder stores	606,447.00	60%
08.	Deepaduththarama Viharaya, Kotahena	510,000.00	Conservation of Awasageya (monks' residence)	121,965.00	31%
09.	Square wall, Kotte	1,650,000.00	Conservation of square wall	-	50%
10.	Sapugaskanda Viharaya	386,993.00	Conservation of Viharageya	244,971.00	100%
11.	Students' Hostel, Paramadhama Niwasa Pirivena	4,345,049.00	Conservation of the roof/ floor and walls	70,271.00	31%
12.	Conservation of Dabare Niwasa	460,215.00	Conservation of the roof	35,900.00	31%
13.	Subodharama Viharaya, Dehiwala	185,750.00	Conservation of Awasageya (monks' residence)	97,187.00	16%
Central Province					
01.	Chaithyawardhanarama Viharaya Meewalapathaha.	Only for the approval	Conservation of Dagoba	Provisions were not required	100%
02.	Sagama Viharaya	106,942.00	Conservation of Viharageya	61,914.00	95%
03.	Pitiyegedara Viharaya	3,174,168.00	Conservation of Viharageya	83,142.00	60%
04.	Lankathilaka Rajamaha Viharaya	2,670,260.00	Conservation of the roof	200,000.00	55%
05.	Uduwela Weheragoda Viharaya, Akuwela, Matale	778,404.00	Conservation of the roof	498,527.00	30%
Southern Province – Galle/ Matara Districts					
01.	Sri Sumangalaramaya, Motagedara, Matara	1,500,000.00	Conservation of Viharageya	1,283,625.00	85%
02.	Sudharshanaramaya, Bussa	872,701.00	Conservation of the floor roof residence of monks	-	45%
03.	Ranpath Viharaya Thewatta	2,474,519.00	Conservation of Awasageya (monks' residence)	430,317.00	65%
04.	Ashwashtharamaya, Hiyare	2,248,669.00	Conservation of preaching	369,452.00	70%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
04	Udapeekwella Gangathilaka Viharaya, Matara	3,663,423.00	Conservation of Viharageya	788,016.00	45%
05	Athinimalarama Sri Sudharshanaramaya, Hakmana	3,663,423.00	Conservation of Shrine room	788,016.00	40%
06	Kotawaya Viharaya	3,458,895.00	Conservation of preaching hall	-	40%
07	Athuboya Viharaya, Walasmulla.	2,050,980.00	Conservation of Viharageya	-	40%
08	Conservation of excavated building at Sithulpawwa.	989,230.00	Conservation of the building	-	35%
09	Jayasumanaramaya , Palathuduwa, Thangalla	3,185,495.00	Conservation of the preaching hall	-	11%
Northern Province – Jaffna/Kilinochchi Districts					
01	Dutch Fort, Jaffna	21,021,250.00	Conservation of access roads/ Atalaya and square wall	14,907,059.76	83%
02	St. James Church	748,101.00	Reconstruction of the rampart	509,480.00	83%
North Central Province – Anuradhapura District					
01	Nawagala Stupa	2,500,000.00	Reconstruction of the Stupa	2,234,103.00	100%
02	Repair of office building of Anuradhapura	3,382,835.00	Repair of the office building	1,894,085.00	16%
03	Compound of the Mihinthala Maha Seya	31,864,167.00	Conservation of the compound of the Maha Seya.	3,044,823.00	40%
North Central Province – Polonnaruwa District					
01	Old Stupa of Unagala Wehera	100,000.00	Conservation of the Stupa	90,942.00	40%
Uva Province – Monaragala District					
01	Yudaganawa Udagoba	3,898,000.00	Conservation of Dagoba	4,000.00	16%
Sabaragamuwa Province – Kegalle District					
01	Old abutment wall and rampart of the Beligala Temple	1,254,385.00	Conservation of abutment wall/rampart, restoration of stair case, constructing Stupa compound	Paying vouchers have not been furnished	70%
02	Tholangamuwa preaching hall	50,655.00	Conservation of the roof/floor/ walls	29,280.00	100%
03	Beligamma preaching hall	271,518.00	Conservation of Preaching hall	271,518.00	100%
04	Moragammana Temple	2,937,792.00	Conservation of residence of monks	295,814.00	40%
05	Mampita Temple	2,049,028.00	Conservation of residence of monks The work will be carried out by another institute.		80%
06	Wattarama Viharaya	951,000.00	Conservation of Stupa	478,045.00	50%
07	Diyasunnatha Temple	320,000.00	Conservation of preaching hall Proposed for the year 2017		11%
08	Sri Sunandaramaya, Tholangamuwa	285,979	Conservation of preaching hall	250,000.00	11%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
09	Jubili Ambalama, Kegalle	3,905,776.60	Ambalama	2,367,856.97	85%
Sabaragamuw Province – Rathnapura District					
01	Conservation of Maduwawela Valawwa	1,428,300.00	Conservation of walls/ ramparts/ pandol and stone door frame	1,280,740.00	100%
02	Balawinna Gangaramaya	271,645.00	Laying floor stones/ repair of buttress/ repair of windows/ fixing name plaques and plaques of place description	239,367.00	100%
03	Temple on pillars (Tempita Viharaya), Walalgoda	1,059,700.00	Conservation of the temple	120,649.00	60%
04	Conservation of abutment wall, Budugala	565,455.00	Conservation of the abutment wall	390,600.00	100%
05	Saman Devalaya, Bolthumbe	791,045.00	Conservation of Sman Devalaya	120,339.00	60%
Eastern Province – Ampara, Batticaloe Districts					
01	Conservation of Deeghavapi Dagoba	1,000,000.00	Conservation of Dagoba	957,200.00	90%
02	Conservation of Neelagiriya Dagoba	500,000.00	Conservation of Dagoba	440,000.00	70%
North Western Province					
01	Nagolla Viharaya, Wanduragala	Only for the approval	Conservation of rampart and supporting walls around the Bodhiya	Provisions were not required	70%
02	Panavitiya Ambalama	1,151,116.00	Conservation of the roof and wooden frames/ landscaping	957,925.00	90%
03	Edandawala Viharaya	2,253,799.00	Conservation of the walls and the roof of the residence of monks	1,848,076.00	70%
04	Shilapokkharani Viharaya	496,755.00	Conservation of the roof	457,207.00	70%
05	Murukkuwatawan Viharaya	270,000.00	Revealing and conservation of the Stupa	270,000.00	100%

Division of Chemical Conservation

The role

1. Ensuring the structure of movable and immovable surfaces which have been colored or painted
2. Ensuring movable artifacts
3. ^Movable artifacts means any construction of mobile nature, older than 100 years and made of wood, metal, stones, clay, bones, leaves, textiles, glasses or any other media)
4. Ensuring immovable artifacts.
5. ^Immovable artifact means a formation or a feature such as a permanently located carving, sculpturing, and structuring.
6. Ensuring remaining of fauna and flora.
7. Preparing reports on the quality of colored surfaces and artifacts for the conservation and following up purposes
8. Tracing the paintings and re-structuring of models of sculptures for conservation purposes.
9. Preparing final reports of conservation activities performed
10. Following up of identified paintings and artifacts those conserved or not conserved.
11. Researches and analysis.

➤ Nalanda Gedige

A building resembling a rocky Hindu Kovil belongs to C.E. 07 and 08 situated in Nawula area at the vicinity of Dambulla in Matale District of the Central Province.

Nature of the damage being occurred

The rocky surface of the building was covered by the growth of brown and green Algees and the building has become black color and the building was conserved by removing them by machines and applying chemical mixtures on them.



Before conservation



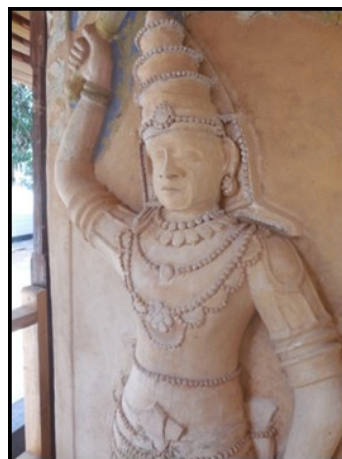
After Conservation

➤ **Madahapola Tempita Viharaya**

This Tempita Viharaya is situated at Rambe Road 5 km far from Melsiripura Town of the Divisional Secretariat Division Ibbagamuwa in Kurunegala District in the North Western Province. There are two images of Door keeper (Doratupala) at the either side of the door of this Tempita Viharaya and the right image of Door keeper (Doratupala) was totally collapsed and ruined. It was because a part of the wooden boards fixed for the base of the building had been wrecked. Broken parts were joined and the supporter was newly made and suitable mortar layer was fixed and the Doratupala image was conserved again.



Before conservation



After Conservation

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
Western Province					
01.	Conservation of murals and sculpture	42,398.00	Strengthening the mortar layer	41,141.00	95%
02.	Koskandawal Viharaya- Conservation of murals and sculpture	36,113.00	Pesticide control for termites	31,591.00	100%
03.	Kossinna Viharaya - Conservation of murals and sculpture	54,326.00	Conservation of sculptures	29,354.00	100%
04.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Sumanarama Viharaya, Payagala	68,811.00	Conservation of sculptures	66,649.00	95%
05.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Subhodharama Viharaya, Karagampitiya	242,733.00	Strengthening the mortar layer	200,778.00	92%
06.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Hirakuluwa Viharaya	42,230.00	Conservation of sculptures	34,552.00	100%
07.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Welipillewa Viharaya	37,540.00	Conservation of murals	37,540.00	100%
08.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Walbothale Viharaya	27,500.00	Conservation of metal artifacts	15,564.00	100%
09.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Kahandawala Viharaya	38,580.00	Conservation of murals	20,406.00	100%
10.	Conservation of artifacts received to the main laboratory	6,300.00	Conservation of artifacts	5,490.00	100%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016
11.	Purchase of chemicals and equipment	400,000.00	Obtaining chemicals to the chemical conservation division	324,500.00	81%
12.	Urgent conservation work	366,500.00	Urgent conservation activities	279,390.00	83%
Central Province					
01.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Diyakelinawa Viharaya	6,490.00	Conservation of murals	4,579.00	95%
02.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Pusulpitiya Viharaya	10,490.00	Conservation of murals		92%
03.	Conservation of murals and sculpture – Embekke Devalaya	6,490.00	Conservation of murals	4,220.00	
Southern Province					
01.	Jayawardhanaramaya Viharaya, Pitivella – Conservation of Dragon Pandol (Makara Thorana)	53,787.00	Conservation Dragon Pandol (Makara Thorana)	12,705.00	100%
02.	Jayasingharama Viharaya Kamburupitiya- conservation of murals and sculpture	59,375.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	56,186.00	100%
03.	Gangarama Viharaya Waduwelipitiya - conservation of murals and sculpture.	51,350.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	39,840.00	100%
04.	Shailabimbaramaya Viharaya Dodanduwa - conservation of murals and sculpture	50,600.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	18,899.00	100%
05.	Subhadarama Viharaya , Thotagamuwa - conservation of murals and sculpture	62,875.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	40,829.00	100%
06.	Galkanda Viharaya, Dikwella - conservation of murals and sculpture	44,625.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	37,133.00	100%
07.	Wellodaya Viharaya - conservation of murals and sculpture.	45,000.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	-	100%
North Western Province					
01.	Kuda Dambulu Viharaya - conservation of murals and sculpture	66,010.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	33,642.00	100%
02.	Yakgiri lena Viharaya - conservation of murals and sculpture.	67,510.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	22,833.00	100%
03.	Sri Sudarshanarama Viharaya, Nakkawatta - conservation of murals and sculpture	36,500.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	11,240.00	100%
04.	Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars) , Edandawala - conservation of murals and sculpture	36,000.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	32,644.00	100%
05.	Conservation of artifacts at the Panduwasnuwara Museum	46,250.00	Conservation of artifacts	7,092.00	100%
Eastern Province					
01.	Conservation of Standing Buddha Statue and 02 Bodhisathwa images at Puthuwil Muhudu Maha Viharaya.	53,025.00	Conservation of 02 images of Bodhisathwa	27,446.00	92%
02.	Conservation of standing Buddha statue at Ovagiriya archeological site	49,165.00	Conservation of standing statue	21,039.00	92%
03.	Conservation of murals and sculpture at Tharulengala Viharaya.	51,060.00	Conservation of standing statue	19,194.00	92%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
North Central Province					
01.	Conservation of artifacts of Anuradhapura Museum	78,750.00	Conservation of artifacts	6,350.00	92%
03.	Gallena Viharaya Galnewa- Conservation of murals and sculpture	50,140.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	20,084.00	100%
04.	Gonamariyawa Viharaya - Conservation	33,475.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	10,359.00	100%
Uva Province					
02.	Dowa Viharaya - Conservation of murals and sculpture	73,665.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	10,540.00	95%
03.	Maila Cave Temple Kotiyagala - Conservation of murals and sculpture	69,865.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	16,615.00	95%
04.	Mayuragiriya Cave Temple - Conservation of murals and sculpture	63,486.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	38,919.00	95%
Sabaragamuwa Province					
01.	Hena Viharaya Ganemulla – conservation of Dragon Pandol (Makara Thorana)	19,600.00	Applying pesticides for termites	17,494.00	100%
02.	Sri Guharama Viharaya Hungampitiya- Conservation of murals and sculpture	24,620.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	23,152.00	92%
03.	Lenagala Viharaya – removing lime layer applied on murals	77,940.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	5,825.00	100%
04.	Diyasunnatha Viharaya - Conservation of murals and sculpture	44,020.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	41,145.00	100%
05.	Rankoth Viharaya - Conservation of murals and sculpture	48,590.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	42,359.00	92%
06.	Balavinna Viharaya - Conservation of murals and sculpture	49,675.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	45,149.00	100%
General Deposit/ Grants from External institutes					
Western Province					
01.	Conservation of artifacts at the Turkey Embassy (by the Turkey embassy)	34,065.00	Conservation of artifacts	30,892.00	100%
02.	Pilikuththuwa Viharaya	98,925.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	75,121.00	100%
03.	Bellanvila Rajamaha Viharaya	512,130.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	350,000.00	83%
Central Province					
01.	Dambulla Cave Temple	199,700.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	107,904.00	83%
02.	Conservation of stone pillars of Nalanda Gedige	200,000.00	Conservation of stone pillars	101,064.00	50%
Nothorn Province					
04.	Conservation of Sakkotte Dutch Church	200,000.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	35,184.00	83%
Southern Province					
01.	Conservation of ancient murals at Paragoda Viharaya	100,000.00	Conservation of murals and sculpture	72,000.00	31%

Epigraphy and Numismatics Division

The role

- Identifying Epigraphy and coins, and registration and indexing
- Obtaining epigraphy tracings, reading and researching '
- Publishing results of researches
- Fixing translated name boards of inscriptions in three languages of Sinhala, English and Tamil for the safety of inscriptions and with a view to making aware public of it.
- Protecting and maintaining of epigraphy tracings

Projects implemented by the division

- I. The project of tracing monolithic inscriptions
- II. The project of fixing translated name boards of inscriptions
- III. The project of indexing coins.
- IV. The project of publishing epigraphy research volumes.
- V. The project of indexing historical epigraphy.
- VI. The project of indexing of inscriptions

➤ **Project of transcribing inscriptions**

83 inscriptions have been newly discovered transcribed under this project. The above mentioned inscriptions have been discovered from the districts of Galle, Trincomalee, Vavuniya, Kandy, Matara, Kegalle, Matale, Anuradhapura, Kurunegala, Gampaha, and Polonnaruwa.

➤ **The project of fixing translated name boards. - 2107**

•Western Province

1. KandeVihara slab inscription, Gorakana

•North Central Province

2. Buddhannehela pillar inscription
3. Thalaguluwehera Cave inscription
4. Ranawa Rajamaha Vihara Pillar inscription
5. Maharathmale rock inscription
6. Kudagalvihara rock inscription

•Central Province

7. Wilvala rock inscription
8. Rock inscription at Wewalawewa hermitage (Aranya Senasanaya)
9. Dullewa cave temple

•Southern Province

10. Akurugoda slab inscriptions
11. Uddhakandara Rock inscriptions I
12. Uddhakandara Cave inscriptions II
13. Uddhakandara Cave inscriptions III

•Sabaragamuwa Province

14. Danagirigala cave inscription
15. Galathara slab inscription
16. Parape slab inscription


•North Western Province

17. Cave inscriptions I at Kumburulena Raja Maha Viharaya
18. Cave inscriptions II at Kumburulena Raja Maha Viharaya
19. Paramakanda rock inscription
20. Pathayagala rock inscription

•Uva Province

21. Katugahagalge Rock inscriptions
22. Cave inscription at Mavaragala Aranya Senasanaya



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Transcribing Inscription

➤ **The project of fixing translated name boards.**

Translated name boards were fixed for 22 inscriptions under this project. Name boards in three languages of Sinhala, Tamil and English were fixed.

Translated name board for rock inscription of Madunagala hermitage



➤ **The project of indexing coins**



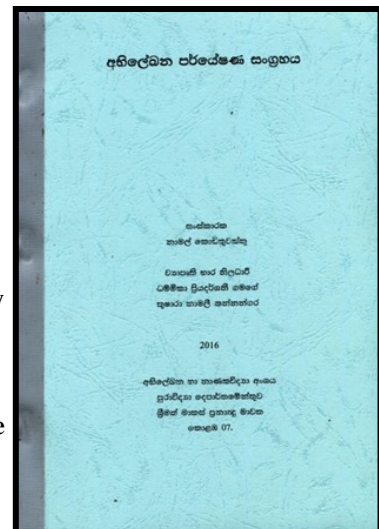
633 coins of regional archeological museums of Yapa-huwa and Panduwasnuwara in Kurunegala District and regional archeological museum of Kandy in Kandy District were indexed.

Observe and reserve of an indexed coin at Archeo-logical Museum Panduwasnuwara belongs to Dutch Era

➤ **Project of publishing Epigraphy research Volume**

Under this project 22 new inscriptions were subject to academically research and published as a volume.

Epigraphy Research Volume



➤ **The project of publishing epigraphy research volumes**

111 Ola books in the Ola book collection of Dombawela Udugampola Sri Saddharmaguptha Pirivena in Gampaha District were indexed under this project.



An Ola book indexed from the Ola book collection at Sri Saddharmaguptha Pirivena.

➤ **The project of indexing inscriptions**

32 inscriptions of the Divisional Secretariat Division Padaviya have been indexed under the above project. Inscriptions of the sites such as Deyyange Kanda, Buddhangala Raja Maha Viharaya, Boralukanda, Weherawewa, Aluthhalmillewawa, Bisokotuwa, Shiva Devalaya, Padaviya Wewa Wana, Monaragala, Weheragala and Galkulama have been indexed.

Se. No.	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
I.	Project of tracing inscriptions	605,650.00	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	80%	100%
II	Project of placing name boards of translated inscription	560,000.00	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	90%	100%
III.	Project of indexing coins	216,846.25	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	80%	100%
IV.	Project of publishing epigraphy research volume	37,160.00	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	100%	100%
V.	Project of indexing historical epigraphy	100,525.00	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	100%	100%
VI.	Project of indexing inscriptions	196,150.00	Targets of the project for the year 2016 have been completed.	80%	100%

Maintenance Division

The role

1. Protecting Archeologically prohibited lands by placing boundary posts and maintain as a garden.
 - Placing boundary posts for archeological prohibited land settled by the reseach division
 - Cleaning and weedingsurrounding boundary, Cleaning around Monuments.

2. Ensuring barbed wire fence or other limits of boundaries, fixing gates. Maintaining security services, (by permanent watchers, watchers and temporary watchers)

3. Reconstruction, ensuring and maintenance of safety monuments which have been selected and subject to preliminary conservation
 - Maintenance of Tempita Vihara
 - Maintenance of walls
 - Maintenance of roofs of monuments
 - Maintenance of monuments - ^walls, floor, ceiling , parapet walls and Wahalkada)
 - Providing boards and infrastructure required for archeological locations
 - Arranging information for road sign boards, place introducing plaques, monuments introducing plaques, warningplaques pertinent to special projects and other proposed plaques and construction of plaques, printingand distribution of plaques.
 - Construction of access roads
 - Take on necessary activities regarding the provision of water, electricity and lavatory facilities.

4. Maintenance of new buildings belong to the Department.
 - Repairs and maintenance of air conditioner services, electricity, water, internal communication system, cleaning services, watcher service of the head office
 - Maintenance of regional museum buildings, information centers, regional offices, official quarters, and circuitbungalows.

5. Preparing proposed regulatory plans, development plans and action plans of archeological places.
 - Identifying proposed archeological places for which regulatory plans to be prepared, and preparing obser-
vation reports.
 - Preparing maps by obtaining G.P.S. index numbers.
 - Preparing relevant reports and presenting proposals (proposing places of resettlement, Places of construc-
tion, new constructions, lavatory facilities and new road accesses)

➤ **Maintenance of Kaiman Tower, Colombo**

Province :-Western
 District :-Colombo
 Divisional Secretariat Division :- Thimbirigasyaya
 Approved amount :-Rs.11,275.00

Work:-

As the lower part of this safety fence has been damaged it has been repaired. The damage has been augmented as the lower part of the net fence has not been fixed properly to the ground. Therefore, action was taken to fix the net fence properly by digging a ditch at the depth of 9 inches and 01 ft width and placing the fence at the bottom of the ditch and then laying concrete mixture. Similarly, the pavement of around the pillar was hollowed out by rats and damaged and those cavities were filled with concrete and plastered.

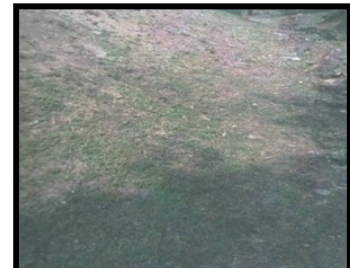
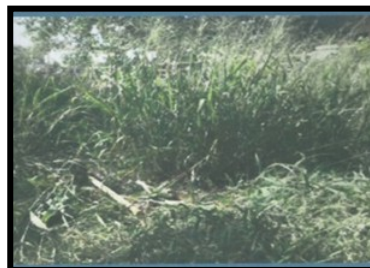


➤ **Maintaining Zone No. 03**

Province :- Western Province
 District :- Colombo
 Divisional Secretariat Division :- Divisional Secretariat' Seetahwaka, Hanwella.
 Approved amount :- Rs. 101,000.00

Work:-

Cleaning the monumental Dia Agala, clearing and cleaning of Koholkanda pre historic cave.



➤ **Maintenance of Zone No. 04**

Removing of silt deposited at the ancient pond at Balapokuna Ancient Temple in Pamankada.

Province :-Western
 District :- Colombo
 Divisional Secretariat Division :-Thimbirigasyaya
 Approved amount :-Rs. .50000.00

Work:- Removed the silt deposited at the ancient pond of the Balapokuna ancient Temple at Pamankada. Cleared the surrounding undergrowth and cleaned.



Before



After

➤ Maintenance of Zone No. 01

Province	:- Western
District	:- Gampaha
Divisional Secretariat Division	:- Minuwangoda
Approved amount	:- Rs.65,000.00

Work :-

A. Repairs were carried out at the following temples on pillars (Tempita Vihara). Thatched roofing tiles, removed decayed wooden parts and cleaned and applied wood preservations. Accordingly, the work was initiated on 05.10.2016 and ended on 17.10.2016.

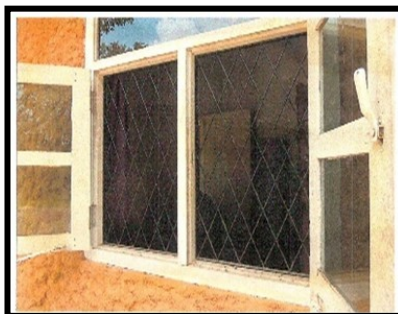
- Atupothdeniya Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)
- Dedalgoda Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)
- Mottunna Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)
- Madurupitiya Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)
- Metithotamulla Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)
- Ganewatta Tempita Viharaya (temple on pillars)

B. Fixing the iron gate for the entrance road (iron bridge) of the Zonal Office of Udugampola. The gate is of 3'.9" width and 5' height .



C. Iron casings were fixed for the windows at the Zonal Office at Udugampola. Fixed 04 shutters of 01'.7" width and 02'.9" height.

After Maintenance



➤ Repair of Tourist Bungalow at Yapahuwa.

Province	:- North Western Province
District	:- Kurunegala
Divisional Secretariat Division	:- Maho
Approved Amount	:-Rs.500,000.00

Work:- Cleaning ceiling boards those wetted by the water leaked through the cracked parts of the Asbastoe sheets thatched on the roof and applying varnish on the ceiling boards. Removing of Valance boards (detached from the hooked tiles) and fixing new valance boards and removing broken parts of the gutters and replacing gutters at those places. Since there is no enough room at the kitchen an additional open part was constructed adjoining to it.

- Removing the broken cement parts of the surrounding pavement and reconstruction of the pavement.
- Rearranging of outer ditch system.
- Setting doors and windows.
- Applying paints on the floor.
- Reconstruction of the electricity system

➤ **Repair of Tourist Bungalow at Yapahuwa.**



Before and after maintenance

➤ **Repair of the roof of Yapahuwa site office**

Province :- North Western Province
 District :- Kurunegala
 Divisional Secretariat Division :- Maho
 Approved amount :-Rs.900,000.00



Purpose:- Removing the old roof and timber, demolishing and removing the brick walls, construction of Gable walls with bricks (according to the approved plan), plastering of newly built walls, construction of roof, fixing doors and windows.



➤ **Repair of new circuit bungalow in Anuradhapura**

Province : North Western Province
 District : Anuradhapura
 Divisional Secretariat Division : Central Nuwaragam Platha
 Approved Amount : Rs. 75,000.00

Work:- Action was taken to paint rooms at the ground floor, front walls and staircase and inside rooms of the tourist bungalow. Further, action was taken to landscaping and plant flower plants.



after maintenance

➤ **Thelwatta Viharaya**

Broken roofing tiles were removed and new tiles thatched under this project. The floor of the temple was pointed under this project



➤ **Pointing old monuments at Madukanda Archeological site and laying sand.**

Province :- Northern province
 District :- Vawniya
 Divisional Secretariat Division :- Vawniya (South)
 Approved amount :- Rs. 100,000.00



Work:- The Wahalkada of Bodhigharaya of Madukanda Archeological site was cleared up to Dalada Mandiraya and bricks were renovated” pointed and laid sand around the monument and at the middle part of the monument.



➤ **Maintenance of Zone No. 05**

Province :- Central province
 District :- Kandy
 Divisional Secretariat Division :- Akurana
 Approved amount :- Rs.15,000.00



Purpose:- Maintenance of Archeological sites belong to Zone No. 05 was carried out under this project. Old ramparts of the Saman Devalaya belongs to the Divisional Secretariat Division Akurana was maintained under this project. Accordingly, cavities of the rampart were filled and minor repairs were carried out. Similarly, minor repairs of the roof of the Viharageya of Anuragala Rajamaha viharaya, Pathadumbara were carried out.



Urgent minor repairs were carried out at the roof of the Viharageya of Bothota Viharaya situated within the Zone. Planting program was carried out under the Environment Program implemented during the year 2016.

➤ **Projects implemented during the year 2016**

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
Western Province					
1	Zone No. 01 (Negombo)	65,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	81%	100%
2	Amandoluwa Mesuring Tower	54,000.00	Maintenance	55%	31%
3	Zone No. 02 (Gampaha)	70,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	96%	100%
4	Muruthawala Watta Archeological site	72,300.00	Setting barbed wire fence	99%	100%
5	Cave Temple, Alawala	50,000.00	Arranging foot path	98%	100%
6	Banagala Walawwa (only for the approval for the work)		Fixing ground stones Financial provisions have not been granted		95%
7	Zone No. 03 (Kotte)	101,100.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	100%
8	Zone No. 04 (Colombo)	50,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	72%	100%
9	Repair of building of the head office	106,023.00	Construction of the water tank cover	72%	100%
10	Repair of buildings of the head office	186,453.00	Construction of a covering roof at the either sides of the staircase behind the building	87%	100%
11	Head Office and regional Offies	199,925.00	Repairs of buildings	65%	100%
12	Kaiman Tower, Fort	11,275.00	Maintenance	85%	95%
13	Air Conditioner system	45,760.00	Upgrading	93%	100%
14	Zone No. 05 – 1 (Pathahawatta)	54,600.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	100%
15	Inscription situated at the Court Premises of Kaluthara	31,944.00	Erecting the cover for inscriptions	95%	31%
16	Ganewatta Viharaya, Delduwa	77,506.00	Maintaining the roof of the image house	99%	100%
17	Zone No. 05-2 (Ganeuda)	100,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	90%	100%
18	Aththanagalla Viharaya (CCF Provisions)	378,446.00	Maintanance activities	92%	100%
19	Square Wall, Kotte (CCF	468,510.00	Confirmation of a part	89%	85%
Head Office					
20	Gabage bins of the Head Office	146,771.00	Regular disposal of garbage	99%	100%
22	Upgrading of night-time electric lamp system of the Head Office	61,600.00	Upgrading the night time lamp system	Not implemented	10%
23	Auditorium at the 4 th floor	129,045.00	Modification	100%	100%
24	Reserved monuments (CCF	404,273.00	Preparing plaques	100%	70%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
Central Province					
25	Zone No. 01 (Sigiriya)	19,954.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
26	Field House, Sigiriya	50,000.00	Repairs	100%	95%
27	Field House, Sigiriya	1,000,000.00	Repair of officers' house	78%	82%
28	Zone No. 02 (Dambulla)	15,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
29	Zone No. 03 (Galewela)	14,968.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
30	Sri Veluwanaramaya, Pallepola (only for the approval of the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated		Repair of the roof of the old barn	Financial provisions have not been allocated	100%
31	Zone No. 04 (Nalanda)	15,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
32	Zone No. 05 (Kandy)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	99%	92%
33	Medawala Viharaya	130,000.00	Manitenanace of the Gateway (Wahalkada)	76%	92%
34	Konakagala Am-balama	99,724.00	Maintenance	35%	35%
35	Zone No. 06 (Kandy Special)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
36	Nagavimana Viharaya (only for the approval for the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated		Repair of the roof	Financial provisions have not been allocated	92%
37	Regional Office Building	700,000.00	Repairs	86%	75%
38	Sri Vishnu Devalaya Kandy (only for the approval for the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated		Maintenance of the roof	Financial provisions have not been allocated	40%
39	Zone No. 07 (Udunuwara)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	96%	92%
40	Embekka Devalaya (only for the approval for the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated.		Maintenance of the Sinhasanaya (Throne)	Financial provisions have not been allocated.	92%
41	Gadaladeniya Viharaya (only for the approval for the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated		Laying stones at the compound of the vihara	Financial provisions have not been allocated	50%
42	Ganegoda Devalaya (only for the approval for the work) Financial provisions have not been allocated		Maintenance of the roof	Financial provisions have not been allocated	8%
Central Province					
43	Zone No. 08 (Yatinuwara)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	88%	92%
44	Ketapitiya Viharaya	69,112.00	Maintenance of the roof and upstairs	100%	92%
45	Dharmaghara Viharaya, Kadugannawa (only for the approval for the work)		Maintenance of the roof of the residents of monks	Financial provisions have not been provided	92%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
46	Zone No. 09 (Kundasale)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
47	Zone No. 10 (Hanguranketha)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
48	Kithulpe image house	267,965.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	51%	31%
49	Zone No. 11 (Kothmale)	20,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	99%	100%
50	Erecting plaques	250,000.00	25 Road sign plaques	93%	80%
51	Dambulla cave Temple (CCF provisions)	256,578.00	Repair of the roof	50%	70%
52	Wegolla Viharaya, Welivita (Provincial Governor's Office)	741,757.00	Maintenance of residents of monks	48%	83%
53	Repair of ruined sign plaques (CCF Provisions – only Rs. 600,000)	618,189.00	Maintenance of dilapidated plaques	52%	50%
54	Vishnu Devalaya, Kandy (Central Provincial Department of Tourism)	181,687.00	Maintenance of the roof of the kitchen Only for the approval for the work		25%
Southern Province (Galle, Matara)					
55	Zone No. 01 (Hikkaduwa)	54,417.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	100%
56	Zone No. 03 (Galle Special)	30,030.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	100%
57	Storse of Regional Office	33,077.00	Reconstruction of the door	99%	100%
58	Zone No. 04 (Matara)	56,119.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	100%
59	Nupe old marketing center	883,473.00	Mainenance of office building	87%	85%
60	Maluwatta Viharaya, Ahungalla (provisions are provided by the Dayaka Sabhawa)	46,062.00	Fixing plaques	81%	100%
Southern Province (Hambanthota)					
61	Zone No. 05 (Kasagala)	104,104.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	10%	60%
62	Naigala Archeological site	48,000.00	Construction of 02 safety fences for inscriptions	96%	95%
63	Zone No. 06 (Hambanthota)	170,005.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	58%	75%
64	Archeological site of Martelo Tower	39,000.00	Maintenance of acces road and Thelulla Archeologica lsite	95%	95%
65	Administrative complex, Hambanthota	264,165.00	Establishment of regional office	90%	11%
Northern Province (Jaffna , Kilinochchi)					
67	Zone No. 01 (Jaffna)	Maintenance of archeological sites and monu-	Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments	Financial provisions have not been allocated	83%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
68	Kandarodaya archeological site	33,450.00	Fixing name boards	75%	83%
69	Zone No. 03 (Kilinochchi) Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments		Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments Financial provisions have not been allocated		83%
70	Punagari Fort, Kilinochchi	35,550.00	Fixing name boards of the places	69%	83%
Northern Province (Manar/Vawniya/Mulativ)					
71	Zone No. 02 (Mulativ) Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments		Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments Financial provisions have not been allocated		8%
72	Zone No. 04 (Mannar) Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments		Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments Financial provisions have not been allocated		8%
73	Mannar Dutch Fort	85,243.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	27 %	100%
74	Zone No. 05 (Vawniya) Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments		Maintenance of archeological sites and monuments Financial provisions have not been allocated		8%
75	Madukanda archeological site	100,000.00	Pointing old monuments and laying sand	99%	100%
North Western Province					
76	Zone No. 01 (Puttlam)	55,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	95%
77	Zone No. 02 (Anamaduwa)	35,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	90%
78	Zone No. 03 (Rajanganaya)	85,176.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	90%
79	Haththikuchchi archeological site	74,865.00	Confirming identified building	95%	100%
80	Maintenance of the roof of the image house at Kuda Dambulu Viharaya	Only for the approval for the work	Only for the approval for the work	Financial provisions have not been allocated	85%
81	Zone No. 04 (Yapahuwa)	74,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	90%
83	Zonal Office Yapahuwa	900,000.00	Repair of the roof	96%	90%
84	Torist guest house at Yapahuwa	500,000.00	Repairs	93%	90%
85	Zone No. 05 (Arankele)	154,534.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	90%
86	Arankelaya archeological site	79,680.00	Stopping water leakage of the pond	95%	90%
87	Zone No. 06 (Kurunegala)	51,717.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	83%	100%
88	Zone No. 07 (Panduwasnuwara)	296,015.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	96%	90%
89	Panduwasnuwara archeological site	41,099.00	Cleaning toilet pits	78%	90%
90	Regional Office, Museum, Guest House.	208,505.00	Repairs	81%	90%
91	Laboratory building	270,050.00	Arranging the roof	29%	25%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
North Western Province					
92	Bingiriya Tempita Viharaya (Temple on pillars) (only for the approval)	-	Maintenance of image house	Financial provisions have not been allocated	8%
93	Zone No. 08 (Dambadeniya)	66,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	90%
94	Panduwasnuwara archeological site (CCf Provisions)	2,658,007.00	Erecting a fence around the site	Proposals have been submitted for the years of 2017/2018	
95	Sri Sudharshana Salla Bimbarama Viharaya , Horawadunna	713,842.00	Maintenance of the image house	84%	90%
North Central Province (Anuradhapura District)					
96	Zone No. 01 (Padaviya)	10,872.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	79%	95%
97	Zone No. 02	53,990.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	95%	95%
98	Kiralagal archeological site	253,525.00	Repair of stores building	75%	60%
99	Zone No. 03 (Mihinthalaya)	71,074.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	83%	95%
100	Mihinthalaya Museum	300,000.00	Repairs	99%	85%
101	Zone No. 04 (Anuradhapura)	39,700.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	83%	95%
102	Zone No. 05 (Anuradhapura Special)	104,745.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	86%	95%
103	Wijayarama Archeological site	500,000.00	Cleaning	94%	95%
104	Anuradhapura Circuit Bungalow	226,090.00	Repairing	91%	95%
105	Anuradhapura Circuit Bungalow	75,600.00	Repairing	64%	65%
North Central Province (Anuradhapura District)					
106	Construction of safety fence	550,000.00	From Ruwanweliseya to the Bhikku University	98%	95%
107	Prison building Anuradhapura	81,508.00	Repair of hostel rooms	92%	90%
108	Zone No. (Thanthirimale)	4,200.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	95%
109	Archeological Museum Thanthirimale	32,263.00	Repairing	98%	95%
110	Zone No. 07 (Ritigala)	89,391.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	62%	95%
111	Ritigala Archeological Site	71,240.00	setting up entrance road	100%	95%
112	Elagamuwa Am-balama	51,854.00	Repairing	86%	60%
113	Zone No. 07 A (Manakanda)	50,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	97%	95%

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North Central Province (Polonnaruwa District)					
114	Zone No. 08 (Medirigiriya)	45,732.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	49%	65%
115	?Nagalakanda Archeological Site	34,268.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	99%	90%
116	Zone No. 09 (Polonnaruwa)	105,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	59%	69%
117	Zone No. 11 (Dimbulagala)	17,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	43%	65%
118	Medirigiriya Archeological Site (CCF Provisions)	1,333,017.00	Setting up a new electricity system to provide electricity to monuments	22%	70%
Uva Province					
119	Zone No. 01 (Mahiyanganaya)	90,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	95%
120	Nagadeepa Circuit Bungalow	299,130.00	Repairing	99%	95%
121	Maintenance of Zone No. 02	100,000.00	Maintenance	99%	99%
122	Atampitiya Ambalama (work – only for the approval)	-	Manitaining roof	Financial provisions have not been allocated	100%
123	Regional Office Badulla	117,215.00	Repaire of buildings	99%	90%
125	Keppetipola Old Fortress Archeological site	45,000.00	Setting up the front fence	92%	50%
126	Circuit Bungalow Di-yathalawa	300,000.00	Repairing	99%	95%
127	Welekade Market (CCF Provisions)	777,900.00	Maintenance of roof and landscaping	64%	80%
128	Katubullanda Viharaya (CCF Provisions)	700,000.00	Maintenance of roof	58%	50%
Uva Province (Monaragala District)					
129	Zone No. 04 (Buduruwagala)	100,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	60%	52%
130	Buduruwagala Museum	100,000.00	Repair of safety fence	100%	100%
131	Circuit Bangalow at Katharagama	200,000.00	Repairing	62%	26%
132	Buduruwagala Museum and Field House	124,014.00	Repairing	57%	82%
133	Kiriwehera Viharaya (only for approval of work)	-	Maintenance of old ramparts of the outer compound	Financial provisions have not been allocated	92%
134	Zone No. 05 (Maligawila)	99,401.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	98%
135	Zone No. 06 (Galabedda)	100,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	100%	92%
136	District Office	100,000.00	Minor repair works	90%	95%

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137	Zone No. 07 (Bibila) (only for approval of the work)	100,000.00	Maintenance of archeological site at exhibitory level	99%	95%
138	Nagala Viharaya (only for the approval of the work)	-	Conservation of walls of the Awasagei Financial provisions have not been allocated		92%
139	Road sign boards	50,000.00	Repairing (10 boards)	99%	95%
140	Laying boards	185,463.00	23 Sign boards	100%	95%
141	District Office (CCF Provisions)	787,566.00	Repairing	84%	80%
Sabaragamuwa Province (Kegalle District)					
142	Zone No. 01 (Devanagal/Delivala)	40,000.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	84%	90%
143	Wakirigala Reservation	85,800.00	Laying boundary stones	94%	70%
144	Galmessa Archeological site, Padavigampola	157,415.00	Maintenace	99%	90%
145	Danagirilena Cave Temple	145,880.00	Maintenance	96%	100%
146	Rambukkana/ Kegalle Division	-	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	99%	100%
147	Zone No. 02 (Dedigama)	46,110.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	99%	100%
148	Paththini Devalaya Ambepussa	50,000.00	Laying boundary stones	99%	70%
149	Kondagala Image House	50,000.00	Maintenance of the roof	100%	100%
150	Kota Wehera Dedigama	175,000.00	Filling cavities and laying plater	99%	100%
151	Walagamba Cave Temple Weragoda	83,750.00	Maintenance	99%	100%
152	Beligal Reservation	300,000.00	Maintenance of stair case	99%	90%
153	Wattarama Archeological site	9,070.00	Maintenace	98%	100%
154	Zone No. 03 (Seethawaka)	28,623.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	100%	100%
155	Seethawaka Office	500,000.00	Repairing	100%	100%
Sabaragamu Province					
156	Zone No. 04 (Rathnapura)	36,750.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	100%	95%
157	Rathnapura Fort	104,973.00	Maintenance of two pandals	99%	95%
158	Zone No. 05 (Budugala)	14,550.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	54%	70%
159	Budugala Field House	198,527.00	Repairs	45%	85%
160	Kuragla Archeological site	84,035.00	Obtaining electricity	60%	85%
161	Zone No. 06 (Maduwanwela)	26,550.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	99%	95%

	Name of the Project	Allocated amount in the year 2016 Rs.	Targets for the year 2016	Financial progress as at 31-12-2016	Physical progress as at 31-12-2016 (%)
162	Maduwanwela Walawwa	21,000.00	Felling and removing decayed tree	100%	95%
163	Ranchamadama Museum	88,515.00	Fixing plaques	98%	90%
164	Road Sogn plaques	431,102.00	Fixing 37 plaques	100%	100%
165	Road Sign plaques	56,542.00	Stickering	100%	100%
166	Budugal Archeological site (CCF Grants)	565,455.00	Maintaining abutment wall	85%	88%
167	Walalgoda Tempita Viharaya (Temple on Pillars)	1,059,700.00	Maintenance activities	54%	70%
168	Bolthumbe Saman Devalaya (CCF Grants)	791,045.00	Maintenance activities	15%	50%
Eastern Province (Ampara /Baticcaloe)					
169	Baticcaloe Regional Office	135,550.00	Minor repairs	99%	90%
170	Zone No. 04 (Padiyathalawa)	2,500.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	Report is to be made	-
171	Owagiriya Archeloga Site	78,235.00	Obtaining electricity	68%	90%
172	Zone No. 05(Ampara/Rajagala)	50,000.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	100%	90%
173	Regional office, Field house	189,500.00	Repairs	95%	90%
174	Zone No.06 (Mullkulam/ Deegh-vapiya)	7,500.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	64%	75%
175	Zone No. 97 (Lahugala/ Neelagiriya)	52,000.00	Maintaining archeological sites at exhibitory level	79%	90%
176	Magula Maha Viharaya, Lahugala	75,000.00	Preparing access roads	52%	90%
177	Placing boundary marker	200,000.00	For the archeological sites revealed at the investigation	95%	90%
178	Maritime Naval History Museum (CCf Grants)	151,872.00	Fixing water tanks and obtaining three phase electricity connection to the auditorium	80%	100%
179	District Office Trincomalee (CCf Grants)	629,863.00	Establishment	80%	80%

Promotion Division

Projects conducted in the year 2016

➤ Conducting seminars/ lectures/ awareness programs

Various seminars were conducted. Among them, preserving the archeological heritage, commemoration lectures, public awareness lectures, awareness lectures for school children were conducted and those seminars were organized by the Head Office and at the level of Divisional Offices.

Similarly, among these seminars/ workshops, several seminars/workshops are conducted at all the regional offices of Sri Lanka with the objective of commemorating the Archeological Day falls on 07 July in every year. Further, the National Archeological Symposium organized by the Head Office was remarkably held this year also. Expert Archeologists in the Archeological field participated at this occasion. The National Archeological Symposium 2016 was held at Sri Lanka Foundation Institute on 07.07.2016.



01. Seminars conducted from January 2016

- Awareness programs for Public officers - Kegalle/ Rathnapura
- Program of conducting acadamilal lectures on Archeology -Subharathie Mahamathya Vidyalaya, Godagama
- Program of conducting lectures on Archeology - Senarath Paranavithana National School, Minuwangoda
- Program of conducting lectures on Archeology - Giranduru Kotte Central
- Program of conducting academic lectures on Archelogy - Kadugannawa Central
- Program of conducting seminars on Archeology - Auditorium of Sri Dalada Maligawa
- Awareness Exhibition and seminar for school children - Jaffna
- Prgram of conduction seminar on Archelogy - Kuttam Pokuna Rajamaha Viharaya
- Conducting academic lectures monthly - Central Provicne
- Series of seminars for making aware school children - Southern Province
- Series of seminars for making aware school children - North Western Province
- Series of seminars conducted with the sidelines of Archaeology week program -Uva Province
- Making aware of public with the sidelines of Archeology Week program –Northern Province
- Making aware of public with the sidelines of Archeology Week program – Eastern Province

➤ **Amount allocated for seminars in 2016**

Seminar	Amount (Rs.)
1. National Archeological Symposium	1,100,00.00
2. Granting financial rewards and certificates for the people who donated artifacts	112,000.00
3. Academic Lectures on Archeology conducted by regional offices	765,000.00
4. Academic Lectures on Archeology – Head Office	135,000.00

01. Purchase of library books and printing of publications

Educational Publications, national/international publications and writers' publications written on Archeological field were purchased. The amount incurred for that purpose is Rs. 600,000.00

02. Printing of publications

- Dayada newspaper annually published - Rs.446,775.00
- Printing of magazine Ancient Ceylon 25 - Rs. 168,000.00
- Re printing of District Books (Colombo, Kandy, Kegalle) - Rs. 588,000.00
- Trilingual thesis written on archeological heritage of Jaffna Peninsula - Rs. 785,852.00
- Printing of handbills (100,000 bills) - Rs. 300,000.00
- Payment of Author's share of the book of Inscription of Ceylon Vol. ix - Rs.55,122.00

03. International Book fair, Colombo - Rs. 236,775.00

04. Project implemented under Central Cultural Fund

- Preparing reports of painting photographs (Sigiriya/Thiwanka Image House/Degaldoruwa Paintings)

05. Other

- Scanning Index of Documents and Electronic Document management solution in Library
- Scanning Index of Document and Electronic Documents management Solution in Architectural branch and other relevant branch

Accounts Division

The role

1. Preparing annual income and expenditure estimates required to achieve objectives of the Department and preparing estimates pertaining to the to Public officers' Advance /*Account B.
2. Providing information required for the preparation of annual action plan based on the annual appropriation estimate passed by the parliament
3. Allocation of annual provisions for academic requirements according to the annual action plan
4. Approval of project estimates pertaining to annual action plan send by regional offices through sections and allocation of provisions for the particular project estimates.
5. Preparing impress limit of the Department according to the Annual Appropriation Act and taking action to obtain provisions accordingly.
6. Making all payments and collection of revenues pertaining to the Parliament
7. Taking action to obtain additional provisions where provisions are insufficient and transfers and preparation of supplementary estimates in terms of F.R. 66.
8. Appointment of tender boards required to purchase equipment in terms of necessity of the Department and continuous of the purchasing process including financial Technical Committee, Financial Technical Evaluation Committees
9. Storage activities , Stock control, reorder of equipment, taking over and issuing
10. Taking actions against losses and damages occurred in the year. .
11. Assign financial authority and investigation whether duties are dischrge accordingly
12. Inspection of audit queries offered by internal audit and external audits and submission of explanations

➤ Government officers' Advance Account B – year 2016

Serial Number	Type of loan	Number of officers who received loans	Expenditure head (Rs.)
1	Distress loan	226	25,878,623.00
2	Festival Advance	1292	12,920,000.00
3	Special Advance	590	2,360,000.00
	Total		<u>41,158,623.00</u>

➤ Expenditure on programs of the Department of Archeology

No.	Description	Provisions for the year 2016 (Rs.)	Expenditure as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Expenditure percentage %
1	Recurrent Expenditure			
1	Operating program	129,803,347	128,509,733	99%
2	Development program	743,682,973	743,640,287	99%
	Sub Total	873,486,320	872,150,020	99%

2	Capital Expenditure			
1	Operating program	10,000,000	9,482,145	94%
2	Development program	155,500,000	121,024,864	77%
	Sub Total	165,500,000	130,507,009	78%
	Total	1,038,986,320	1,002,657,029	96%

➤ **Description of Recurrent Expenditure**

No.	Description	Provisions for the year 2016 (Rs.)	Expenditure as at 31.12.2016 (Rs.)	Expenditure percentage %
1	Employees' salary - 1001	341,495,276	341,422,529	99%
2	Cost of living allowance paid together with the salary - 1003	424,445,777	424,355,049	99%
	Sub Total	765,941,053	765,777,578	99%
3	Other recurrent expenditure	107,545,266	106,372,442	98%
	Sub Total	107,545,266	106,372,442	98%
	Total	873,486,319	872,150,020	99%

1	<u>Rehabilitation and improvement of Capital Assets</u>				
1.1	Buildings and structure (2001)	4,293,050	4,293,049	99%	
1.2	Machines and machinery (2002)	1,500,000	1,492,729	99%	
1.3	Vehicles (2003)	3,000,000.00	2,576,923	85%	
	Sub Total	8,793,050	8,362,701		
2	<u>Acquisition of capital assets</u>				
2.1	Vehicles (2101)	-	-		
2.2	Furniture and office equipment (2102)	4,000,000	3,893,352	97%	
2.3	Machines and machinery 2103	3,000,000	2,986,867	99%	
2.4	Buildings and structure 2104	1,206,950	487,533	40%	
	Sub Total	8,206,950	7,367,752	89%	
3	3.1	Capacity Building - Training - 2401	2,500,000	2,484,636	99%
	Sub Total	2,500,000	2,484,636	99%	
4	<u>Other investments</u>				
4.1	Conservation project of Neelagiri Dagoba	10,000,000	9,817,044	98%	
4.2	Conservation project of Yudaganawa	2,000,000	4,000	0.2%	
4.3	Conservation project of Thiwanka Image house	5,000,000	4,433,237	88%	
4.4	Conservation project of Maduwanwela Walawwa	2,000,000	1,908,296	95%	
4.5	Conservation project of Rajagalathenna	35,700,000	25,322,728	70%	
4.6	Consetruction of circuit Bungalow Anuradhapura	2,000,000	1,979,067	98%	
4.8	Investigation, excavation and research of Archeological sites and monuments	7,500,000	6,732,268	89%	
4.9	Conservation and maintenance of Archeological sites and monumnets	31,800,000	23,648,483	74%	
4.10	Improvement and public exhibition of Archeological sites and monuments	10,000,000	4,662,483	46%	
4.11	Reconstruction project of Jaffna Fort	22,000,000	16,554,581	75%	
4.12	Conservation of Archeological site of Ritigala	10,000,000	10,000,000	100%	
4.13	Popularizing of unknwn Archeological sites	4,000,000	3,408,360	85%	
4.14	Reconstruction of Nupe ancient Dutch Market at Matara.	1,000,000	892,531	89%	
4.15	Maintenance of hot water wells at Kin-niya.	3,000,000	2,928,840	97%	
	Sub total	146,000,000	112,291,918	76%	
	Total (1+2+3+4)	165,500,000	130,507,009		

Administration Activities

The role

The preliminary duty of the Administrative Division of the Department of Archeology is to carry out administrative and institutional activities and following tasks are also discharged .

1. Getting the carder approved, recruitment, vacancies and tranfers etc.
2. Maintenance of personal files of all the officers of the Department
3. Parliment questions, Advisory committees, public petitions committes etc. .
4. Public administration circular, Departmental circular and office orders ect.
5. Approval of over time expenses, travelling expenses and holyday pays of all the officers of the Department
6. Handling daily mail, issuing official identity cards, keeping dleave register, Aggrahara Insurance affairs , Issue of railway season ticlets / warrants etc.
7. Local and foreign trainings of Departmental Officers.
8. Taking deciplinary actions.
9. Paying water and electricity bills,telepone bills, and making payments for cleanig thebuildings etc.
10. Activities relating to reserving circuit bungalows.
11. All supervision activities in relation to vehicles.
12. Activities relating to productivity.

Productivity Program

◆ Establishing circles

Division	Name of the Circle
• Administrative Division	"Prathibha Prabha"circle
• Investigation Division	"Vimarshi""circle
• Excavation Division	"Uruma Aruna""circle
• Maintenance Division	"Gajaba""circle
• Improvement Division	"Arunalu""circle
• Chemical Conservation Division	"Siththam""circle
• Architectural Conservation Division	"Udana""circle
• Epigraphy and Numasmitics Division	"Ranmasu""circle
• Planning Division	"Pragathi""circle
• Museum Division	"Sithulakulu""circle
• Accounts Division	"Isuru""circle

1. Implementation of projects with the association of Productivity Circles

Examples:

Circle	Project
Administrative Division– Prathibha Prabha Productivity Circle	Main Project: Regularizing the record –room of the Department Other projects : Library Arranging file covers of the administrative division according to equal pattern Changing the layout of the division Gram Dansela conducted concurrently with Poson Poya Day

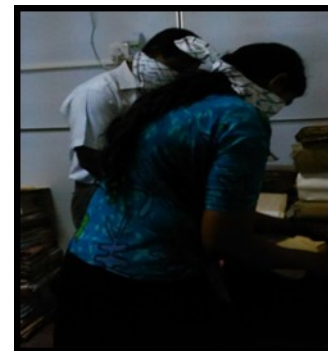
2. Conducting competitions among Divisions

Observations were made under 40 sub criterias under 08 main criterias by an external observation team and scored accordingly. (Annexure 01)

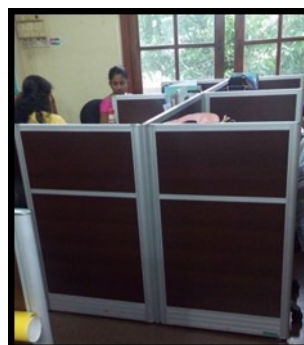
3. Outcomes achieved by implementing the productivity program

- Regularization of the office
- Regularization and efficiency of duties
- Creating pleasant environment
- Simplicity of working systems
- Minimization of waste and cost
- Development of team spirit

4. While implementation



After implementation



Small library for relaxing the tired mind by reading



Creative work

➤ Information of the staff employed as at 31.12.2016

Serial No.	Designation	Up to 31.12.2016				
		Salary Scale	Ap-proved Number	Present Number	Vacancies	
Executive level	1	Director General of Archeology	SL 3	1	1	0
	2	Additional Director General of Archeology	SL 3	1	1	0
	3	Director General of Archeology (Departmental)	SL 3	1	0	1
	4	Director (Administrative)	SL 1	1	0	1
	5	Chief Accountant	SL 1	1	1	0
	6	Director (Exp.)	SL 1	1	0	1
	7	Director (Excavations)	SL 1	1	0	1
	8	Director (Architectural Conservation)	SL 1	1	1	0
	9	Director (chemical conservation)	SL 1	1	0	1
	10	Director (Epigraphy and Numismatics)	SL 1	1	0	1
	11	Director (Museums)	SL 1	1	0	1
	12	Director (Maintenance)	SL 1	1	0	1
	13	Director (Promotion)	SL 1	1	0	1
	14	Director (Project Operations and Supervision)	SL 1	1	0	1
	15	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Administrative and Training and other)	SL 1	2	1	1
	16	Internal Auditor	SL 1	1	0	1
	17	Chief Engineer	SL 1	1	0	1
	18	Engineer	SL 1	1	1	0
	19	Accountant	SL 1	1	1	0
	20	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Exp.)	SL 1	3	0	3
	21	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director	SL 1	2	0	2
	22	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Architectural Conservation)	SL 1	3	2	1
	23	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Chemical Conservation)	SL 1	2	0	2
	24	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Epigraphy and Numismatics)	SL 1	2	1	1
	25	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Museums)	SL 1	1	0	1
	26	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director	SL 1	2	0	2

		<i>Up to 31.12.2016</i>				
Serial No.	Designation	Salary Scale	Approved Number	Present Number	Vacancies	
Executive level	27	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Promotion)	SL 1	1	0	1
	28	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Project Operation and Supervision)	SL 1	1	0	1
	29	Deputy Director/ Assistant Director (Regional)	SL 1	15	0	15
	30	Legal Officer	SL 1	1	0	1
		Total		53	10	43
Tertiary Level	31	Administrative Officer	MN 7	5	4	1
	32	Conservation Assistant (Architectural/ Technical Officer)	MN 7	10	6	4
	33	Designer	MN 7	4	4	0
	34	Regional Investigator	MN 5	9	6	3
	35	Regional Excavations and Museum Officer	MN 5	9	5	4
	36	Regional Conservator	MN 5	9	3	6
	37	Manager of Regional Maintenance	MN 5	10	7	3
		Total		56	35	21
Secondary level	38	Budget Assistant	MN 4	1	0	1
	39	Assistant Legal Officer	MN 4	3	3	0
	40	Investigation Officer	MN 4	28	22	6
	41	Excavation Officer	MN 4	11	5	6
	42	Excavation and Museum Officer	MN 4	2	2	0
	43	Chemical Conservation Officer	MN 4	6	0	6
	44	Epigraphy and Numismatics Officer	MN 4	3	1	2
	45	Site Manager	MN 4	23	19	4
	46	Publication Officer	MN 4	2	2	0
	47	Development and Coordination Officer	MN 4	3	1	2
	48	Archeological Research Assistant	MN 4	150	134	16
	49	Development Officer	MN 4	250	124	126
	50	Librarian	MN 3	2	1	1
	51	Conservation Assistant (Architectural/ Technical Officer)	MN 3	44	14	30
	52	Designer	MN 3	22	11	11
	53	Archeological copyright	MN 3	10	2	8
	54	Public Management Assistant	MN 2	78	62	16
	55	Technical Officer	MT 1	75	0	75
	56	Information and Communication Technology Assistant 3 / iii	MN 1	12	0	12
	57	Investigation Assistant	MN 1	13	8	5
	58	Excavation Assistant	MN 1	4	4	0
	59	Excavation and Museum Assistant	MN 1	30	23	7
60	Laboratory Assistant	MN 1	10	8	2	
61	Chemical Conservation Assistant	MN 1	17	13	4	
62	Maintenance Assistant	MN 1	10	6	4	

Serial No.	Designation	Up to 31.12.2016				
		Salary Scale	Approved Number	Present Number	Vacancies	
63	Inscription Assistant	MN 1	1	0	1	
64	Publication Assistant	MN 1	1	1	0	
65	Receptionist and Selling Officer	MN 1	1	0	1	
	Total		812	466	346	
Primary Level	66	Driver	PL 3	30	28	2
	67	Assistant Photographer	PL 3	1	1	0
	68	Technician (water, electricity, welding*)	PL 3	20	16	4
	69	Excavation and museum technician	PL 2	108	73	35
	70	Conservation Technician	PL 2	43	25	18
	71	Inscription Collector	PL 2	7	5	2
	72	Mason	PL 2	192	105	87
	73	Carpenter	PL 2	106	93	13
	74	Painter	PL 2	5	5	0
	75	Design Printer	PL 2	1	0	1
	76	Electric Lift Operator	PL 2	2	2	0
	77	Bungalow Keeper	PL 2	10	9	1
	78	Chief watcher	PL 1	5	1	4
	79	Watcher	PL 1	45	16	29
	80	Watcher	PL 1	150	147	3
	81	Archeological employee	PL 1	815	808	7
	82	Office work assistant	PL 1	12	10	2
83	Handyman	PL 1	1	0	1	
84	Smith	PL 1	2	1	1	
			1555	1345	210	
	Total		2476	1856	620	

➤ **Particulars on new recruitments and promotions made in the year of 2016.**

New recruitments	
Labor (01.06.2016)	132
Watcher (01.06.2016)	19
Labor (01.08.2016)	09
Promotions	
MN-01 – (2016.10.03)	
Chemical Conservation Assistant	01
Laboratory Assistant	01
Excavation Assistant	01
Excavation and Museum Assistant	01
Maintenance	01
Publication Assistant	01
Excavation and Museum Assistant 01.11.2016	01



➤ **Inland trainings**

	Duration	Training/ Workshop
01	01 day	Making aware of Judicial systems and Legal systems in Sri Lanka, fundamental rights attest by the Constitution, public service with accountability.
02	01 day	One day training program for the officers of the Department of Archeology.
03	06 months	Certificate course on Historical Architecture sculpture and Art
04	01 day	Second Workshop on Icomos. (Workshop on timber preservation and management)
05	02 days	Two Day Workshop on reporting damages, compensation, and cancellation
06	01 day	Training Workshop on Procurement
07	02 days	Training program for making aware the Public Management Assistant Officers about the provisions in Establishment Code.
08	02 days	Training program on the projects of entering briefly described photographs with GPS Coordination of archeological sites and monuments in Sri Lanka to the internet.
09	02 days	Office Management and Office System
10	03 days	Three days workshop conducted for Efficiency Bar Examination to Public Management Assistants – Grade 1 employees.
11	06 Days	7th Short course on GIS and Applications
12	02 days	Stores Management
13	02 days	Training Workshop for Development Officers of the North East Provinces
14	06 Months	23rd Advance short course on GIS and Applications
15	04 Months	certificate course on Use of Pc Based Application packages - 2016.01
16	01 day	Trainig program on filling and writing official letters
17	03 days	Training Workshop fro Bungalow Keepers - 2016
18	01 day	Change Management
19	06 Months	Tamil language course of the Department of Official Languages
20	01 day	Trainig on foreign leave and medical leave for the office staff
21	02 days	Training program fon office systems
22	02 days	Workshop on Good House Keeping
23	02 days	Responsibility and role of Office Work Assistants
24	02 days	Trainings on computing and pyment of civil pension
25	01 day	Training program on leave sublect
26	01 day	Training program on planning operation and reviewing

➤ **verseas Trainings**

	Duration	Training/ Workshop
01	2016.02.11 -2016.02.20	Field excursion relating the old strategic development program of Anuradhapura
02	2016.02.16 -2016.02.27	Underwater acoustics and Sonar devices operation
03	2016.03.04 -2016.04.29	Conservation of Built Heritage - 2016
04	2016.05.26 -2016.07.01	First Aid in culture Heritage in Times of crisis
05	2016.06.20 -2016.07.11	Application of space technologies in management and conservation of world heritage sites
06	2016.07.05 -2016.07.15	Advance course on conservation and Restoration techniques of traditional Architecture for the Asia and the pacific Region
07	2016.07.12 -2016.07.21	UNESCO world heritage
08	2016.07.30 -2016.11.02	Asia cooperation sciences (ACPCS)
09	2016.08.28 -2016.09.30	Research Analysis, Preservation and utilization of Archaeological sites and remains
10	2016.09.03 -2016.12.25	Fulbright professional scholar Awards
11	2016.10.27 -2016.11.30	Conference conducted by the Institute of Acoustics chinese Academy of science .
12	2016.11.30 -2016.12.04	The Inaugural of International seminar on symbolism in Indian Art, Archaeology and Literature and national conference on Buddhist and Jain studies
13	2016.11.30 -2016.12.06	The International Academic forum on one belt and one road
14	2016.12.19 -2016.12.28	First conference of Archaeological Research project on Mortuary Archaeology and Geophysics.

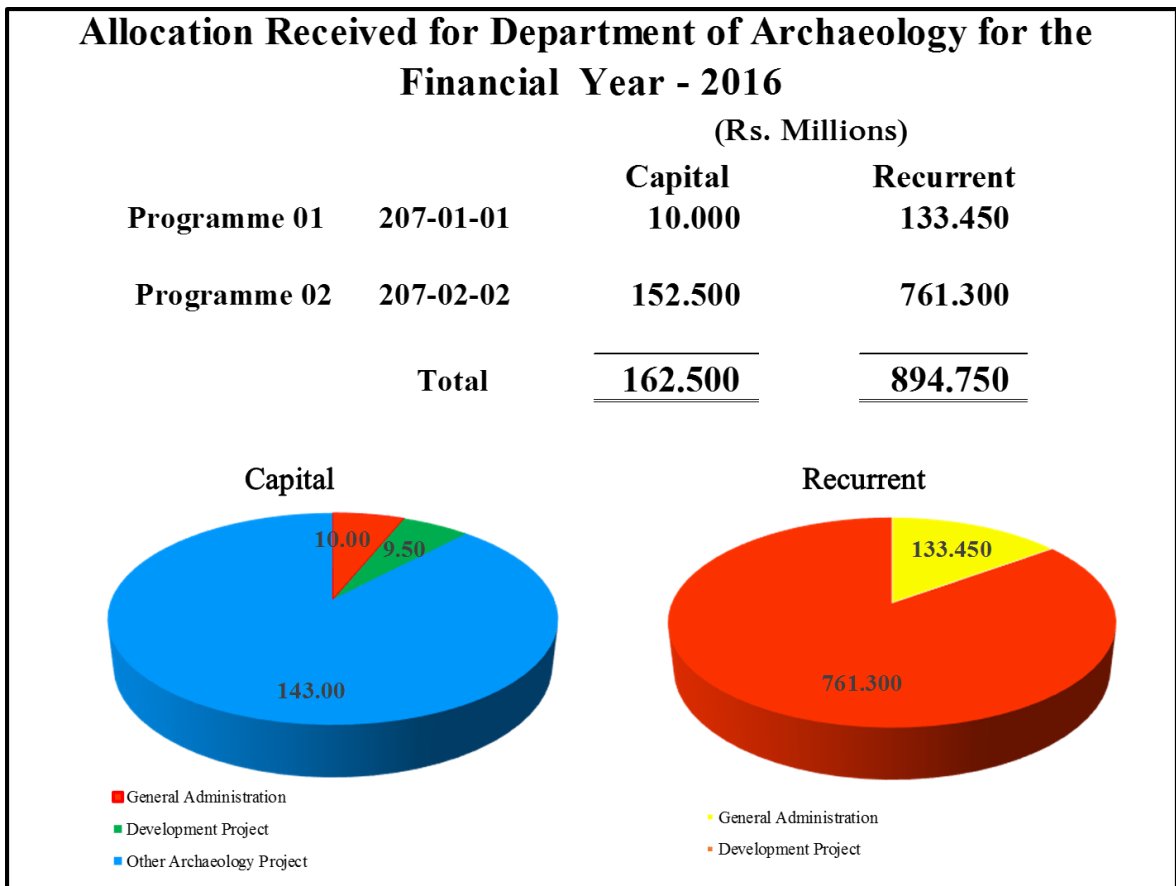


Division of Project operations and Evaluation

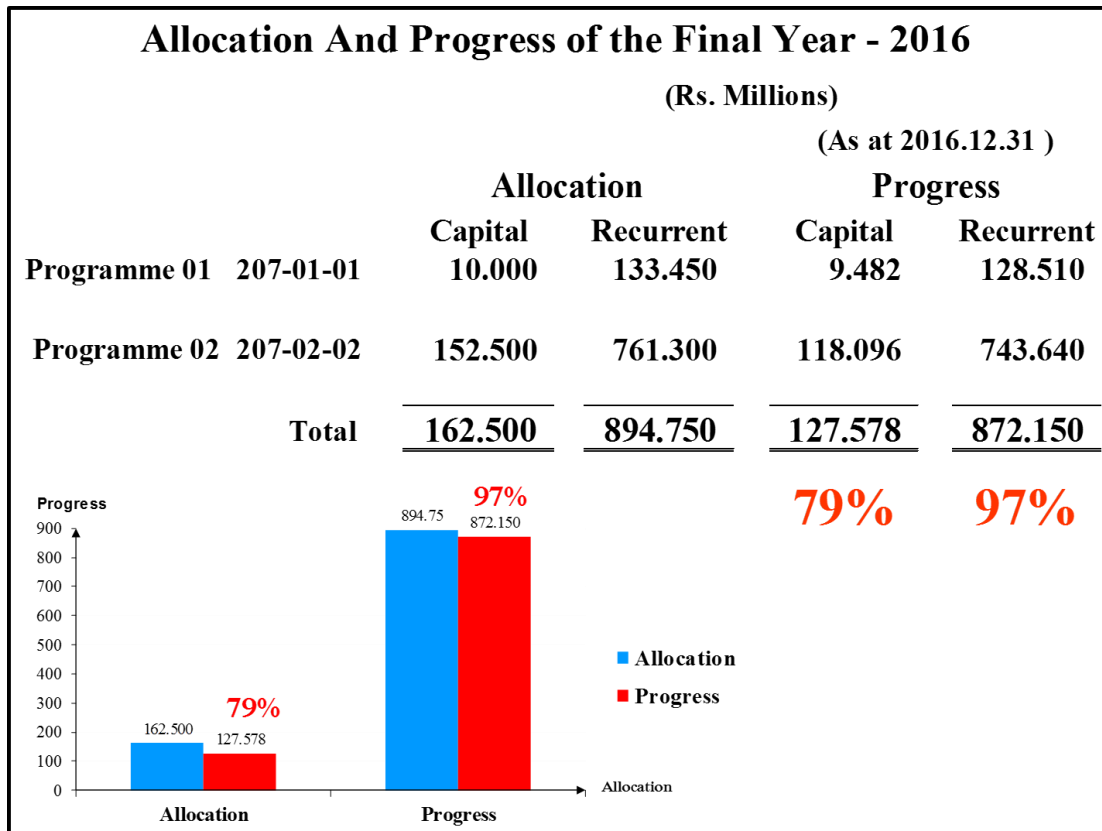
The role

1. Receiving project proposals and preparing a annual action plan
2. Approval of Project proposals/ implementation of programs and submission of approved projects to Section Heads/provincial Heads.
3. Follow up projects and getting interim progress reports (monthly/three months/annual)
4. Obtaining Preliminary Reports from respective Provincial Heads and Divisional Heads subsequent to the completion of projects (within one month)
5. Obtaining Final Project Report from Provincial Heads and Divisional Heads (within one year)
6. Amendment of approved projects
7. Providing necessary information regarding projects performed by Departments to Ministries/External institutes and persons.
8. Organization and coordination of Archeological Advisory Council meetings/ Staff Officers meetings / Divisional Heads meetings of head office and all other progress review meetings.
9. Preparing annual and intermediary investment plan and submission of reports to the treasury for obtaining required funds.
10. Identifying new projects and preparing project proposals required for implementation of such projects.

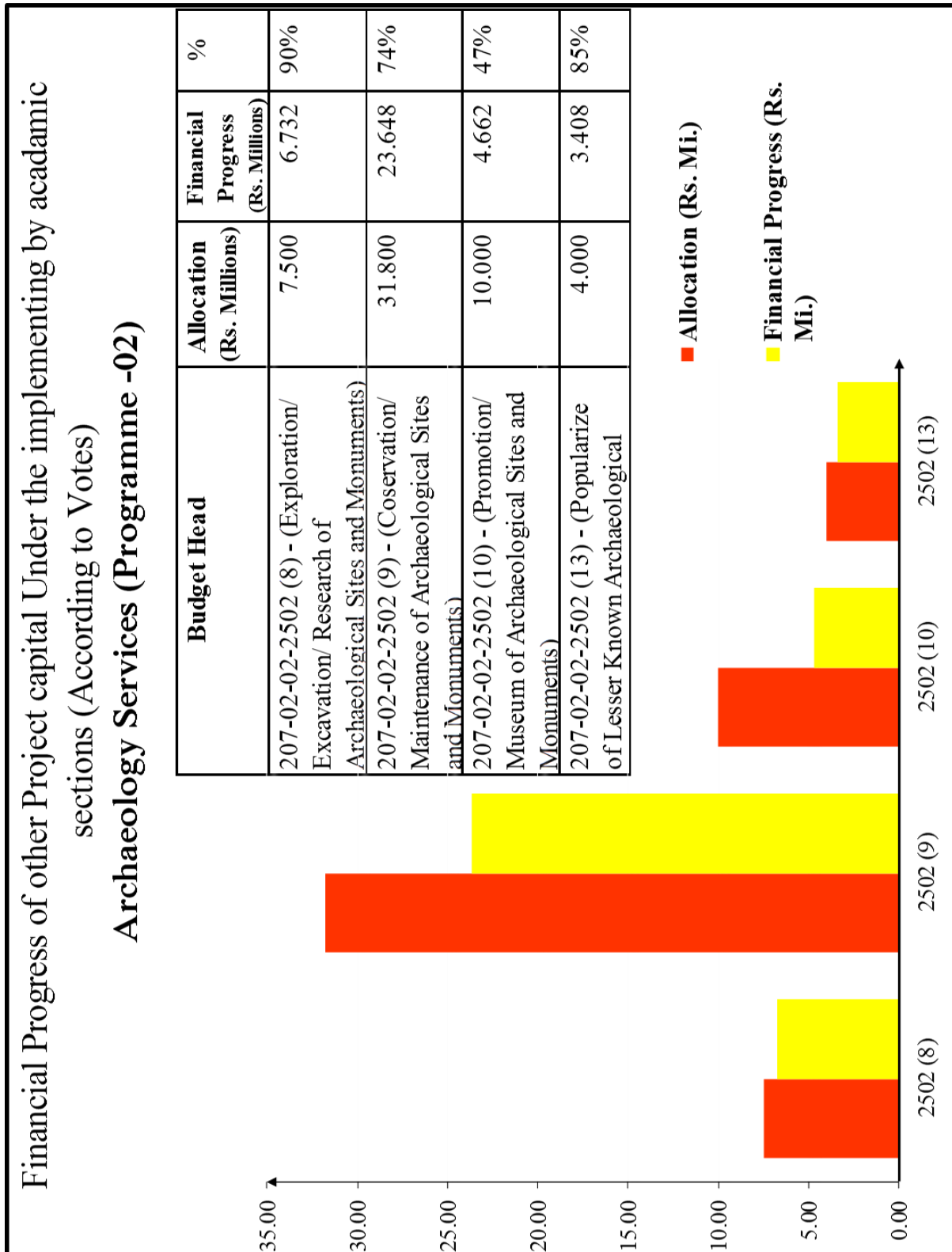
➤ Allocation Received for Department Of Archaeology for the financial Year - 2016



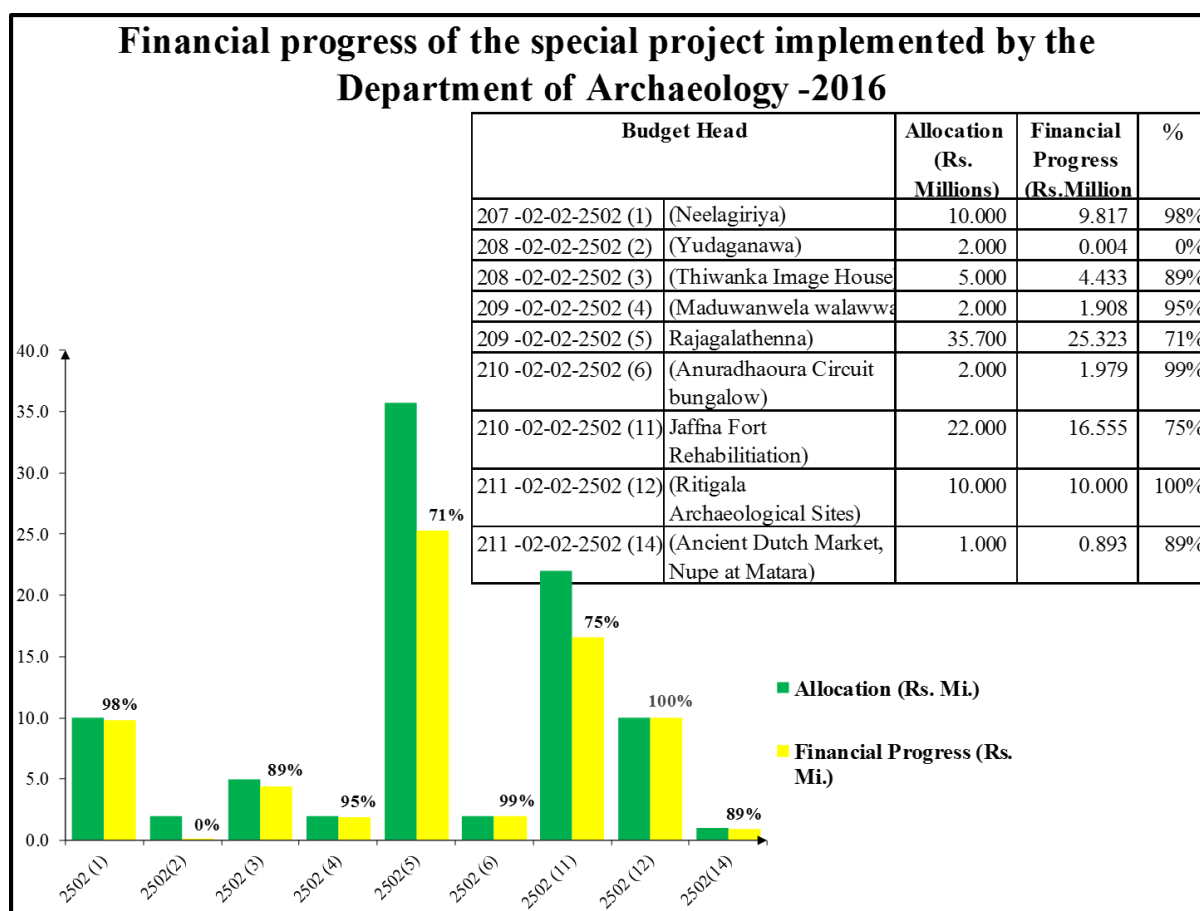
➤ Financial provisions prevised to the Department of Archeology in 2015



- Financial Progress of other Project Under the implementing Academic of Sections (According to Votes)



➤ **Financial Progress of the Special Project Implemented by the Department Of Archaeology - 2016**



Special Projects

1. Neelagiriya Development Project
2. Conservation Project of Yudaganawa Dageba.
3. Conservation Project of Thiwanka image house.
4. Conservation Project of Maduwanwela Walawwa.
5. Conservation Project of Rajagalathenna Archeological site.
6. Construction of circuit bungalow Anuradhapura.

Legal Division

The Role

1. Taking legal measures for protecting artifacts and archeological sites in terms of archeological ordinance.
2. Taking legal measures against people who found artifacts accidentally and do not inform the department of archaeology
3. Appearing before the court on behalf of the department and giving explanations
4. Taking legal measures against people who destroy, cause deformities, and steals artifacts.
 - Causing damaging to monuments
 - Carrying out excavations at nearby places
 - Constructing buildings
 - Taking legal action against the people who blast stones /rocks in archeologically conserved sites.
 - Those who involve in illegal excavations
 - Illegal acquisition of reserved areas
 - those who involve in deforestation
 - those who set fire
 - Taking legal actions against people who involve in felling trees, and taking legal actions against every person who violates the provisions specified in the earlier amended ordinance of artifacts

Legal actions taken by the Legal Division regarding offences reported to the Legal Division and Special Unit of preventing Destruction of Artifacts in 2016 under the Artifacts Act.

No.	Incident	Police Station where the incident was reported	Date on which the incident occurred	Date on which the incident was reported	Measures taken	Result
01	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Hingurakgoda	01.01.2016	16-01-02	Sued under B.R. 39760 at the Magistrate Court Hingurakgoda.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
02	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Maho	06.01.2016	16-01-05	Sued under B.R. 96488 at the Magistrate Court Maho.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 20,000.00 was imposed for each of the 01 st , 02 nd , 04 th , and 05 th accuseds and a fine of Rs.50,000.00 was imposed for the 03 rd accused.
03	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Alawwa	08.01.2016	16-01-09	Sued under B.R. 18357 at the Magistrate Court Poligahawela.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
05	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ethimale	18.01.2016	16-01-19	Sued under B.R. 29-16 at the Magistrate Court Siyambalanduwa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 100,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
06	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wellawaya	18.01.2016	16-01-19	Sued under B.R. 95981 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and they were acquitted and released.
07	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	-	16-01-22	Sued under B.R. 18559 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and a fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
08	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Hidogama	03.01.2016	16-01-24	Sued under B.R. 78470 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	-
09	Stealing artifacts	Siyambalanduwa	24.01.2016	16-01-25	Sued under B.R. 39/16 at the Magistrate Court Siyambalanduwa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and a fine of Rs. 30,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
10	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Mahaoya	25.01.2016	16-01-25	Sued under B.R. 14277 at the Magistrate Court Dehiattakandiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 40,000.00 and Rs. 120,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

No.	Incident	Police Station where the incident was reported	Date on which the incident occurred	Date on which the incident was reported	Measures taken	Result
11	Destruction of artifacts	Monaragala	-	16-01-27	Sued under B.R. 89/16 at the Magistrate Court Monaragala.	Suspects were acquitted since adequate evidents are not available.
12	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Passara	28.01.2016	16-01-229	Sued under B.R. 93137 at the Magistrate Court Passara.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and a fine of Rs. 100,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
13	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Polgahawela	31.01.2016	31.01.2016	Sued under B.R. 18730 at the Magistrate Court Polgahawela.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
14	Destruction of artifacts.	Galle	-	03.02.2016	Sued under B.R. 50026 at the Magistrate Court Galle.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fine of Rs. 100,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
15	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Bakamuna	16-01-16	10.02.2016	Sued under B.R. 40790 at the Magistrate Court Bakamuna.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
17	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Anuradhapura	27.02.2016	27.02.2016	Sued under B.R. 725/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
18	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wanathawilluwa	29.02.2016	29.02.2016	Sued under B.R. 21279 at the Magistrate Court Puttalam.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 500,000.00 and Rs. 4,150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
19	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kahatagasdigiliya	-	04.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 645/16 at the Magistrate Court Kahatagasdigiliya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
20	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Maho	05.03.2016	05.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 198/16 at the Magistrate Court Maho.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 5,000.00 and Rs. 400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

No	Incident	Police Station where the incident was reported	Date on which the incident occurred	Date on which the incident was reported	Measures taken	Result
21	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wellaweli	07.03.2016	07.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 73/16 at the Magistrate Court Kalawanchikudi.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 30,000.00 and Rs. 60,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
22	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Mahiyangana	-	23.02.2016	Sued under B.R. 328/16 at the Magistrate Court Mahiyanganaya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 500,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
23	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kegalle	11.03.2016	11.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 8888/16 at the Magistrate Court Kegalle.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 75,000.00 and Rs. 225,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
24	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Polgahawela	16.03.2016	16.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 4646/16 at the Magistrate Court Polgahawela.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
25	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Rathnapura	15.03.2016	15.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 473/16 at the Magistrate Court Rathnapura.	Suspects were acquitted.
26	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Pumude	17.03.2016	17.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 72/16 at the Magistrate Court Kuchchaweli.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
27	Destruction of artifacts	Galewela	-	22.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 828/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
28	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Rangala	24.03.2016	24.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 315/16 at the Magistrate Court Theldeniya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 34877 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 420,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
29	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Mahaoya	24.03.2016	24.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 201/16 at the Magistrate Court Dehiathakandiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 14578 and fines of Rs. 45,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
30	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kolonna	30.03.2016	30.03.2016	Sued under B.R. 473/16 at the Magistrate Court Embilipitiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 35629 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

No	Incident	Police Station where the incident was reported	Date on which the incident occurred	Date on which the incident was reported	Measures taken	Result
31	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wellawaya	05.04.2016	05.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 729/16 at the Magistrate Court Kurunegala.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 82737 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
32	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wanathawil-luwa	12.04.2016	12.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 82050/16 at the Magistrate Court Puttlam.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fine of Rs. 3,210,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
33	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Habarana	12.04.2016	12.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 412/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 19707 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 3,600,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
34	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Embilipitiya	20.04.2016	20.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 565/16 at the Magistrate Court Embilipitiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 36438 and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
35	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Balangoda	26.04.2016	26.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 278/16 at the Magistrate Court Balangoda.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 86050 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 360,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
36	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Karuwala-gaswewa	27.04.2016	27.04.2016	Sued under B.R. 2251/16 at the Magistrate Court Pttlam.	Suspects were acquitted according to the Archeological Report.
37	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Uhana	05.05.2016	06.05.2016	Sued under B.R. 3392/16 at the Magistrate Court Ampara.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 75469 and fine and Rs. 50,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
38	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	17.05.2016	03.05.2016	Sued under B.R. 729/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	-
39	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Buttala	06.05.2016	06.05.2016	Sued under B.R. 642/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 87754 and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
41	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Galagedara	03.06.2016	03.06.2016	Sued under B.R. 2241/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 44774 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

No.	incident	Police Station where the incident was reported	Date on which the incident occurred	Date on which the incident was reported	Measures taken	Result
42	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	03.06.2016	03.06.2016	Sued under B.R. 619/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 21135 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
43	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Nikaweratiya	16.06.2016	-	Sued under B.R. 337/16 at the Magistrate Court Nikaweratiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 33151 and fines of Rs. 150,000.00 and Rs. 4,500,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
44	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kolonna	17.06.2016	17.06.2016	Sued under B.R. 804/16 at the Magistrate Court Embilipitiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 37972 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
45	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Naula	22.06.2016	22.06.2016	Sued under B.R. 350/16 at the Magistrate Court Naula.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 19015 and fines of Rs. 25,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
46	Destruction of artifacts	Anuradhapura	02.07.2016	02.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 18480/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 83463 and a fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed.
47	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Gomarankadawala	07.07.2016	08.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 781/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 3035 and fines of Rs. 45,000.00 and Rs. 270,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
48	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ethimale	08.07.2016	08.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 218/16 at the Magistrate Court Siyam-balanduwa.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 1384 and fines of Rs. 145,000.00 and Rs. 640,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
49	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ampara	13.07.2016	13.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 630/16 at the Magistrate Court Ampara.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
50	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ethimale	15.07.2016	15.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 237/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 1454 and fines of Rs. 175,000.00 and Rs. 1,060,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
51	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Gomarankadawala	08.07.2016	08.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 781/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 3035 and fines of Rs. 45,000.00 and Rs. 270,000.00 were imposed.
52	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Hambanthota	21.07.2016	21.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 690/16 at the Magistrate Court Hambanthota.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 29124 and fines of Rs. 10,000.00 and Rs. 700,000.00 were imposed.

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53	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kuttigala	23.07.2016	23.07.2016	Sued under B.R. 922/16 at the Magistrate Court Embilipitiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 3035 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 1,500,000.00 were imposed.
54	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Giriulla	09.08.2016	09.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 1730/16 at the Magistrate Court Kuli-yapitiya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 22923 and fines of Rs. 10,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed.
55	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Settikulama	10.08.2016	10.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 1399/16 at the Magistrate Court Vawniya.	Charge sheets were filed for suspects under 36522 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed.
56	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Gokarella	10.08.2016	10.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 1927/16 at the Magistrate Court Kurunegala.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fines of Rs. 75,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
57	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Welimada	11.08.2016	11.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 32249/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellimada.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 250,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
58	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Welikanda	11.08.2016	11.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 1386/16 at the Magistrate Court Polonnaruwa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under No. 15746 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
59	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Buthihala	13.08.2016	13.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 1142/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under No. 99441 and fines of Rs. 10,000.00 and Rs. 600,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
60	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Nawagathagama	18.08.2016	18.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 8378/16 at the Magistrate Court Anamadawa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 8378 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
61	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Yatiyanthota	15.08.2016	15.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 387/16 at the Magistrate Court Ruwanwella.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 64346 and fines of Rs. 51,600.00 and Rs. 412,800.00 were imposed for each suspect.
63	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Mawathagama	21.08.2016	21.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 426/16 at the Magistrate Court Pilessa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects 79662 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

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64	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	22.08.2016	22.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 903/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 22409 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
65	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ambalanthota	24.08.2016	24.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 828/16 at the Magistrate Court Hambanthota.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 29511 and fines of Rs. 75,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
66	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Ambanpola	26.08.2016	26.08.2016	Sued under B.R. 747/16 at the Magistrate Court Maho.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 99893 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
67	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Galnewa	04.09.2016	04.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 944/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 22366 and fines of Rs. 3,000.00 and Rs. 180,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
68	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Minneriya	05.09.2016	05.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 737/16 at the Magistrate Court Hingurakgoda.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 44449 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
69	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Wilgamuwa	06.09.2016	06.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 477/16 at the Magistrate Court Nawula.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 19807 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
70	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Hambanthota	12.09.2016	12.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 915/16 at the Magistrate Court Hambanthota.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
71	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Narammala	21.09.2016	21.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 1967/16 at the Magistrate Court Kuliyaipitiya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 23796 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 2,400,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
72	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Wellawaya	24.09.2016	24.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 1368/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 130/16 and fines of Rs. 55,000.00 and Rs. 330,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
73	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Dedigama	21.09.2016	21.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 426/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 88755 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
74	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Dummalasuriya	19.09.2016	19.09.2016	Sued under B.R. 1944/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 23905 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect

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75	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Popithigama	04.10.2016	04.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 855/16 at the Magistrate Court Maho.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 1455 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
76	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Wellawaya	15.10.2016	15.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 1469/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 537/16 and fines of Rs. 115,000.00 and Rs. 575,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
77	Unauthorized excavations carried out in search of artifacts	Hakmana	16.10.2016	16.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 3184/16 at the Magistrate Court Matara.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 62360 and fines of Rs. 100,000.00 and Rs. 600,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
78	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Weliweriya	17.10.2016	17.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 2056/16 at the Magistrate Court Gampaha.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 46243 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 1,200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
79	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Peliyagoda	17.10.2016	17.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 62244/16 at the Magistrate Court Aluthkade.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and they were acquitted by the Hon. Court after submitting the Archeological Report.
80	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Girandurukotte	24.10.2016	24.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 7075/16 at the Magistrate Court Mahiyangana.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 7076/16 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
82	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Anuradhapura	28.10.2016	28.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 3317/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	-
83	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Aralaganwila	30.10.2016	30.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 1768/16 at the Magistrate Court Polonnaruwa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 17268 and fines of Rs. 100,000.00 and Rs. 300,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
84	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Badalkumbura	31.10.2016	31.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 753/16 at the Magistrate Court Monaragala.	Since adequate evidence was not submitted acquired on 23.11.2016
85	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Weeraketiya	31.10.2016	31.10.2016	Sued under B.R. 1055/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 40782 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 100,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

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86	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Kanagarayamkulam	04.11.2016	04.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 1999/16 at the Magistrate Court Vawniya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 12998 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 120,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
87	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	07.11.2016	07.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 1222/16 at the Magistrate Court Kekirawa.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 23573 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
88	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Tham-buththegama	12.11.2016	12.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 1292/16 at the Magistrate Court Tham-buththegama.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 40642 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 150,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
89	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Kekirawa	13.11.2016	13.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 1239/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 23692 and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
90	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Ruwanwella	12.11.2016	12.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 65990/16 at the Magistrate Court Rathnapura.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 65990 and fines of Rs. 115,000.00 and Rs. 105,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
91	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Wanathawilluwa	17.11.2016	18.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 27417/16 at the Magistrate Court Puttlam.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 27417 and fines of Rs. 270,000.00 and Rs. 405,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
92	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Girandurukotte	15.11.2016	19.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 7453/16 at the Magistrate Court Mahiyanganaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects and fines of Rs. 95,000.00 and Rs. 380,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
93	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Thanamalwila	22.11.2016	22.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 1651/16 at the Magistrate Court Wellawaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 1217 and fines of Rs. 120,000.00 and Rs. 1,080,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
94	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Narammala	23.11.2016	23.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 2509/16 at the Magistrate Court Kuli-yapitiya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 26438 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 120,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
95	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Gokarella	28.11.2016	28.11.2016	Sued under B.R. 3026/16 at the Magistrate Court	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 89259 and fines of Rs. 55,000.00 and Rs. 165,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.

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96	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Hingurakgoda	29.11.2016	02.12.2016	Sued under B.R. 999/16 at the Magistrate Court Hingurakgoda.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 45753 and fines of Rs. 125,000.00 and Rs. 500,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
97	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Nikaweratiya	05.12.2016	06.12.2016	Sued under B.R. 793/16 at the Magistrate Court Nikaweratiya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 32325 and fine of Rs. 50,000.00 was imposed for each suspect.
98	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Katharagama	07.12.2016	08.12.2016	Sued under B.R. 3930/16 at the Magistrate Court Tisamaharamaya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 3930 and fines of Rs. 60,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
99	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Narammala	11.12.2016	12.12.2016	Sued under B.R. 2414/16 at the Magistrate Court Kuli-yapitiya.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 28288 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 420,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.
100	Unauthorized excavations were carried out in search of artifacts	Mihinthalaya	14.12.2016	14.12.2016	Sued under B.R. 3575/16 at the Magistrate Court Anuradhapura.	Charge sheets were filed against suspects under 58820 and fines of Rs. 50,000.00 and Rs. 200,000.00 were imposed for each suspect.