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Inform Sri Lankan Migrant workers in abroad about the Incentive scheme on Inward Worker Remittances as per the budget Proposal 2021.

As you aware that the budget 2021 has proposed an incentive scheme above the normal exchange rate for the foreign exchange remittances sent by foreign workers through all Licensed Banks registered under Central Bank of Sri Lanka. It has been implemented with effect from 28.12.2020 as per the operating instructions No.33/04/012/0011/004 dated 22nd December 2020 by Central Bank of Sri Lanka to all Licensed banks.(Copy is attached).

Accordingly, the foreign currency income earned through an employment by a Sri Lankan national who is working or has worked abroad will qualify to receive additional Rs.2 per US Dollar remitted and converted to Rupees through the formal channels of all licensed Banks.

Hence, you are kindly requested to take necessary action to make awareness for Sri Lankan migrant workers in Foreign Countries through the Sri Lankan Missions in order to encourage their savings and increase the remittance to the country through formal channels.

Your kind support in this regard is highly appreciated please


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