MESSAGE FROM THE AMBASSADOR OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION ON THE OCCASION OF THE NATIONAL DAY OF RUSSIA

MESSAGE FROM MANGALA SAMARAJEERA

President of Foreign Affairs

Diplomatic relations between Russia and Sri Lanka were established on 30th April 1957 and the Sri Lanka Embassy in Moscow was opened on 16th May 1957. Sri Lanka has had a close relationship with the Russian Federation as the successor state to the USSR on 24th December 1991.

A number of prominent Russian leaders, including President Vladimir Putin, the Prime Minister, Mr. Mikhail Mishustin, and Foreign Ministers, Mr. Alexander Lavrov, and Mr. Andrey Karlov, have visited Sri Lanka. Various bilateral agreements and other visits have taken place between Sri Lanka and the Russian Federation to further strengthen bilateral relations. Diplomatic relations between Russia and Sri Lanka remain very strong and we are looking forward to more future projects.

The Russian Embassy in Colombo wishes to wish the Sri Lanka-Russia Business Federation on its National Day, I extend my felicitations to the Government and people of the Russian Federation. I wish to take this opportunity to wish the Sri Lanka-Russia Business Federation every success.

Russian Federal

Deputy Speaker of Federal Council Mr Iliyas Cherian paid a visit to the Russian Federation. A number of Russian companies have visited Ceylon. The tree planted by future Mr. Iliyas Cherian in the Botanical Garden of Ceylon.

Development of strategic relations with Russia and Sri Lanka has been one of the key priorities of Russia's foreign policy, which has been inseparable from the Russian Foreign Ministry's basic priority of expanding Russia's economic and political influence in the Asia-Pacific region. The Russian Foreign Ministry is pleased to note that the development of strategic relations between Russia and Sri Lanka has been successfully initiated and is continuing to grow.

On this great occasion of the National Day of Russia, I extend my felicitations to the Government and people of the Russian Federation. I wish to take this opportunity to wish the Sri Lanka-Russia Business Federation every success.

Deputy Speaker of Federal Council Mr Iliyas Cherian paid a visit to the Russian Federation. A number of Russian companies have visited Ceylon. The tree planted by future Mr. Iliyas Cherian in the Botanical Garden of Ceylon.

The Russian Embassy in Colombo wishes to wish the Sri Lanka-Russia Business Federation on its National Day, I extend my felicitations to the Government and people of the Russian Federation. I wish to take this opportunity to wish the Sri Lanka-Russia Business Federation every success.

NEW CONTACT DETAILS OF THE EMBASSY OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION IN SRI LANKA AND TO THE MALDIVES:

Supplement Co-ordinated by
Sri Lanka Russia Business Council The Ceylon Chamber of Commerce

Wednesday June 15, 2016

RUSSIAN FEDERATION IN OF THE EMBASSY OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

E-mail: rusemb.srilanka@gmail.com

RUSSIAN FEDERATION

in stopping the expansion of ISIL and in arbitrary interpretation. decisions and avoiding their unilateral and declaring full support for United Nations participants and non-interference in internal based primarily on the equality of all international relations. Thus, the objective turbulence at the global and regional levels. complex and unpredictable, accompanied of transition, they become increasingly help of current and future generations. centuries and will keep evolving with the continuously evolving for more than 11 history of the Russian state which has been centurily-long history, unique legacy Motherland, a country with more than a thousands years culture, and culture, which has united in its own and language, and languages.

Dear Sri Lankan friends!

I t is a great pleasure and pleasure to address you, fellow citizens of Sri Lanka, on the occasion of the Day of Russia, which we celebrate on 12th June, 2016. June 12 was declared to be the Day of Russia by the government of the Russian Federation, to celebrate the 199th anniversary of the Russian Empire's victory over Napoleon. The day is observed in order to preserve and promote the Russian language, culture, traditions, and history.

On this day, we commemorate the courage and sacrifice of the Russian people who fought against the French invasion. The victory over Napoleon was a significant event in the history of Russia, as it marked the end of the Napoleonic Wars and the beginning of a new era of Russian expansion.

At the same time, Russia must find its place in the world as a responsible global actor. The country is also undergoing deep transformation. The Russian economy is experiencing a significant shift towards external economic relations, which is being accompanied by increased political and economic cooperation with other countries.

On this occasion, I would like to express my gratitude to all the Sri Lankan friends who have contributed to the development of bilateral relations between Russia and Sri Lanka. I am confident that these efforts will continue to contribute to the strengthening of our strategic partnership.

Long live the Russia - Sri Lanka friendship!

MESSAGE FROM ISURU SAMAARINGHE

President of the Sri Lanka - Russia Business Council

It is my great pleasure, honour and pride to be the President of the Sri Lanka - Russia Business Council to issue this message of congratulation on the National Day of Russia.

The economic and trade relations between Russia and Sri Lanka are very strong and growing in the global world. Many opportunities have been presented by the Russian Federation for business ventures in both countries to achieve our business aspirations. Both countries have also been active in furthering cultural exchanges in the economic and political cooperation achieved. The high level of the two countries in the fields of trade, commerce, education, culture, tourism, and investment, Russia - Sri Lanka Business Council should, without any doubt help to further widen the scope of trade and investment relations between both countries.

The economic and trade relations between Russia and Sri Lanka are very strong and growing in the global world. Many opportunities have been presented by the Russian Federation for business ventures in both countries to achieve our business aspirations. Both countries have also been active in furthering cultural exchanges in the economic and political cooperation achieved. The high level of the two countries in the fields of trade, commerce, education, culture, tourism, and investment, Russia - Sri Lanka Business Council should, without any doubt help to further widen the scope of trade and investment relations between both countries.

The Council now has a membership of over 75 companies from Russia with a wide range of business interests. The Russian Business Council works closely with the Embassy of the Russian Federation in Sri Lanka and the Embassy of Sri Lanka in Russia. I would like to express my sincere thanks to both the Ambassadors, His Excellency Alexander Karchava and His Excellency Dr Saman Wijeratne for their cordial cooperation and assistance rendered to the activities of the Council. I take this opportunity to extend my greetings and congratulations to H.E. Mr. Alexander A. Karchava and H.E. Dr. Saman Wijeratne on the occasion of the opening of the new office complex of the Embassy of the Russian Federation in Colombo, and wish them all good health and success in the days ahead.

Meet the Russian Federation's future leaders and succe...