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**PART I : SECTION (I) - GENERAL**

**Proclamations & c., by the President**

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**PROCLAMATION BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT OF THE  
DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA  
IN TERMS OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE MARITIME ZONES LAW, No. 22 OF 1976**

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MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA

WHEREAS the Maritime Zones Law, No. 22 of 1976 was enacted by the National State Assembly for the declaration *inter - alia*, of the territorial sea and the other maritime zones of Sri Lanka and for all other matters connected therewith or incidental thereto:

AND WHEREAS the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 248/1 of January 15, 1977 was made by His Excellency the president of Sri Lanka in terms of Sections 2, 4, 5, 7 and 9 of the aforesaid Maritime Zones Law, No. 22 of 1976, declaring the Territorial Sea, the Contiguous Zone, the Exclusive Economic Zone, the Pollution Prevention Zone and the Historic Waters of Sri Lanka:

AND WHEREAS it has now become necessary to identify in terms of Section 6 of the aforesaid Law, the area which shall comprise the Continental Shelf of Sri Lanka:

AND WHEREAS it has now become necessary to proclaim the baselines/base points of Sri Lanka in order to determine the precisely the Outer Edge of the said Continental Shelf:

NOW THEREFORE His Excellency the President has in terms of the aforesaid Law, proclaimed the baselines/base points for determining the Maritime Zones of Sri Lanka and such baselines/base points shall be as specified by the geographical co-ordinates set out in Schedule I and Schedule II, hereto.

Given at Colombo on the 10th day of April in the year Two Thousand and Twelve.

By order of His Excellency,

LALITH WEERATUNGA,  
Secretary to the President.

**SCHEDULE I**

**BASELINES FOR DETERMINING THE MARITIME ZONES  
OF SRI LANKA**

The baselines for determining the Maritime Zones of Sri Lanka shall be defined by a combination of straight geodetic lines connecting some of these base points to the existing coast line.

The base points are connected by straight geodetic lines at all points other than as between the points 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 34-35, 36-37, 38-39, 40-41, 42-43, 44-45, 46-47, 48-49, 50-51, 52-53, 54-55, 56-57, 68-69, 70-71 and 72-73 where the baseline is defined by the existing coast line.

BASE POINTS – WGS 84 ELLIPSOID							Location
Point No.	Latitude (N)			Longitude (E)			
	Deg	Min	Sec	Deg	Min	Sec	
1	08	12	43.5	079	41	29.9	Kandakuliya
2	07	36	48.8	079	47	49.6	Deduruoya - North
3	07	36	25.8	079	47	12.0	Deduruoya – South
4	07	16	27.1	079	50	25.3	Mahaoya – North
5	07	16	17.8	079	50	27.0	Mahaoya – South
6	07	12	32.2	079	49	46.6	Lellama
7	07	12	54.6	079	48	56.2	Lihinigala
8	06	58	46.5	079	52	04.0	Kelaniganga
9	06	57	21.5	079	50	40.7	Colombo – Harbour
10	06	56	10.1	079	50	21.5	Galbokka Point
11	06	56	00.2	079	50	23.0	Twin Rocks
12	06	49	26.1	079	51	47.9	Ratmalana
13	06	42	25.2	079	53	19.7	Gonagala
14	06	28	07.8	079	57	52.7	Yakadagala
15	06	25	13.3	079	59	12.6	Handarangala
16	06	11	37.3	080	02	31.6	Passi Rock
17	06	07	44.6	080	05	44.0	Waal Islet
18	06	06	01.4	080	07	19.6	Mandagala
19	06	01	31.4	080	11	49.6	Alagala
20	06	00	04.4	080	14	46.5	Doumbagala – West
21	06	00	04.4	080	14	49.5	Doumbagala – East
22	05	56	14.8	080	26	59.0	Mirissa
23	05	55	10.1	080	35	17.9	Dondra Head
24	05	55	11.8	080	35	39.7	Devinuwara Light House
25	05	55	38.8	080	36	42.1	Gandara
26	05	57	36.0	080	43	19.4	Nilwella
27	05	58	13.4	080	44	19.3	Kolonna Point
28	06	05	25.4	080	59	25.2	Rattan Point
29	06	10	50.2	081	28	53.3	Great basses Reef
30	06	23	55.9	081	43	38.3	Little Basses
31	06	45	54.6	081	49	40.3	Panama Lagoon – South
32	06	46	46.3	081	49	27.1	Panama Lagoon – North

BASE POINTS – WGS 84 ELLIPSOID							Location
Point No.	Latitude (N)			Longitude (E)			
	Deg	Min	Sec	Deg	Min	Sec	
33	06	48	35.2	081	49	29.4	Sastrawela
34	06	49	12.5	081	49	33.3	Pasarchenai
35	06	50	10.5	081	50	25.7	Arugambay – South
36	06	52	18.0	081	50	45.8	Arugambay – North
37	06	53	55.9	081	50	42.5	Kotukal – South
38	06	53	57.8	081	50	40.8	Kotukal – North
39	06	57	20.0	081	51	37.9	Murangatena Lagoon – South
40	06	57	23.4	081	51	40.2	Murangatena Lagoon – North
41	06	58	35.9	081	51	54.7	Komari Lagoon – South
42	06	58	41.8	081	51	50.7	Komari Lagoon – North
43	07	00	57.4	081	52	34.5	Timbutu Lagoon – South
44	07	01	01.1	081	52	36.3	Timbutu Lagoon – North
45	07	05	35.2	081	51	35.7	Koral Lagoon – South
46	07	05	41.0	081	51	32.6	Koral Lagoon – North
47	07	11	06.0	081	51	41.4	Sinna Muhattuvaram – South
48	07	11	20.1	081	51	41.9	Sinna Muhattuvaram – North
49	07	19	11.0	081	51	57.4	Kalnayanmadu – South
50	07	19	14.5	081	51	56.5	Kalnayanmadu – North
51	07	19	55.1	081	51	51.8	Addalppallam
52	07	20	00.3	081	51	50.6	Nintavur
53	07	27	49.6	081	49	03.0	Periya Kallar – South
54	07	27	57.2	081	49	02.1	Periya Kallar – North
55	07	45	34.2	081	41	22.9	Konddal Munal
56	07	45	37.8	081	41	13.4	Kachan Munal
57	07	55	38.0	081	34	35.3	Vendloos Point
58	07	59	07.4	081	33	33.0	Chengenum Munal - South
59	07	59	11.8	081	33	30.2	Chengenum Munal - North
60	07	59	40.9	081	33	16.9	Elephant Rock
61	08	25	20.8	081	23	13.0	Heming Rock
62	08	29	54.8	081	21	19.0	Coral Point
63	08	43	21.9	081	12	14.5	Puramalai
64	08	51	38.2	081	05	08.4	Palyakkikulam
65	08	52	07.2	081	04	46.9	Koduwakattumalai
66	08	56	26.7	081	00	46.1	Kalkerni – Pulmoddai
67	09	17	28.4	080	48	44.7	Wadduvaikkal
68	09	18	31.9	080	47	37.8	Vellamullivaikkal
69	09	25	01.6	080	40	23.1	Chalai – South
70	09	25	09.6	080	40	09.0	Chalai – North
71	09	28	48.1	080	35	49.0	Chundikulam – South
72	09	28	52.7	080	35	39.5	Chundikulam – North
73	09	49	24.9	080	15	13.9	Point Pedro

SCHEDULE II

Map depicting the Base Points of Sri Lanka

