



Application No.	
-----------------	--

Central Environmental Authority

**BASIC INFORMATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

**Essential information to determine the environmental approval requirement of projects**

*(Note: Use separate sheets as and when required)*

1. **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

1.1 Project Title:

1.2 Name of the Project Proponent:  
(Company/Firm/Individual)

1.3 Details of the Project Proponent:

Postal Address:

Phone No:

Fax No:

E-mail Address:

1.4 Details of the Contact Person:

Name:

Designation:

Phone No:

Fax No:

E-mail Address:

2. **PROJECT LOCATION DETAILS**

2.1. Location of the project:

Province/s:

District/s:

Divisional Secretariat Division/s:

Local Authority/s:

*(Provide location in 1:50,000 scale Toposheet)*

2.2. Physical scale or the extent of the project site (in ha):  
*(Provide Survey plan)*

2.3. Does the project wholly or partly fall within any area specified below?

Area	Yes	No	Remarks
100m from the boundaries of or within any area declared under the National Heritage Wilderness Act No. 4 of 1988			
100m from the boundaries of or within any area declared under the Forest Ordinance (Chapter 451)			
Coastal Zone as defined in the Coast Conservation Act. No. 57 of 1981			
Any erodable area declared under the Soil Conservation Act (Chapter 450)			
Any flood area declared under the Flood Protection Ordinance (Chapter 449)			
Any flood protection area declared under the Sri Lanka Land Reclamation and Development Corporation Act No. 15 of 1968 as amended by Act No. 52 of 1982			
60 meters from the bank of a public stream as defined in the Crown Lands Ordinance (Chapter 454) and having width of more than 25 meters at any point of its course.			
Any reservation beyond the full supply level of a reservoir.			
Any archaeological reserve, ancient or protected monuments as defined or declared under the Antiques Ordinance (Chapter 188)			
Any area declared under the Botanic Gardens Ordinance (Chapter 446)			
Within 100 meters from the boundaries of or within, any area declared as a Sanctuary under the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Chapter 469)			
Within 100 meters from the high flood level contour of or within a public lake as defined in the Crowns Lands Ordinance (Chapter 454) including those declared under section 71 of the said Ordinance			
Within a distance of one mile of the boundary of a National Reserve declared under the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance			

2.4. Present ownership of the project site:

State	Private	Other (Specify)

*(If state owned, please submit a letter of consent of the release of land from the state agency)*

2.5 Present land use type of the project site (approximate % of the total project site):

Land use type	%	Land use type	%
Marsh/mangrove		Bare land	
Water bodies		Paddy	
Dense forest		Tea	
Sparse forest		Rubber	
Scrub forest		Coconut	
Grassland		Built-up area	
Home gardens		Any other (Specify)	

3. **PROJECT DETAILS**

3.1. Objective/s of the project:

3.2. Present stage of the project in the project cycle:

(i)	Pre-feasibility	
(ii)	Feasibility	
(iii)	Design	
(iv)	Other (specify)	

3.3. Type of the project (Please tick the relevant cage/s):

Land development/clearing		Hotels / Recreational Facilities	
Timber extraction/tree felling		Housing and building	
Reclamation of Land/ wetland		Resettlement	
Conversion of forests into non-forest uses		Laying of gas and liquid (excluding water) transferring pipelines	
Urban development		Mining	
Port and Harbour Development		Tunneling	
Transportation system		Fisheries and aquaculture	
River basin development/Irrigation		Disposal of solid/liquid/hazardous wastes	
Power generation and transmission		Salterns	
Surface/groundwater extraction		Any other (Specify)	
Industry/Industrial Estates and Parks			

3.4. Physical scale or the magnitude of the project:

3.5. Major components of the project:

3.6. Project layout plan (Conceptual)

- 3.7 Project process/s in terms of:
- Inputs including resources such as raw materials, water, energy used in construction/operational phases of the project and source of such resources
  - Outputs (including products and by-products)
  - Major types of equipment/technology to be used
- 3.8. Does the project involve any of the following activities other than the major project activities?

	Activity	Yes	No	If yes please quantify
(i)	Reclamation of land/wetland			
(ii)	Conversion of forests into non-forest uses			
(iii)	Clearing of lands			
(iv)	Extraction of timber			
(v)	Mining and mineral extraction			
(vi)	Laying of pipe lines			
(vii)	Tunneling			
(viii)	Power generation & transmission			
(ix)	Resettlement			
(x)	Extraction of surface/ground water			
(xi)	Disposal of wastes (solid/liquid/hazardous)			

3.9. Amount of capital investment:

Foreign:	
Local:	

3.10. Proposed timing and schedule including phased development:

3.11. Details of availability of following services/infrastructure facilities:

- (i) Roads/access (Specify):
- (ii) Water (Specify):
- (iii) Power (Specify):
- (iv) Telecommunication (Specify):
- (v) Common waste water treatment facilities (Specify):
- (vi) Common solid waste management facilities (Specify):
- (vii) Any other (Specify):

3.12. Will the development result in displacement of people or property : (Quantify)?

3.13. Will the development result in change of : way of life of local people?

3.14. Will the project has plans for future expansion with/without land/space : demands?

3.15. Information on likely impacts of the project (Please tick the relevant cage/s):

Impact/s	Yes	No	Short term	Medium term	Long term
• Impacts on people & human health					
• Impacts on fauna/flora/sensitive habitats					
• Impacts on soils and land use					
• Impacts on water quality (surface and ground)					
• Impacts on drainage /hydrology					
• Impacts on air quality					
• Generation of excessive noise and vibration					
• Impacts on landscape/visual environment					
• Impacts on historical and cultural resources					
• Presence and aggravation of hazards					
• Any other (Specify)					

3.16. Information and measures being considered to mitigate likely impacts of the project cited under :  
3.15

3.17. Relationship with other existing /planned :  
developments

3.18. Details of any other permits required for the :  
project

4. **OTHER**

Provide any other information that may be relevant

I ..... certify that the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that this information will be utilized in decision making.

Name: .....

Designation: .....

Signature: .....

Date: .....

**For Office Only**

1. Date of receipt of the application:

2. Payment of EIA administration fee:

Date of payment:

Amount:

Receipt No:

Code No:

3. Site inspection information:

Date of inspection:

Name/s of the officers:

Special comments regarding significant environmental concerns (based on the site inspection):

4. Required approval under Part IV C of NEA:

Yes	No

5. If need to go through the EIA process appropriate PAA:

6. Other remarks: