

**MINISTRY OF  
FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
SRI LANKA**

# Introduction

The Foreign Ministry coordinates and carries out the foreign policy of the Government of Sri Lanka. The Ministry of Foreign Relations consists of the Ministry headquarters in Colombo and the missions abroad.

**Vision :** To be a leading ministry in promoting Sri Lanka's national interests and fostering strong diplomatic relations globally

**Mission :** The promotion, projection and protection of Sri Lanka's national interests internationally, in accordance with the foreign policy of the Government and to advise the Government on international developments which affect Sri Lanka

**Position in the market:** As the primary entity responsible for Sri Lanka's diplomatic affairs, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs holds a pivotal role in shaping the country's international engagements and policies

# Technology Strategy

- The technology strategy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is designed to enhance diplomatic communication, information sharing, and collaboration with international partners
- It supports the ministry's vision and mission by facilitating efficient communication, data analysis, and decision-making processes
- The strategy focuses on leveraging technology to strengthen Sri Lanka's diplomatic presence globally and provide timely advice to the government on international matters

# The Key priorities for Technology Investments

- Enhancing cybersecurity measures to safeguard sensitive diplomatic information
- Improving communication infrastructure for seamless interaction with foreign missions and international organizations
- Implementing collaboration tools to streamline internal workflows and support remote work
- Investing in data analytics capabilities to analyze global trends and their impact on Sri Lanka

# Boosting operations with Google Meet

- Google Meet enables real-time collaboration and communication among Ministry employees, supporting virtual meetings with international partners and diplomatic missions. It enhances productivity by reducing the need for physical travel and enabling efficient decision-making and information sharing
- Google Meet has delivered the greatest benefit by enabling seamless virtual meetings and collaboration with international partners, thereby enhancing diplomatic engagement and efficiency

# Finetech Role

- Finetech Consultancy played a crucial role in the selection and deployment of Google Workspace and
- They applied industry best practices and methodologies to ensure timely deployment within budget and secured user acceptance
- Their ongoing role may include providing technical support, training, and optimization of Google Workspace

# Key Benefits of Google Workspace Rollout

- Increased collaboration and communication efficiency.
- Reduction in travel costs and time.
- Improved document management and version control.
- Enhanced security and data protection measures.
- Enhanced employee satisfaction and morale.
- Accelerated decision-making processes.
- Strengthened diplomatic relations with international partners.

# How Google Workspace change Company Culture and Future Rewards?

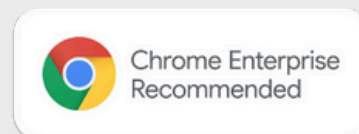
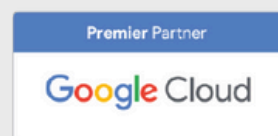
- Google Workspace has fostered a culture of collaboration, innovation, and adaptability within the Ministry
- Employees are more inclined towards remote work and are adept at utilizing technology for communication and collaboration
- Google Workspace is expected to continue adding value by facilitating greater flexibility, scalability, and efficiency in the Ministry's operations
- New features and integrations within Google Workspace may further enhance productivity and collaboration



# Testimonial

"Google Workspace has transformed how we conduct diplomatic affairs, enabling seamless communication and collaboration with our global partners. It has significantly enhanced our ability to promote Sri Lanka's interests on the international stage."

Aloka Gnanasekara - Assistant Director (ICT)  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Sri Lanka



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**Thank you!**