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Taking over of Base Hospital – Pottuvil under the Line Ministry of Health and converting into an integrated healthcare Base Hospital with special care facilities

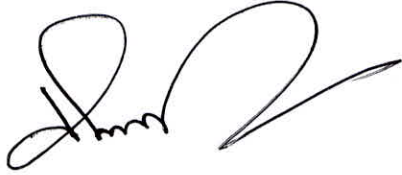
The Base Hospital – Pottuvil (Type A) is located in the Ampara District of the Eastern Province and it is one of the oldest hospitals in Sri Lanka. Considering the current demand for health facilities of the area, it was proposed to convert the Base Hospital – Pottuvil into an integrated health care Base Hospital under the Line Ministry of Health with paying wards for tourists, palliative care services, geriatric care services and Ayurvedic treatment facilities for medical tourism.

02. In this context, with reference to the Cabinet decision dated 22.05.2024 and the concurrence of the Governor of the Eastern Province granted by his letter dated 24.06.2024, the Base Hospital – Pottuvil which was administered under the Eastern Provincial Council is taken over to the Line Ministry of Health with effect from 01st of August 2024.

03. Furthermore, with taking over the Base Hospital – Pottuvil to the Line Ministry of Health, the absorption of hospital staff with their concurrence will be carried out according to the recommendations of the Public Service Commission (Annex 1).

04. Other information pertaining to the institution is given below:

01	Name of the Institution	Base Hospital, Pottuvil (with integrated healthcare facilities)
02	Purview	Line Ministry of Health
03	Administrative District	Ampara
04	Electoral Division	Digamadulla
05	Divisional Secretary's Division	Pottuvil
06	Nearest Administrative Office	Base Hospital, Pottuvil
07	Officer In-Charge	Medical Superintendent
08	Reporting Officer	Director General of Health Services
09	Post and Telegraph Office	Pottuvil
10	Nearest Railway Station	Batticaloa
11	Police Station	Pottuvil



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7. Medical Superintendent – Base Hospital, Potuvil