



# TRADE FACILITATION INITIATIVES IN SRI LANKA



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# Role of Customs

- Collect Revenue
- Prevent illegal trade
- Facilitate legitimate trade
- Provide statistics
- Cooperate and coordinate with stakeholders



# Trade Facilitation Initiatives



- Risk Management
- e-Customs
- Public & Private Collaboration for paperless trade





# e-Customs



- e-CusDecs
- e-Manifests
- e-Licenses
- e-Approvals
- e-Payments

## e-Customs Contd...



- e-Selections
- e-Release orders
- e-Cargo Dispatch Note
- e-Shipping Note

# Public & Private Collaboration For Paperless Trade



- Ministry of Finance and Planning
- Imports and Exports Controller
- Sri Lanka Standard Institution
- Food Authority
- Plant Quarantine
- Animal Quarantine
- Sri Lanka Tea Board

# Public & Private Collaboration For Paperless Trade Contd....



- Banks
- Ports Authority
- South Asian Gateway Terminal
- Shipping Agents
- Clearing and Forwarding Agents
- Importers and Exporters



# Public & Private Collaboration For Paperless Trade Contd...



- Department of Census and Statistics
- Department of Motor Traffic
- Department of Commerce
- Export Development Board
- Central Bank







# Way Forward

- National Single Window
- Cross-Border Connectivity





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