



**PARLIAMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF
SRI LANKA**

**ECONOMIC SERVICE CHARGE
(AMENDMENT)**

A

BILL

to amend the Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006

*Presented by the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Minister of
Buddhasasana, Religious & Cultural Affairs and Minister of Urban
Development & Housing on 22nd of September, 2020*

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STATEMENT OF LEGAL EFFECT

Clause 2 : This clause amends section 2 of the Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006 and the legal effect of the section as amended is to remove the Economic Service Charge from January 1, 2020.

Economic Service Charge (Amendment)

L.D.—O. 62/2019

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ECONOMIC SERVICE CHARGE
ACT, No.13 OF 2006

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist
Republic of Sri Lanka as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Economic Service Charge (Amendment) Act, No. of 2020. Short title.

5 **2.** Section 2 of the Economic Service Charge Act, No. 13 of 2006 is hereby amended in subsection (1) by the substitution for the words “be charged from every person and every partnership for every quarter of every year of assessment”, of the words and figures “be charged from every
10 person and every partnership for every quarter of every year of assessment prior to January 1, 2020 —”. Amendment of section 2 of Act, No. 13 of 2006.

3. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail. Sinhala text to prevail in case of inconsistency.

