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To: Chief Commissioners
International Commissioners
Chief Scout Executives

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Dear colleagues:

7th National Jamboree – Sri Lanka Scout Association

On behalf of Sri Lanka Scout Association, we are pleased to invite your National Scout Organization to participate in the 7th National Jamboree and join them to celebrate the 94 years of Scouting in Sri Lanka. The details of the National Jamboree are as follows:

- Dates:** 21 - 26 February 2006
- Venue:** Sports Complex Nuwara–Eliya, Garden City in the Hills. 6000 Feet (a.m.s.l.) 200 Km from Colombo City.
- Theme of the Jamboree:** "Forward with Effort and Unity"
- Eligibility:** The Jamboree is for young people both male and female aged 12–17 years old. International participants aged 18 and above are invited to apply to serve in the National Service Team.
- Registration Fees:** US \$ 150 is the registration fee for each participant in the Jamboree which includes Tent accommodation, Food arrangement, Airport Transfer for both ways and cooking equipment.
- Visa:** We strongly advise each participant to contact the nearest Sri Lanka Embassy or Consulate to check if it is necessary to obtain an entry visa. Some nationalities could obtain the visa in Sri Lanka airport upon arrival.
- Programme:** Scout Skills, Boating, Rafting, Fishing, Wide Games, Camp Fires, Cultural Shows, Community Service, Slight Tours, Jungle and Mountain Trekking, etc.
- Weather:** Naturally the weather is cool. Average temperature ranges from 15 to 17 degrees Celsius.

- Arrival Date:** Participants should arrive by 21 February 2006. Flight details of contingents must be informed to the NHQ of the Sri Lanka Scout Association. Participants will be received at the Bandaranayake International Airport in Colombo. Transfer to campsite will be arranged by road and rail. Average time of travel is 6 hours to the campsite.
- Jamboree services:** All essential services including medical, banking, postal and communication facilities will be available at the Jamboree Site.
- Camping facilities:** Tent facilities will be provided for camping. Sleeping bags and personal camping equipment should be brought by the participants.
- Languages:** Sinhala and Tamil are the official languages of the country, while English serves as a link language and is widely used in all parts of the country.

For more information, please contact:

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With best regards,



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Registration Form

Country :

Name of Scout
Organization.....

Address.....

Telephone/Fax & E-mail Address :

Number of participants

	Male	Female
Scouts
Rovers
Leaders

2 Would there be interest among the contingent in participating in the Home Hospitality programme?

Yes

NO

3 Information about the contact person in your organization

Last Name First Name.....

Position

Address

City Postcode.....Country.....

Tel No:Fax No:

Email address:.....

Date:..... Signature

Please complete this form and return it, September 2005.