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All Provincial Health Secretaries,
All Provincial/ Regional Directors of Health Services,
All Directors of Teaching / General Hospitals,
All Medical Superintendents of Base Hospitals,
All District Medical Officers of Divisional Hospitals,
All Directors of Institutions and Campaigns of Line Ministry,

Re: Activation of Annual Transfer of Grade Medical Officers - 2012

Further to my even letter number dated 22.08.2012 and 11.09.2012.

Considering the prevailing situation and the request made by the GMOA, implementation of Annual Transfers - 2012 will be dealt according to the following procedure.

Medical Officers who need their transfer orders to be implemented sooner, should be released within the month of October 2012, irrespective of their station and the seniority. Or er medical officers who are on transfer order could appeal and such appeals will be considered based on the criteria laid down by the Ministry of Health which are agreed by the GMOA (Annexed herewith) by an appeal board at the Ministry of Health under Deputy Director General (Medical Service) II consisting of Ministry of Health Officials and representatives of GMOA.

Please note that Annual Transfers of grade medical officers will be fully implemented, since 2013 to ensure the smooth functioning of the entire Health Sector and to safeguard the all island service.

Your active cooperation is yery much appreciated.

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Secretary

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