High Commission of India Colombo

Advisory for job seekers in Sri Lanka about fake jobs involving Cybercrime

It has come to attention that Indian nationals, lured by fake promises of lucrative job opportunities in Sri Lanka, are falling into the trap of human traffickers. These Indian nationals are coerced to undertake online financial scams and other illegal activities.

Indian nationals intending to visit Sri Lanka for employment are cautioned to do so only through authorized agents. It is also advised that the background of the prospective employer in Sri Lanka is checked thoroughly by the job seekers.

Indian nationals are also advised not to indulge in practices contrary to the purpose for which the visa is granted by the host country, such as seeking employment on a Tourist Visa or Visa on Arrival.

Job seekers are advised to contact High Commission of India, Colombo once they learn about the illegal nature of their job. For any assistance, the Mission may be contacted through e-mail id: cons.colombo@mea.gov.in or cons2.colombo@mea.gov.in or Emergency Number - +94-773727832.
