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NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

National Science Council of Sri Lanka,
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11th February 1981.

The Minister of Industries &
Scientific Affairs,
Ministry of Industries &
Scientific Affairs,
48, Sri Jinaratana Road,
Colombo 2.

Dear Sir,

Annual Report of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka for the
period 1st January 1979 to 31st December 1979.

In terms of Section 25 of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka
Law No. 36 of 1975, I have the honour to submit the Annual Report
of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka for the period 1st January
to 31st December 1979 together with

- (a) a copy of the audited Income & Expenditure Account
- (b) a copy of the audited Balance Sheet
- (c) Auditor General's Report

Yours faithfully,

(Prof. E.O.E. Pereira)

Chairman

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR 1979
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REVIEW OF ACTIVITIES OF THE NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA
FOR THE YEAR - 1979

1. Activities of the Statutory Working Committees

1.1 Committee on Science Policy Research

The main items discussed by the Science Policy Research Committee were (a) Constraints on the procurement of Scientific literature; (b) Problems regarding the Utilization of scholarships and fellowships; and (c) The implementation of the Science and Technology Policy in Sri Lanka.

An implementation proposal in regard to one aspect of Science Policy, namely, the post-graduate training of scientists was prepared by the Council and forwarded to His Excellency the President in response to a request by him that the Council prepares a Science Policy implementation programme.

1.2 Committee on Science Education Research (SERC)

1.2.1 A total of five meetings were held during 1979.

1.2.2 Research Grants

The committee interviewed current research grantees of 1976 and 1978 with a view towards stream-lining management procedures.

Applications for research grants for 1980 were invited through press notices in the latter part of the year. Applications are being processed.

Preliminary arrangements have been made for conducting of a workshop on Science Education Research in 1980. This will be of two weeks duration.

1.2.3 "Science Investigations"

All the necessary material for the publication of the journal on Science Investigations was prepared by the Committee. Tenders for the printing of the above have been received and arrangements for editorial work have been made.

1.2.4 Preparation of reading material on science topics

Forty reviews suitable for publication have been received from the 65 persons selected for the preparation reading material for teachers, students and layman. Quotations for the printing of the first ten manuscripts have been obtained. Arrangements for editorial work have also been made.

1.2.5 Taxonomic Studies

At a request made by the Council the Committee made proposals for the undertaking of taxonomic work on Fauna and Flora in Sri Lanka.

1.2.6 Survey of Fauna and Flora

With a view to initiating work on a Survey of Fauna and Flora, the Committee organized two meetings in Colombo and Peradeniya. The Colombo group was later formed into an Ecology Panel under the SERC. This panel held two meetings during the latter part of the year and formulated two project proposals.

The group in Kandy restricted itself to the preparation of illustrated booklets on Fauna and Flora for use by schools. Work has already commenced on this project.

1.3 Committee on Scientific and Technical Information (UNISIST National Committee)

A meeting of the working committee was held on 10th July, 1979. Current and future activities of SLSTIC were discussed at this meeting.

At the second meeting held on 7th December 1979, computerisation of SLSTIC operations, expansion of the Information Centre, the feasibility of providing SDI Services and re-allocation of the UNDP Project Budget were discussed.

1.4 Committee on Environment (man and the Biosphere National Committee (MAB))

1.4.1 The MAB National Committee was reconstituted in 1979 in order to make it more representative. Five sub committees coming under the National Committee were in turn reconstituted. Meetings of these committees were held as follows:

1.4.2 <u>Meeting</u>	<u>Number of Meetings</u>
MAB National Committee	5
Sub-Committee on Forestry & Forest Ecology	-
Sub-Committee on Environmental Pollution & Pollution Control	1
Sub-Committee on Grassland Eco-systems	1
Sub-Committee on Education & Training in Environmental Studies	1
Sub-Committee of Environmental Studies in the Mahaweli Area	2

1.4.3 The sum of Rs. 300,000/- was allocated for work under the MAB project for 1979. A further sum of Rs. 729,935.62, was obtained from the Mahaweli Development Board for the purchase of equipment and consumables for the project on the environmental monitoring of the Mahaweli area. The allocation made by the Mahaweli Board includes the cost of two jeeps.

1.4.4 Research projects falling under the five sub-committees were continued during the year. Progress reports are in the process of being analysed to ascertain the progress made on these projects.

1.4.5 In order to give adequate publicity to the MAB Programme, work has been initiated for the publication of a special issue of the Vidurawa, the science news bulletin of the National Science Council, to be devoted to MAB activities.

1.4.6 Publication

In addition to three publications already put out by the MAB Sub Committee on Education and Training, five more publications were undertaken during the year. These publications are basically checklists and hand books on Fauna and Flora of Sri Lanka. The publication on Agarics of Sri Lanka was nearing completion. The publication on Mosquitos of Sri Lanka was being prepared for printing.

1.5

Committee on Social Science Research

1.5.1 Committee meetings

The Committee held nine meetings during the year under review. The place of Prof. H.D. Dias who left the island, was taken by Prof. G.L. Peiris, Associate Professor of Law in the University of Colombo.

1.5.2 Research Grants

The 56 research projects approved by the Committee in 1978 were granted during this period. At present 64 on-going research projects are administered by the Committee. Sixty seven applications were received in response to the newspaper advertisement calling for applications for Research Grants for 1980. After screening and interviewing, 25 applications were recommended to the Council. The council approved 21 applications for 1980.

1.5.3 UNESCO Project - "Survey of the Primary Socio-Economic Data Structure of Sri Lanka"

Dr. H.N.S. Karunatilake, Chairman, Social Science Research Centre completed the above project and the final report was sent to the International Social Science Journal, UNESCO, Paris in December 1979.

1.5.4 UNAPDI Case Study on Information Base for Rural Development Projects

The Social Science Research Centre of the Council undertook the above research study and nominated Mrs. C.M. Fernando, Secretary to the Committee on Social Science Research to attend the preliminary researchers meeting held in Bangkok in July 1979 on the invitation of UNAPDI.

1.5.5 Questionnaire for Science Students who qualified at the GCE(A/L) Examination but failed to get admission to the University

The Social Science Research Centre is collecting information on candidates who have passed the GCE(A/L) Examination but who have failed to get admission to the University. This information is being collected in response to the request the Committee on Public Enterprises had made to NSC to determine the possibility of absorbing such personnel into lower level research and administrative positions.

1.5.6 Publications

(a) Sri Lanka Journal of Social Sciences

Volume 1 No. 2 and Vol. 2 No. 1 of the Journal were published and distributed. Vol. 2. No. 2 is in press.

(b) Publication of a Supplement to Bibliography of Scientific Literature Relating to Sri Lanka by Mr. N.A.W.A.T. Alwis

This was published and distributed by the Social Science Research Centre.

(c) Bibliography of Scientific Literature on Sri Lanka and by Sri Lankan Scientists Relating to Agricultures, Forestry, Veterinary Sciences and Fisheries 1960-1978 by Mr. N.A.W.A.T. Alwis

This research work was financed by the Social Science Research Centre and the Bibliography is being published.

(d) Union list of Periodicals on Social Sciences and Humanities in Sri Lanka by Mrs. Daya de Silva, Asst. Librarian, University of Peradeniya

This research work was sponsored by the Social Science Research Centre and the Union List was published and distributed.

1.6 Research Grants Board

1.6.1 Research Grants - 1979

One hundred and four grants were awarded in January 1979 which could be classified as follows:

Agricultural Sciences	6
Biological Sciences	11
Chemical Sciences	12
Medical Sciences	9
Veterinary Sciences	4
Engineering & Physical Sciences	6
Social Sciences	56 (Monitored by the Social Science Research Committee)
Total	<u>104</u>

1.6.2 Research Grants - 1980

Meetings of the Specialists Panels were held to evaluate applications received for Research awards for 1980.

The following is a break down of the applications recommended by the Specialists Panels

Agricultural Sciences	3
Biological Sciences	5
Chemical Sciences	5
Medical Sciences	7
Physical & Engineering Sciences	3
Veterinary Sciences	<u>6</u>
Total	<u>29</u>

A meeting of the Research Grants Board was held to consider recommendations made by the Specialists Panels. Projects recommended by the Specialists Panels were approved and Recommended to the council.

Out of 29 projects recommended 26 projects were approved by the Council for award in 1980. One was provisionally approved pending re-evaluation by the Specialists Panel.

1.6.3 In Social Sciences 25 grants have been approved for 1980.

- 1.6.4 The Research Grants Board obtained the approval of the Council to increase the allowance of Research Assistants by Rs. 140/- plus 10% of the Allowance with effect from 1st April 1979.

2. Other Committees and Study Groups

2.1 Scientific Manpower Training Programme - Plant Sciences Committee

This Committee held two meetings during 1979.

2.1.1 In addition to the Studentships awarded in 1978,

3 more studentships were granted to the Rubber Research Institute, bringing the total to 8.

Six scholarships have been recommended to the Post Graduate Institute of Agriculture, and one award for the Tea Research Institute.

- 2.1.2 A grant of Rs. 10,000/- was made to the University of Kelaniya to conduct a diploma course in Microbiology, and a grant of Rs. 10,000/- was made to University of Colombo to conduct a M.Sc. course in Plant Pathology.

2.2 Ethical Review Committee for Research on Human Subjects

A special committee consisting of medical personnel, lawyers etc. studied and recommended to the Ministry of Health that a statutory body be formed for exercising surveillance on medical research on Human subjects.

2.3 Improved Utilization of Fuelwood

A group comprising representatives of the IDB, STC, CISIR and NERD examined the question of utilization of fuelwood and the production of charcoal. These were considered to be matters of national importance in relation to the fuel crisis, and particularly the increased price of kerosene. A programme of action would be drawn up for the improved utilization of fuelwood and the production and utilization of charcoal.

2.4 Solar Energy Group

On the recommendation of the Council, and the Specialists Panel on Physical and Engineering Sciences, a meeting was convened of scientists involved in the study of alternate sources of energy. At the first meeting held on 2nd June 1979 under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.C.B Fernando, member of Council, it was decided to pay a visit to the Rural Energy Centre at Pattiapola. Accordingly a visit was arranged for 14th July 1979 at which 30 members participated.

A second meeting convened on the 18th of August 1979 discussed the strategy for the preparation of a report on the REC.

A sub-committee consisting of Dr.C. Patuwathawithana, Mr.D.B.J. Ranatunge and Prof. P.C.B. Fernando was entrusted to prepare a draft Report.

2.5 Upgrading of Science Education in Rural Schools

A special committee was appointed by the NSC to examine and report on the upgrading of science education in the rural sector. This committee was appointed as a result of a request by the Hon. Minister of Industries & Scientific Affairs to the NSC to examine and report on this problem. The report of the committee was finalized and copies were forwarded to Hon. Minister. As the NSC considered this matter to be of a vital importance in the implementation of the national science policy, copies of the report were also forwarded to His Excellency, the President.

3. Library Services and the SLSTIC Project

3.1 Services

3.1.1 A total of 1792 reports (foreign and local) have been added to the National Scientific Reports Depository during 1979. The total number of coordinating officers who collect reports for the depository stood at 127.

3.1.2 Union Catalogue of Scientific and Technical Books(UNICAST)

Information about 6996 books acquired by the network of libraries was added to the Union Catalogue during the course of 1979. Total number of participating libraries was increased to 27.

3.1.3 Union Catalogue of Scientific and Technology periodicals
(UNILIST)

Compilation of the Union List in card form had been completed. This includes information about S & T Periodicals available in 49 major libraries in Sri Lanka. Off-set printing of the UNILIST is now underway.

3.1.4 Environmental Information Service (EIS)

The number of users who are directly served by EIS increased to 61. Current Environmental Acquisition Vol. 2 No. 4 of 1978 was published in October 1979.

3.1.5 Inter-Library loans

During the year under review SLSTIC handled 265 requests for inter-library loans.

3.1.6 Photocopying

During 1979, 470 personal and 1253 official (NSC) requests for photocopies had been handled, bringing a revenue of Rs. 5,980.50.

3.1.7 NTIS Reports Procurement

During the period orders were placed to procure 110 reports. This brought a revenue of Rs. 5695.76 as commission.

3.1.8 Training

- (a) Science citation index workshop: The workshop was held on 14th and 15th March 1979, at the NSC. Mr. J. Arther Kennedy of ISI delivered an introductory lecture. 25 Librarians from about 20 libraries participated in the Workshop.
- (b) NTIS user seminar: A user seminar to introduce NTIS services was held on 28th February 1979 at the American Centre Library. 30 potential users attended this seminar. Mrs. Vietta Dowd demonstrated NTIS facilities.
- (c) In-service Training: Five batches of trainees from the Sri Lanka Library Association underwent in-service at the SLSTIC.

- (d) Lectures : Mr. N.U. Yapa delivered a lecture on 13th February, 1979, at a Course for Public Librarians organized by the Sri Lanka Library Services Board.
- (e) A workshop was conducted on "Citation Indexing" for the library personnel in S & T Libraries on 14-15 June 1979, 24 participants from various libraries attended the workshop.
- (f) A training programme (STB04) on periodical Management was held on 25th and 26th September 1979 at the NSC Board Room. 42 participants from 38 libraries attended this programme.
- (g) A seminar on "Sources of Scientific Information" was held on 30th November 1979 at the CISIR Auditorium. 46 Research Assistants of NSC Research Grantees participated in the seminar. The lecturers were Mr. U.N. Yapa, Mrs. I. Unamboowe, Miss. G.L.M. Nethsinghe, Mr. Wilfred Gunasekera and Mr. M.A.P. Senadhira.

3.2 SLTIC Project

- 3.2.1 Miss. S.M. Jayasuriya, Library Assistant completed her training at AIT Bangkok, National Library of Malaysia and National Library of Singapore and returned to Sri Lanka in May 1979.
- 3.2.2 Mrs. N.P. Wanasundera, Documentalist completed a three month fellowship in UK. Her training included a two month course at College of Librarianship, Wales and a four weeks training in a British Library.
- 3.2.3 Miss. I.R. de Silva, Library Assistant received a UNESCO Fellowship under the UNDP Project, and underwent a in-service training programme in India, Thailand, Malaysia and Singapore. The training programme covered a period of about 3 months.
- 3.2.4 An advanced copy of the report by Dr. Stephan Schwarz, Director of the Royal Institute of Technology Library Stockholm, who had been attached to the project as a UNESCO Consultant, was received.
- 3.2.5 A consignment of equipment ordered in 1978 had been received. This included a paper cutter (IDEAL), Off-set printing, machine, Edge Binder, safety trimmer, lettering stencil, stapler, Micro reader printer, a card duplicator, TV receiver and a video cassette recorder.

3.3 Coordination with local libraries

3.3.1 The work connected with the cooperating activities with local libraries had been continued. This included.

- (a) Union Catalogue of S&T books;
- (b) Inter library loan scheme;
- (c) Cooperative acquisition scheme.

3.3.2 A meeting of librarians of S & T institutions was held at the NSC on 19th January 1979. 28 librarians from various institutions attended this meeting. At this meeting it was agreed to provide credit sales to the libraries which are members of SLSTIC.

3.3.3 The second meeting of Librarians of S & T institutions was convened on 8th June 1979, at the NSC Beard Room. 23 librarians from major S & T libraries attended this meeting. At the meeting the following matters were discussed:

- (a) Final draft of the cooperative scheme for the acquisition of S & T Abstracts Journals.
- (b) Survey of publication depositories of Foreign Associations.
- (c) Inter library loan request form.
- (d) Progress of the Union Catalogues.
- (e) Membership facilities of SLSTIC.
- (f) Operation of a SDI service.

4. Publications

4.1 Journal of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka

4.1.1 Printing of Vol. 6 No. 2 and Vol. 7 No. 1 were completed at the University press, Katubedda. Vol. 7 No. 2 is in press.

- 4.1.2 Editorial processing of scripts for Vol. 8 No. 1 June 1980 is underway. 750 copies of the Index to the Journal of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka, Volumes 1 - 5, were printed at SLSTIC.
- 4.1.3 A meeting of the Editorial Board was held on 16th November 1979.
- 4.1.4 Number of scripts received in 1979 for publication in the Journal - 42, as against 29 scripts for 1978.

4.2 Vidurawa - The Science News Bulletin

- 4.2.1 Printing was completed at Frewin & Co. of the following English issues:-
 - Vol. e No. 3 the Mahaweli Development Scheme II
 - Vol.3 No.4 The Brain Drain
 - Vol.4 No. 1 Conservation
- 4.2.2 Requests for articles for the following were sent:
 - Vol.4 No.2 Harnessing of Sri Lanka's Natural Resources
- 4.2.3 Printing was completed of the following Sinhala issues;-
 - Vol.2 No.3
 - Vol.2 No.4
 - Vol.3 No.1

4.3 Medicinal Plants used in Ceylon

- 4.3.1 Editing and proof reading of Parts I and II of the publication of Medicinal Plants which is being printed.
- 4.3.2 Work on Parts II, III, IV and V of this publication is in progress.

4.4 Other Publications

Following publications were issued.

Current Contents: Environment No. 2 and 3 1979

Current Science Bulletin Vol. 2 No.4

Sri Lanka Science Index Vol. 2 No.4, Vol.3 No.1

5. Seminars, Conferences etc.

5.1 Workshop on collaboration with the Sri Lanka Foundation Institute and the Committee on Science and Technology in developing countries (COSTED) conducted a Workshop at the SLFI from 15 - 19 November 1979. This Workshop was attended by the specialists from abroad under the sponsorship of COSTED and about 20 participants from the academic staff of universities.

5.2 Workshop on Demonstration Experiments in Physics

This Workshop was organized by the National Science Council in collaboration with the Sri Lanka Foundation Institute, and the Committee on Science and Technology for Developing Countries, and was held at the SLFI on the 17th of November 1979. It was attended by three foreign scientists and about 30 staff members of the universities.

5.3 Workshop on Post Harvest Food Losses

This Workshop is being organized by the NSC and the National Academy of Sciences, USA and will be held in February 1980. Several Ministries, departments and corporations associated with this subject have agreed to co-operate in the organization of the meeting. These institutions were also invited to nominate suitable participants for the workshop.

A meeting of these nominees was convened on the 17th of December to draw up the programme, and to appoint sub-committees for the preparation of overview papers.

3.4 Proposed Workshop on the Survey of Natural Resources and Land Use Patterns

Discussions were held with the Surveyor General on the above subject, and in consultation with him and the US AID Office, a consultant (Dr. Charles Paul) was invited to visit Sri Lanka and advise the NSC on the proposed workshop due to take place in 1980.

6. International Matters

6.1 Preparation for UN Conference on Science & Technology for Development (UNCSTD)

6.1.1 Preparatory work for the above conference which was held in Venna in August 1979 was carried out. This include the preparation of the Revised Summary of the Sri Lanka National Paper and a paper focusing attention on special target areas to be included in the Draft Programme of Action.

6.2.2 Representatives of COSTED visited Sri Lanka and held discussions with the Vice Chancellors of the Universities, Members of the NSC and other Distinguished scientists on the "Viewpoints of Developing Countries" on the application on Science and Technology for Development. This was for the preparation of a paper for UNCSTD.

6.2 Commonwealth Science Council (CSC)

6.2.1 Steering Committee Meeting of Regional Metrology Programme

The NSC co-sponsored with the Weights & Measures Division of the Price Control Department, the holding of the above meeting in Sri Lanka.

Participants from New Zealand, Malaysia, India, Sri Lanka and the CSC attended the Six day meeting (28th March - 3rd April) held in the conference room of the National Institute of Business Management.

6.2.2 Commonwealth Regional (Asia/Pacific) Rural Technology Programme

The National Science Council being the national member of the CSC, continued to be in the Steering Committee of the above programme. Steps were taken to nominate national co-ordinators for the 19 projects in which Sri Lanka has agreed to participate. Four of these projects (Project Nos. 3, 5, 7, 10 and 19) are to be developed by Sri Lanka, and hence for these the national co-ordinators will in addition function as the Regional Co-ordinators. On behalf of the Steering Committee, the NSC representative prepared a comprehensive project document for project No. 19 - "Exchange Programme for Craftsmen".

6.3 Indo-Sri Lanka Agreement on Co-operation in Science and Technology

With the extension of the programme for another term of five years interest was revived, and new proposals for collaborative studies have been received. Nine proposals by interested departments and institutions have been recommended for inter-country collaboration. The proposal by CISIR for a study tour scientists is now receiving attention.

7. Nominations for Seminars, Conferences, Training Courses etc.

- 7.1 Mr. L.A. Goonetilleke, a Research Assistant of the CISIR was nominated to follow the International Seminar in Chemistry at the University of Uppsala, Sweden.
- 7.2 Prof. P.C.B. Fernando, a member of the NSC attended the Inter-regional Symposium on Solar Energy in Tokyo from 4th - 9th February 1979.
- 7.3 Mr. L.C.A. de S. Wijesinghe, Deputy Secretary-General, NSC was invited to attend the 'DNCSTD Meeting of Experts for the Preparation of the Position paper for Group 77', in New York from 2nd to 6th April 1979, but was unable to do so due to ill health.

- 7.4 Dr. R.P. Jayewardene, Secretary-General NSC attended the COSTED General Meeting in Singapore from 27 - 30 April 1979.
- 7.5 Dr. R.P. Jayewardene, Secretary-General, NSC attended the WHO Regional Advisory Committee Meeting on Medical Research (SEA/ACMR) in Bangkok from 2nd - 5th April 1979.
- 7.6 Dr. R.P. Jayewardene, Secretary-General, NSC attended the seventh ASCA meeting in Seoul from 14th - 22nd May 1979.
- 7.7 Mr. M.A.T. de Silva, Assistant Secretary-General, NSC attended the third Sub-regional Meeting of Experts on UNCSTD in Kathmandu from 22nd - 25th May 1979.
- 7.8 Mr. N.U.Yapa, Librarian, NSC participated in a Conference on Science and Technology for Development sponsored by COSTED, held in Malaysia from 26th - 30th May 1979.
- 7.9 Mr. M.A.T. de Silva, Assistant Secretary General NSC attended 2nd Steering Committee Meeting of the Commonwealth Regional Rural Technology Programme in Papua New Guinea from 11th - 15th June 1979.
- 7.10 Mr. H.P.N.J. Gunasekera of the CISIR and Mr. K.A. Gunasoma of the Price Control Department attended the "Basic Training Course on Legal and Industrial Metrology in New Delhi from 27th June to 6th July 1979.
- 7.11 Mrs. C.M.Fernando, Scientific Officer, NSC attended the Research Study on Developmental and Environmental Information Base for Rural Development Programmes Project Meeting in Bangkok from 16th to 18th July 1979.
- 7.12 Mr. L.C.A. de S. Wijesinghe, Deputy Secretary General, NSC was nominated to be a member of the Sri Lanka team for the UNCSTD Conference held in August but he could not attend the conference due to ill health.
- 7.13. Dr. R. Mahalingasivam attended the 3rd General Meeting of the association of Asian Social Science Research Councils and amalgamated Bodies held in Manila in September 1979.

- 7.14 Dr. P.A.J. Ratnasiri of the CISIR and Messrs. H.L.K. Gunatilleke and Madanyake of the Weights & Measures Division of the Price Control Department were nominated to attend the First Review Meeting of the Commonwealth Regional Metrology Programme in Wellington New Zealand from 29th October to 9th November 1979.
- 7.15 Mr. N.U.Yapa, Librarian, NSC participated in a Regional Meeting of Directors of Information Centres in Asia and Africa which was held in Thailand from 12th to 14th November 1979.
- 7.16 Dr. H.N.S. Karunatilake, Chairman of the Working Committee on Social Science Research, NSC attended the Fourth General Conference of the National Social Science Councils and analogous Bodies held in Paris from 19th - 22nd November 1979.
- 7.17 Mr. M.A.T. de Silva, Assistant Secretary General, NSC attend the First Review Meeting of the Commonwealth Regional Rural Technolgh Programme in Seychelles from 26th - 30th November 1979.
- 7.18 Mr. M.A.T. de Silva, Assistant Secretary General, NSC attended as an invitee/observer the Workshop on Post Harvest Food Conservation in New Delhi from 3 - 9 December 1979.
- 7.19 Mrs. S.P. Prelis, Scientific Officer, NSC attended the Research Management and Administration Workshop in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from 4 - 11 December 1979.

8. International Awards

- 8.1 The Kalinga Price 1979 and the Guinness Awards 1979/80 were advertised in the newspapers.

Applications are being processed by selected panels appointed for this purpose. Nominations will be forwarded to the respective International Bodies

8.2 Information on the Carlos J. Finlay Prize for Microbiology and the ESSO Award on energy, was circulated to relevant institutions, requesting nominations.

9. Reports and documents

9.1 Corporate Plan - 1980 - 84

A Corporate Plan covering the activities of the NSC was prepared and submitted to the Ministry.

9.2 Report of the activities of the NSC

A report of the activities of the NSC in relation to the NSC Law was prepared for the Consultative Committee of Parliament, and a number of copies were forwarded to the Ministry.

9.3 Report of the Seminar on the NSC Research Grants Scheme

The proceedings of an internal seminar on NSC's Research Grants Scheme held on the 8th of May 1979 was published for the benefit of the Members of the Council. Copies of this report have been made available to the Ministry of Industries & Scientific Affairs, and also the Parliamentary Committee on Public Enterprises (COPE).

9.4 Research Grants

A scheme was drawn up for extracting information on completed and on-going research projects and transferring it on to perforated cards so that information on projects and the grantees would be readily accessible.

10. Visitors

1. Mr. Jens Kampmann Director, General, Environmental Protection, Denmark.
2. Mr. Surendra J. Patel Director, Technology Division Geneva
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Science Council, London
11. Dr. Osman Shinaishin National Science Foundation, U.S.A
12. Mr. John R. Britten Overseas Division, U.K.
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18. Dr. S. Tejuja WHO/SEARO India
19. Prof. C. Pinazzx Maine University & IRAP, France
20. Mr. Paul L Bondick NTIS
21. Dr. M.G.C. Mc Donald Dons, National Academy of Sciences
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Rs.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.
1,630,031				
190,420	MAN AND THE BIOSPHERE FUND	221,322.44		
<u>75,000</u>	Add: Drawings from Treasury	<u>221,322.44</u>		
265,420		300,000.00		
<u>225,000</u>	Add: Treasury Deposits		521,322.44	
490,420	Less: Expenditure for the year ended		<u>251,345.08</u>	
<u>169,098</u>	Schedule I(b)		269,977.36	
321,322	Money received from Mahaweli Development Board			
-				
-	Less: Expenditure for the year ended 31.12.79	<u>1,314.75</u>		
<u>321,322</u>			<u>728,620.87</u>	
33,176	MISCELLANEOUS FUND ACCOUNT			
<u>605,370</u>	SCIENTIFIC MANPOWER PROJECT FUND	532,640.08		
25,000	Add: Drawings from Treasury	<u>532,640.08</u>		
<u>630,370</u>		100,000.00		
75,000	Add: Treasury Deposits		632,640.08	
<u>705,370</u>	Less: Expenditure for the year ended		<u>129,607.28</u>	
72,730	Schedule I(c)			
<u>632,640</u>				503,032.80
125,971	STATUTORY WORKING GROUPS AND SPECIALISED PANELS	106,255.61		
<u>150,000</u>	Add: Drawings from Treasury	<u>60,000.00</u>		
275,971		166,255.61		
<u>100,000</u>	Add: Treasury Deposits	<u>140,000.00</u>		
375,971	Less: Transfer to Publication on Indegenous & Exotic Plants		306,255.61	
<u>80,000</u>	Money received from other Institutions		<u>306,255.61</u>	
295,971	Less: Expenditure for the year ended		49,422.60	
-	Schedule I(d)		<u>355,678.21</u>	
<u>295,971</u>			<u>72,340.00</u>	
29,716				
<u>256,255</u>				
1,873,424				
				<u>282,338.21</u>
				4,622,138.24

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NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 1979

Net Balance as
at 31.12.1979

Accumulated
Depreciation

Additions or
Disposals
during the year

Cost as at
01.01.79

REPRESENTED BY

at 31.12.79

Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.
411,472		184,040.51	885,313.00	707,503.86	361,849.65		
17,808		360,547.55	86,650.00	432,178.99	15,018.56		
158,266		356,196.00	(70,437.32)	170,556.51	115,202.17		
203		1,562.05	750.00	1,937.46	374.59		
-		1,504.00	-	1,504.00	-		
9,661		31,273.80	3,245.90	28,515.61	6,004.09		
389,683		389,683.77	144,626.91	-	534,310.68		
783,480							
32,245							
1502,818		1,076,441.32	383,986.83	371,757.76	1,090,670.39		
		45,352.98	277,508.57	77,679.27	245,182.28		
		2,448,601.98	1,711,643.89	1,791,633.46	2,368,612.41		

13,954
452

13,953.64
451.64

31,371

1548,595

Telephone Installation of D.P.
National Emblem
Goodwill on Sales & Exchanges of
Council Publications

246,554
388,649

225,965.49
237,098.12

14,322

2642,000

STOCKS & DEBTORS
Stocks-Schedule No. IV
Debtors-Schedule No.V
Prepayments-Schedule No.VI
Treasury Deposit
Deposits-Schedule No. VII

12,071

78,563.77
2,461,581.46

500
813

2,500.00
500,823.01

142,893.74
894,768.46

36,222

CASH & BANK BALANCES
Petty Cash
Cash in Hand
Balance at Bank A/C No. 7572
No. 7686

713,941
4055,072

7,453,754.08

3,017
967

1,207,662.00

9,915,335.54

5607,651

Equipment in transit
Suspense Account

3,017
967

9,915,335.54

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1979

For the year
ended 31.12.78
Rs.

Rs. Cts. Rs. Cts. Rs. Cts.

5172	Interest Received	4,511.07		
286	Sundry Income	<u>551.76</u>	5,062.83	
	Sale of S & T Periodical Directory	30.00		
	Sale of Sundrying Methodology Report	30.00		
	Sale of Current Foreign Science Serials	37.50		
	Sale of Environmental Management in Sri Lanka Report	150.00		
	Sale of Science Policy Planning Seminar Report	20.00		
	Sale of Natural Products Publications	121.57		
240	Sale of Scientific & Technical Research Institutions in Sri Lanka Publications	50.00		
	Sale of Union List of Indexing & Abstracting in Sri Lanka Publications	20.00		
	Sale of Bibliography of Scientific Publications	443.93		
	Sale of Scientific & Technical Research Project Report	120.00		
742	Sale of Social Science Publications	1,705.43		
	Sale of Scientific & Technical Libraries in Sri Lanka	47.50		
167	Sale of Sri Lanka Science Index	162.50		
	Sale of Seminar Report on Tourism	1,290.67		
125	Sale of Current Science Bulletin	70.00		
	Sale of MAB Publications	130.50		
	Sale of Research & Development Report	200.00		
	Sale of Sri Lanka Paper for UNSTED	40.00		
60	Sale of Annual Report	-		
1017	Discount on NTIS Publication Orders	-		

4,669.60

9,732.43

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Rs.		Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.
7809	Balance b/f			9,732.43
	Less: <u>Expenditure for the year</u>			
	<u>Council Expenditure</u>			
8249	Travelling (Council Members & Sub-Committees & Panels)	18,179.90		
16000	Seminars & Symposis -	20,847.30		
13574	Printing & Publications	13,221.05		
515	Research Studentships (Commissioned Research)	250.00		
55043	Subscriptions to International Scientific Unions	75,233.55		
25000	Participation in International Scientific Work	55,630.93		
539	Incidental Expences for Visiting Scientists			
-	Surveys on Scientific & Technical Potential in Sri Lanka	100.00		
-	Expenditure on Seminar on Metrology	<u>3,232.96</u>		
113920			186,695.69	
-			19,940.69	
	Cost of Publications as at 01.01.79 - Schedule No. VIII			
	<u>Staff Emoluments</u>			
511025	Salaries & Allowances	610,887.34		
83136	Employees Provident Fund (Council Contribution)	71,266.18		
42743	Overtime	<u>44,230.74</u>		
636904			726,384.26	
	<u>Office Administration</u>			
2898	Travelling (official)	3,734.60		
47237	Stationery	51,698.70		
4636	Electricity	4,809.29		
19069	Telephone	16,419.69		
3000	Welfare & Recreation Contribution	5,000.00		
11444	Postage	22,000.50		
5000	Audit Fees	3,850.00		
2871	Bank Charges	728.97		
8478	Sundry Expenses - Schedule IX	9,261.19		
4192	Entertainment	3,420.51		
126	Medical Expenses	620.60		
24439	Advertising	<u>44,938.00</u>		
133390		166,542.05	<u>933,020.64</u>	<u>9,732.43</u>

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Rs.		Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.
<u>133398</u>	Balance b/f	166,542.05	933,020.64	9,732.43
50979	Maintenance of Motor Vehicles	58,459.82		
5609	Maintenance of Office Equipment & Furniture	5,884.82		
14505	Consumables	17,577.06		
5673	Maintenance of Office and Building	13,555.32		
2000	Contingencies	-		
5000	Legal Fees	50.00		
-	Security Services	11,916.11		
-	UMAPDI Expenses	3,426.70		
<u>388120</u>	Depreciation Schedule No. X	<u>397,655.00</u>		
<u>606276</u>			<u>675,066.88</u>	
				<u>1,608,087.52</u>
<u><u>1354231</u></u>	Excess of Expenditure Over Income			<u><u>1,598,355.09</u></u>

N.S.C. PUBLICATIONS - TRADING A/C FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.12.79

Description	N.S.C. Journal	Vidurava	S.S.R. Journal	Description	N.S.C. Journal	Vidurava	S.S.R. Journal
	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.		Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.
Stock on 1.1.79							
Papers - 37,174.86				Sales	5,270.63	1,825.50	3,679.07
Books - 71,716.89	108,891.75	10,869.85	10,639.52	Complementaries	5,644.54	1,890.20	1,000.70
Purchases -	2,722.55	-	-	Stock at 31.12.79			
Papers	-	13,193.50	33,442.00	Papers-29,706.29			
Printing charges	1,738.40	1,155.30	-	Books- 73,026.88			
Translation charges	720.00	2,898.75	1,203.75	Less: Transfer	102,633.17	10,612.18	19,036.32
Advertising	1,590.05	413.75	594.55	Goodwill			
Postage	52.50	66.65	22.90				
Commission paid		1,890.20	1,000.00		7,811.45	16,160.12	23,187.22
Complementaries	5,644.54	30,488.00	46,903.42		121,359.79	30,488.00	46,903.42
	<u>121,359.79</u>						

PHOTOCOPIER: SERVICE TRADING & PROFIT & LOSS A/C

	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Re. Cts.
Stock of stationary at 1.1.79	9923.87		
Purchase	<u>11102.50</u>		
	21026.37		
Loss: Stock as at 31.12.79	<u>5600.00</u>		
Depreciation		15426.37	
Electricity		<u>6720.00</u>	
		70.95	
		<u>20217.32</u>	
			5039.20
		<u>15128.12</u>	
		<u>20217.32</u>	

Schedule No: I

EXPENSES ON RESEARCH GRANTS

Expenditure on Grants award in
1979 Schedule No:
Provision for balance funds on
Grants awarded in 1979

	<u>Rs.</u>	<u>Cts.</u>	<u>Rs.</u>	<u>Cts.</u>
	329,974.24			
	<u>876,453.96</u>		1,206,428.90	
			449,839.00	
			343,960.42	
			28,844.03	
			<u>15,922.50</u>	
			2,044,994.15	
			=====	

Provision for Grants award in 1978
Provision for Grants award in 1977
Provision for Grants award in 1976
Provision for Grants award in 1975

MAN & THE BIOS PHERE

Schedule No: 8(b)

MAB/P/3
MAB/77/3.1
MAB/77/3.2
MAB/79/2.1
MAB/79/2.2
MAB/79/2
MAB/77/1.1
MAB/77/1.2/2
MAB/77/1.3/1
MAB/77/1.3/2
MAB/77/1.3/3
MAB/79/1
National Committee

	79,202.16		
	13,252.48		
	2,730.00		
	11,909.44		
	1,400.00		
	17,861.05		
	50,004.28		
	6,073.28		
	17,170.10		
	3,747.25		
	10,324.73		
	10,880.97		
	<u>26,389.34</u>		
			251,345.08
			=====

SCIENTIFIC MANPOWER PROJECT.

Schedule No: I (c).

Plant Science Grant
PSG/74/3
PSG/74/6
PSG/74/7
PSG/78/2
PSG/78/4
PSG/78/5
PGIA

	720.00
	5,850.00
	109.50
	55,100.31
	498.47
	7,280.00
	<u>60,050.00</u>

Schedule No: I (d)

	<u>Rs.</u>	<u>Cts.</u>	<u>Rs.</u>	<u>Cts.</u>
<u>STATUTORY WORKING GROUPS</u>				
Science Education Research	42,591.25			
Social Science Research	25,748.25			
Science Policy Research	<u>5,000.00</u>			
			73,340.00	=====

SAREC

Schedule (e)

Sarec 3	248,136.85			
Sarec 4	142,962.95			
Sarec 5	246,066.07			
			637,165.87	=====

SCHEDULE NO: 5

CREDITORS.

		<u>Rs. Cts.</u>
Miss. S. Amarasekera.		100.00
Grosvenor Caterers Ltd.		24.50
Mr. M.A.T. de Silva.	140.00	
	<u>68.05</u>	
		208.05
Prof. V. Pasnayaka.	288.00	
	<u>188.50</u>	
		476.50
Mr. L.C.A. de S. Wijesinghe.		35.00
United Motors		361.50
Frewin & Co. Ltd.	1800.00	
	<u>2850.00</u>	
		4650.00
Kalamazoo Systems Ltd.		3350.00
Mr. P. Hettihewa.		115.20
Mr. D. Somapala.		54.72
Holiday Inn Hotel	2924.70	
	<u>1111.00</u>	
		4288.70
Dr. R. Mahalingasivam.		24.50
Felix Pereira and Son.		1196.06
Ceylon Electricity Board		1558.62
Auditor General		3850.00
M.I.S. Security Services		3050.00
A. D. Nimaladasa.		1.35
NTIS - Receipt.		9120.50
Seminar on Forest Harvest		6000.00
Katubedde Press		6949.75
Mrs. K. Abeynayake.		80267.84
Dr. Vasney		1000.00
Dr. C.V.S. Gunatilake.		<u>34381.53</u>
Total		<u>161064.32</u>

SCHEDULE NO: 11

PROVISIONS FOR THE YEAR 1979.

Research Grants	1974 & Before	66,495.35
" "	1975	177,666.26
" "	1976	100,528.56
" "	1977	640,053.13
" "	1978	492,201.10
" "	1979	<u>855,110.11</u>
		2,332,054.51
Indigenous and Exotic Plants		141,045.00
Provision for subscription to Commonwealth Science Council		36,063.74
Salaries & E P P- Mr. M. B. Piyasena.		<u>3,933.44</u>
		<u>2,513,096.69</u> =====

SCHEDULE NO: 3

PROVISION AVAILABLE FOR RESEARCH GRANTS UP TO 1975

	Rs. Cts.
NSCA/1/17/31	658.68
NSCA/1/17/01	2,879.15
2/RG/72/12	93.25
2/RG/72/30	1,150.00
2/RG/72/39	3,780.00
2/RG/73/16	2,015.30
2/RG/74/03	1,800.00
2/RG/74/09	7,000.00
2/RG/74/18	11,494.35
2/RG/74/19	12,300.00
2/RG/74/23	5,725.62
2/RG/74/31	1,000.00
2/RG/76/27	<u>16,599.00</u>
	<u>66,495.35</u>

NATIONAL SERVICE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

PROVISION & EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS AWARDED IN 1975

Grant No:	Total provision for 1976, 1977 & 1978	Additional allocation for 1979	Expenditure for 1979	Total provision available for 1976
	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.
RG/75/01	6717.60	-	-	6717.60
RG/75/02	-	-	-	-
RG/75/03	1924.63	-	1921.60	3.03
RG/75/04	2505.25	-	-	2505.25
RG/75/05	1115.95	-	-	1115.95
RG/75/06	-	-	-	-
RG/75/07	18495.10	-	-	18495.10
RG/75/08	33024.37	-	-	33024.37
RG/75/09	14407.31	-	2530.21	11877.10
RG/75/10	24625.27	-	-	24625.27
RG/75/12	18.59	-	-	18.59
RG/75/13	623.81	-	-	623.81
RG/75/14	-	-	-	-
RG/75/16	1.61	-	-	1.61
RG/75/17	3634.17	-	-	3634.17
RG/75/19	1777.18	-	528.00	1249.18
RG/75/21	-	-	-	-
RG/75/23	16311.40	3352.50	5452.50	16211.40
RG/75/24	(1465.27)	-	-	(1465.27)
30.5	125716.97	3352.50	10432.31	118637.16

Grant No:	Total provision for 1976, 1977 & 1978	Additional allocation for 1979	Expenditure for 1979	Total provision available for 1976
	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.
RG/75/25	125716.97	3352.50	10432.31	118637.16
RG/75/26	146754.56	-	-	10754.56
RG/75/27	(400.00)	-	-	(400.00)
RG/75/28	-	-	-	-
RG/75/29	-	-	-	-
RG/75/30	-	-	-	-
RG/75/31	-	-	-	-
RG/75/32	2082.50	-	393.80	1688.70
RG/75/33	-	-	-	-
RG/75/34	6900.00	-	889.00	6011.00
RG/75/35	-	-	-	-
RG/75/36	2756.78	-	1220.00	1536.78
RG/75/37	482.64	-	-	482.64
RG/75/38	2123.88	-	-	2123.88
RG/75/39	-	-	-	-
RG/75/40	2947.20	-	-	2947.20
RG/75/41	(320.71)	-	-	(320.71)
RG/75/42	1188.00	-	827.60	360.40
RG/75/43	-	-	-	-
RG/75/44	1650.50	-	-	1650.50
RG/75/45	10525.87	750.00	2167.74	9108.13
RG/75/46	2153.23	-	-	2153.23
RG/75/47	15300.00	-	-	15300.00
RG/75/48	4950.00	11820.00	8190.00	8580.00
TOTAL	188611.41	15922.50	24110.45	180613.46
				Less : Terminated & Completed Grants
				2947.20
				177666.26

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA
PROVISION & EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS AWARDED IN 1976

Grant No.	Total provision for 1976, 1977 & 1978 Rs. Cts.	Additional allocation for 1979 Rs. Cts.	Expenditure for 1979 Rs. Cts.	Total provision available for 1976 Rs. Cts.
RG/76/01	29602.98	9242.50	17096.40	21749.08
RG/76/02	3874.41	-	-	3874.41
RG/76/03	15577.00	11990.00	10777.90	16789.10
RG/76/04	8415.07	3151.53	15933.13	(4366.53)
RG/76/05	-	-	-	-
RG/76/06	21794.79	-	-	21794.79
RG/76/07	42.68	-	-	42.68
RG/76/08	4452.79	-	1328.45	3124.34
RG/76/09	10800.10	520.00	2056.82	9263.28
RG/76/10	3405.69	-	3735.98	(330.29)
RG/76/11	(119.20)	-	213.54	(332.74)
RG/76/12	5740.56	670.00	4279.46	2121.10
RG/76/13	5798.41	1710.00	9310.00	(1801.59)
RG/76/14	22472.00	-	-	22472.00
RG/76/15	(2084.35)	-	-	(2084.35)
RG/76/16	4585.00	-	407.00	4178.00
RG/76/17	4763.10	-	-	4763.10
RG/76/18	-	-	-	-
RG/76/19	5000.00	-	-	5000.00
RG/76/20	-	-	-	-
RG/76/21	13937.85	1560.00	8635.50	6862.35
RG/76/22	7683.00	-	330.00	7353.00
RG/76/23	(3969.50)	-	328.75	(4298.25)
RG/76/24	-	-	-	-
RG/76/25	(1788.69)	-	-	(1788.69)
RG/76/26	1631.76	-	3368.77	(1737.01)
RG/76/27	3633.92	-	3399.50	234.42
RG/76/28	(1169.19)	-	500.00	(1669.19)
RG/76/29	5346.68	-	-	5346.68
RG/76/30	20579.63	-	618.90	19960.73
TOTAL	190006.49	28844.03	82320.10	136530.42

Less: Terminated & Completed Grants

36001.86
100528.56

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA
PROVISION: & EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS AWARDED IN 1977

Grant No.	R.A./T.A./Others		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total provision for 1979	Add. Funds	Provision for 1977 & 1978	Total Expenditure	Total provision available
	Rs. Cts.		Rs. Cts.	Local	Rs. Cts.	Foreign							
RG/77/01	7800.00	-	-	-	-	-	600.00	250.00	8650.00	800.00	2900.00	4717.20	7632.80
RG/77/02	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8205.64	672.52	7534.12
RG/77/03	-	-	-	-	7820.00	6000.00	3600.00	6981.00	24401.00	-	17986.78	-	42387.78
RG/77/04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15675.00	-	15675.00
RG/77/05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3903.50	687.80	3215.70
RG/77/06	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13615.25	400.00	13615.25
RG/77/07	7800.00	-	-	-	3158.00	-	-	-	10963.00	2490.00	17935.00	10290.00	21104.00
RG/77/08	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1183.17	331.85	611.32
RG/77/09	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(14348.60)	56.50	(14405.10)
RG/77/10	3000.00	-	-	-	20.00	1000.00	8400.00	500.00	13520.00	1335.00	23570.40	9922.71	28502.69
RG/77/11	7800.00	-	-	-	2508.00	800.00	3600.00	-	14708.00	2490.00	17226.00	14342.83	20081.17
RG/77/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	500.00	10300.00	2910.00	4077.10	10500.00	6787.10
RG/77/13	7800.00	-	508.00	-	-	1000.00	-	-	12100.00	2280.00	11796.30	11078.25	15096.05
RG/77/14	7800.00	-	-	-	-	-	1000.00	-	8800.00	1462.50	60.93	12042.75	(1719.32)
RG/77/15	7800.00	-	-	-	-	-	200.00	-	6000.00	2490.00	6407.35	11039.00	5838.35
RG/77/16	7800.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6884.75	-	4884.75	713.80	4170.95
RG/77/17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7800.00	-	16150.00	280.00	23670.00
RG/77/18	7800.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	7800.00	7800.00	-	21190.00	-	28900.00
RG/77/19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8651.20	81.40	8569.80
RG/77/20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(328.94)	-	(328.94)
RG/77/21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1862.80	22753.30	3682.50	20333.30
RG/77/22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6600.00	6600.00	-	5000.30	1151.20	12449.10
RG/77/23	7800.00	-	-	-	800.00	-	-	-	-	-	8548.20	-	8548.20
RG/77/24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1240.00	9088.80	5856.00	4472.80
RG/77/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1451.25	10746.90	6546.06	5662.09
RG/77/26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
C/D	81000.00	-	500.00	-	17416.00	10600.00	17900.00	8231.00	135647.00	20211.25	236948.33	104392.37	288416.21

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Grant No.	Others Personnel		Equipment		Consumables		Travel	Other	Total provision for 1979	Add. Funds	Provision for 1977 & 1978	Total Expenditure	Total provision available	
	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Foreign	Local	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.								Rs. Cts.
C/F	81000.00	500.00	17116.00	10600.00	17900.00	8231.00	8231.00	20211.25	23698.33	104392.37	288414.21			
RG/77/27	19200.00	-	13200.00	6000.00	5600.00	1000.00	1000.00	3157.50	11988.20	21357.85	148197.85			
RG/77/28	7800.00	-	3300.00	800.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	1565.00	10839.38	6880.42	18403.96			
RG/77/29	7800.00	-	1350.00	800.00	1000.00	200.00	200.00	-	2683.90	6079.01	8054.89			
RG/77/30	-	-	6133.00	800.00	-	-	-	9945.00	725.49	9681.97	7926.52			
RG/77/31	15600.00	-	15740.00	1200.00	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00	-	29120.00	532.88	85117.12			
RG/77/32	-	-	115.00	400.00	3150.00	-	-	-	6555.65	-	6555.65			
RG/77/33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2951.48	-	6696.48			
RG/77/34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	256.67	2180.00	-	2180.00			
RG/77/35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	971.90	(217.70)			
RG/77/36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	497.53	-	2507.50			
RG/77/37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13750.00	-	13750.00			
RG/77/38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
RG/77/39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
RG/77/40	3600.00	-	-	-	8000.00	6000.00	6000.00	-	32045.55	7491.97	42153.58			
RG/77/41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(8844.67)	2.50	(8847.17)			
RG/77/42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3355.00	502.55	2852.45			
RG/77/43	6800.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6000.00	-	6000.00			
RG/77/44	-	-	-	750.00	1500.00	1000.00	1000.00	-	1189.97	3172.32	1267.65			
RG/77/45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1350.70	705.00	645.70			
RG/77/46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5391.80	-	5391.80			
RG/77/47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1002.50	818.50	184.00			
RG/77/48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3560.09	-	3560.09			
RG/77/49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4500.00	-	4500.00			
RG/77/50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2410.00	-	2410.00			
RG/77/51	-	-	-	2000.00	1000.00	250.00	250.00	-	6738.40	1353.83	13434.57			
RG/77/52	5000.00	-	-	4000.00	700.00	-	-	9004.69	(5103.02)	2704.25	10923.77			
RG/77/53	132200.00	500.00	55516.00	36430.00	39750.00	17681.00	17681.00	44117.11	4895559.83	156647.32	653420.92			
140000.00	500.00	500.00	66384.00	41030.00	40750.00	18161.00	18161.00	44117.11	686558.14	166647.32	692472.93			
													3215.00	
														640053.13

Less: Terminated & Completed Grants

SCHEDULE NO. 3 (e)

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

PROVISIONS & EXPENDITURES ON GRANTS AWARDED IN 1978

Grant No.	B.A./F.A./Others Personnel		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total Provision for 1978		Add Funds	Provision for 1978		Total Expenditure		Total provision available		
	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.			Rs.	Cts.		Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.	Cts.	Rs.
RG/78/01	11400.00						130.00		12900.00		2490.00		9939.99		13400.26		11929.73	
RG/78/02	3600.00				15000.00		350.00	1890.00	15840.00		2152.50		6935.82		15042.09		9936.03	
RG/78/03	8400.00				6000.00		400.00	2300.00	17100.00		250.00		6530.38		16963.89		6966.49	
RG/78/04	7840.00				6000.00	2424.00	4000.00	10000.00	30264.00		1668.75		10815.00		16412.99		26334.94	
RG/78/05	4800.00						500.00	5300.00	10600.00				18005.00		28605.00		28605.00	
RG/78/06	3600.00				10000.00		500.00	500.00	14600.00				9571.35		7919.80		16252.35	
RG/78/07	15600.00						2500.00		18100.00		1903.75		19200.00		5190.00		34013.75	
RG/78/08	7800.00								7800.00		1875.00		2902.21		6000.00		5577.21	
RG/78/09						5428.00			10078.00				20000.00				30078.00	
RG/78/10	7800.00				300.00		2350.00		11850.00				2915.00		201.25		12563.75	
RG/78/11	500.00						1000.00	150.00	11948.00				2000.00		873.80		13074.20	
RG/78/12	15600.00	8500.00				1948.00	1000.00	500.00	55300.00		3320.00		13618.18		39917.84		30120.34	
RG/78/13	7800.00	32000.00				4000.00	200.00	500.00	19640.00		2365.00		13863.20		8994.40		22853.80	
RG/78/14	7800.00					740.00	500.00	250.00	11800.00		1817.50		21769.95		34917.78		469.87	
RG/78/15						38000.00			14000.00				2124.58		1154.65		14969.93	
RG/78/16	7800.00					12000.00			7800.00		2490.00		7431.92		11350.00		6371.92	
RG/78/17	7400.00					12000.00	100.00	500.00	14600.00				13799.14		245.50		28143.34	
RG/78/18													17100.00				17100.00	
RG/78/19	10200.00					4000.00	3500.00	500.00	18700.00		2302.50		5053.22		9443.32		19615.90	
RG/78/20	3000.00					4000.00			10000.00				1079.96		1761.83		8818.13	
RG/78/21	3600.00					7274.00			11774.00				13833.17		10229.08		15378.09	
RG/78/22													8578.93		2513.12		5065.81	
RG/78/23									5600.00		2490.00		8192.50		10501.65		5780.35	
RG/78/24													853.50				853.50	
RG/78/25						3600.00	300.00	500.00	6900.00				6900.00		6895.85		6904.15	
RG/78/26							40000.00	4000.00	44000.00				104683.08		41171.45		12750.65	
G/F	13130.00	40500.00	4400.00	40950.00	68314.00	59700.00	27890.00	373394.00	25125.00	25745.06	261646.25	394527.61						

Grant No.	L.A./T.A./Others		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total priority for 1979	Add. Funds	Provisioned for 1978	Total Expenditure	Total provision available
	Pers. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Foreign	Local	Foreign	Local							
B/F	131340.00	40500.00	4400.00	68814.00	40950.00	59700.00	27890.00	373394.00	25125.00	257855.06	261646.25	394527.81	
BG/78/27	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	-	500.00	-	2000.00	-	2000.00	
BG/78/23	-	-	-	-	-	1500.00	-	1500.00	-	1300.00	-	1800.00	
BG/78/29	7800.00	-	-	-	-	1500.00	250.00	9550.00	-	24451.63	13307.01	20694.62	
BG/78/30	9600.00	-	-	-	2800.00	-	-	13900.00	-	14350.00	-	28250.00	
BG/78/31	200.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	200.00	-	2414.00	1433.58	2180.42	
BG/78/32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2300.00	-	2600.00	
BG/78/33	1800.00	-	-	-	760.00	1200.00	1250.00	5000.00	-	5000.00	187.50	9812.50	
BG/78/34	1000.00	-	-	-	100.00	600.00	1400.00	3100.00	-	3000.00	6278.00	(178.00)	
BG/78/35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3312.05	-	3312.05	
BG/78/36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1200.00	-	1200.00	
BG/78/37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BG/78/38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BG/78/39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BG/78/40	1800.00	-	-	-	335.00	1200.00	1000.00	3923.00	3.35	2500.00	4464.43	2500.00	
BG/78/41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	823.35	-	1360.15	
BG/78/42	400.00	-	-	-	200.00	300.00	600.00	1500.00	-	3000.00	303.50	4196.50	
BG/78/43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3278.76	-	3278.76	
BG/78/44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1500.00	-	1500.00	
BG/78/45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.00	10250.00	499.75	9859.25	
BG/78/46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1607.10	-	1607.10	
BG/78/47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1500.00	-	1500.00	
BG/78/48	-	-	400.00	-	1400.00	900.00	500.00	3200.00	-	1513.50	1151.57	3563.03	
BG/78/49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10000.00	7200.00	2800.00	
BG/78/50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2000.00	-	2000.00	
BG/78/51	125.00	-	-	-	-	80.00	-	345.00	-	369.00	-	710.00	
BG/78/52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5000.00	-	5000.00	
BG/78/53	6400.00	-	-	-	-	2000.00	-	8400.00	1350.00	4696.00	7069.45	7576.55	
TOTAL	160465.00	40500.00	48800.00	68814.00	4681715.00	69480.00	32490.00	623264.00	26575.00	366166.15	301541.06	514464.09	

Less : Terminated & Completed grants
Amount transferred in 1978

21087.00	22262.99
1175.99	492201.10

NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

PROVISION & EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS AWARDED IN 1979

Grant No:	Personnel		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total provi- sion for '79	Total Expenditure
	Rs. Cts.		Foreign	Local	Foreign	Local				
RG/79/01	4386.00		-	(355.00)	19285.91	3799.30	820.00	13000.00	40536.21	19921.29
RG/79/02	6258.84		-	-	5000.00	8906.90	1864.96	663.25	22693.91	10368.55
RG/79/03	2144.50		5000.00	2000.00	4884.59	2000.00	1800.00	1000.00	18779.09	9705.41
RG/79/04	10300.00		-	20000.00	20000.00	8500.00	2000.00	1000.00	61800.00	-
RG/79/05	500.00		-	-	-	500.00	-	-	1000.00	-
RG/79/06	5846.46		-	-	-	317.15	7255.30	-	13418.91	13801.09
RG/79/07	12635.00		-	37050.00	750.00	6000.00	-	250.00	56685.00	3170.00
RG/79/08	1981.92		-	-	2500.00	532.70	495.50	199.05	5709.17	15143.33
RG/79/09	3900.00		-	3000.00	3000.00	-	1500.00	-	11400.00	-
RG/79/10	1610.00		-	2000.00	-	2665.50	3097.50	1000.00	10363.00	4677.00
RG/79/11	-		6900.00	2500.00	9990.00	2500.00	1000.00	500.00	21549.00	351.00
RG/79/12	8400.00		75000.00	-	5000.00	659.00	-	2000.00	92900.00	-
RG/79/13	2725.00		(2800.08)	-	3693.23	88.80	938.00	300.00	4944.95	-
RG/79/14	8400.00		-	-	15000.00	5000.00	2000.00	1000.00	31400.00	-
RG/79/15	340.00		10560.00	1000.00	10200.00	1440.00	1000.00	500.00	25040.00	4040.00
RG/79/16	1982.14		-	-	2357.75	7350.25	3469.44	(50.25)	15109.33	20510.67
RG/79/17	6333.34		-	-	-	-	1499.60	-	7832.94	3567.06
RG/79/18	-		-	-	-	1776.00	100.00	-	1876.00	2224.00
RG/79/19	1500.00		-	-	755.81	2654.00	500.00	-	5414.81	1835.19
RG/79/20	1320.54		-	-	(1592.22)	132.50	2721.52	715.00	3297.34	13992.66
RG/79/21	-		-	-	-	4098.85	1700.00	m	5798.85	2001.15
RG/79/22	(2100.00)		-	-	-	4740.00	2333.50	9500.00	14473.50	8931.50
RG/79/23	-		-	-	-	364.18	1238.10	(27.63)	1574.95	425.35
RG/79/24	-		-	-	5462.63	1600.09	521.20	-	7583.68	2916.32
RG/79/25	-		1200.00	(342.00)	-	11497.75	206.50	125.00	2437.25	1912.75
RG/79/26	2000.00		14011.60	-	7900.00	5456.35	500.00	1000.00	30867.67	4532.13
C/F	80,463,874		109,871,444	66,653,000	114137,555	72574,23	38162,12	32,674,42	514535,50	173737,40

Grant No.	Personnel	Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total provi- sion for '79	Total Expenditure
	Rs. Cts.	Foreign	Local	Foreign	Local				
RG/79/27	80463.74	Rs. Cts. 10981.44 3500.00	Rs. Cts. 66653.00	Rs. Cts. 92574.23 9000.00	38161.12	32674.42	Rs. Cts. 57435.58 12500.00	Rs. Cts. 173737.40	
RG/79/28	-	-	-	2824.46	-	-	3031.56	7208.44	
RG/79/29	-	-	-	8842.00	2580.00	1500.00	12922.00	-	
RG/79/30	-	-	5500.00	(1498.28)	1287.00	600.00	6136.22	4520.78	
RG/79/31	1658.48	-	-	(3798.50)	8770.30	410.00	7035.28	6640.72	
RG/79/32	-	-	-	3406.80	2000.00	500.00	5906.80	3493.20	
RG/79/33	-	-	825.00	(16.90)	419.75	227.00	1454.85	11795.15	
RG/79/34	3004.00	-	-	-	845.00	1000.00	5349.00	4155.00	
RG/79/35	801.78	20240.00	1959.80	-	-	(325.00)	22076.58	8565.92	
RG/79/36	-	-	(3450.00)	-	-	805.00	1142.65	10857.35	
RG/79/37	900.00	4219.37	-	-	6483.35	778.70	8287.05	4862.95	
RG/79/38	5617.09	-	-	-	2380.98	2778.13	17543.42	7356.58	
RG/79/39	7850.00	-	-	-	-	-	7850.00	995.00	
RG/79/40	5800.00	-	-	-	-	-	5800.00	3640.00	
RG/79/41	2990.00	-	-	-	-	-	2990.00	7800.00	
RG/79/42	5800.00	-	-	-	-	-	5800.00	3640.00	
RG/79/43	1327.36	-	1000.00	(4858.24)	4786.50	3000.00	6755.62	24687.38	
RG/79/44	-	6150.00	5850.00	-	2000.00	150.00	14250.00	-	
RG/79/45	11600.00	-	-	-	-	2500.00	23300.00	-	
RG/79/46	3250.00	-	-	18613.00	-	-	55786.70	1076.30	
RG/79/47	300.00	-	-	-	-	-	2500.00	-	
RG/79/48	1400.00	-	-	-	1000.00	-	2400.00	-	
RG/79/49	2250.00	-	-	-	500.00	-	527.03	2472.97	
RG/79/50	100.00	-	-	(1010.40)	-	(1113.00)	182.05	117.95	
RG/79/51	(56.00)	-	-	56.00	-	38.05	-	2500.00	
RG/79/52	250.00	-	-	300.00	200.00	-	1750.00	-	
RG/79/53	400.00	-	-	-	-	-	1400.00	2600.00	
RG/79/54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2168.80	
RG/79/55	-	-	-	-	460.00	660.00	1120.00	-	
RG/79/56	2500.00	-	-	-	5500.00	1000.00	19989.98	312.22	
RG/79/57	2900.00	-	-	-	300.00	1187.78	-	-	
C/F	141106.45	143980.81	78337.80	137651.89	126393.91	95720.16	763320.09		

Grant No.	Personnel		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total provi- sion for '79	Total Expenditure
	Rs. Cts.	Rs. Cts.	Foreign	Local	Foreign	Local				
W/F	141	106.45	143,980.81	78,337.80	137651.89	126,393.91	95720.16	40,129.07	763320.09	293,604.11
RG/79/58	2124.00	-	-	-	-	146.50	1502.00	-	4172.50	4530.00
RG/79/59	500.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	500.00	-	2500.00	-
RG/79/60	200.00	-	-	-	-	300.00	500.00	-	1000.00	-
RG/79/61	1500.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	427.60	-	2427.60	572.40
RG/79/62	57.50	-	-	-	-	150.00	(69.00)	100.00	238.50	511.50
RG/79/63	250.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	393.00	-	1143.00	107.00
RG/79/64	1500.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	1445.20	-	2445.20	554.80
RG/79/65	990.00	-	-	-	-	630.00	2400.00	-	3930.00	-
RG/79/66	-	-	-	-	-	200.00	1800.00m	-	2000.00	5400.00
RG/79/67	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	1000.00	-	1500.00	-
RG/79/68	500.00	-	-	-	-	356.00	1000.00	-	1856.50	643.50
RG/79/69	-	-	-	-	-	1000.00	1500.00	-	2500.00	-
RG/79/70	1950.00	-	-	-	-	112.50	800.00	-	2862.50	637.50
RG/79/71	300.00	-	-	-	-	250.00	150.00	-	700.00	-
RG/79/72	250.00	-	-	-	-	450.00	(2.50)	-	697.50	1002.50
RG/79/73	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	-	1000.00	-
RG/79/74	(950.00)	-	-	-	-	300.00	1200.00	-	540.00	1250.00
RG/79/75	200.00	-	-	-	-	300.00	1182.90	-	1682.90	317.10
RG/79/76	12600.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	-	1000.00	14100.00	-
RG/79/77	770.00	-	-	-	-	29.75	26.03	(410.00)	415.78	2584.22
RG/79/78	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	-	1000.00	-
RG/79/79	300.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	700.00	-	1500.00	-
RG/79/80	2000.00	-	-	-	-	1130.00	1000.00	-	4130.00	370.00
RG/79/81	-	-	-	-	-	150.00	100.00	150.00	400.00	-
RG/79/82	170.00	-	-	-	-	400.00	330.00	-	800.00	-
RG/79/83	300.00	-	-	-	-	550.00	400.10	-	1250.00	-
RG/79/84	75.00	-	-	-	-	450.00	100.00	-	1225.00	-
RG/79/85	-	-	-	-	-	332.60	279.40	-	662.00	338.00
C/F	166,992.95	143,980.81	78,337.80	137651.89	37181.76	117284.79	0969.07	821999.07	312432.63	

Grant No:	Personnel		Equipment		Consumable		Travel	Other	Total provi- sion for '79	Total Expenditure
	Re. Cts.	Re. Cts.	Re. Cts.	Re. Cts.	Foreign	Local				
7/F	66592.95	143,980.81	78,337.80	37651.89		137181.79	117284.79	40969.07	821999.07	12432.63
03/79/86	(345.00)	-	-	-	-	615.85	200.00	305.00	775.75	2224.25
03/79/87	-	-	-	-	-	600.00	900.00	1000.00	2500.00	-
03/79/88	500.00	-	-	-	-	65.00	800.00	-	1365.00	335.00
03/79/89	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	1000.00	-	1500.00	-
03/79/90	225.00	-	-	-	-	550.00	225.00	-	1000.00	-
03/79/91	675.00	-	-	-	-	400.00	500.00	-	1575.00	675.00
03/79/92	250.00	-	-	-	-	202.35	295.85	-	748.20	501.80
03/79/93	1000.00	-	-	-	-	1000.00	500.00	-	2500.00	-
03/79/94	2640.00	-	-	-	-	929.00	441.10	(1150000)	3860.00	2139.10
03/79/95	750.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	1000.00	-	2250.00	-
03/79/96	-	-	-	-	-	350.50	1448.50	-	1807.00	693.00
03/79/97	525.000	-	-	-	-	500.00	1839.80	-	2864.80	4637.70
03/79/98	-	-	-	-	-	500.00	-	-	1250.00	-
03/79/99	-	-	-	-	-	1250.00	657.00	-	1257.00	263.00
03/79/100	250.00	-	-	-	-	600.00	-	-	250.00	1250.00
03/79/101	350.00	-	-	-	-	-	675.00	(15.00)	1010.00	740.00
03/79/102	3500.00	-	-	-	-	500.00	250.00	-	4250.00	-
03/79/103	-	-	-	-	-	4000.00	11191.24	-	17191.24	1502.76
03/79/104	-	-	2250.00	-	-	3000.00	1250.00	-	6500.00	-
TOTAL	176912.95	143900.81	90597.90	37651.89	152757.16	142458.28	876453.96	399974.24		

Less Terminated & Completed grant 21343.85
 855110.11

SCHEDULE No. IV

REVENUE AS AT 31.12.1979

	Rs. Crs.	Rs. Crs.
Contingencies		5,953.06
Stationery - Office		70,015.31
Stationery - Photocopy		5,100.00
 Paper with Printer -		
Publication of Indigenous & Embic Plant	11,011.20	
Journal of the National Science Council	<u>1,477.39</u>	
		13,700.39
Stamps		4.25
Stock of Art Paper - N.S.C. Journal		28,120.20
Stock - N.S.C. Journal - Schedule No.		73,026.03
Stock - Viduram		19,012.13
Stock - S.S.E. Journal		19,035.32
		<u>225,965.49</u>

SCHEDULE NO: IV (a)

STOCK OF THE JOURNAL OF THE
NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI LANKA

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>1st January 1979</u>		<u>31st December 1979</u>	
	<u>Rs. Cts.</u>	<u>Rs. Cts.</u>	<u>Rs. Cts.</u>	<u>Rs. Cts.</u>
Volume 1 No.1	-	3104.20	-	3037.60
Volume 1 No.2	-	8466.13	-	3422.52
Volume 2 No.1 AP	760.46	-	5853.36	-
Volume 2 No.1 WP	<u>5878.59</u>	5639.05	<u>760.46</u>	6613.32
Volume 2 No.2 AP	954.72	-	5247.34	-
Volume 2 No.2 WP	<u>5611.65</u>	5304.04	<u>965.53</u>	6113.47
Volume 3 No.1 AP	1624.07	-	5107.05	-
Volume 3 No.1 WP	<u>3141.97</u>	5304.04	<u>145.01</u>	5252.06
Volume 3 No.2 AP	53.00	-	5876.54	-
Volume 3 No.2 WP	<u>5947.20</u>	6000.80	<u>53.00</u>	5929.74
Volume 4 No.1 AP	1433.32	-	4931.55	-
Volume 4 No.1 WP	<u>4973.70</u>	6407.52	<u>1433.32</u>	6355.37
Volume 4 No.2 AP	1593.40	-	6721.11	-
Volume 4 No.2 WP	<u>6762.03</u>	3355.43	<u>1572.24</u>	8293.95
Volume 5 No.1 AP	1297.92	-	3671.55	-
Volume 5 No.1 WP	<u>6477.45</u>	-	<u>1297.42</u>	4969.47
Volume 5 No.1 WP	<u>243.75</u>	3024.18	<u>4513.09</u>	-
Volume 5 No.2 AP	1320.29	-	1792.70	3310.70
Volume 5 No.2 WP	<u>4568.20</u>	6388.43	-	-
Volume 6 No.1 AP	1011.00	-	4532.50	-
Volume 6 No.1 WP	795.32	-	<u>1544.56</u>	6177.66
Volume 6 No.1 WP	<u>4655.00</u>	6461.32	-	-
Volume 6 No.2	-	-	<u>5491.22</u>	<u>5491.22</u>
T O T A L		<u>71716689</u>		<u>73026.38</u>

STOCK OF VIDURAJA

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>Stock on</u> <u>1.1.79</u> <u>Rs.Cts.</u>	<u>Stock on</u> <u>31.12.79</u> <u>Rs. Cts.</u>
Volume 1 No.1 -(112x2.88)	334.03	325.44
Volume 1 No.2 -(186x3.51)	670.41	652.86
Volume 1 No.3 -(126x3.68)	504.16	463.68
Volume 2 No.1 -(-)	12.82	-
Volume 2 No.2 -(12x7.27)	180.86	87.24
Volume 2 No.3 -(51x4.90)	298.90	249.90
Volume 2 No.4 -(132x4.90)	715.40	646.80
Volume 3 No.1 -(64x6.00)	498.00	334.00
Volume 3 No.2 -(-)	674.88	-
Volume 3 No.3 -(115x5.00)	--	575.00
Volume 3 No.4 -(129.6.00)	-	774.00
Volume 4 No.1 -(72x7.12)	-	512.64
Volume 2 No.1 (Sinhala) -(52x7.55)	1323.45	397.60
Volume 2 No.1 (Tamil) -(131x8.00)	1457.05	
Volume 2 No.2 -(178x10.69)		1902.82
Volume 2 No.3 -(175x4.90)	-	857.50
Volume 2 No.4 -(175x7.50)	-	1312.50
Volume 3 No.1 0(175x8.40)	-	1470.00
	<u>6620.01</u>	<u>10112.13</u>

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Balance as at 31.12.79

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>		<u>Stock on</u> <u>1.1.79</u>	<u>Stock on</u> <u>31.12.79</u>
Volume 1 No.1 - (435x14.46)	WP	7136.62	6290.10
Volume 1 No.1 -(197x16.06)	AP	3452.90	3153.82
Volume 1 No.2 -(435x14.46)	WP	-	6290.10
Volume 1 No.2 -(205x16.06)	AP	-	3292.30
		<u>10639.52</u>	<u>19036.32</u>

DEBTORS

	Rs.	Cts.
Dr. Ratnasiri	150.	00
C.S.C. Material Adventure	24.	11
Welfare and Recreation Settlement of Material Loan.	198.	70
Ministry of Industrial and Scientific Affairs	1000.	00
Dr. Leslee Gunatilaka	200.	00
C.S.C. Supplement	7000.	00
Geological Survey Confer. Advertisement	21225.	00
Unesco Panel Symposium	530.	16
Photographs re Symposium	900.	00
Bicycle Loan	7382.	72
Festival Advance	2800.	00
Vehicle Loan	25073.	00
Distress Loan	22741.	37
Advance re. SERC Seminar	2366.	05
Cash Imprest to Research Grantees:-		
1975	10876.	96
1976	9972.	25
1977	9700.	00
1978	21353.	50
1979	42194.	50
Cash Impres with NSCA/1/17//31	500.	00
Cash Imprest with Science Education Research Committee	16725.	55
M A B	8900.	00
National Engineering Research and Development	16.	50
Atomic Energy Authority	13.	50
Ministry of Fisheries	211.	25
University of Peradeniya	12000.	00
Director of Bureau of Ceylon Standard	82.	00
Self Liaison Committee	266.	00
Agriculture Documentation Centre	9.	00
Assist. Librarian. Univ. of Jaffna	86.	00
Associated News Papers of Cey. Ltd.	700.	00
Stafford Motor Advance paid for Motor Car	7000.	00
Mr. Yapa	600.	00
Mr. Wijetunga	500.	00
	<u>233098.</u>	<u>12</u>

SCHEDULE NO: V(a)

CASH IMPREST WITH GRANTEES

<u>Research Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
RG/75/1	500.00
RG/75/3	500.00
RG/75/4	1,500.00
RG/75/5	900.00
RG/75/7	102.41
RG/75/8; RG/75/10;	500.00
RG/75/9	500.00
RG/75/20	500.00
RG/75/23	500.00
RG/75/25	200.00
RG/75/26	500.00
RG/75/28	500.00
RG/75/29	500.00
RG/75/32	500.00
RG/75/33	300.00
RG/75/36	500.00
RG/75/37	500.00
RG/75/38	500.00
RG/75/40	500.00
RG/75/43	374.55
RG/75/44	500.00
	<u>10,876.96</u>

CASH IMPROVEMENT GRANTS.

<u>Research Grant nos:</u>	<u>Amount:</u>
RG/76/1	500.00
RG/76/2	500.00
RG/76/3	500.00
RG/76/4	1,000.00
RG/76/6	500.00
RG/76/7 =	1,500.00
RG/76/11	500.00
RG/76/12	301.00
RG/76/16	500.00
RG/76/17	500.00
RG/76/18	500.00
RG/76/22	171.25
RG/76/23	500.00
RG/76/24	500.00
RG/76/26	500.00
RG/76/27	500.00
RG/76/29	500.00
RG/76/30	500.00
	<u>9,972.25</u>
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CASH IMPREST WITH GRANTEES

<u>Research Grant nos:</u>	<u>Amount:</u>
RG/77/4	500.00
RG/77/5	500.00
RG/77/6	500.00
RG/77/10	500.00
RG/77/11	500.00
RG/77/13	500.00
RG/77/14	500.00
RG/77/17	500.00
RG/77/26	500.00
RG/77/27	500.00
RG/77/28	200.00
RG/77/29	500.00
RG/77/31	500.00
RG/77/32	500.00
RG/77/37	500.00
RG/77/38	500.00
RG/77/40	500.00
RG/77/41	500.00
RG/77/42	500.00
RG/77/53	500.00
	<u>9,700.00</u>

SCHEDULE NO: V (d)

CASH IMPREST WITH GRANTEES

<u>Research Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
RG/78/1	500.00
RG/78/2	500.00
RG/78/3	2,000.00
RG/78/4	1,000.00
RG/78/5	500.00
RG/78/6	500.00
RG/78/9	500.00
RG/78/10	500.00
RG/78/11	500.00
RG/78/14	500.00
RG/78/19	2,000.00
RG/78/20	500.00
RG/78/21	500.00
RG/78/22	500.00
RG/78/23	500.00
RG/78/24	353.50
RG/78/25	500.00
RG/78/26	500.00
RG/78/28	500.00
RG/78/29	500.00
RG/78/31	500.00
RG/78/32	500.00
RG/78/33	500.00
RG/78/35	500.00
RG/78/39	500.00
RG/78/40	500.00
RG/78/41	500.00
RG/78/42	500.00
RG/78/43	500.00
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BALANCE B/D	<u>17,853.50</u>

SCHEDULE : V (a)

<u>Research Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Balance B/F	17,853.50
RG/78/44	500.00
RG/78/45	500.00
RG/78/46	500.00
RG/78/47	500.00
RG/78/48	500.00
RG/78/49	500.00
RG/78/50	500.00
	<u>21,853.50</u>

SCHEDULE NO: V(e)

CASH IMPREST WITH GRANTEEES

<u>Research Grant Nos.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
RG/79/01	10,000.00
RG/79/02	500.00
RG/79/06	500.00
RG/79/07	2,000.00
RG/79/08	500.00
RG/79/10	344.50
RG/79/11	500.00
RG/79/13	500.00
RG/79/15	500.00
RG/79/16	500.00
RG/79/18	500.00
RG/79/19	500.00
RG/79/20	500.00
RG/79/21	500.00
RG/79/22	500.00
RG/79/23	100.00
RG/79/24	500.00
RG/79/25	500.00
RG/79/26	500.00
RG/79/27	500.00
RG/79/28	500.00
RG/79/30	500.00
RG/79/31	1,000.00
RG/79/32	500.00
RG/79/33	500.00
RG/79/34	500.00
RG/79/35	500.00
RG/79/36	500.00
RG/79/37	<u>750.00</u>
Balance B/D	<u>25,694.50</u>

<u>Research Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Balance B/F	25,694.50
RG/79/38	2,500.00
RG/79/43	500.00
RG/79/47	500.00
RG/79/48	500.00
RG/79/57	500.00
RG/79/58	500.00
RG/79/59	500.00
RG/79/61	500.00
RG/79/62	200.00
RG/79/63	500.00
RG/79/65	500.00
RG/79/66	500.00
RG/79/67	500.00
RG/79/70	500.00
RG/79/74	500.00
RG/79/75	500.00
RG/79/80	500.00
RG/79/83	500.00
RG/79/85	100.00
RG/79/86	500.00
RG/79/88	500.00
RG/79/89	300.00
RG/79/91	500.00
RG/79/92	500.00
RG/79/94	1,000.00
RG/79/96	400.00
RG/79/97	500.00
RG/79/99	500.00
RG/79/101	500.00
RG/79/103	500.00
	<u>42,194.50</u>

S.C. 100/100/100

SCIENCE EDUCATION RESEARCH CENTRE
CASH INTEREST WITH GRANTEEES (1979 - 12.- 31)

<u>Research Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Names</u>	<u>Amount</u> <u>Rs./Sts.</u>
-----	Prof: K. Jayasena.	500.00
SERC/RP/13/73	Mr. B. S. Saman.	500.00
SERC/RP/8/73	Mr. S.A. Azeer	250.00
SERC/RP/12/73	Mrs. P. Sabaratnam	500.00
SERC/RP/14/73	Dr. K.M.I. Perera	500.00
SERC/RP/19/73	Miss. A.R. Siriwardena	500.00
SERC/RP/15/76	Mr. D.P.P. Devapriya	552.30
SERC/RP/01/73	Mrs. I. Eriyagama	479.25
SERC/RP/11/73	Mr. S. Sivanesan	84.00
SERC/RP/09/73	Mr. K.A. Gunesekera	250.00
SERC/RP/07/73	Dr. R.D. Gunaratne	500.00
SERC/RP/04/73	Mr. S. Srikantha	300.00
SERC/RP/05/73	Mr. A. Weerasinghe	500.00
SERC/RP/17/73	Dr. M. Selvaratnam	1000.00
SERC/RP/16/73	Mr. A.I. Bandara	750.00
SERC/RP/13/73	Mrs. G.I.C. Gunawardena	-
SERC/RP/13/73	Mr. M.P.N.G. Cooray	250.00
SERC/RP/15/73	Dr. P.T. Jayewickramasinghe	250.00
SERC/RP/10/73	Mr. P. Sellahewa	250.00
SERC/RP/12/73	Mrs. P.P. Jayakody	500.00
SERC/RP/25/73	Miss. S. Jaysinghe	1000.00
SERC/RP/19/76	Dr. J. Wanasinghe	1600.00
SERC/RP/02/73	Mrs. S.R. Alagekoon	1000.00
SERC/RP/03/73	Mrs. D.G.W. Ganepola	300.00
SERC/RP/04/73	Mr. M.S. Wijesiri	250.00
SERC/RP/05/73	Dr. M.U. Sederra	500.00
SERC/RP/03/76	Dr. A.N.L. Ekanayake	500.00
SERC/RP/06/76	Mrs. P.A.S.L. Perera	400.00
SERC/RP/09/73	Dr. K.A.A.S. Warnakulasuriya	500.00
SERC/RP/10/76	Dr. D.Y.D. Samarawickrama	500.00
SERC/RP/14/73	Mr. C. Sandanayake	500.00
	Balance B/D	14365.55

<u>Research Grant No:</u>	<u>Names</u>	<u>Amount</u> <u>Rs. Cts.</u>
Balance B/F		14,865.55
SERC/RP/17/76	Mr. S.J. Perera	500.00
SERC/RP/23/76	Dr. M. Thavarajah	150.00
SERC/RP/16/76	Miss. M.M. Munasinghe	110.00
SERC/RP/21/76	Mr. R.A. Gunarajah	<u>500.00</u>
		<u>16,725.55</u>

SCHEDULE NO. V(c)

MAB - CASH IMPREST

<u>Grant Nos:</u>	<u>Names</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
		Rs.	Cts.
MAB/77/1.3/3	Dr. A. Kandiah	500.00	
MAB/79/2.1	Dr. Mrs. S. Senathirajah	500.00	
MAB/77/1.3/2	Dr. K.A. De Alwis	500.00	
MAB/77/1/2/2	Prof. K.D. Arudpragasam	500.00	
MAB/77/1.1	Dr. W.P.T. Silva	1,400.00	
MAB/P/3	Dr. H.M.W. Herath	<u>5,500.00</u>	
		<u>9,900.00</u>	

SCHEDULE NO. VI

PREPAYMENTS

	Rs.	Cts.
Postmaster General (Postage)	164.	02
Postmaster General (telegraph services)	100.	00
Ceylon Business Appliances Ltd. (elec. calculator)	62.	50
Ceylon Business Appliances Ltd. (Mita copy stat Machine)	637.	50
Office Appliances Ltd.	84.	00
Insurance Corporation	3025.	62
Lake House Book shop	1365.	35
National Chamber of Commerce	36.	00
Marga Institute	30.	00
National Agricultural Society	15.	75
Lanka Guardian	60.	00
Sri Lanka Vidyalaya	68.	40
Social Science Association	75.	00
Conservation of Forest	5.	00
Coconut Research Board	18.	30
Central Bank of Ceylon	30.	00
Wild life and Nature Society	25.	00
Associated Newspapers of Ceylon	931.	55
Independent Newspapers	<u>782.</u>	<u>00</u>
	7561.	19

<u>Schedule No.</u>	<u>Deposits</u>
	Government Publication Bureau 1500.00
	Ceylon Oxygen Limited 9000.00
	Cargo Boat (Despatch) Co. Ltd. 200.09
	Postmaster General (Telephone) 1030.00
	Felix Perera & Son 1600.00
	N.T.I.S. Deposits <u>4240.98</u>
	<u>17,571.07</u>

SCHEDULE NO: VIII

COST OF BOOKS AS AT 1.1.79

	Rs. Cts.
Directory of Scientific & Technical Projects	2888.10
Environmental Management in Sri Lanka	2615.25
Current Foreign Science Serial in Sri Lanka	11.25
Science Policy & Planning	198.75
Science & Technical Periodical Directory	238.00
Scientific Technical Institution in Sri Lanka	305.64
Sandrying Methodology	764.40
Union List of Science & Technical	103.61
Bibliography of Scientific Publication	925.88
Scientific & Technical Libraries in Sri Lanka	161.16
MAB - Publications	4657.34
Current Science Bulletins	957.09
Science Index	214.22
Survey on Expenditure on experimental Development in Sri Lanka	<u>5900.00</u>
	<u>19940.69</u>

ANALYSIS OF SUNDRY EXPENSES

	Rs. Cts.
Membership fees for Seminars & Courses	1973.00
Tailoring charges of Uniforms to Watchers, Drivers & Conservancy Labourers etc.	1056.00
Expenses for clearing NSC Premises	400.00
Maintenance of Furniture and Fittings	243.00
Translation Charges	1521.80
Printing & Publication	199.95
Badges to Staff	210.00
Consumables	119.50
Expenses for Wesak celebration	57.45
Embarkation Tax	255.00
Expenses on disciplinary enquiry	262.50
Purchases of diaries attendance Registers etc.	497.50
Expenses for clearing of goods	636.88
Parking fees	103.90
Maintenance of Bicycles	253.90
Maintenance of Office Equipment	100.00
Subsistence	68.65
Maintenance & Repairs of Building	300.04
Stamps for office use	207.75
Miscellaneous Expenses	<u>794.37</u>
	<u>9261.19</u>

SCHEDULE NO:

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DEPRECIATION

	<u>RATE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u> Rs. Cts.
Building	10%	106935.00
Office Equipment & Furniture	20%	89439.00
Motor Vehicles	20%	57151.00
Bicycles	25%	578.00
Accessories & Miscellaneous	20%	6903.00
Scientific & Laboratory Equipment out on loan	20%	76797.00
Documentation Equipment	20%	64572.00
		<u>402275.00</u>
<u>Less:</u>		
Transfer to Photocopying services Income & Expenditure Account		4720.00
		<u>397555.00</u>

SCHEDULE NO.

INTEREST RECEIVED

	Rs.	Cts.
Interest on Distress Loan	2477.	65
Interest on Special Distress Loan	436.	72
Interest on Bicycle Loan	698.	10
Interest on Vehicle Loan	868.	00
Interest on Advance to purchase of material	30.	60
	<u>4511.</u>	<u>07</u>

EXPENDITURE ON SCIENTIFIC AND
TECHNICAL INFORMATION CENTRE.

	<u>Rs: Cts.</u>
SLSTIC	13,232.96
Excess of Expenditure over-	15,128.12
Income Photocopy	-----
	28,361.08
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CERTIFICATE OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL

The accounts of the Sri Lanka National Science Council for the year ended 31st December 1979 were audited under my direction in pursuance of Section 154(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read with Section 13(1) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971.

My observations on these accounts which should be published in terms of Section 14(2)(c) of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971 are contained in my report of even date addressed to the Chairman of the Council.

Audit Office

Colombo 7.

Sgd/M.H.S.K. Siriwardane

Actg. Auditor General.

Date: 23 Jan. 1981.

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REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE
NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL OF SRI
LANKA FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 1979.

The audit of the accounts of the National Science Council of Sri Lanka for the year ended December 31, 1979 was carried out under my direction in pursuance of Section 154 (1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read with Section 13 (1) of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971. In carrying out this audit I was assisted by a firm of accountants in public practice. My report in terms of Section 13 (7) (a) of the Finance Act containing detailed observations arising from the audit was furnished to the Chairman, the Secretary to the Ministry of Industries and Scientific Affairs and the Secretary to the Ministry of Finance and Planning on August 19, 1980. The more important observations arising from the audit which should be published in terms of Section 14 (2) (c) of the Finance Act are referred to in this report.

- 2. Accounts:
- 2. 1. Opinion.

I am of the opinion that the accounts have been satisfactorily prepared on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that adopted in the previous year subject to my comments in this report.

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2.2. Financial Results:

According to the accounts the working of the Council during the year ended December 31, 1979 resulted in a net expenditure of Rs.1,598,355 as compared to Rs.1,354,291 for the previous year.

The following statement shows the financial results of the Council for the year ended December 31, 1979 and the previous year :

<u>INCOME:</u>	Year ended Dec.31,		Year ended Dec.31,	
	1979		1978	
	Rs.	as a % of total	Rs.	as a % of total
Interest	4,511	46.3	5,172	66.2
Sale of publica- tions	4,670	47.9	1,334	17.1
Others	552	5.3	1,303	16.7
	<u>9,733</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>7,809</u>	<u>100.0</u>
Less: <u>Expenditure</u>				
Administration and Establishment charges	277,412	17.3	203,561	14.9
Staff Emoluments	726,384	45.3	635,905	46.7
Depreciation of fixed assets	397,655	24.7	389,120	28.6
Other expenses	34,984	2.1	23,897	1.7
Seminars and Symposia	20,847	1.3	16,000	1.2
Subscription to International Scientific Union	75,234	4.7	55,043	4.0
International Scientific Cost of publica- tions	55,631	3.4	25,000	1.9
	<u>19,941</u>	<u>1.2</u>	<u>13,574</u>	<u>1.0</u>
	<u>1,608,088</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>1,362,100</u>	<u>100.0</u>

net expenditure 1,598,355

1,354,291

The Council has maintained separate Funds for various activities. The total expenditure incurred out of these Funds during 1979 amounted to Rs.3,171,444 as compared to Rs.1,490,739 incurred in 1978. The movement of these Funds during the year under review appears in the following Statement:

Fund Account	Movement of the A/c.		Treasury Deposits	Expenditure for the year. Rs	Balance on 31.12.79	Exp 1978
	Rs	Rs				
<u>1. Documentation Unit Capital Fund</u>						
Balance on 1.1.79		579,832				
Drawings from Treasury	180,000					
Treasury Deposits	<u>131,063</u>		131,063			
		<u>311,063</u>				
		884,895				
Expenditure for the year		<u>28,361</u>		28,361		300
		<u>856,534</u>			356,534	
		=====				
<u>2. Research Grant Fund</u>						
Balance on 1.1.79		561,517				
Drawings from Treasury	300,000					
Treasury Deposits	<u>1200,000</u>		1,200,000			
		<u>1500,000</u>				
		2061,517				
Expenditure for the year		<u>2044,994</u>		2044,994	16,583	1,175,314
		<u>16,523</u>				
		=====				
<u>3. Man And the Biosphere Fund.</u>						
Balance on 1.1.79		221,322				
Drawing from Treasury	-					
Treasury Deposits	<u>300,000</u>	<u>300,000</u>	300,000			
		521,322				
Expenditure for the year		<u>251,345</u>		251,345	269,975	
		<u>269,577</u>				
		<u>729,935</u>				
Money received from Mahaveli Dev: Board		999,312				
Exp: for the year		<u>1,315</u>		1,315	<u>728,621</u>	<u>169,098</u>
		998,597	1,634,063		18,71,656	

	Movement of the Account.		Secondary Deposit	Contribution for the year	Balance 31.12.77	Expenditure for 1978.
	Rs.	Rs.				
(4) Scientific Manpower Project Fund.		B/P.	1,634,063		1,871,656	
Balance on 1.1.77		532,610				
Drawing from Treasury Deposits	100,000	100,000	100,000			
		632,610				
Exp. for the year		<u>122,607</u>		129,607	503,033	72,730
		503,033			35,572	
		=====				
Miscellaneous fund account		35,572	-		35,572	
		=====				
(5) Statutory working groups and specialised panels.						
Balance on 1.1.77		106,256				
Drawing from Treasury	60,000					
Treasury Deposit	<u>140,000</u>	<u>200,000</u>	140,000			
		306,256				
Money received from other institutions		<u>42,422</u>				
		355,678				
Exp: for the year		<u>73,349</u>		73,340	282,338	39,716
		282,338			=====	
		=====				
(6) Approved International Collaborative Programme.						
Balance on 1.1.77		56,633				
Drawing from Treasury Deposits	10,000					
	<u>15,000</u>	<u>25,000</u>	15,000			
		81,633				
Exp: for the year		<u>5,716</u>		5,716	75,917	25
		75,917			=====	
		=====				
(7) Research Unit						
Balance on 1.1.77		43,600				
Drawing from Treasury Deposit	50,000					
	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	50,000		93,600	-
		93,600			=====	
		=====				
(8) I.C.T.S.						
Balance on 1.1.77		982,704				
Fund received	336,058					
Drawing from Treasury	1,000,000					
Treasury Deposit	<u>700,000</u>	<u>2076,058</u>	700,000	637,166	2141,656	17,236
		3,778,822	<u>2,239,063</u>	<u>3,171,844</u>	<u>5,283,312</u>	<u>1,490,739</u>
Exp. for the year		<u>37,166</u>			<u>5,303,772</u>	
		2,441,656	2,639,063	3,171,844	=====	
		=====				

2. 3. Financial structure.

The financial structure of the Council as at December 31, 1979 compared with that as at December 31, 1978 is given below:

	December 31, 1979 Rs.	December 31, 1978 Rs.
<u>Resources</u>		
Council Fund	1929,540	904,493
Special Funds	<u>5303,772</u>	<u>3,051,932</u>
	<u><u>7,233,312</u></u>	<u><u>3,956,425</u></u>
<u>Utilisation</u>		
Fixed Assets	2,333,017	1,517,024
Goodwill	78,564	31,371
Working Capital	<u>4,771,731</u>	<u>2,407,830</u>
	<u><u>7,233,312</u></u>	<u><u>3,956,425</u></u>

2. 4. Comments on Accounts:

2. 4. 1. Receipts from the Mahaweli Development Board - Rs.728,621/-

This represented unspent balance out of the total sum of Rs.729,936 received in 1979 to meet expenditure for the Mahaweli Development Board. No research work was done during the year. The sum of Rs.1,315 spent during the year was in respect of the purchase of chemicals and laboratory equipment.

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2. 4. 2. Land and Buildings - Rs. 8,005,313/-

The value of land and buildings was not reflected in the accounts of previous years. The above sum represented the value of the land and buildings brought to account in 1979 with the approval of the Ministry of Industries and Scientific Affairs.

2. 4. 3. Treasury Deposits - Rs. 5,403,573

This represented the total of the balances shown in the accounts as Treasury Deposits. These balances had not been reconciled with the corresponding balances appearing in the Treasury books.

2. 4. 4. Library books - Rs. 534,511/-

This represented the value of library books as at the balance sheet date. The purchases during the year amounted to Rs. 144,627/-.

A Board of Survey had verified the library books in July 1980. Discrepancies detected at the verification had not been investigated.

3. Financial and Operating Review.

3. 1. Budget.

There had been considerable variances between the budgeted amounts and the actual expenditure incurred during the year as shown below:

Item of Expenditure	Budget 1979 Rs.	Actual Expenditure 1979 Rs.	Variance Rs.	%
<u>Running Expenses</u>				
Printing and Publication	60,000	13,221	-46,779	78
Surveys on Scientific and Technical Potential in Sri Lanka	10,000	100	- 9,900	99
Overtime	30,000	44,231	+14,231	47
<u>Capital Expenditure</u>				
Approval				
International				
Collaboration				
Programme	25,000	5,716	-19,284	77
Documentation				
Unit Equipment	520,000	227,509	-242,491	47
Scientific Manpower				
Project	100,000	129,607	+ 29,607	30
Man and Biosphere Programme	300,000	251,345	- 48,655	16
Statutory Working Groups and Specialised Panels				
	200,000	73,340	-126,660	63
Research Grant Units	1,500,000	904,603	-593,397	40
SAREC Grants	1,700,000	637,166	-1062,834	65
Sri Lanka Scientific & Technical Infn. Centre				
	180,000	144,627	35,373	20
T.V	10	-	10	100
Motor-vehicles	30,000	-	30,000	100
Total Recurrent Exp:	4,500,000	1,254,253	-245,745	16
Total Capital Exp:	4,605,010	2,423,913	-2,181,097	47

The total recurrent expenditure and the capital or expenditure incurred had been less than the budgeted amounts by 13 and 47 respectively.

3. 2. Research Grants:

The objectives envisaged in the National Science Council Act are mainly achieved through a system of awarding research grants to individuals and institutions.

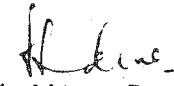
During the year under review 104 research grants had been awarded by the Council. Position of these research grants as at the balance sheet date appears below:

(a) No. of grants completed	-07
(b) No. of grants terminated	-12
(c) No. of grants for which progress reports were not received for 1979	-12
(1) No. of grants in progress	-86

4. SYSTEMS AND CONTROLS

4.1 Internal Audit and

Insurance of Assets - Audit observations on internal audit and the insurance of assets were included in my detailed report to Management.

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Auditor General

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Comments of the Council on the Auditor General's Report on the Accounts of the Council for the Year Ended 31st December 1979

Our observations on the comments of the Auditor General are as follows:

2.4.1 Receipts from the Mahaweli Development Board - Rs. 728,621

This money was received in August 1979 and orders were placed for equipment with Foreign Suppliers. The expenditure being the value of equipment bought in 1980 was Rs. 690,767/=

2.4.3 Treasury Deposits - Rs. 5,428,573

The Discrepancy in the account is Rs. 396,058.36. This total sum that was received from the Treasury during 1979, had been set-off against the Deposit by the Treasury, whereas the Council has treated this as a receipt from the funds for the year, 1980. However, this error could have been avoided, if confirmation of the balance in the Treasury Deposit could have been obtained before the accounts were finalized. All attempts made by the Council to obtain this information in time, failed.

2.4.4 Library Books

Discrepancies detected at the verification are being investigated.

3.1 Budget

The Council has saved 16% of the recurrent expenditure in 1979. The under utilization of capital expenditure had been due to the delay on the part of the grantees to start their research work, at the beginning of the year due to their commitments, at the respective universities, etc.

3.2 Research Grants

Out of the 12 Research Grants that were terminated, two grants had been terminated since the grantees were abroad. Another was terminated at the request of the grantee since he was not proceeding with the Research Project. In the case of the balance 9 Grants, the awards were not even finalized since the grantees had not signed the acceptance forms nor communicated with the N.S.C, after the award letters were sent in January 1979.

4 Systems & Controls

4.1 Internal Audit - The Council has requested the General Treasury for funds to set up an Internal Audit Unit.

Insurance of Assets - All fixed assets including the building have been insured with effect from 25.9.1980.