Abeyratne said. Thus, one Grama Niladari is compelled to oversee duties in several divisions, Abeyratne said.

Abeyratne said the government would also resolve several issues faced by the Grama Niladaris, such as the establishment of a Service Constitution for them.

"We will take immediate steps to fill these vacancies. The Grama Niladhari Service Constitution has been approved by the Public Service Commission, following the approval of the Cabinet Ministers. We will soon meet trade union representatives to discuss this document and to make