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FOREWORD

The National Commission on Labour appointed the Study Group for Plantations (Coffee and Rubber) in its attempt to understand the changes in conditions of Labour in that industry since Independence. This was one of the series of Study Groups set up for different industries. The Study Group was required to analyse available information and project its thinking on labour problems in the industry for the years to come taking into account the possible developments in the industry.

The views expressed in the report are the views of the Study Group. In examining them for framing its final recommendations, the Commission will attach due importance to these views coming as they do from knowledgeable persons in the Plantations (Coffee and rubber). In the meanwhile, the report is being published by the Commission with a view to seeking comments on it from persons/institutions interested in the development of that industry.

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