

## EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

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## Coronavirus Destination Update

## SRI LANKA

Sri Lanka is delaying by two weeks the August 1 scheduled reopening of Colombo International Airport for commercial traffic, as the government prioritises the repatriation of over 46,000 Sri Lankans stranded abroad. The country was re-opened in phases for business since mid-May and the health authorities say there had been no reported cases of the pandemic since April 30.

The coronavirus case count in Sri Lanka now stands at 2,054 cases, with 1,748 recovered according to latest health ministry figures. 11 deaths are reported due to the virus.

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