**SRI LANKA**

**2020 ANNUAL RESEARCH: KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

**GLOBAL DATA 2019**

- **10.3%** Total GDP contribution
- **330 MN** Jobs globally (1 in 10 jobs)

**SRI LANKA 2019 KEY DATA**

- **10.3% OF TOTAL ECONOMY**
  - Total T&T GDP = LKR1,591.1BN (USD8,924.1MN)
- **-6.8%**
  - 2019 Travel & Tourism GDP growth vs +2.6% real economy GDP growth

**CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT**

- **903.3 JOBS (000's)** (11.0% of total employment)

**INTERNATIONAL VISITOR IMPACT**

- **LKR858.6 BN** in visitor spend (24.6% of total exports) (USD4,815.8MN)

**INBOUND ARRIVALS**

1. INDIA 18%
2. CHINA 13%
3. UNITED KINGDOM 10%
4. GERMANY 6%
5. FRANCE 5%
REST OF WORLD 49%

**OUTBOUND DEPARTURES**

1. INDIA 25%
2. FRANCE 9%
3. SINGAPORE 7%
4. SAUDI ARABIA 5%
5. THAILAND 5%
REST OF WORLD 49%

**SECTOR CHARACTERISTICS (2019)**

- LEISURE SPENDING 79%
- BUSINESS SPENDING 21%
- DOMESTIC SPENDING 34%
- INTERNATIONAL SPENDING 66%

1 All values are in constant 2019 prices & exchange rates
As reported in March 2020