

# **Launch of the Book Ranil Wickremesinghe - A Political Biography**

The third edition of the book “Ranil Wickremesinghe - A Political Biography” written by Dinesh Weerakkody, the Chairman of the Sri Lanka Board of Investment, was presented to President Ranil Wickremesinghe at the Presidential Secretariat.

The ceremony was attended by Member of Parliament Vajira Abeywardena, President’s Secretary Saman Ekanayake, former Minister John Amaratunga, President’s Special Projects Director Theekshana Abeywardana, and other officials.



Dinesh Weerakkody (author) presenting the book 'Ranil Wickremesinghe - Political Biography' to the President.

*This book is about a politician whose public life spans four decades. The image that emerges from the book is of a highly refined and deliberative man who holds progressive views but without a show of passion, unlike other politicians,*

*who value building consensus over bashing their opponents merely for short-term political gain.*



President Ranil Wickremesinghe reads through 'A Political Biography'.



John Amaratunga; Guido Vandermarliere and Fred Vandermarliere, father-son duo, UTP Processing (Belgium) Pvt Ltd; and Mathi K Parthipan, Managing Director, BT Options.



UNP National List MP Vajira Abeywardena; and Chamira Chandrabaya Yapa

Abeywardana, Chairman, National Lotteries Board.



Saman Ekanayake, Secretary to the President; Sanjeev Gardiner, Chairman, Galle Face Hotel; Anton Godfrey; Mizukoshi Hideaki, Ambassador of Japan to Sri Lanka; Investment Promotion Ministry Secretary M.M. Nayeemudeen; UNP National List MP Vajira Abeywardana; Dinesh Weerakkody; President Ranil Wickremesinghe; John Amaratunga; Chandra Schaffter; Guido Vandermarliere; Fred Vandermarliere; Chamira Abeywardana; and Mathi K Parthipan.