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Table 9.17: Status of Uninhabited Islands, 2011 - 2025

| Status of Uninhabited Islands | Number of Islands | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Number of Islands | |
|--|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------------|--|
| | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | | |
| Total Number of Islands | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Islands leased for Long-Term development | 54 | 64 | 77 | 76 | 80 | 82 | 72 | 79 | 71 | 69 | 67 | 68 | 55 | 52 | 49 | | Islands leased for Long-Term development |
| Islands leased on Market Value | 6 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | Islands leased on Market Value |
| Islands leased for Citizens | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | | Islands leased for Citizens |
| Islands under care with Government Offices | 62 | 303 | 317 | 51 | 48 | 448 | 443 | 447 | 444 | 503 | 509 | 448 | 53 | 109 | 121 | | Islands under care with Government Offices |
| Islands allocated for Tourism Development | 222 | 229 | 255 | 346 | 364 | 310 | 304 | 293 | 329 | 332 | 336 | 347 | 332 | 350 | 354 | | Islands allocated for Tourism Development |
| Islands leashed on "Waruwa" basis | 183 | 183 | 183 | 138 | 130 | 133 | 149 | 163 | 145 | 89 | 83 | 65 | 98 | 51 | 45 | | Islands leashed on "Waruwa" basis |

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