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"Dr. Kulasinghe's demise, a loss to the nation"

The demise of epoch making engineer and inventor Dr. A. N. S. Kulasinghe who had gifted to the world a number of engineering and technological inventions and innovation, is a loss to the Sri Lankan Nation.

Sri Lanka which inherited advanced technological and engineering achievements for thousands of years was deprived of advancement in these fields with the invasions of the three European nations starting in 1505 and in such a background Dr. Kulasinghe was one man who seemed to be like a gifted person who brought much wanted water to desert land, Higher National Diploma in Engineering Students' Association said in a press release on Wednesday (16).

Having been an expert and an inventor in building technology he was fondly known as 'Concrete Kule' having introduced revolutionary new techniques in concrete technology.

His death is a great loss to the nation, the release said.
