



**PARLIAMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC  
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF  
SRI LANKA**

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**GENERAL SIR JOHN KOTALAWALA  
DEFENCE ACADEMY  
(AMENDMENT)**

**ACT, No. 30 OF 1990**

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE GENERAL SIR JOHN KOTALAWALA  
DEFENCE ACADEMY ACT, NO. 68 OF 1981

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist  
Republic of Sri Lanka as follows :—

1. This Act may be cited as the General Sir John  
Kotalawala Defence Academy (Amendment) Act, No. 30  
of 1990.

Short  
title.

2. Section 6 of the General Sir John Kotalawala Defence  
Academy Act, No. 68 of 1981 (hereinafter referred to as  
the “principal enactment”) is hereby amended in sub-  
section (1) of that section, by the substitution for the  
words “unless he earlier vacates office by death, resigna-  
tion or removal.”, of the words “unless he earlier vacates  
office by death, resignation or removal :

Amendment  
of section  
6 of Act  
No. 68 of  
1981.

Provided however the President may permit a Com-  
mandant who has held office for a period of three years to  
continue in office for a period not exceeding one year.”.

3. The following new section is hereby inserted  
immediately after section 7A of the principal enactment  
and shall have effect as section 7B of that enactment :—

Insertion  
of new  
section 7B  
in the  
principal  
enactment.

“The  
Chancellor.

7B. (1) there shall be a Chancellor of the  
Academy who shall be nominated by the  
President. The Chancellor shall be the Head  
of the Academy, hold office for a period of  
five years reckoned from the date of his  
nomination, and shall, when present, preside  
at any convocation of the Academy.

(2) In the event of the vacation of office  
by the Chancellor by death, resignation  
addressed to the President or removal by the

President, the person nominated to succeed such Chancellor shall hold the office of Chancellor for the unexpired period of the term of office of his predecessor.

(3) The procedure for the convocation of the Academy shall be as prescribed."

4. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

Sinhala  
text to  
prevail in  
case of  
inconsis-  
tency.