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## PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance** 

FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE KOLONNAWA URBAN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 66A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS the office of a return member of Kolonnawa Urban Council has fallen vacant by reason of not attending three consecutive meetings of the Council without permission;

AND WHEREAS the Secretary of the United People's Freedom Alliance, the recognized political party to which Batagoda Kankanamage Dona Champika the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66 A (1) of the aforesaid ordinance, to decide upon returned member if United People's Freedom Alliance who belongs to such party and is not disqualified under Section 9 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance and who shall be declared elected as a member within a period of thirty (30) days;

AND WHEREAS the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has communicated his decision to nominate Hitihamu Mudiyanselage Podi Menike to fill such vacancy;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sudu Dewage Shanika Anuruddha Rupasinghe, Returning Officer of the Kolonnawa Urban Council, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Hitihamu Mudiyanselage Podi Menike was selected as the member of the Kolonnawa Urban Council.

S. D. S. A. RUPASINGHE, Returning Officer, Kolonnawa Urban Council.

District Election Office, Colombo, 29th March, 2019.

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