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### PART I: SECTION (I) — GENERAL

#### **Government Notifications**

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#### **EXTRADITION LAW, No. 8 OF 1977**

#### **Order under Section 3**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 (1) of the Extradition Law, No. 8 of 1977, I, Gotabaya Rajapaksa, President, do by this Order declare that since a Treaty was signed at Abu Dhabi on the 27th day of January 2014 between the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the United Arab Emirates, a foreign State, in order to establish a bilateral legal mechanism governing the transfer of persons subject to investigation or prosecution and sentenced persons and to improve the efficiency of justice which would develop co-operation between the State Parties to the Treaty in the prevention of offences and inflict of punishment in respect of such offences and that the parties to the Treaty undertake to extradite to each other, upon request and subject to the provisions of the Treaty, the persons who are found within the territories of the respective State Parties for investigation, prosecution or execution of sentences; and that the provisions of such Treaty is in conformity with the provisions of section 4 of the Extradition Law No. 8 of 1977; the provisions of the said Law No. 8 of 1977 shall apply in respect of such foreign State, subject to such modification, limitation or condition as specified in the Treaty.

GOTABAYA RAJAPAKSA President.

Colombo, 30th May, 2022.

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