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**PROCLAMATION BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT**

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MAITHRIPALA SIRISENA

I, Maithripala Sirisena, President of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka hereby revoke and annul the proclamation made by Robert Brownrigg, the Governor of Ceylon on 10th day of January 1818 proclaiming the following Sinhala Leaders who rebelled against the British as traitors.

1. Keppitipola, late Desave of Ouva
2. Godegedera, Late Adikarame of Ouva
3. Ketakala Mohattale of Ouva
4. Maha Betmerale of Kataragama in Ouva
5. Kuda Betmerale of Kataragama in Ouva
6. Palegolle Mohattale of Kataragama in Ouva
7. Wattekeyle Mohattale of Kataragama in Ouva
8. Polgahagedare Rehenerale of Kataragama in Ouva
9. Passerewatte Vidane of Kataragama in Ouva
10. Kiwulegedere Mohottale of Walapane
11. Kalugamuwe Mohottale of Walapane
12. Udamadure Mohottale of Walapane
13. Kohukumbure Rate Rala of Wellassa
14. Kohukumbure Walauwe Mohottale of Wellassa
15. Butawe Rate Rala of Wellassa
16. Baginigahawela Rate Rala of Wellassa
17. Maha Badullegammene Rate Rala of Wellassa
18. Bulupitiye Mohottale of Wellassa
19. Palle Malheyae Gametirale of Wellassa

I further declare that the said Sinhalese leaders are war heroes who had fought out of patriotism for an Independent Sri Lanka.

Given at Colombo, on the 08th day of December, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

By Order of His Excellency,

P. B. ABEYKOON,  
Secretary to the President.

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