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#### PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

#### **Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance**

### FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF CHAIRMAN OF THE MAWANELLA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 65A(1) OF THE LOCALAUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS a vacancy has occurred in the Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha due to Chairman ceasing to hold office by reason of an Order of a competent Jurisdiction;

And whereas the Secretary of the United People's Freedom Alliance, the recognized political party to which Korale Gedara Piyathissa, the Chairman belonged, was required by me, under section 65A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon the member of that Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha who belongs to such party who shall be declared elected as Chairman within a period of thirty (30) days;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has failed to communicate his decision within the period specified;

Now therefore, I, Gamalathge Dilip Nishantha, Returning Officer of Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 65A (1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr.P. P. Wickramasingha who secured the next highest number of preferences at the election held on 17th March 2011 to Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha elected as Chairman of the Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

Gamalathge Dilip Nishantha, Returning Officer, Mawanella Pradeshiya Sabha.

Elections Office, Kegalle. 23rd September, 2013.

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