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## PART I: SECTION (I) – GENERAL

### Government Notifications

My No.: IR/22/47/2011.

**THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON  
( 1956 REVISED EDITION)**

**Order under Section 4(1)**

WHEREAS AN industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this order exists between—

(1) Mr. S. M. Serasinghe, "Sinhapaya", Pugalla, Kalugamuwa; (2) Mr. R. M. Nandapala, No. 2/44, Wawutera Watta Housing Scheme, Welikanda, Kandy of the one part.

and

National Housing Development Authority, No. 34, Sir Chittampalam A. Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02 of the other part.

NOW THEREFORE I, Gamini Lokuge, Minister of Labour and Labour Relations do by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended by Act Nos. 14 of 1957, 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes - (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968) hereby appoint Mr. T. E. Santharajan, No. 181/1, Apartment 503, W. A. Silva Mawatha, Colombo 06 to be the arbitrator and refer the aforesaid dispute to him for settlement by arbitration.

GAMINI LOKUGE,

Minister of Labour and Labour Relations.

Colombo,  
20th June, 2014.



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STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE

**The matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties is**

Whether Mr. S. M. Serasinghe working at National Housing Development Authority who was appointed to the Acting Post of Assistant Accountant - Grade (VI) of the Puttalam District Office and Mr. R. M. Nandapala who was appointed to perform the duties of the Post of Assistant Accountant - Grade (VI) at the Nuwara - Eliya District Office have been caused injustice by not being confirmed in those posts from their dates of appointment to those posts, and if such injustice has been caused, to what reliefs each of them is entitled.

V. B. P. K. WEERASINGHE,  
Commissioner of Labour.

Dated at the Office of the Commissioner of Labour,  
Colombo, this 07th day of May, 2014.

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