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Government Notifications

PROVINCIAL COUNCILS ELECTIONS ACT, No. 2 OF 1988

Filling of a Vacancy in the Northern Province Provincial Council

WHEREAS the Secretary of the Northern Province Provincial Council has informed the Election Commission under Section 65(1) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988 that a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the Northern Province Provincial Council by reason of Resignation;

And Whereas the Secretary of the Ilankai Tamil Arasu Kadchi, the recognized political party to which the member belonged was required by the Election Commission under Section 65(2) of the aforesaid Act, to nominate an eligible person to fill such vacancy;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized Political Party, has nominated Mr. Sabarathnam Kugathas to fill such vacancy;

The Election Commission, acting in terms of Section 65(2) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988, read with the Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, do hereby declare Mr. Sabarathnam Kugathas, elected as a member of the above Provincial Council from the Administrative District of Jaffna in respect of which such vacancy occured.

Mahinda Deshapriya Chairman Election Commission N. J. ABEYSEKERE Member Election Commission S. Ratnajeevan H. Hoole Member Election Commission

Election Secretariat, Rajagiriya, 23rd January 2018.

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And Whereas the Secretary of the Sri Lanka Muslim Congress, the recognized political party to which the member belonged was required by the Election Commission under Section 65(2) of the aforesaid Act, to nominate an eligible person to fill such vacancy;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized Political Party, has nominated Mr. Abdul Niyas Seeni Mohamed to fill such vacancy;

The Election Commission, acting in terms of Section 65(2) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988, read with the Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, do hereby declare Mr. Abdul Niyas Seeni Mohamed, elected as a member of the above Provincial Council from the Administrative District of Mannar in respect of which such vacancy occured.

Mahinda Deshapriya Chairman Election Commission N. J. ABEYSEKERE Member Election Commission S. RATNAJEEVAN H. HOOLE Member Election Commission

Election Secretariat, Rajagiriya, 23rd January 2018.

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