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## PART I : SECTION (I) – GENERAL

### Government Notifications

My No.: IR/21/02/2009.

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

##### Revocation of Order under Section 4(1)

WHEREAS by Order made under Section 4(1) of the Industrial Disputes Act Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (Revised Edition 1956) as amended by Acts Nos. 14 and 62 of 1957, 14 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act No. 37 of 1968 dated 13th January, 2010 and published in the Gazette of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka Extraordinary No. 1637/16 dated 21st January, 2010 the Industrial Dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour dated 12th January, 2010.

All Ceylon Commercial and Industrial Workers Union, No. 457, Dr. Colvin R. De Silva Mawatha, (Union Place), Colombo 02.

AND

Gestetner of Ceylon PLC, No. 248, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02.

was referred to Mr. T. Piyasoma for settlement by arbitration.

AND whereas it is now deemed expedient that the said Order by revoked, I Gamini Lokuge, Minister of Labour and Labour Relations do hereby revoke the said Order and further make Order that no proceedings be taken upon the said Order dated 13th January, 2010.

GAMINI LOKUGE,  
Minister of Labour and Labour Relations.

Colombo.  
24th September, 2012.

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**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 –

All Ceylon Commercial and Industrial Workers Union, No. 457, Dr. Colvin R. De Silva Mawatha, (Union Place), Colombo 02.

AND

Gestetner of Ceylon PLC, No. 248, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02.

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 Acts, Nos. 14 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968, hereby appoint Mr. T. Piyasoma, No. 77, Pannipitiya Road, Battaramulla to be the Arbitrator and refer the aforesaid dispute to him for settlement by arbitration.

GAMINI LOKUGE,  
Minister of Labour and Labour Relations.

Colombo.

24th September, 2012.

My No.: IR/21/02/2009.

**THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON  
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All Ceylon Commercial and Industrial Workers Union, No. 457, Dr. Colvin R. De Silva Mawatha, (Union Place), Colombo 02.

AND

Gestetner of Ceylon PLC, No. 248, Vauxhall Street, Colombo 02.

**STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE**

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

Whether the strike carried out by the below - mentioned twenty eight (28) employees at Gestetner of Ceylon P L C from 12th October, 2009 is legal or illegal, and if it is legal, to what relief they are entitled.

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. L. H. Jagath Wickramasinghe      | 15. M. K. Nuwan Kumara Alwis        |
| 2. R. A. Weerasinghe                | 16. Chamila Kumara Suraweera        |
| 3. D. G. Sirimevan Artigala         | 17. Dinesh Sanjeewa Somasiri        |
| 4. S. L. Vijiitha Chaminda          | 18. J. A. Lal Jayasuriya            |
| 5. Antony Scott.                    | 19. D. G. Wasantha Kumara           |
| 6. H. K. Rasika Priyankara Fernando | 20. Mudunkotuwaage Suranga Sanjeewa |
| 7. B. A. Asantha Sanjeewa Perera    | 21. K. M. Lal                       |
| 8. M. Dhanushka Peiris              | 22. K. A. Gamini Kumarasinghe       |
| 9. W. H. C. Prasad Fernando         | 23. K. A. Justin Raj                |
| 10. D. Anosh Chinthaka Balachandra  | 24. K. Jacob                        |
| 11. J. A. Ajantha Jayasinghe        | 25. W. A. Anuruddha Pradeep Kumara  |
| 12. K. L. S. Nilushana              | 26. M. M. Samitha Chandimal         |
| 13. Chamath Prasanna Wijenayaka     | 27. M. D. Gamini Weerasinghe        |
| 14. K. P. L. Amila Karunanayake     | 28. K. D. Sumith Manjula            |

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

Dated at the office of the Commissioner of Labour,  
Colombo, this 04th day of September, 2012.

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