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PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE WELIGAMA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 66A(1)(a) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS, the office of member of Weligama Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of not attending council meetings for a period of three months without permission.

And whereas the Secretary of the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna, the recognized political party to which Vindika Ipalawaththa the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1)(a) of the aforesaid ordinance, to decide upon the member of the No. 25 Thalaramba Ward of Weligama Pradeshiya Sabha who belongs to such party and is not disqualified under Section 9 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) and who shall be declared elected as a member within a period of thirty (30) days;

And whereas the secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has communicated his decision to nominate Saliya Nanayakkara to fill such vacancy;

Therefore Thananthiri Withanage Poshitha Kaumadi returning officer of the Weligama Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1)(a) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Saliya Nanayakkara was elected as the member of the No. 25 Thalaramba of Weligama Pradeshiya Sabha.

THANANTHIRI WITHANAGE POSHITHA KAUMADI, Returning Officer, Weligama Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Elections Office, Matara, 16th of December, 2022.

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