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SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF
SRI LANKA**

**PROVINCIAL COUNCILS ELECTIONS
(AMENDMENT)**

A

BILL

to amend the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988

*Presented by the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and
Economic Affairs on 19th of September, 2017*

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVINCIAL COUNCILS ELECTIONS
ACT, NO. 2 OF 1988

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist
Republic of Sri Lanka as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Provincial Councils Elections (Amendment) Act, No. of 2017. Short title.

5 **2.** Section 10 of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988 is hereby amended in subsection (1) of that section, by the substitution for the words and figures from "Within one week" to "an election to such Council.", of the words and figures "Within one week from the date specified
10 in terms of Article 154DD of the Constitution, the Commissioner shall publish a notice of his intention to hold an election to all Provincial Councils."

Amendment
of section 10
of Act, No. 2
of 1988.

3. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail. Sinhala text
to prevail in
case of
inconsistency.

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