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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 COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 66A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS the office of the return member of Colombo Municipal Council has fallen vacant by reason of resignation;

And whereas the Secretary of the United National Freedom Front, the recognized political party to which Charitha Maithree Gunarathne the member belonged, was required by me under Section  $66\,A(1)$  of the aforesaid ordinance, to decide upon returned member of United National Freedom Front who belongs to such party and is not disqualified under Section 9 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance and who shall be declared selected 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 Oshada Malshan Rathnaweera to fill such vacancy;

Now therefore, I, Pathiraja Arachchilage Sunil Senaratne, Returning Officer of the Colombo Municipal Council, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Oshada Malshan Rathnaweera was selected as the member of the Colombo Municipal Council.

P. A. S. Senaratne, Returning Officer, Colombo Municipal Council.

District Election Office, Colombo City, 27th April, 2020.

