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PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notice under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

Filling of a Vacancy in the Office of Member of the Bentota Pradeshiya Sabha under Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262)

WHEREAS, the office of return member of Bentota Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of Death;

And Whereas the Secretary of the United National Freedom Front, the recognized political party to which Thanthirige Rohana Sri Darmarathna the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon returned member of Bentota 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 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 Denepitiya Manikkage Chamith Tharaka Wijekoon to fill such vacancy;

Now Therefore, I, Wewelwala Hewage Ravindra Wijaya Kumara, Returning Officer of the Bentota Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Denepitiya Manikkage Chamith Tharaka Wijekoon was selected as the member of the Bentota Pradeshiya Sabha.

W. H. R. WIJAYA KUMARA, Returning Officer, Bentota Pradeshiya Sabha.

22nd February 2022, District Elections Office, Galle.



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