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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 MAHARA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 66A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS the office of return member of Mahara Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of ceased to be a member of the party ;

And whereas the Secretary of the United National Party, the recognized political party to which Nalawathage Ranil Chaminda Kumar Pinto the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon returned member of Mahara 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 Nuwara Passa Hewayalage Priyantha to fill such vacancy ;

Now therefore, I, Karunasingha Jayarathnage Sampath Madhawa, Returning Officer of the Mahara Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Nuwara Passa Hewayalage Priyantha was selected as the member of the Mahara Pradeshiya Sabha.

**K. J. S. MADHAWA,**  
Returning Officer,  
Mahara Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Election Office,  
Gampaha,  
08th October, 2021.

