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AN ACT TO CHANGE THE DESIGNATION OF THE DIRECTOR OF MERCHANT
SHIPPING AND TO MAKE SUCH AMENDMENTS IN WRITTEN LAW AS ARE
CONSEQUENTIAL.

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Short title.
(Change of Designation) Act, No. 3 of 2006.

2. With effect from the date of commencement of this Act, in every context in which “Director of Merchant shipping” appears in—

Amendment to
section 3 of the
Merchant
Shipping Act, No.
52 of 1971.

(a) subsection (1) of section 3 and elsewhere in
the Merchant Shipping Act, No. 52 of 1971
and in any other written law; and

(b) any notice, communication, or other
document issued, made, required or
authorized by or under any written law,

there shall be substituted for the words “Director of Merchant
Shipping”, the words “Director-General of Merchant
Shipping”.

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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