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

WHEREAS the office of return member of Batticaloa Municipal Council has fallen vacant by reason of being ceased to be a member of the party;

AND WHEREAS the the Secretary of the Tamil United Liberation Front, the recognized political party to which Sivalingam Somasuntharam the member belonged, was required by me under Section  $66\,A\,(1)$  of the aforesaid ordinance, to decide upon returned member if Tamil United Liberation 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 Vadivel Kuberan to fill such vacancy;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Rajendra Saseelan, Returning Officer of the Batticaloa Municipal Council, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Vadivel Kuberan was selected as the member of the Batticaloa Municipal Council.

R. SASEELAN, Returning Officer, Batticaloa Municipal Council.

District Election Office, Batticaloa, 24th May, 2019.

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