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

WHEREAS the office of member in Bandaragama Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of Death;

AND WHEREAS the Secretary of the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna, the recognized political party to which Abesinghe Korale Arachchige Nimal Abeysinghe the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A (1)(a) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon the member of that Ward No. 15 - Mahabellana of Bandaragama 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 elected 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 Praneeth Welivitage to fill such vacancy;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Wannakuwatta Waduge Kalindra Jayaweera Fernando, Returning Officer of Bandaragama Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A (1)(a) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Praneeth Welivitage was elected as the member of the Ward No. 15 - Mahabellana of Bandaragama Pradeshiya Sabha.

Kalindra Jayaweera Fernando, Returning officer, Bandaragama Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Election Office, Kalutara, 03rd March, 2020.

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