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**TWENTY FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE
CONSTITUTION**

(Private Member's Bill)

A

BILL

**to amend the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of
Sri Lanka**

*To be presented in Parliament by Hon. (Dr.) Wijeyadasa Rajapakshe, M.P.
for Colombo District*

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC
SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Twenty First Amendment to the Constitution. Short title.

5 **2.** Article 99 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka (hereinafter referred to as "the Constitution") is hereby amended by the substitution in subparagraph (a) of Paragraph (6) of that Article for the words "less than one twentieth of the total votes" of the words "less
10 than one eighth of the total votes". Amendment of Article 99 of the Constitution.

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.

