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## PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

## **Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance**

FILLING OF A VACANCY IN OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE AMBALANGODA URBAN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 66A(1)(a) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS, the office of member of Ambalangoda Urban Council has fallen vacant by reason of expelling by Hon. Governor of Southern Province;

And whereas the Secretary of the Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna, the recognized political party to which Gange Sarath Srilal De Silva the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1)(a) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon the member of that 06 Kariththakanda of Ambalangoda Urban Council 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 Kasthuri Arachchi Pinnawalage Jeevan Supavithra to fill such vacancy;

Therefore, I, Wewelwala Hewage Ravindra Wijaya Kumara, Returning Officer of the Ambalangoda Urban Council, acting in terms of Section 66A(1)(a) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Kasthuri Arachchi Pinnawalage Jeevan Supavithra was elected as the member of 06 Kariththakanda of Ambalangoda Urban Council.

W. H. R. WIJAYA KUMARA, Returning Officer, Ambalangoda Urban Council.

District Elections Office, Galle. 28th March, 2022.

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