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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

#### REVISION OF ELECTORAL REGISTERS - 2023

Notice of the Election Commission on the Display of 'A' and 'B' Lists, Claims and Objections

#### Definition

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| 01. "Act"                      | - Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980 as amended by the Registration of Electors (Amendment) Act, No. 22 of 2021  |
| 02. "Valid Electoral Register" | - The main register of the year 2022 and 2022(1), 2022(2) and 2022(3) Supplementary Electoral Registers  |
| 03. "A' List"                  | - List of persons whose names are included in the 2022 Electoral Register, who have been disqualified due to death or leaving the residence or for any other reason, namely those who are recommended for removal in the year 2023 |
| 04. "B' List"                  | - List of persons who are not included in the 2022 Electoral Register but are eligible to be included in the 2023 Electoral Register on completion of 18 years of age or residency or for any other reason.                        |

#### Exhibition Centers of Electoral Register (or part thereof) valid for the year 2022 and "A" and "B" Lists

##### *Exhibition Center*

##### *Electoral register and lists or parts thereof kept for display*

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| 01. Each District Election Office | Full copy of the Electoral Register valid for the year 2022 in the relevant electoral district (district) and copies of the relevant "A" and "B" lists                    |
| 02. Each Divisional Secretariat   | A copy of the 2022 valid Electoral Register section showing all the polling districts in the relevant Divisional Secretariat and copies of the relevant "A" and "B" lists |



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| 03. Each Local Authority        | A copy of the 2022 valid Electoral Register section showing all the polling districts in the relevant local authority area and copies of the relevant "A" and "B" lists             |
| 04. Each Grama Niladhari Office | A copy of the 2022 valid Electoral Register section showing all the polling districts located in the relevant Grama Niladhari Division and copies of the relevant "A" and "B" lists |

### **Instructions**

01. It was announced today (August 15, 2023) that the Registering Officers in each electoral district have completed the preparation of Lists "A" and "B" in accordance with Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act.
02. Every person who is qualified in terms of Section 14 of the Registration of Electors Act to have his own name or someone else's name entered in the said electoral register applicable to each electoral district and whose name has been omitted from the electoral register and from List "B" or whose name has been included in List "A" may claim to have his name entered in such register. Claims to have his or someone else's name entered or retained in the register may be made by himself or by someone else on his behalf, as the case may be, and they may apply substantially in form "A" and "B" set out in the Schedule to above Registration of Electors Act so as to reach the registering officer of each electoral district on or before 11 September 2023, within 4 weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka *i.e.* from 15 August 2023.
03. Any person whose name appears in the electoral or in list "B" for any electoral district may object to the entry of his own name or to the entry or retention of the name of any other person appearing in such register or list "B". Every such objection shall be made in duplicate and shall be substantially in form "C" set out in the schedule to the above Act and shall be made so as to reach the registering officer of the Election Office. All objections to the inclusion of the name in the register should be sent to the registering officer of the District Elections Office on or before 11 September 2023, within 4 weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka *i.e.* from 15 August 2023.
04. Every objection to the entry of the name of any claimant in the electoral register shall be made in duplicate and shall be substantially in form "D" set out in the schedule to the above Act and shall be made so as to reach the registering officer within 14 days from the date on which the notice containing the names of claimants is exhibited at the District Election Office. This notice will be published in the District Election Offices on 01 September 2023 and 15 September 2023.
05. Form 'A' 'B' required for submission of claims and Form 'C' 'D' required for submission of objections can be obtained from the District Election Offices, Divisional Secretariats, Local Authorities or Grama Niladhari Offices.

R. M. A. L. RATHNAYAKE,  
Chairman,  
Election Commission.

15th August, 2023,  
At the Elections Secretariat.

### **REVISION OF ELECTORAL REGISTERS - 2023**

**Notices issued by the Registering Officers in each Electoral District stating that the 'A' and 'B' lists have been prepared under Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980.**

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 01 - Colombo** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently in force and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**P.A.S. Senaratne**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 01 Colombo  
15 August 2023, Colombo Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 02 - Gampaha** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**K. J. S. Madhawa**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 02 Gampaha  
15 August 2023, Gampaha Election Office.

IN In terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 03 - Kalutara** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Kalindra Jayaweera Fernando**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 03 Kalutara  
15 August 2023, Kalutara Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 04 - Mahanuwara** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**H. D. N. Sampath Fernando**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 04 Mahanuwara  
15 August 2023, Kandy Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 05 - Matale** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**H. A. E. Pushpakumara**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 05 Matale  
15 August 2023, Matale Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 06 - Nuwara Eliya** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**K. A. L. S. Kalugampitiya**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 06 Nuwara Eliya  
15 August 2023, Nuwara Eliya Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 07 - Galle** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**W. H. R. Wijayakumara**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 07 Galle  
15 August 2023, Galle Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 08 - Matara** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**T. W. Poshitha Kaumadi**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 08 Matara  
15 August 2023, Matara Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 09 - Hambantota** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Raveendra Subhashana Wedage**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 09 Hambantota  
15 August 2023, Hambantota Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 10 - Jaffna** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**R. C. Amalraj**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 10 Jaffna  
15 August 2023, Jaffna Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 11 - Vanni** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**J. Jeniton**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 11 Vanni  
15 August 2023, Vanni Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 12 - Batticaloa** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**M. B. M. Sufiyan**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 12 Batticaloa  
15 August 2023, Batticaloa Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 13 - Digamadulla** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Kasun Srinath Attanayake**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 13 Digamadulla  
15 August 2023, Ampara Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 14 - Trincomalee** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Piyumi Atigala**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 14 Trincomalee  
15 August 2023, Trincomalee Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 15 - Kurunegala** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**R. M. H. B. Ratnayake**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 15 Kurunegala  
15 August 2023, Kurunegala Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 16 - Puttalam** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**S. L. R. Jayanayake**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 16 Puttalam  
15 August 2023, Puttalam Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 17 - Anuradhapura** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**K. Muhundan**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 17 Anuradhapura  
15 August 2023, Anuradhapura Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 18 - Polonnaruwa** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Piyumi Atigala**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 18 Polonnaruwa  
15 August 2023, Polonnaruwa Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 19 - Badulla** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**K. Kandeepan**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 19 Badulla  
15 August 2023, Badulla Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 20 - Moneragala** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**N. Reagan**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 20 Moneragala  
15 August 2023, Moneragala Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 21 - Ratnapura** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Suranga Ambaghatenne**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 21 Ratnapura  
15 August 2023, Ratnapura Election Office.

IN terms of Section 13 of the Registration of Electors Act, it is informed that the "A" and "B" lists relevant to the **No. 22 - Kegalle** electoral district have been prepared and the Electoral Register for the year 2022 which is currently valid and those lists or parts thereof are kept for public inspection during office hours. It is also informed that the Election Commission will issue notices today (August 15, 2023) regarding the exhibition centers of Electoral Registers and "A", "B" Lists and the acceptance of claims and objections.

**Sajith P. Kasthurisinghe**, Assistant Registering Officer, Electoral District No. 22 Kegalle  
15 August 2023, Kegalle Election Office.

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