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Proclamations & C., by the President

## A PROCLAMATION BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT



MAITHRIPALA SIRISENA

WHEREAS, I am of the opinion that by the reason of a public emergency in Sri Lanka, it is expedient, so to do, in the interest of public security, the preservation of public order and the maintenance of supplies and services essential to the life of the community;

Know you that, I, Maithripala Sirisena, President, by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 2 of the Public Security Ordinance (Chapter 40) as amended by Act, No. 8 of 1959, Law No. 6 of 1978 and Act, No. 28 of 1988, do by this Proclamation declare that the provisions of Part II of that Ordinance, shall come into operation throughout Sri Lanka on and after April 22, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

Declared at Colombo on the April 22, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

By His Excellency's Command,

UDAYA R. SENEVIRATNE, Secretary to the President.