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## PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

### Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

#### FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF CHAIRMAN OF THE DAMANA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 65A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS the office of Chairman in Damana Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of being elected as a member of the Eastern Province Provincial Council ;

And whereas the Secretary of the United People's Freedom Alliance, the recognized political party to which W. D. Weerasinghe the Chairman belonged, was required by me under Section 65A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon the member of that Damana Pradeshiya Sabha who belongs to such party who shall be declared elected as Chairman within a period of thirty (30) days;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has communicated his decision to nominate Mr. Jagoda Arachchige Mangala Mahinda Gunawardhana, to fill such vacancy ;

Now therefore, I, Sivasubramaniam Achchuthan, Returning Officer of Damana Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 65A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr. Jagoda Arachchige Mangala Mahinda Gunawardhana , elected as Chairman of the Damana Pradeshiya Sabha.

S. ACHCHUTHAN,  
Returning Officer,  
Damana Pradeshiya Sabha.

Elections Office,  
Ampara,  
02nd November 2012.

**FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF A MEMBER OF THE DAMANA PRADESHIYA SABHA  
UNDER SECTION 65A(2) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES  
ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)**

WHEREAS the office of a member in Damana Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of being elected as a member of the Eastern Province Provincial Council ;

And whereas the Secretary of the United People's Freedom Alliance, the recognized political party to which W. D. Weerasinghe, the member belonged, was required by me under Section 65A(2) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to nominate a person eligible under the Ordinance for Election as a member of that Damana Pradeshiya Sabha who belongs to such party 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 nominated Mr. D. M. Sisil Wijerathne being an eligible person under the aforesaid Ordinance to fill such vacancy;

Now therefore, I, Sivasubramaniam Achchuthan, Returning Officer of Damana Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 65A(2) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr. D. M. Sisil Wijerathne elected as a member of the Damana Pradeshiya Sabha.

S. ACHCHUTHAN,  
Returning Officer,  
Damana Pradeshiya Sabha.

Elections Office,  
Ampara,  
02nd November 2012.  
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