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**PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance**

**FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE PALAGALA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 66A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)**

WHEREAS the office of member in Palagala Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of Resignation ;

And whereas the Secretary of the United National Party, the recognized political party to which Saliya Nishshanka Kumarage Madusha Wirajini Nishshanka the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon returned member of Palagala Pradeshiya Sabha 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 selected 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 Wattegama Gedara Priyangika Lalith Vijeweera to fill such vacancy ;

Now therefore, I, Kangatharan Mugunthan, Returning Officer of the Palagala Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Wattegama Gedara Priyangika Lalith Vijeweera was selected as the member of the Palagala Pradeshiya Sabha.

**K. MUGUNTHAN,**  
Returning Officer,  
Palagala Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Election Office,  
Anuradhapura,  
21st October, 2021.

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