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Government Notifications

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 76A OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE AND SECTION 24A OF THE REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS ACT, No. 44 OF 1980

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Election Commission in terms of Sections 76A and 89 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance as amended by the Local Authorities Elections (Amendment) Act, No. 25 of 1990 and in terms of Section 24A of the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980, as amended by the Registration of Electors (Amendment) Act, No. 22 of 2021, we do hereby notify that the interpretation of the term "youth" in Section 89 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, should be amended by the substitution for the words "means a person not less than eighteen years of age as at first June of the year in which the revision of the operative electoral register commenced under the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980" of the words "means a person not less than eighteen years of age as at first February 2025 (*i.e.* born on or before thirty - first January 2007)" to be commensurate with Section 20A(1) sub section of the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980.

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On this 01st day of March, 2025. At the office of the Election Commission, Sarana Mawatha, Rajagiriya,



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