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PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

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

WHEREAS the office of Vice Chairman in Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of Vice Chairman has been appointed as Chairman ;

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

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has failed to communicate his decision within the period specified ;

Now therefore, I, Jayasingha Arachchilage Samantha Priyaleel Jayasingha, *Acting* Returning Officer of Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 65A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr. Amadoru Thuppahige Piyadasa, who had secured the next highest number of preferences at the election held on 30th March, 2006, to Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha elected as Vice Chairman of the Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

J. A. S. P. JAYASINGHA,
Acting Returning Officer,
Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha.

Elections Office,
Matara,
10th December, 2009.

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