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PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF A MEMBER OF THE BATTICALOA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 65A(2) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

WHEREAS the office of a member in Batticaloa Municipal Council has fallen vacant by reason of not attending three consecutive meetings without permission ;

And whereas the Secretary of the United People's Freedom Alliance , the recognized political party to which Piragasam Sahayamani, 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 Batticaloa Municipal Council 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 failed to make a nomination within the period specified ;

Now therefore, I, Sangarapillai Suthakaran, Returning Officer of Batticaloa Municipal Council , acting in terms of Section 65A(2) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr. Chandiresan Johnson Dilipkumar who had secured the highest number of preferences next to the last of the member declared elected at the election held on 10th of March 2008 to Batticaloa Municipal Council elected as a member of the Batticaloa Municipal Council in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

S. SUTHAKARAN,
Returning Officer,
Batticaloa Municipal Council.

Elections Office,
Batticaloa ,
28th March 2011.

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