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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

FIREARMS ORDINANCE

Declaring a period of time for Firearms without Licence to be Handed over

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 30(1) of the Firearms Ordinance, as amended by Ordinances No. 06 of 1920, No. 12 of 1945, No. 07 of 1947 and Acts No. 18 and 22 of 1955, No. 38 of 1975, No. 08 of 1980, No. 50 of 1981 and No. 22 of 1996 (Chapter 182), I, Gotabaya Rajapaksa, President do hereby declare a period of time as mentioned in the following Schedule to be enforced island wide for firearms without licence to be handed over to the government.

Further, when firearms without licence are handed over within the declared period of time, it is ordered that the person handing over the firearm should not be fined or punished for an offence committed contrary to Section 22 of the Firearms Ordinance with regard to keeping in custody, possession or utilization of the firearm before the date of handing over.

GOTABAYA RAJAPAKSA, President.

Colombo, 31st January, 2020.

SCHEDULE

- 01. Places to handover firearms without licence Police Station in the area of residence
- 02. Duration of time From 5th to 12th February, 2020

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