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PART I: SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

Revision of Electoral Registers - 2023

IT is hereby notified in terms of the section 12(1) of the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980 as amended by the Registration of Electors (Amendment) Act, No. 22 of 2021 that the activities relating to the revision of electoral registers for the year 2023 has commenced on 01 February 2023.

02. Copies of the currently valid main electoral register 2022, 2022(1), 2022(2) and 2022(3) supplementary electoral registers (hereinafter referred to as the valid electoral register) or parts thereof will be displayed by the registering officers at their respective offices and at the following offices:

Offices where copies of registers or parts thereof are displayed	Registers or parts thereof that will be displayed
Each District Election Office	Complete copy of the electoral register pertaining to the electoral district / administrative district
Each Grama Niladhari Office	Part of the valid electoral register of the Grama Niladhari Division



- 03. Thus, every person who is eligible to be an elector in a particular electoral district can verify his name by checking the electoral registers displayed in the above places. In addition, they can check by visiting the website of the Election Commission www.elections.gov.lk.
- 04. It is informed to the public that the Election Commission has decided to revise the electoral regsiter in the year 2023 as follows.
- 05. The consolidated registers will be prepared for the enumeration of electors for the year 2023 by consolidating the currently valid electoral register 2022 certified on 31.10.2022, supplementary electoral register 2022(1) certified on 08.11.2022, supplementary electoral register 2022(2) certified on 15.11.2022 and supplementary electoral register 2022(3) certified on 01.02.2023.
- 06. The Grama Niladhari of each division will act as the enumerator of that division. Special enumerators may also be deployed opportunely.
- 07. The enumerator will visit each household and the consolidated electoral register bring by the enumerator should be signed by chief occupant paying attention to the following points.
- 08. If an elector is registered in the 2022 valid electoral register, he/she will be registered for the year 2023 under the same address that he/she was registered in the 2022 electoral register. Note that there is no need for him/her to complete any form other than signing the consolidated register by the chief occupant. If the name of any person is not registered in the year 2022 or if he/she is registering as an elector for the first time on completion of 18 years of age or if a person needs to change his/her registered address in the year 2022 or to register as an elector in the year 2023 then complete a Form 2023/ER and hand it over to the enumerator. Further details are given in Form 2023/ER itself.
- 09. If an elector registered in the year 2022 is not eligible for registration in the year 2023 due to death or change of residence or any other reason, inform your enumerator officer.
- 10. Those who complete 18 years of age as on 01.02.2023 i.e. born on or before 31.01.2005 are eligible to register in the main register of 2023.
- 11. Notices regarding the exhibition of 'A' and 'B' lists, receiving of claims and objections will be published in the future, in terms of the Registration of Electors Act.
- 12. Information is collected through YC forms for the following 06 supplementary electoral registers to be certified in the future. Exhibition of supplementary lists, receiving of claims and objections will be notified by future public announcements.

12.1. Supplementary Electoral Register prepared for the year 2023:

Supplementary Electoral Register	Period to complete 18 years	Date of Birth
2023(1)	From 01.02.2023 to 31.05.2023	From 01.02.2005 to 31.05.2005
2023(2)	From 01.06.2023 to 30.09. 2023	From 01.06.2005 to 30.09.2005
2023(3)	From 01.10.2023 to 31.01. 2024	From 01.10.2005 to 31.01.2006

12.2. Supplementary Electoral Register prepared for the year 2024 :

Supplementary Electoral Register	Period to complete 18 years	Date of Birth
2024(1)	From 01.02.2024 to 31.05. 2024	From 01.02.2006 to 31.05.2006
2024(2)	From 01.06.2024 to 30.09. 2024	From 01.06.2006 to 30.09.2006
2024(3)	From 01.10.2024 to 31.01.2025	From 01.10.2006 to 31.01.2007

13. It is informed that the door to door enumeration of electors by enumerators will be carried out after 15.02.2023.

On the Order of the Election Commission,

SAMAN SRI RATNAYAKE, Commissioner General of Elections.

On 01st February 2023, At the Elections Secretariat, Sarana Mawatha, Rajagiriya.

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