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PART I: SECTION (I) – GENERAL

Government Notifications

My No.: IR/COM/01/2019/76.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON  
(1956 REVISED EDITION)

Order under Section 4(1)

WHEREAS An industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner General of Labour which accompanies this order exists between,

1. Mr. R. M. Nandana Pushpakumara, Diyawagirena Ella, Spring Valley.
2. Mr. K. M. K. Sarathchandra, No. 120, Walikemulla, Badulla.

*of the one part*

and

1. Sri Lanka Transport Board, No. 200, Kirula Road, Colombo -05.
2. Sri Lanka Transport Board, Badulla Depot, Passara Road, Hindagoda, Badulla.

*of the other part*



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**PART I: SEC. (I) – GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA – 17.07.2023**

Now Therefore I, Manusha Nanayakkara, Minister of Labour and Foreign Employment do by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended by Acts Nos. 14 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes - Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968 hereby appoint. Mr. S. A. Nimal Saranatissa, Attorney-at-Law, No. 199/4, Mayura Mawatha, Talahena, Malambe to be the arbitrator and refer the aforesaid dispute to him for settlement by arbitration.

MANUSHA NANAYAKKARA,  
Minister of Labour and Foreign Employment.

Colombo,  
11th July, 2023.

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**STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE**

**The matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties is**

Whether Mr. R. M. Nandana Pushpakumara and Mr. K. M. K. Sarathchandra have been caused injustice by placing them in salary step - Grade viii saying that the salary paid placing them in salary step - Grade ix is incorrect in the preparation of salaries in accordance with Finance Division Circular No. 02 of 2008, and by deducting the sum of Rs. 229,084/- paid in excess, in installments of Rs. 5000/- and if such injustice had been caused to them, to what relief they are entitled.

B. K. PRABATH CHANDRAKEERTHI,  
Commissioner General of Labour.

Dated at the Office of the Commissioner General of Labour.  
Colombo this 23th day of June, 2023.

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