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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

REVISION OF ELECTORAL REGISTERS - 2024

Notice of the Election Commission

IT is hereby notified in terms of the section 12(1) of the Registration of Electors Act, No. 44 of 1980 (hereinafter referred to as the Registration of Electors Act or the Act) 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 2024 has commenced on 01 January 2024.

02. Copies of the currently valid main electoral register 2023, supplementary electoral registers 2023(1) and 2023(2) (hereinafter referred to as the "valid electoral register") or parts thereof will be displayed by the registering officers at the following offices:

*Offices where copies of registers
or parts thereof are displayed*

Each District Election Office

Each Grama Niladhari Office

Registers or parts thereof that will be displayed

Complete copy of the electoral register pertaining to the electoral district / administrative district

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 ec.lk/vrd. Information can also be obtained by scanning the QR code in this advertisement.



04. It is informed to the public that the Election Commission has decided to revise the electoral register in the year 2024 as follows.
05. The consolidated registers will be prepared for the enumeration of electors for the year 2024 by consolidating the currently valid electoral register 2023 certified on 31.10.2023, supplementary electoral register 2023(1) certified on 15.09.2023, supplementary electoral register 2023(2) certified on 02.10.2023 and supplementary electoral register 2023(3) which is to be certified on 01.02.2024.
06. The Grama Niladhari of each division will act as the enumerator of that division. Special enumerators may also be deployed opportunistically.
07. It is informed that enumerators will start door to door enumeration of electors from 01.01.2024.
08. The enumerator shall visit each household and shall sign the consolidated elector enumeration list brought by the enumerator paying attention to the following points the chief occupant. On several occasions when the enumerator visited the household but did not meet the head or the chief occupant or an elder; it is the responsibility of the chief occupant to meet the enumerator and follow the instructions in this notice.
09. If an elector is registered in the 2023 valid electoral register, he/she will be registered for the year 2024 under the same address that he/she was registered in the 2023 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 2023 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 2023 or to register as an elector in the year 2024 then complete a Form 2024/ER and hand it over to the enumerator. Further details are given in Form 2024/ER itself.
10. If an elector registered in 2023 is not eligible for registration in 2024 due to death or change of residence or any other reason, inform your enumerator. Those who are thus disqualified will be listed 'A' and removed from the valid register. Those who are not included in the valid register but who are eligible to get their name included in the register under a qualifying address will be included in the 'B' list and included in the 2024 register.
11. Those who complete 18 years of age as on 01.02.2024 *i.e.* born on or before 31.01.2006 are eligible to register in the main register of 2024.
12. Notices regarding the exhibition of 'A' and 'B' lists, receiving of claims and objections will be published on 09.04.2024, in terms of the Registration of Electors Act. Claims and objections should be submitted within 28 days from the date of publication of the notice.
13. Information is collected through YC forms for the following 06 supplementary electoral registers to be certified in the future. The exhibition of supplementary lists, receiving of claims and objections will be notified in future public notice.

13.1. Supplementary electoral register to be prepared for the year 2024

<i>Supplementary Electoral Register</i>	<i>Period to complete 18 years</i>	<i>Date of Birth</i>
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

13.2. Supplementary electoral register to be prepared for the year 2025

<i>Supplementary Electoral Register</i>	<i>Period to complete 18 years</i>	<i>Date of Birth</i>
2025(1)	From 01.02.2025 to 31.05. 2025	From 01.02.2007 to 31.05.2007
2025(2)	From 01.06.2025 to 30.09. 2025	From 01.06.2007 to 30.09.2007
2025(3)	From 01.10.2025 to 31.01.2026	From 01.10.2007 to 31.01.2008

14. A description of the electors included in the electoral register valid on 31.10.2023 will be provided to every household. If there is any error in the names or ID numbers mentioned therein, informed the enumerator immediately. If there are eligible electors for the year 2024 whose name is not mentioned, act as per the instructions in paragraph 09 above.

On the Order of the Election Commission,

R. M. A. L. RATHNAYAKE,
Chairman,
Election Commission.

At the Elections Secretariat,
Sarana Mawatha, Rajagiriya,
On 01st January 2024.

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