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PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

**FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE MEMBER OF THE
MATARA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
UNDER SECTION 65A(2) OF THE
LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE
(CHAPTER 262) AS AMENDED BY
LOCAL AUTHORITIES (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, No. 30 OF 2013**

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

AND WHEREAS the Secretary of the recognized political party namely United People's Freedom Alliance to which the former member, Hadunge Sosindra Nandana belonged was required by me under Section 65A(2) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to nominate within a period of thirty (30) days, a person eligible under the ordinance for election as a member of that Matara Municipal Council who shall be declared elected as a member ;

AND WHEREAS the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has nominated Mr. Usman Mohomad Mohomad Safar being an eligible person under the aforesaid Ordinance to fill such vacancy ;

NOW THEREFORE I, Wewalwala Hewage Ravinda Wijaya Kumara, Returning Officer of Matara Municipal Council acting in terms of Section 65A(2) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance as amended by filling of vacancies in Local Authorities (Special Provisions) Act, No. 30 of 2013 (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Mr. Usman Mohomad Mohomad Safar elected as a member of the Matara Municipal Council.

W. H. R. WIJAYA KUMARA,
Returning Officer,
Matara Municipal Council.

District Elections Office,
Matara,
13th January, 2016.

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