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THE CEYLON (STATE COUNCIL ELECTIONS) AMENDMENT ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1934.

THE following Order of His Majesty in Council is published for general information.

Governor's Office,  
Colombo, May 8, 1934.

By His Excellency's command,  
C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Secretary to the Governor.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of March, 1934.

*Present,*

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, provision was made for the delimitation of electoral districts and for the preparation of a register of persons entitled to elect members and for the election of members to serve in the State Council of Ceylon :

And whereas by the said Order His Majesty reserved to Himself, His Heirs and Successors, power, with the advice of His or Their Privy Council, to revoke, alter, or amend the said Order in Council as to Him or Them should seem fit :

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Order in Council in the manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This order may be cited as the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Amendment Order in Council 1934.
2. Article 23 of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, is hereby amended  
(a) by the insertion of the following new Clause (4) after the existing Clause (3).  
(4) If at any time after the Governor has ordered a general election or an election to fill a vacancy in the seat of an elected member, it is shown to his satisfaction that in any electoral district, owing to failure to nominate any candidate for election or to any other cause, no election has been held in pursuance of such order, he may at any time by a notice in the Government Gazette issue another order that an election shall be held in that district.  
(b) By renumbering the existing Clause (4) as Clause (5).
3. His Majesty hereby reserves to Himself, His Heirs and Successors, power, with the advice of His or Their Privy Council, to revoke, alter, or amend this Order as to Him or Them shall seem fit.
4. This Order shall be published in the Ceylon Government Gazette and shall thereupon come into operation.

M. P. A. HANKEY.