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PART I.—GENERAL.

PROCLAMATION.

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A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS His Excellency Sir Henry Monck-Mason Moore, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Territories and Dependencies thereof, is absent from the Island :

It is hereby proclaimed that in conformity with His Majesty's Will and Pleasure declared in the Letters Patent dated the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, constituting the Office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Ceylon and its Dependencies, and by virtue of the appointment under His Majesty's Sign Manual and Signet given on the Fourteenth day of June, one thousand

nine hundred and forty-six, the Honourable Sir John Curtois Howard, Knight, Chief Justice of the Island of Ceylon, has this day assumed administration of the Government of the Island :

Whereof all persons are hereby required to take due notice.

By command of His Excellency the
Officer Administering the Government,

C. H. HARTWELL,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, 20th July, 1946.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 541 of 1946.

No. G.O.—J. 27-Pt. II.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. FRANCIS JOSEPH SOERTSZ, King's Counsel, Senior Puisne Justice to act

in the office of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Ceylon from 20 July, 1946, during the period the Honourable Sir JOHN HOWARD, K.C., Chief Justice has been granted leave from his duties to enable him to administer the Government of Ceylon, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
C. H. HARTWELL,
Secretary to the Governor.
Governor's Office,
Colombo, 20th July, 1946.

No. 542 of 1946.

No. G.O.—J. 27 Pt. II.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint REGINALD FELIX DIAS BANDARANAIKE, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Commissioner of Assize, to act in the office of a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon from the 20th July, 1946, during the period the Honourable Mr. Justice F. J. SOERTSZ will be acting as Chief Justice, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
C. H. HARTWELL,
Secretary to the Governor.
Governor's Office,
Colombo, 20th July, 1946.

No. 543 of 1946.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments on his Personal Staff with effect from the 20th July, 1946 :—

To act as Private Secretary.
Miss ROSALIND HULL DE RENZY-MARTIN.

To be Aide-de-Camp.
Captain JOHN DIGHTON PROBYN, Royal Norfolk Regiment.

To be Extra Aides-de-Camp.
Sir JAMES PETER OBEYESEKERE, Maha Mudaliyar and Chief Interpreter.
Lt.-Col. F. C. DE SARAM, Ceylon Garrison Artillery.
Major EDMUND CLARENCE DE FONSEKA, E.D., Ceylon Light Infantry.
Major BEVIS WILLIAM FREDERICK BAWA, Ceylon Light Infantry.
Capt. G. N. DE ST. CROIX, Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.
Lt. H. C. SANSONI, Ceylon Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

By His Excellency's command,
C. H. HARTWELL,
Secretary to the Governor.
Governor's Office,
Colombo, 20th July, 1946.