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By His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord SOULBURY, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross, Governor General and Commander in Chief of the Island of Ceylon and its Dependencies

Seal

SOULBURY

TO NORMAN EDWARD WEERASOORIYA, Esquire, Q C LL B
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GREETINGS

WHEREAS it appears to me to be necessary to appoint a Commission for the purposes hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, I, Herwald, Baron Soulbury, Governor General, reposing great trust and confidence in your prudence, ability and fidelity, do in pursuance of the provisions of section 2 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, No 17 of 1948, by these presents appoint you to be my Commissioners for the following purposes, that is to say—

- (1) to inquire into and report on the state of broadcasting in Ceylon today and in particular to inquire into and report on—
 - (a) the organisation of the Department of Broadcasting,
 - (b) the adequacy of the staff of that Department,
 - (c) the suitability of the present buildings and equipment of that Department,
 - (d) the type and quality of the programmes offered to the public by that Department, and
 - (e) the operation of the Commercial Service of that Department,
- (2) to consider the question of the advisability of introducing television in Ceylon, and
- (3) to make such recommendations as may be necessary for improving the state of broadcasting in Ceylon, including recommendations relating to all or any of the matters specified in the preceding two paragraphs

And I do hereby appoint you, the said Norman Edward Weerasooriya to be the Chairman of the said Commission.

And I do hereby authorise and empower you, the said Commissioners, to hold all such inquiries and make all such investigations into the aforesaid matters as may appear to you to be necessary and require you to transmit to me, as early as possible, a report thereon under your hand

And I do hereby direct that such part of any inquiry relating to the aforesaid matters as you may in your discretion determine shall not be held in public

And I do hereby require and direct all public officers and other persons, to whom you may apply for assistance or information for the purposes of your inquiries and investigations to render all such assistance and furnish all such information as may properly be rendered and furnished in that behalf

Given at Nuwara Eliya, under the Seal of this Island, this Fourth day of April, One thousand Nine hundred and fifty three

By His Excellency's command,

A J D ROSE,

Acting Secretary to the Governor-General

REVISION OF PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORAL REGISTERS, 1952

IT is hereby notified for general information that an Act intituled the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Amend ment Act, No 19 of 1953, has been passed for giving a further opportunity for claims and objections in respect of the current revision of the Parliamentary Electoral Registers to be made within two weeks from the date of the commencement of the Act The Act becomes law today, April 6, 1953

Every person who is qualified in accordance with the provisions of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, to have his name entered in any register of electors which is now being revised and whose name has been omitted from that register and from the List B referred to in Section 18 of the Order in Council or whose name has been included in the List A referred to in that section and who claims to have his name inserted or retained, as the case may be, in the register may apply to the Registering Officer to have his name inserted or retained therein

Any person whose name appears in the register or in the List B aforementioned for any electoral district may object to the inclusion in the register of his own name or the name of any other person appearing in such register or list or may object to the insertion or retention in the register of the name of any claimant

Every claim and every objection to the inclusion, insertion or retention of any name in the register must be made in the manner prescribed in Section 12 of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, and must reach the Registering Officer within two weeks from April 6, 1953 Forms for the purpose of making any claim or objection may be obtained at the office of the Registering Officer

Complete copies of the registers and of Lists A and B are available for inspection at the offices of the respective Registering Officers In addition, for the convenience of the public, extracts of the registers and of the two lists have been made available for inspection as follows —

- (1) In respect of Electoral Districts No 1, Colombo North, No 2, Colombo Central, No 3, Colombo South, and No 4, Wellawatte-Galkissa, extracts covering the polling districts noted in Column 2 below at the Post Offices noted against them in Column 1

1 <i>Post Office</i>	2 <i>Polling District</i>
Borella	O, P and Q
Cinnamon Gardens	H and I
Colombo Courts	J and K
Dehiwala	F, G, H, I, J, K, M, P, V and W
G P O	B
Grandpass	E, F and G
Grandpass	N, O, Y and Z
Havelock Town	A, B, C, D, E, F and G
Kollupitiya	CC and DD
Kotahena	M and N
Kotahena	C, D, AA and BB
Maradana	A, B, C and D
Maradana	L, M, R, S and T
Maradana	L, M and N
Mount Lavinia	L, N, O, Q, R, S, T and U
Mutwal	H, I, J, K and L
Pettah	A, E, F, G, H, I, P and Q
Slave Island	U, V, W and X
Slave Island	J and K
Wellampitiya	O, P, Q and R
Wellawatte	A, B, C, D and E
	Colombo South Electoral District
	Colombo South Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Wellawatte-Galkissa Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo North Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo South Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo North Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo North Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo South Electoral District
	Wellawatte-Galkissa Electoral District
	Colombo North Electoral District
	Colombo Central Electoral District
	Colombo South Electoral District
	Colombo North Electoral District
	Wellawatte-Galkissa Electoral District

- (2) In respect of Electoral Districts other than those referred to at (1) above,

- (a) at each Divisional Revenue Officer's office, extracts covering all polling districts within his division ,
 (b) at the office of each village headman within whose division a gazetted situation of a polling station has—extracts covering the polling district served by that polling station

Colombo, April 6, 1953

V L WIRASINHA,
 Commissioner of Parliamentary Elections