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No. 194 of 1970

No. D/264/Rect/B.

ARMY—REGULAR FORCE—OFFICERS SUSPENDED FROM THEIR OFFICE—REINSTATEMENT BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

THE undermentioned officers, suspended from the exercise of their office, are reinstated with effect from May 30, 1970:—

- Captain DULEEPSINGH UPAWANSA WEERASINGHE, C.A.
- Captain PRASANNA GUNASILU SEPALA PANDITHA DAHANAYAKE, C.S.R.
- Captain LIYANAGE GUNASOMA SIGEBA, C.A.O.C.
- Lieutenant ARTHUR RANJIT PEREBA WIJERATNE, C.S.R.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. JAYASINGHE,
Acting Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.

Colombo, June 2, 1970.

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Other Appointments, &c.

No. 195 of 1970

No. EB/A. 204/3.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Home Affairs has, by virtue of the authority vested in him by the notification under section 10B of the Interpretation Ordinance (Chapter 2), published in *Gazette* No. 10,123 of July 14, 1950, made the following appointments:—

Mr. R. B. RANATUNGA, Acting Assistant Government Agent for the Administrative District of Anuradhapura, functioning under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Assistant Superintendent of Prisons, Anuradhapura, with effect from April 7, 1970, until further orders.

Mr. L. A. UDUWELA, Acting Assistant Government Agent for the Administrative District of Kandy, functioning under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, to be, in addition to his own duties, Deputy Fiscal for the Administrative District of Kandy, with effect from May 9, 1970, until further orders.

A. I. MOHIDEEN,
for Permanent Secretary.

Ministry of Home Affairs,
Torrington Square,
Colombo 7, May 25, 1970.

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SPECIAL NOTICE REGARDING FORWARDING OF NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WEEKLY GAZETTE

ATTENTION is drawn to the Important Notice, appearing at the end of each part of this *Gazette*, regarding dates of publication of the future weekly *Gazettes* and the latest times by which Notices will be accepted by the Government Printer for publication therein. All notices for publication in the *Gazette* received out of times specified in the said notice will be returned to the senders concerned.

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo, December 14, 1968.

L. W. P. PEIRIS,
Government Printer.

Government Notifications

THE STAMP ORDINANCE

RULE made by the Minister of Finance under section 6 of the Stamp Ordinance (Chapter 247).

Colombo, 3rd June, 1970.

N. M. PERERA,
Minister of Finance.

Rule

The rule made under section 6 of the Stamp Ordinance (Chapter 247), and published in *Gazette* No. 14,707 of August 5, 1966, as last amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 14,905 of May 8, 1970, is hereby further amended in the Schedule thereto, by the insertion, immediately after item 75, of the following new item:—

“ 76. Postage and Revenue Stamps in the 60 cents denomination depicting symbols of Agricultural and Industrial Production issued to commemorate the Asian Productivity Year 1970 ”.

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THE POST OFFICE ORDINANCE

RULE made by the Minister of Posts and Telecommunications under section 16 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 190).

Colombo, 6th June, 1970.

C. KUMARASURIER,
Minister of Posts and Telecommunications.

Rule

The rule made under section 16 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 190) and published in *Gazette* No. 14,707 of August 5, 1966, as last amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 14,905 of May 8, 1970, is hereby further amended, in the Schedule thereto, by the insertion, immediately after item 76, of the following new item:—

“ 77. Postage and Revenue Stamps in the 60 cents denomination depicting symbols of Agricultural and Industrial Production issued to commemorate the Asian Productivity Year 1970 ”.

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No. 39/B/Cer. (iii).

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of the regulation published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,029 of January 26, 1934, to award the Efficiency Medal (Ceylon) and/or clasps thereto, to the following personnel of the Volunteer Force of the Army:—

Efficiency Medal (Ceylon)

1312 Staff Sergeant Kotalawala. Don Edirisena, CAMC (V).

2nd Clasps

1040 Warrant Officer II Godamunne, Joseph Selverius, CAMC (V).

By His Excellency's command.

G. V. P. SAMARASINGHE,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.

Colombo, May 22, 1970.

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L.D.—B. 12/68.

THE TOURIST DEVELOPMENT ACT, No. 14 OF 1968

Notification under Section 57

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 57 of the Tourist Development Act, No. 14 of 1968, I, Junius Richard Jayewardene, Minister of State, do hereby constitute a Resort Authority for the Bentota National Holiday Resort and assign to it the name Bentota Resort Authority.

J. R. JAYEWARDENE,
Minister of State.

Colombo, 16.5.1970.

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THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE

Notification

IT is hereby notified under regulation 26 of the Wages Boards Regulations, 1943, that under section 9 of the Wages Boards Ordinance (Chapter 136), the Honourable Minister of Labour and Employment has been pleased to appoint Mr. E. L. de S. Nanayakkara to be a member of the Wages Board for the Bricks and Tile Manufacturing Trade, to represent the employers in that trade in place of Mr. G. A. Piyadasa who has resigned.

G. P. TAMBAYAH,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Labour and Employment.

Colombo, May 23, 1970.

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No. T. 7/852.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON (1956 REVISED EDITION)

Order under Section 4 (1)

WHEREAS an industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this Order exists between Samastha Lanka Motor Sevaka Samithiya, Mansoor Building, 2nd Floor, Front Street, Colombo 11, and The Ceylon Transport Board, No. 200, Kirula Road, Colombo 5.

Now, therefore, I, Mohamed Haniffa Mohamed, Minister of Labour and Employment, do, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended by Acts Nos. 14 of 1957, 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968), hereby appoint Mr. A. M. G. de Silva, No. 397, Dam Street, Colombo, to be the Arbitrator and refer the aforesaid dispute to him for settlement by arbitration.

M. H. MOHAMED,
Minister of Labour and Employment.

Colombo, 25th May, 1970.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS, CEYLON (1956 REVISED EDITION)

In the matter of an industrial dispute
between

Samastha Lanka Motor Sevaka Samithiya, Munsoor Building,
2nd Floor, Front Street, Colombo 11,

and

The Ceylon Transport Board, No. 200, Kirula Road, Colombo 5.

STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE

The matter in dispute between the Samastha Lanka Motor Sevaka Samithiya and The Ceylon Transport Board is whether the claim made by the said Samastha Lanka Motor Sevaka Samithiya for the payment of a special living allowance of Rs. 75 to its member Mr. S. C. Dayananda (Clerk, Kurunegala Depot) from the date of his appointment to the Board's Service is justified and to what relief he is entitled.

Dated at the office of the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo, this 16th day of May, 1970.

R. L. GUNASEKERA,
Commissioner of Labour.

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No. C/I. 1.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON (1956 REVISED EDITION)

Order under Section 4 (1)

WHEREAS an industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this Order exists between All-Ceylon Local Government Workers' Union, 67, Anandarajakaruna Mawatha, Colombo 10, and the Colombo Municipal Council, Colombo:

Now, therefore, I, Mohamed Haniffa Mohamed, Minister of Labour and Employment, do, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended by Acts Nos. 14 of 1957, 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968), hereby appoint Mr. E. Jeyaweerasingham, No. 32, 10th Lane, Colombo 3, to be the Arbitrator and refer the aforesaid dispute to him for settlement by arbitration.

M. H. MOHAMED,
Minister of Labour and Employment.

Colombo, 25th May, 1970.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131 OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON
(1956 REVISED EDITION)

In the matter of an industrial dispute between All Ceylon Local Government Workers Union, 67, Anandarajakaruna Mawatha, Colombo 10

and

The Colombo Municipal Council, Colombo.

STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE

The matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties is whether the imposition of a fine of Rs. 15 on Mr. W. V. Sirisena (B. T. 4232), and the stoppage of his annual increment by the Colombo Municipal Council is justified and to what relief is Mr. W. V. Sirisena entitled:

Dated at the office of the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo, this 14th day of May, 1970.

R. L. GUNASEKERA,
Commissioner of Labour.

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My No. C/L 1078.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to me by the Arbitrator to whom the industrial dispute which had arisen between United Tea, Rubber and Local Produce Workers Union, 71, Malay Street, Colombo 2 and M/s. Shums & Co., Ltd., Second Floor, Gaffoor Building, P. O. Box 877, Colombo 1, was referred by Order dated October 5th, 1969 made under Section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 as amended and published in *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 14,876 of October 17th, 1969 for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of Section 18 (1) of the said Act.

R. L. GUNASEKERA,
Commissioner of Labour.

Department of Labour,
Labour Secretariat,
Colombo 5, 31st May, 1970.

In the matter of an industrial dispute
between

The United Tea, Rubber & Local Produce Workers' Union,
71, Malay Street, Colombo 2,
and

Messrs. Shums & Company Limited,
2nd Floor, Gaffoor Building, Colombo 1.

Award

The Honourable Minister of Labour and Employment, by his Order dated 5th October, 1969, by virtue of the powers vested in him by Section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, No. 43 of 1950, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition) as amended by Acts, Nos. 14 and 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with the Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968), referred the above dispute to me for settlement by arbitration.

The Commissioner of Labour, by his statement dated 1st October, 1969, set out the matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties as follows: "whether the termination of the services of the following employees, who are members of the aforesaid Union, is justified and to what relief each of them is entitled:—

- (1) W. S. David
- (2) A. S. M. Saldeen
- (3) M. Sirisena
- (4) A. K. Somaratne
- (5) P. G. Sammy
- (6) C. N. Edwin
- (7) M. L. A. Majeed
- (8) G. Wickremasinghe
- (9) H. A. Podi Singho
- (10) D. M. Vincent
- (11) K. Selliah
- (12) R. M. Wijedasa
- (13) D. A. Lionel
- (14) S. K. Henry
- (15) H. W. Simon Perera
- (16) K. V. Gunewardene
- (17) R. A. Gunasekera
- (18) M. A. William Singho
- (19) P. Simion
- (20) S. Thuraisingham
- (21) N. Jesamuthu
- (22) U. A. Gunatillake
- (23) L. D. L. D. Gunewardene
- (24) S. P. Sapin
- (25) V. Sathasivam

- (26) L. M. L. A. de Silva
- (27) R. M. K. Wimalasena
- (28) Madduma Banda
- (29) Melroy Dantanarayana
- (30) M. R. M. Siddiek
- (31) M. Y. M. Milal
- (32) G. Charles Silva
- (33) G. Manuel Fernando
- (34) K. A. Nandawathie
- (35) D. K. Dhanawathie
- (36) M. Susan Fernando
- (37) G. W. Nancy
- (38) T. Cicilin Nona
- (39) H. Somawathie
- (40) P. Somaweera Latha
- (41) Mabel Wanigasekera
- (42) K. Lilian Unawathie
- (43) J. A. Alice
- (44) R. Emalin Nona
- (45) S. A. T. Perera
- (46) V. Magilin Nona
- (47) H. G. Kusumawathie.

The Union, in its Statement of Case, stated that the 47 workers were discontinued on 1st July, 1969, without proper notice of termination and without payment of gratuity for their many years of service, and prayed for reinstatement with back-wages.

The Employer's position was that it did, in fact, close down its rubber export business at Nos. 41, 43 and 47, Lacsreen Street, Kotahena, and No. 46, Green Lane, Kotahena, on the 1st July, 1969, and thereupon terminated the services of the workers there employed as from that date with one month's wages in lieu of notice; that, of the 47 persons listed in the Commissioner's statement of matters in dispute, six (6) workers—

No. 3—M. Sirisena—left in June, 1964;

No. 25—V. Sathasivam, No. 26—L. M. L. A. de Silva, No. 27—R. M. K. Wimalasena and No. 30—M. R. M. Siddiek were temporary workers whose employments were terminated on 20th May, 1969, with one month's wages in lieu of notice in consequence of reduction in volume of work;

No. 37—G. W. Nancy Nona was deemed to have vacated post from 27.4.69 (re which Labour Tribunal Application No. 1/729/69 is pending);

and five (5) other persons—

No. 15—L. W. Simon Perera, No. 21—N. Jesamuthu, No. 32—G. Charles Silva, No. 40—P. Somaweera Latha and No. 43—J. A. Alice were not employed by the Company.

During the hearings on 27.12.69, 4.1.70, 9.1.70, 16.1.70, 15.2.70 and 1.4.70, Mr. H. D. Ismail, instructed by Mr. Arnold de Silva, appeared for the Company and the Union was represented on different dates, by Mr. P. B. Wijesundera, its Assistant Secretary, Mr. K. V. Kanapathy, General Representative, and Mr. L. W. Panditha, General Secretary.

There was the question of to what workers this award should apply and what their length of service was. At the request of Court a statement showing the length of service of each of the workers affected was filed by the Union (A. 1 in respect of all 47 workers) and by the Employer (R. 1—in respect of 41 workers, i.e., excluding Nos. 3—said to have left in June, 1964—and Nos. 15, 21, 32, 40 and 43 whose names do not appear in their Registers). It was later agreed that the Labour Tribunal application by No. 37 G. W. Nancy Nona should be withdrawn and the award of this Court accepted instead. It was also accepted that it was possible that these workers whose names were not found in the Company's records could possibly be represented therein under different names.

It was early established that the termination of services of employees on 1.7.69 was in fact directly consequential to the closure of the business by the Company. I agree as urged by Mr. Ismail for the Company that neither this Court nor any other had the power to enforce continuance of a business by an Employer against his firm decision to close it. On the other hand I, at the same time, agree with the Union's contention that it was unjust and contrary to accepted Labour principles for an Employer to effect closure of his business (however long premeditated and necessary) without sufficient notice and provision for his workers who are rendered unemployed by such action. In this case figures were produced by the Employer—Company, showing that the downward trends of their Rubber Export business were sufficiently cogent to support their decision to close down. In the circumstances Court considered that the termination was justified and the Union did not seriously contest this and was therefore agreed not to pursue its request for reinstatement. This did not, however, justify the denial of sufficient notice to workers. In this regard the Company's position was that they had paid one month's wages in lieu of notice, and, apparently, had left the question of quantum of monetary consideration and any other terms for settlement before this Court.

At this stage parties found it desirable to come to a settlement. This was finally reached on 1.4.70, and the following Memorandum of Settlement was finalised and signed by Mr. L. W. Panditha on behalf of the Union and by Mr. Musin on behalf of the Company before me on 5.4.70, with the assistance and approval of Court:

MEMORANDUM OF SETTLEMENT

It is agreed—

(a) that the Respondent Company has already paid its employees one month's salary in lieu of notice;

(b) that the respondent agrees to make a further payment *ex-gratia* of three weeks' salary for each year of service. Fractions of a year exceeding one-sixth will be paid for proportionately.

(c) that in the event of the respondent's rubber export business being revived by any other person, applications by the workers in employment at the time of the closure for employment will be given preference in order of their seniority, due regard being had to the requirements of the new business. It is also agreed that any persons so recruited will be employed as new hands, commencing employment at the date of their engagement as aforesaid.

(d) that the following should be added to the list R. 1:—

- No. 3—W. M. D. Sirisena
No. 15—W. Simon Perera,
No. 21—M. Pachimuthu
No. 32—G. Charlis Silva, and
No. 40—P. Samaradeevakara

these workers are not employees of the respondent.

If, however any employees claim to be the persons represented thereby and produce their certificates of discharge their claims will be considered.

No. 37—G. W. Nancy Nona (L. T. 1/729/69 withdrawn) is entitled to this Award plus one month's salary in lieu of notice.

No. 43—J. A. Alice to read as J. A. Allie Samaradeevakera.

Nos. 25, 26, 27 and 30 in R. 1 are not entitled to this Award.

(e) that the Applicant Union agrees to the deduction of the loans they have obtained from the Respondent before the payment of the money due to them on the aforesaid basis.

(f) that the Respondent agrees to add on *ex-gratia* 12 months to the period of service of every employee at the date of the closure.

It is finally agreed that the Respondent pays the employees in terms of the statement produced and marked R. 2 in full and final settlement of all claims, statutory or otherwise, of the employees.

The Respondent will send cheques made out in favour of the individual employees to the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Colombo North, Narahenpita, on or before the Tenth of April, 1970, for payment.

The above terms have been accepted by both parties in Court on 5.4.70 and declared by me in open Court at the time. I consider these terms fair and reasonable and make my Award accordingly.

A. P. THAMBI RAJAH,
Arbitrator.

Dated at Colombo, this 11th day of April, 1970.

EX-GRATIA PAYMENTS TO MEMBERS OF THE UNITED TEA RUBBER & LOCAL PRODUCE WORKERS' UNION

Name of Employee	Ref. No.	Rate of Pay		Amount for 3 Weeks		Period of Service including 1 year <i>ex-gratia</i>		Holi-day Pay	Total	Less Loan		Balance Amount due		Remarks				
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Yrs.	mths.			Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.		
W. S. David	1..	5	10..	107	10..	3	3..	7 65..	355 72..	80	0..	275	72					
A. S. W. Saldeen (Faleel)	2..	5	55..	116	55..	8	6..	49 95..	1,040 62..	—	—	1,040	62					
A. K. Somaratne	4..	5	10..	107	10..	5	2..	—	555 50..	—	—	555	50					
P. G. Samy	5..	5	10..	107	10..	3	11..	71 50..	499 80..	90	0..	409	80					
C. M. Edwin (D. M.)	6..	5	10..	107	10..	4	1..	—	428 40..	—	—	428	40					
M. L. A. Majeed	7..	5	75..	120	75..	10	3..	—	1,237 69..	—	—	1,237	69					
G. Wickremasinghe (P.)	8..	5	10..	107	10..	4	2..	15 30..	443 70..	80	0..	363	70					
H. A. Podisingho	9..	5	10..	107	10..	4	10..	71 40..	606 90..	80	0..	526	90					
D. M. Vincent (H. D.)	10..	5	10..	107	10..	4	3..	—	455 17..	—	—	455	17					
K. Selliah	11..	5	10..	107	10..	4	6..	—	481 95..	—	—	481	95					
R. M. Wijedasa (R. M. S.)	12..	5	10..	107	10..	4	1..	12 75..	441 15..	80	0..	361	15					
D. D. Lionel (Appuhamy)	13..	5	10..	107	10..	4	3..	—	455 17..	—	—	455	17					
S. K. Henry	14..	5	10..	107	10..	5	3..	20 40..	582 67..	80	0..	502	67					
K. V. Gunewardene	16..	5	10..	107	10..	4	5..	—	473 03..	—	—	473	03					
R. A. Gunasekera	17..	5	10..	107	10..	3	9..	71 40..	499 80..	80	0..	419	80					
M. A. William Singh (M. A. William)	18..	5	10..	107	10..	5	2..	61 20..	596 70..	80	0..	516	70					
P. Simeon (E. D. Simon)	19..	5	10..	107	10..	5	2..	30 60..	566 10..	80	0..	486	10					
S. Doraisingham (Thuraisingham)	20..	5	10..	107	10..	5	2..	10 20..	545 70..	80	p..	465	70					
U. A. Gunatilake	22..	5	10..	107	10..	2	9..	71 40..	392 70..	80	0..	312	70					
L. D. L. D. Gunewardene (L. K. L. D.)	23..	3	10..	107	10..	2	4..	—	249 90..	—	—	249	90					
T. D. Sarpin (S. P.)	24..	5	10..	107	10..	2	4..	—	249 90..	—	—	249	90					
Madduma Banda	28..	5	10..	107	10..	2	4..	—	249 90..	—	—	249	90					
Melroy Dantayarayana	29..	5	10..	107	10..	3	4..	5 10..	362 10..	80	0..	282	10					
M. Y. M. Miñlar	31..	5	10..	107	10..	2	4..	45 90..	295 80..	—	—	295	80					
M. Manuel Fernando (M. D. Manuel)	33..	5	10..	107	10..	4	3..	—	455 17..	—	—	455	17					
K. A. Nandawathie	34..	4	35..	91	35..	4	3..	39 15..	427 39..	80	0..	347	39					
D. K. Dhanawathie	35..	4	35..	91	35..	4	2..	30 45..	395 85..	80	0..	315	85					
M. Soosan Fernando	36..	4	20..	88	20..	8	7..	—	757 05..	—	—	757	05					
T. Cicilin Nona	38..	4	20..	88	20..	5	2..	—	441 0..	—	—	441	0					
H. Somawathie (H. W.)	39..	4	20..	88	20..	5	2..	29 40..	470 40..	30	0..	440	40					
Mabel Wanigasekera (W. Mabel Nona)	41..	4	35..	91	35..	5	4..	17 40..	230 55..	80	0..	150	55					
K. Lillian Umawathie	42..	4	30..	90	30..	4	3..	19 35..	403 13..	80	0..	323	13					
R. Emalie Nona (R. A. Emalin Perera)	44..	4	20..	88	20..	5	2..	5 05..	446 05..	80	0..	366	05					
S. A. T. Perera	45..	5	15..	108	15..	8	1..	—	865 20..	—	—	865	20					
V. Magilin Nona	46..	4	20..	88	20..	5	2..	25 20..	466 20..	30	0..	436	20					
H. G. Kusumawathie (H. M.)	47..	4	35..	91	35..	4	3..	26 10..	414 34..	80	0..	334	34					
W. M. D. Sirisena	3..	5	10..	107	10..	5	3..	—	562 27..	—	—	562	27					
W. Simon Perera	15..	5	10..	107	10..	2	8..	71 40..	357 0..	80	0..	277	0					
N. Patchamuthu	21..	5	10..	107	10..	5	3..	30 60..	592 87..	80	0..	512	87					
G. Charles Silva	32..	5	10..	107	10..	5	3..	20 40..	582 67..	80	0..	502	67					
P. Samaraweera	40..	4	20..	88	20..	4	4..	—	382 20..	—	—	382	20					
G. W. Nancy Nona	37..	4	20..	88	20..	8	11..	—	903 0..	50	0..	853	0	plus 1 month's salary in lieu of notice				
J. A. Alice Samaradeevakara	43..	4	20..	88	20..	5	3..	37 80..	500 85..	30	0..	470	85					
										896	95	21,699	26	1,830	0	19,869	26	

My No. C/I. 747.

The alternative route is through Kirindiwita-Assenawatta Road.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTE ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE decision of the arbitrator in respect of a question as to the interpretation of the Award of the Arbitrator in the industrial dispute between Ceylon Mercantile Union, 22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street, Colombo 1, and Associated Engineering Co. Ltd., 35, Staples Street, Colombo 2, published in *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 14,884 of 12th December, 1969, transmitted to me by the arbitrator is hereby published in terms of Section 34 (2) of the said Act.

R. L. GUNASEKERA,
Commissioner of Labour.

Department of Labour,
Labour Secretariat,
Colombo 5, May 31, 1970.

In the matter of an Industrial dispute
between

The Ceylon Mercantile Union,
22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street, Colombo 1,
and
Associated Engineering Company Limited,
35, Staples Street, Colombo 2.

Decision

This is a decision under section 34 of the Industrial Disputes Act, No. 43 of 1950, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended by the Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Acts, Nos. 14 and 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968), made in respect of the following questions referred to me by the Commissioner of Labour by his order dated 21st March, 1970, arising out of my Award dated 24th November, 1969, in this dispute under Case No. A. 828:—

- (i) Whether the payments ordered through the Award in favour of M/s. K. D. Kularatne, V. G. S. Munasinghe, H. D. Sumathasiri, T. H. Victor Peiris, V. E. Varghese, H. A. Tudor, D. M. Piyadasa, V. Edmond Joseph and T. M. Jayasekera should be made to them by the Management of The Associated Engineering Co. Ltd., directly or through the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Colombo South, and
- (ii) the date before which the above payments should be made."

On the 11th of April, 1970, parties being duly noticed. Mr. S. Hari Hara Iyer represented Mr. M. S. Liyanage (present), one of the Directors of the Company, and The Associated Engineering Co. Ltd., whilst Mr. P. Rajanayagam appeared for the Ceylon Mercantile Union. Five of the employees affected were also present.

In regard to the above questions (i) and (ii), I consider that the Award was clear enough where it stated—

"The Company shall pay the above sums as agreed to the employees concerned within two (2) weeks of the publication of this Award."

The Award was published on the 12th December, 1969, and had the payments been made by the Company, as agreed, within two weeks of that date, no question should have arisen.

Having regard to the situation as it now exists, it was agreed in Court on 11.4.70, as between the Company and the Union representing the workers concerned, that the sums awarded in my relevant award of 24.11.1969 be paid to the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Colombo South, Labour Secretariat, Colombo 5, by the aforesaid Company on or before the 11th June, 1970, for distribution accordingly to the said workers. I make Order accordingly.

F. E. ALLES,
Arbitrator.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1970, at Colombo.
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Miscellaneous Departmental Notices

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

Western Division—Negombo District

INTERRUPTION TO TRAFFIC

CULVERT NO. 7/2 ON SEEDUWA-UDUGAMPOLA ROAD

IT is hereby notified for the information of the General Public that the maximum load which could be allowed over culvert No. 7/2 on the above road has been restricted to 3 tons till further notice.

S. SELVADURAI,
for Director of Highways.

Department of Highways,
Colombo 1, June 5, 1970.
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My No. LEG/L/3.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL HOUSING

Authorisation of Sale of Mortgaged land under Section 76 of the National Housing Act (Cap. 401, L.E.C.), as amended by Act, No. 36 of 1966

I, Dhanapala Sirisena Weerasinghe, Assistant Commissioner for National Housing, appointed under section 9 (1) (b) of the said National Housing Act, and amendments thereto, acting for and on behalf of the Government of Ceylon, make order and authorise Mr. G. C. Nanayakkara, Licensed Auctioneer, 443, Nawala Road, Rajagiriya, to sell by public auction the land described in Schedule annexed hereto for the recovery of the sum of Rupees Sixty-eight thousand one hundred and eight and cents ten (Rs. 68,908.10) due from Mr. T. D. Jerome of 59, Temple Road, Maharagama, upto 15.11.1969, on Mortgage Bond No. 505 dated the 27th day of February, 1956, attested by G. T. B. Makalanda, Notary Public, Colombo, in respect of which default has been made, with further interest on Rs. 44,925 at the rate of Four (4%) per cent. per annum from 15.11.1969, upto the date of the sale or till payment in full together with all penalties accruing under the terms of said Mortgage Bond from 15.11.1969, till date of sale, and the expenses and costs incurred by me for such recovery.

D. S. WEERASINGHE,
Assistant Commissioner for National Housing.

Department of National Housing,
Sir Chittampalam Gardinar Mawatha,
Colombo 2, 10.4.1970.

SCHEDULE

All that divided lot 1 of the land called Konnagahawatta *alias* Gonagahawatta, together with the house constructed thereon situated at pannipitiya, in the Palle Pattu of Salpiti Korale. District of Colombo, Western Province, which said lot 1 is bounded, on the north by a portion of the same land owned by W. Covis Alwis, east by lot 2 of the same land (road reservation), south by Temple Road, and on the west by a portion of the same land, now owned by Francis Amarasekera and containing in extent one rood (0A. 1R. 0P.), according to Survey Plan No. 84 dated 26th August, 1955, made by J. A. W. Goonewardena, Licensed Surveyor—Registered under title M—591/293 in the Colombo District Land Registry.

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THE TISSAMAHARAMA PILGRIMAGE REGULATIONS, 1952

IN terms of regulations 3 of the Tissamaharama Pilgrimage Regulations, 1952, I, W. R. P. Tillakaratne, Government Agent, Hambantota District, fix the period specified below a period during which the Tissamaharama Pilgrimage Regulations, 1952, shall be in force.

Poson Festival, 1970—Tissamaharamaya

June 16th to June 20th, 1970 (both days inclusive).

W. R. P. TILLAKARATNE,
Government Agent, Hambantota.

The Kachcheri,
Hambantota, 25th May, 1970.
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THE PILGRIMAGES ORDINANCE

Notification under Regulation 3 of Regulations relating to Sacred City of Anuradhapura made under the Pilgrimages Ordinance (Chapter 133), as modified by the proclamation published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, and published in Government Gazette No. 12,139 of June 3, 1960.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 1970 Poson Pilgrimage Season will commence on 16th June, 1970 and terminate on 21st June, 1970.

GENERAL MANAGER,
Anuradhapura Preservation Board.

Anuradhapura Preservation Board,
Anuradhapura, 31st May, 1970.

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PEOPLE'S BANK

**Resolution under Section 30 of the People's Bank Act,
No. 29 of 1961**

IT is hereby notified that the following resolution was unanimously passed by the Board of Directors of the People's Bank under Section 30 of the People's Bank Act, No. 29 of 1961 read in conjunction with Section 71 of the A. I. C. C. Ordinance (Cap. 402—R.L.E., 1956) on 26.2.70.

"Whereas Udumullege Dona Premawathie Abeysekera, Rendage Edmund Perera, Rendage Irene Malanee Perera, Rendage Mureen Lilina Perera, Rendage Leslie Perera and Rendage Ranjani Mangalika Perera, all of 29/14, St. Anthony's Road, Dematagoda, have made default in payment due on Bond No. 198, dated 2nd February, 1963, attested by Mr. S. M. D. Jayasundera, Notary Public, Colombo, in favour of the People's Bank and there is now due and owing to the People's Bank a sum of Rupees Twenty-five Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty-five and Cents Forty-Four (Rs. 25,325.44) on the said Bond; the Board of Directors of the People's Bank under the powers vested in them by the People's Bank Act, No. 29 of 1961 do hereby resolve that the property and premises mortgaged to the said Bank by the said Bond No. 198 be sold by public auction by Mr. A. M. Marzuk, Licensed Auctioneer of Colombo, for recovery of the said sum of Rs. 25,325.44 with further interest on Rs. 19,849.52 at 8 per centum per annum from 17.7.69 to date of sale and costs of sale, less payments (if any) since received."

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY MORTGAGED

1. All that defined and divided Lot 4 of Telembugahawatte in Plan No. 883 dated 26.11.1919 made by J. W. Amarasekera, Licensed Surveyor, together with all the buildings standing thereon and bearing Assessment Nos. 29/6-10 and 14, St. Anthony's Road, Dematagoda, situated at Dematagoda within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province and bounded on the North by the land belonging to the Ceylon Government Railway, east by lot 3, south by St. Anthony's Road and west by lot 5 and containing in extent thirty-two decimal eight five perches (0A. 0R. 32.85P.) with the plantations and buildings thereon and registered at Division A Volume 377, Folio 234.

2. All that defined and divided lot 5 of Telembugahawatta in Plan No. 883 situated at Dematagoda aforesaid and bounded on the north by the land belonging to the Ceylon Government Railway, east by lot 4, south by St. Anthony's Road, west by property of Albert Holmes and containing in extent eight decimal two nought perches (0A. 0R. 8.20P.) with the plantations and buildings thereon and registered at division A Volume 377, Folio 235.

By Order of the Board,

G. L. A. DE SILVA,
Assistant Chief Recoveries Officer.

People's Bank,
Central Recoveries Department,
Moors' Islamic Cultural Home Building,
4th Floor,
Bristol Street,
Colombo 1, 25th May, 1970.

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PEOPLE'S BANK

**Resolution under Section 30 of the People's Bank Act,
No. 29 of 1961**

IT is hereby notified that the following resolution was unanimously passed by the Board of Directors of the People's Bank under section 30 of the People's Bank Act, No. 29 of 1961, read in conjunction with section 71 of the A.I.C. Ordinance (Cap. 402—R.L.E., 1956) on 26.2.70.

"Whereas Ariyadasa Ranasinghe of 133 and 135, Barber Street, Colombo 13, has made default in payment due on Bond No. 815 dated 18th October, 1968, and attested by Mr. S. M. D. Jayasundera, Notary Public of Colombo, in favour of the People's Bank and there is now due and owing to the People's Bank a sum of Rupees One hundred and nine thousand and seven hundred and thirty-two and cents seventy-three (Rs. 109,732.73) on the said Bond; the Board of Directors of the People's Bank under the powers vested in them by the People's Bank Act, No. 29 of 1961, do hereby resolve that the property and premises mortgaged to the said Bank by the said Bond be sold by public auction by Mr. A. M. Marzuk, Licensed Auctioneer, Colombo, for the recovery of the said sum of Rs. 109,732.73 with further interest on Rs. 95,396.17 at 9 per centum per annum from 10.7.69 and on Rs. 13,550 at 11 per centum per annum from 23.10.69 to date of sale and costs of sale, less payments (if any) since received."

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY MORTGAGED

A. that premises bearing assessment No. 236, Gas Works Street, and depicted in Plan No. 325 of 12th February, 1953, made by S. Rajendra, Licensed Surveyor, and situated at Gas Works Street, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, and which said premises are bounded on the north by premises bearing assessment No. 238, Gas Works Street, and on the east by premises bearing No. 6, Dam Street, on the south by No. 254, Gas Works Street, and on the west by Gas Works Street, and containing in extent one decimal five one perches (0A. 0R. 1.51P.), with the plantations and buildings thereon according to the aforesaid Plan No. 325 and registered at the Colombo Land Registry at A 404/182.

(Ref. LdeS/TW/FB. 183).

By Order of the Board,

G. L. A. DE SILVA,
Assistant Chief Recoveries Officer.

People's Bank,
Central Recoveries Department,
Moors' Islamic Cultural Home Building,
4th Floor, Bristol Street,
Colombo 1, 25th May, 1970.

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PROCLAMATION

NOTICE is hereby given that, as danger of rabies exists in Puloly area in the D. R. O.'s Division of Vadamaradchy South and West in the Administrative District of Jaffna, the whole area comprising the Puloly Village Council area is hereby proclaimed under section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance, Chapter 476, for a period of six months from the date of this notification.

2. Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound or garden, within the area proclaimed above and not being tied up or led, is liable to be destroyed forthwith.

F. C. PIETERSZ,
Government Agent,
Jaffna District.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, 31st May, 1970.

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**SPECIAL ISSUE OF STAMPS TO COMMEMORATE
THE ASIAN PRODUCTIVITY YEAR, 1970**

IT is hereby notified for general information that a special issue of stamps of the denomination 60 cents will be made on the 17th June, 1970, to commemorate the Asian Productivity Year—1970. These stamps will remain on sale till 31st December, 1970, or until stocks are exhausted, whichever is earlier. During this period the sale of the stamps of the denomination 60 cents in the current series of stamps will be suspended.

2. The 60 cents stamp depicts symbols of Agricultural and Industrial Production.

S. SITTAMPALAM,
Commissioner of Inland Revenue.

Department of Inland Revenue,
Colombo 1, 1st June, 1970.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PUBLICATION OF GAZETTE

THE Weekly issue of the *Ceylon Government Gazette* is normally published on Fridays. If a Friday happens to be a Public Holiday the *Gazette* is published on the working day immediately preceding the Friday. Thus the last date specified for the receipt of notices for publication in the *Gazette* also varies depending on the incidence of public holidays in the week concerned.

The Schedule below shows the dates of publication and the latest time by which notices should be received for publication in the respective weekly *Gazettes*. All notices received out of times specified below will not be published. Such notices will be returned to the sender by post for necessary amendment and return if publication is desired in a subsequent issue of the *Gazette*. It will be in the interest of all concerned if those desirous of ensuring the timely publication of notices in the *Gazette* make it a point to see that sufficient time is allowed for postal transmission of notices to the Government Press.

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L. W. P. PEIRIS,
Government Printer.

Dept. of Govt. Printing,
Colombo, March 5, 1970.