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#### Appointments, &c., by the President

No. 452 of 1973

No. D. 368/RECT.

ARMY—REGULAR FORCE—RETIREMENT APPROVED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT

THE undermentioned officer retires from the Regular Force of the Army, with effect from October 1, 1973:—

Temporary Major E. C. FERNANDO, CSR.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. JAYASINGHE,  
Secretary,

Ministry of Defence and Foreign Affairs.

Colombo, 16th September, 1973.

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No. 453 of 1973

No. D. 17/RECT.

ARMY—REGULAR FORCE—RELINQUISHMENT OF APPOINTMENT AND APPOINTMENT APPROVED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT

Relinquishment of Appointment

THE undermentioned officer relinquished the appointment of Recruiting Officer under Section 13 (1) of the Army Act (Cap. 357), with effect from August 15, 1973:—

Captain H. P. JAYASURIYA, CA.

APPOINTMENT

The undermentioned officer to be a Recruiting Officer under section 13 (1) of the Army Act (Cap. 357), with effect from August 15, 1973:—

Lieutenant S. M. MOOTATAMBY, CA.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. JAYASINGHE,  
Secretary,

Ministry of Defence and Foreign Affairs.

Colombo, September 11, 1973.

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**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 15, 1972.

L. W. P. PEIRIS,  
Government Printer.

## Appointments. &amp;c., by the Judicial Services Advisory Board

No. 454 of 1973

SUMMARY OF ACTING APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE SECRETARY, JUDICIAL SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD UNDER THE POWERS DELEGATED TO HIM BY THE CABINET OF MINISTERS UNDER SECTION 126 (5) OF THE CONSTITUTION

Name of Officer	Acting Appointment	Date of Acting Appointment	Remarks
Mr. M. D. JESURATNAM	.. Acting Additional Magistrate etc., Point Pedro, in addition to his other duties	From 25th September, 1973	To hear determine and deliver judgment in M. C. Point Pedro Cases Nos. 9281, 7630, 7631, & 7180
Mr. J. S. RAJAPAKSE	.. Acting Additional Magistrate etc., Chilaw	6th to 9th & 11th to 13th September, 1973	During absence of Mr. P. EDUSSURIYA
Mr. A. P. W. ABEYSURIYA	.. Acting Additional Magistrate etc., Matra	8th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. S.J.D. de S. WIJAYARATNE
Mr. R. KULATUNGA	.. do.	.. 9th to 12th September, 1973	do.
Mr. SEPALA SAMARASINGHE	.. do.	.. 5th to 7th September, 1973	do.
Mr. G. S. SURAWEERA	.. Acting Additional District Judge etc., Kegalle	3rd September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. D.S.D. P. R. SENANAYAKE
Mr. H. S. A. PERERA	.. Acting Additional Magistrate etc., Kurunegala at Kuliyaipitiya	13th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. E. P. RATWATTE
Mr. J. S. RAJAPAKSE	.. Acting Additional District Judge etc., Chilaw	13th to 15th, 17th September, 1st & 8th October, 1973	During absence of Mr. K. C. E. DE ALWIS
Mr. G. S. SURAWEERA	.. Acting Additional District Judge etc., Kegalle	8th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. D. E. DHARMASEKERA
Mr. M. G. H. DE ALWIS	.. Acting President, Labour Tribunal to hear determine and deliver Judgment	18th September, 1973 19th September, 1973 20th September, 1973 22th September, 1973 24th September, 1973 25th September, 1973	.. Colombo L. T. Cases Nos. 11/429/69 .. 11/2311/71, 11/2209/71, 11/2210/71 .. 11/A/2109 .. L. T. Galle, No. 11/M/1261 .. L. T. Matara, No. 11/M/310 .. L.T. Colombo, Nos. 11/A/1061 11/762/69, IDLT/11/M/1084 to 11/M/1089 & 11/M/1064 to 11/M/1069 .. L.T. Colombo, No. 11/392/68 .. L.T. Colombo, Nos. 11/392/68 & 11/A/1544 .. L. T. Matara, No. 11/M/1454
Mr. E. GANEGODA	.. do.	.. 24th September, 1973 28th September, 1973 29th September, 1973	.. L.T. Colombo, No. 14/333/71 .. L.T. Colombo, No. 14/898/71 .. L.T. Colombo, No. 14/293/71
Mr. B. D. FERNANDO	.. do.	.. 21st September, 1973 23th September, 1973	.. L.T. Colombo, No. 16/1022/71 .. L.T. Colombo, No. 16/643/70
Mrs. N. T. HERAT	.. Acting Additional President, R.C., Galboda Korale etc., in addition to her other duties	From 13th September, 1973 for 15 days	To hear determine and deliver judgment in R. C. Pinawela Case No. CRM. 3423
Miss I. M. WEERARATNE	.. Acting President, R.C., Atakalan Korale etc.	23rd to 25th, 27th to 29th August, 6th to 8th, 10th & 11th September, 1973	During absence of Mr. P. M. SENEVIRATNE
Mr. W. L. MALAWANA	.. do.	.. 4th September, 1973	do.
Mr. N. WETTASINGHE	.. do.	.. 30th, 31st August, & 3rd September, 1973	do.
Mr. G. KARUNARATNE	.. Acting President, R. C., Dehigampal Korale etc.	28th to 30th August, 1973	During absence of Mr. K.J.J. Perera
Mr. U. L. ABDUL MAJEED	.. Acting President, R. C., Panama Pattu etc.	1st, 3rd to 8th, & 17th to 22nd September, 1973	Or until further Orders
Mr. M. H. KARIAPPER	.. do.	.. 24th to 29th September, 1973	do.
Mr. A. C. JABAR	.. do.	.. 10th, 11th, & 13th to 15th September, 1973	do.
Mr. M. K. SELVARAJAH	.. Acting President, R. C., Kodiyar Pattu etc.	11th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. K. KANAPATHIPILLAI
Miss M. C. JAYARANI PIERIS	.. Acting President, R.C., Yatikinda etc.	10th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mrs. N. T. HERAT
Mr. A. J. SAHEED	.. Acting President, R.C., Raigam Korale etc.	18th to 22nd, 24th, 25th, & 27th to 29th September 1973	Or until further Orders.
Miss RAMANI DE SILVA	.. do.	.. 17th September, 1973	do.
Miss P. R. SAMARAGEEVA	.. Acting President, R.C., Wellaboda Pattu etc.	24th September, 1973	.. During absence of Mr. P.O.R. WIJAYATILAKE

Office of the Judicial Services Advisory & Disciplinary Boards,  
P. O. BOX 573,  
C/52, Keppitipola Road,  
Colombo 52, September 20, 1973.  
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LIONEL SAMARATUNGA,  
Secretary,  
Judicial Services Advisory Board.

## Other Appointments, &c.

No. 455 of 1973

THE following appointments in the Sri Lanka Administrative Service have been made:—

Mr. D. ALUWIHARE, Class I Grade I of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications, with effect from 02.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. V. C. B. UNANTENNE, Class I, Grade I of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Acting Director of Establishments, with effect from 02.04.1973 and Director of Establishments with effect from 09.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. W. S. GUNABATNE, Class I, Grade II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Additional Settlement Officer, with effect from 02.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. W. TILLEKERATNE, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Food Commissioner, with effect from 01.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. V. L. C. PIETERSZ, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Director of Fisheries, with effect from 01.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. R. MAHA INDRA, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Controller of Imports and Exports, with effect from 01.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. P. A. ABEYWICKREME, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Fisheries, with effect from 11.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. A. L. S. N. MUNASINGHE, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Senior Assistant Commissioner of Motor Traffic, with effect from 05.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. C. MANICAVASAGAR, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Additional Government Agent for the Administrative District of Ratnapura to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 15.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. H. A. P. ABEYWARDENE, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Health, with effect from 11.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. A. KARUNARATNE, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Additional Government Agent for the Administrative District of Hambantota to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 15.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. G. D. UMAGILIYA, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Deputy Tea Controller, with effect from 19.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. E. L. FERNANDO, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Senior Assistant Director of Fisheries with effect from 01.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. L. N. T. MENDIS, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Industries and Scientific Affairs from 01.03.1973 to 31.03.1973.

Mr. S. W. A. DE SILVA, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Director of Supply and Cadre in the General Treasury, with effect from 18.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. T. THIRULINGANATHAN, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Director of Supply and Cadre in the General Treasury, with effect from 18.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. M. THEOPHILUS, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Justice, with effect from 11.06.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. G. PERERA, Class II of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 01.06.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. M. T. ATTYGALA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Local Government, with effect from 31.05.1970, until further orders.

Mr. M. C. DE ALWIS, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Supply and Cadre in the General Treasury, with effect from 01.10.1971, until further orders.

Mr. G. B. RAJAPAKSE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Fisheries, with effect from 06.06.1972, until further orders.

Mr. D. P. A. JAYAWARDENE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Motor Traffic, with effect from 01.09.1972, until further orders.

Mr. G. G. ELYATHAMBY, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Land Development Officer, with effect from 25.10.1972, until further orders.

Mr. V. C. WARNAKULASURIYA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Binten-Pattuwa Division in the Administrative District of Moneragala, with effect from 31.10.1972, until further orders.

Mr. P. R. GALAGODA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Moneragala Division in the Administrative District of Moneragala, with effect from 06.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. R. KARUNARATNE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Motor Traffic, with effect from 01.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. S. WEERARATNE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary in the Ministry of Education, with effect from 19.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. G. KARUNARATNE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of National Housing, with effect from 17.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. H. C. FERNANDO, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service; to be Additional Government Agent for the Administrative District of Amparai, to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 23.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. P. K. RODRIGO, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Wellasa in the Administrative District of Moneragala, with effect from 29.01.1973, until further orders.

Miss C. D. DASSANAYAKE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Small Industries, with effect from 01.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. W. P. S. JAYAWARDENE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Assistant Government Agent for the Administrative District of Hambantota to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 01.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. P. V. MAHADEVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Sports (Administration) in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Sports, with effect from 15.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. H. R. DABARE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Small Industries, with effect from 26.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. ALGAMA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Maho in the Administrative District of Kurunegala, with effect from 10.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. ANTHONIMUTHU, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Assistant Government Agent for the Administrative District of Batticaloa to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 20.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. MARIMUTHU, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Labour, with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. C. W. DE SILVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Controller of Imports and Exports, with effect from 10.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. SANMUGASUNDERAM, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Islands in the Administrative District of Jaffna, with effect from 21.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. P. NADARAJAH, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Jaffna Kachcheri, with effect from 21.02.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. F. C. DE ZILVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Examinations (Administration), with effect from 27.02.1973, until further orders.

Mrs. K. P. R. GUNATILLAKE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Social Services, with effect from 08.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. KUMARASINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Foreign and Internal Trade from 01.03.1973 to 9.03.1973.

Mr. K. KUNARASA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be the Divisional Revenue Officer of the Vengala Cheddikulam Division in the Administrative District of Vavuniya, with effect from 15.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. P. WIJETILLAKE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Education, with effect from 15.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. N. H. D. SILVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Department of Educational Publications, with effect from 15.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. SOMASUNDARAM, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Anuradhapura Kachcheri, with effect from 15.03.1973, and to be Divisional Revenue Officer (Public Relations), with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. M. ABEYSINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Public Administration, Local Government and Home Affairs, with effect from 15.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. D. AMERASINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Foreign and Internal Trade, with effect from 22.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. M. B. MARAPANA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Senior Assistant Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 24.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. B. RANATUNGE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary in the Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, with effect from 24.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. D. CHANDRADASA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Trincomalee Kachcheri from 28.03.1973, to 01.05.1973.

Mr. W. A. JAYASINHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Director of Planning (Regional Development Division), Ministry of Planning and Employment, with effect from 28.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. A. W. JAYASEKERE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Department of Government Printing, with effect from 30.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. ABEYSINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Nuwaragam Palata South in the Administrative District of Anuradhapura, with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. S. D. CHANDRADASA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Seruwila in the Administrative District of Trincomalee, with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. H. S. M. DE COSTA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Assistant Secretary of the Co-operative Employees Commission, with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. J. H. E. BANDARA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be Divisional Revenue Officer, Pannala in the Administrative District of Kurunegala, with effect from 02.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. E. B. ABEYSEKERA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Ministry of Irrigation, Power and Highways, with effect from 02.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. P. WEERASEKERA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Director of Fisheries, with effect from 04.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. T. D. J. WITHARANE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a Deputy Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 24.04.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. C. T. JANSZ, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Plantation Industry, with effect from 02.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. SOMASUNDARAM, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Motor Traffic, with effect from 04.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. M. DISSANAYAKE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Department of People's Committees, with effect from 05.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. MAHADEVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Co-operative Development from 21.05.1973 to 15.06.1973.

Mr. P. H. D. WIJESURIYA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Secretary in the Local Government Service Commission, with effect from 01.06.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. N. MANICKANADARASA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Probation and Child Care Services, with effect from 16.06.1973, until further orders.

Mr. D. F. A. RANASINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 21.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. H. V. S. DE SOYSA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 21.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. H. W. P. SANDARASAGARA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Co-operative Development, with effect from 21.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. K. MAHADEVA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Official Language Affairs, with effect from 16.06.1973, until further orders.

Mr. W. W. E. M. W. EKANAYAKE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Government Agent for the Administrative District of Kurunegala, to function under the direction of the Government Agent in authority over the said District, with effect from 06.01.1973, until further orders.

Mr. A. KUMARASINGHE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be an Assistant Commissioner of People's Committees, with effect from 10.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. V. S. S. AUGUSTINE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be attached to the Mannar Kachcheri, with effect from 01.03.1973, until further orders.

Mr. V. D. S. GUNAWARDENE, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be the Divisional Revenue Officer, Uda Dumbara in the Administrative District of Kandy, with effect from 04.05.1973, until further orders.

Mr. R. M. S. B. RALAPANAWA, Class III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, to be a District Land Officer, with effect from 12.02.1973, until further orders.

P. H. SIRIWARDANE,  
Secretary to the  
Ministry of Public Administration,  
Local Government and Home Affairs.

Ministry of Public Administration,  
Local Government and Home Affairs,  
Independence Square,  
Colombo 7, 19.09.1973.

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No. EB/A—3.

THE Minister of Public Administration, Local Government and Home Affairs has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. M. A. P. SAMARASEKERA, Additional Government Agent for the Administrative District of Colombo, while acting as Government Agent in authority over the Administrative District of Kalutara, to be in addition to his own duties, Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Administrative District of Kalutara from July 3, 1973 to August 20, 1973.

Mr. P. G. PUNCHIHEWA, Government Agent in authority over the Administrative District of Kalutara, to be, in addition to his own duties, Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Administrative District of Kalutara, with effect from August 21, 1973, until further orders.

P. H. SIRIWARDANE,  
Secretary.

Ministry of Public Administration,  
Local Government and Home Affairs,  
Torrington Square,  
Colombo 7, September 10, 1973.

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**Government Notifications**

L. D. B. 73/52.

**THE EXCHANGE CONTROL ACT**

ORDER made by the Minister of Finance by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 6 (1) of the Exchange Control Act (Chapter 423), as amended by Act No. 17 of 1971.

N. M. PERERA,  
Minister of Finance.

Colombo, September 15, 1973.

**Order**

(1) The foreign exchange to which section 6 of the Exchange Control Act (Chapter 423) applies is hereby prescribed as foreign exchange expressed in the currency of any of the following countries:—

- Australia
- Austria

- Canada
- Federal Republic of Germany
- France
- Hongkong
- Italy
- Malaysia
- Netherlands
- Singapore
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
- United States of America
- Japan
- Sweden

(2) The Order under section 6 (1) of the Exchange Control Act (Chapter 423) and published in *Gazette* No. 15,000 of March 3, 1972, is hereby rescinded.

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**THE FAUNA AND FLORA PROTECTION ORDINANCE**

ORDER made by the Minister of Shipping and Tourism under Section 2 of sub-section (2) of the Fauna and Flora protection Ordinance (Chapter 469), as amended by Act No. 44 of 1964 and No. 1 of 1970.

P. B. G. KALUGALLE,  
Minister of Shipping and Tourism.

Colombo, 17.9.73.

**Order**

The area of land, specified in the Schedule hereto, is hereby declared to be a Sanctuary for the purposes of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Chapter 469), as amended by Acts No. 44 of 1964 and No. 1 of 1970.

**SCHEDULE**

**KUDUMBIGALA SANCTUARY**

All that area of land, situated in Panama Pattu, Amparai District in Eastern Province, containing in extent approximately 17 square miles and bounded as follows:—

By a line drawn from Kurundu Ulpota Trigonometrical Point which is also the northernmost point of Yala East National Park, boundary north-eastwards till it meets the starting point of Lenama Ara; thence north eastwards along the right bank of Lenama Ara until it meets Helawa Ara; thence eastwards and south-eastwards along the right bank of Helawa Ara till it meets the Cart Track from Helawe Eliya to Panama on the West of Helawe Kalapuwa; thence southwards and south-eastwards till it meets the Yala-panama Cart Track; thence from the said point of Cart Track northwards and north-eastwards along the Yala-panama Cart Track; until it meets Helawe Kalapuwa thence south-eastwards along water edge to meet the sea at Okandawara Bay; thence southwards along the sea coast up to Kirigalla Bay where it meets the eastern boundary of Yala East National Park and thence north-westwards along the said boundary which is also the western boundary of F.T.P. 10; till it meets the starting point.

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BY virtue of powers vested in me under Section 116 of the Constitution of Sri Lanka read with Section 115 (1) thereof, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardane, Minister of Labour, do hereby delegate to the State officers specified in column II of the Schedule hereto, the powers of appointment of state officers who are attached to the department specified in column I. In respect of appointment these powers shall apply only in the case of officers, the initial of whose consolidated salary scale is less than Rs. 6,720 per annum but shall not apply in the case of officers of the Combined Services of which the Head of the Department, for this purpose would be the Director General of Public Administration.

2. By virtue of powers vested in me under Section 120 (3) of the Constitution of Sri Lanka read with Section 120 (2) thereof, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardane, Minister of Labour, do hereby delegate to the state officers specified in column II of the Schedule hereto, the powers of transfer of state officers who are attached to the department specified in column I. Transfer for the purpose of this delegation means transfer within the department concerned.

3. By virtue of powers vested in me under Section 119 (1) of the Constitution of Sri Lanka read with Section 118 (1) thereof, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardane, Minister of Labour, do hereby delegate the powers of dismissal and disciplinary control of state officers, the initial of whose consolidated salary scale is less than Rs. 6,720 per annum, to the officers to whom such power was delegated by the former Public Service Commission.

**Schedule**

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>
Ministry of Labour	The Secretary, Ministry of Labour.
Department of Labour	The Commissioner of Labour.

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## THE TOURIST DEVELOPMENT ACT, No. 14 OF 1968

REGULATIONS under sections 78 and 96 of the Tourist Development Act, No. 14 of 1968, made by the Ceylon Tourist Board with the concurrence of the Minister of Shipping and Tourism.

Colombo, August 6, 1973.

DHARMASIRI SENANAYAKE,  
Chairman,  
Ceylon Tourist Board.

## Regulations

Short Title.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Travel Agents' Code, 1973.

Travel Agents to be registered and licensed.

2. (1) On and after such date as may be appointed in that behalf by the Board for the purposes of this Code and notified in the *Gazette*, no person shall carry on the business of a travel agent unless such business is for the time being registered and licensed under the provisions of this Code.

(2) Where any premises are used for the purposes of the business of a travel agent in contravention of the provisions of paragraph (1), the occupier or the proprietor of such premises or the person for the time being in charge of such business shall be guilty of an offence.

## Registration

Minimum requirements for registration and classification of travel agent.

3. The Competent Authority may, from time to time, in consultation with such bodies or individuals engaged in the business of travel agents as he may deem fit, prescribe by notification published in the *Gazette* the minimum requirements for the registration of the business of travel agents. Different minimum requirements may be so prescribed in respect of each class of the business of travel agents as may be determined by such Authority. Any such notification may be so amended, revoked or replaced by such Authority in a like notification.

Application for registration.

4. (1) Every application for the registration of a business of travel agent shall—

- (a) be made in writing to the Competent Authority.
- (b) be made in such form as may be provided by such Authority for the purpose ;
- (c) contain the particulars required by that form ; and
- (d) be signed by the applicant who shall be the proprietor of that business.

(2) No business of a travel agent shall be registered except upon payment of the appropriate notified fee.

Register of travel agents.

5. For the purposes of this Code, the competent authority shall open and maintain, or cause to be opened and maintained, a book to be called the " Register of Travel Agents " in such form as may be determined by him, in which particulars relating to the business of the travel agents shall be registered in accordance with the provisions of this Code.

Registration and classification.

6. (1) Save as otherwise provided in regulation 8, the competent authority shall, on receipt of an application under the provisions of regulation 4, after due consideration—

- (a) register the business of the travel agent and assign a class to such business in accordance with the minimum requirements provided for under regulation 3 ;
- (b) register the applicant as the proprietor of such business ;
- (c) issue to the applicant a certificate of registration in such form as may be provided for the purpose.

Such certificate of registration may contain terms or conditions which the competent authority may deem necessary—

- (i) for securing compliance with the provisions of this Code ; and
- (ii) for ensuring that the business of the travel agent shall comply with not less than the minimum requirements provided for under regulation 3.

(2) A person registered under this regulation as the proprietor of the business of a travel agent is in this Code referred to as a " registered proprietor ".

(3) Every entry made in the register under this regulation may be referred to as a " registration entry ".

(4) It shall be the duty of the registered proprietor of the business of a travel agent to cause the certificate of registration issued in respect of that business to be kept fixed in a conspicuous place in his registered place of business.

Provisional registration in certain cases.

7. The competent authority may register the business of a travel agent provisionally on such terms and conditions as may be specified by him at the time of such registration.

Refusal of registration.

8. (1) The competent authority may, by order, refuse to register the business of a travel agent on any of the following grounds :—

- (a) that the minimum requirements prescribed by the competent authority under regulation 3 are not complied with ;
- (b) that the applicant or any person employed or proposed to be employed by him in the business of the travel agent has, during the period of five years immediately preceding the date of application for registration, been convicted of an offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Exchange Control Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 23 of 1968, the Customs Ordinance, or the Control of Imports and Exports Act, or of an offence involving the use of the premises of such business for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude ;
- (c) for reasons connected with the situation, construction, sanitation, accommodation, staffing or equipment of the business of the travel agent.

(2) Every order made by the competent authority refusing an application for registration under the provisions of paragraph (1) shall contain his reasons for making such order.

(3) Where an order is made refusing an application for the registration of any business of a travel agent, a certified copy of that order including the reasons shall be sent by registered post to the applicant by the competent authority.

(4) No order refusing the registration of the business of a travel agent shall be made on the ground that any person employed by the applicant has been convicted of any offence referred to in this regulation if the applicant establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by his employee without his knowledge, or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(5) Before making an order refusing the registration of any business of a travel agent, the competent authority shall give the applicant an opportunity of being heard either in person or by a representative authorised by him in writing in that behalf.

Suspension or cancellation of registration.

9. (1) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (2), the competent authority may by order, suspend or cancel the registration of the business of any travel agent—  
 (a) on any of the grounds specified in regulation 8(1) (a) and (c) ;  
 (b) upon conviction of the registered proprietor of the business of the travel agent or of any of his employees of any offence committed under the Act by reason of a contravention of any of the provisions of this Code or an offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Exchange Control Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Customs Ordinance, or the Control of Imports and Exports Act or upon conviction of the registered proprietor or any of his employees for the use of the business of the travel agent for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude ;  
 (c) if the premises used for the business of the travel agent or any portion of such premises is used or occupied for any purpose other than the business of such travel agent without the written consent of the competent authority.

Every such order of suspension or cancellation of the registration of the business of a travel agent made by the competent authority shall contain his reasons for such order.

(2) No order suspending or cancelling the registration of the business of a travel agent shall be made on the ground that any person employed by the registered proprietor has been convicted of any offence referred to in this regulation, if the registered proprietor establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by his employee without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(3) Before making an order suspending or cancelling the registration of any business of a travel agent, the competent authority shall give the registered proprietor of such business an opportunity of being heard either in person or by a representative authorized by him in writing in that behalf.

(4) No order suspending or cancelling the registration of the business of a travel agent shall be made under paragraph (1) unless the competent authority has by written notice sent by registered post to the registered proprietor of such business, informed him that an order of suspension or cancellation will be made upon the expiry of the period specified in such notice, if such measures as are specified by such authority in such notice are not taken by such proprietor before the expiry of such period, and such proprietor has failed to take such measures before the expiry of the period so specified.

(5) Where an order is made suspending or cancelling the registration of the business of a travel agent a certified copy of that order including the reasons for such order shall be sent by registered post to the registered proprietor by the competent authority.

Revision of classification of travel agents.

10. (1) The competent authority may from time to time, after such inquiry as he deems fit in the circumstances, and after giving the registered proprietor an opportunity of being heard, by order, alter or review the classification assigned to any business of a travel agent in accordance with the standards for the time being maintained by such business. Every such order made by the competent authority shall contain his reasons therefor.

(2) A certified copy of every order made under this regulation including the reasons shall be sent by registered post to the registered proprietor by the competent authority.

Licensing

Licensing.

11. (1) On and after the expiration of a period of one month from the date of its registration in accordance with the provisions of this Code, no travel agent registered under this Code shall carry on business except under the authority and in accordance with the terms or conditions of a licence issued by the competent authority and for the time being in force.

(2) Where an offence is committed under the Act by reason of any contravention of the provisions of this regulation, the registered proprietor of such business of travel agent shall be guilty of that offence.

- (3) (a) Every application for a licence in respect of a registered business of a travel agent shall—  
 (i) be made in writing to the competent authority ;  
 (ii) be made in such form as may be provided by the competent authority for the purpose ;  
 (iii) contain the particulars required by that form, being particulars which shall include the particulars contained in the registration entry relating to that business ; and  
 (iv) be signed by the registered proprietor of that business.

(b) Every application for the renewal of a licence for any year shall be made to the competent authority in the form provided for the purpose and with the appropriate notified fee and reach him at least thirty days before the date of expiry of that licence.

(4) A licence granted under the provisions of this Code may be a general licence or a provisional licence.

(5) Every general licence and every renewal thereof shall come into force on the date specified therein and shall, unless it is earlier cancelled by the competent authority, remain in force for a period of twelve months from that date.

Every provisional licence shall remain in force for such period as may be specified by the competent authority in such licence and no longer.

(6) No licence shall be issued except on the payment of the appropriate notified fee.

(7) The registered proprietor shall display in a conspicuous place in the premises of his business the licence issued by the competent authority in respect of such business.

(8) No licence issued under this Code shall be transferable to any other person and accordingly any such transfer shall be null and void.

12. The competent authority shall refuse a licence :  
 (1) if the business in respect of which an application for a licence is made is not registered under the provisions of this Code ; or  
 (2) if the registered proprietor has failed to comply with the terms and conditions of a licence issued to him by the competent authority for the year immediately preceding the year in respect of which the application for a licence is made.  
 (3) If the registered proprietor or any of his employees has, during the year immediately preceding the year in respect of which the application is made, been convicted of any offence under the Act by reason of a contravention of any provision of this Code or any offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Exchange Control Act, the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act, or upon conviction of the registered proprietor or any of his employees for an offence involving the use of the premises of such business for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude.

Terms or conditions of licence.

13. (1) A licence in respect of the registered business of a travel agent may be issued subject to such terms or conditions as may be specified in the licence, the terms or conditions so specified being such terms or conditions as the competent authority may deem necessary—

- (a) for securing compliance with the provisions of this Code ; and  
 (b) for ensuring that such business shall comply with not less than the minimum standards applicable to the class of travel agents to which that business belongs.

(2) It shall be a term or condition of a licence issued by the competent authority in respect of any registered business of a travel agent that such licence may, subject to the provisions of paragraph (6) of regulation 14, be suspended or cancelled or not be renewed by such authority—

- (a) in the event of the registered proprietor, or any of his employees, being convicted of any offence under the Act by reason of a contravention of any provision of this Code in its application to that business of a travel agent or an offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Exchange Control Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act, or upon conviction of the registered proprietor or any of his employees for an offence involving the use of the premises of such business for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude ;
- (b) in the event of such proprietor contravening or failing to comply with any terms or condition specified in the licence ;
- (c) if the premises used for the business of the travel agent or any portion of such premises is being used or occupied for any purpose other than the business of such travel agent without the written consent of the competent authority.

(3) The competent authority may, either of his own motion or on representations made to him in that behalf by the registered proprietor of the business of a travel agent, after giving such registered proprietor an opportunity of being heard, amend, vary, modify or rescind any term or condition attached to the licence issued in respect of that business, or attach any new term or condition thereto.

Refusal, cancellation or suspension of licence.

14. (1) Upon the receipt of an application for a licence or renewal of a licence in respect of the registered business of a travel agent, the competent authority may, subject to the provisions of paragraph (6), make an Order allowing such application : Provided that in any case where he refuses an application for a licence, the competent authority shall give reasons for such refusal in his order.

(2) The competent authority shall cause a certified copy of an order made by him refusing an application for a licence in respect of the registered business of a travel agent to be served on the registered proprietor. Every such certified copy shall contain the reasons for making such order of refusal.

(3) Where the competent authority makes an order allowing an application for a licence in respect of a registered business of a travel agent, he shall issue to the registered proprietor a licence in such form and containing such particulars as may be determined by such authority.

(4) The competent authority may, by order, suspend or cancel a licence unless the terms and conditions of such licence are complied with. Every order made under this paragraph shall contain the reasons for such order.

(5) No order suspending or cancelling a licence shall be made unless the competent authority has by written notice, sent by registered post to the licence holder, informed him that an order of suspension or cancellation will be made upon the expiry of the period specified in the notice if such measures as are specified by such authority in the notice are not taken by the licence holder, and the licence holder has failed to take such measures before the expiry of the period so specified.

(6) Before making an order refusing an application for a licence or suspending or cancelling a licence, the competent authority shall give the registered proprietor an opportunity of being heard in person, or by a representative authorised by him in writing in that behalf.

(7) Where an order suspending or cancelling a licence is made, a certified copy of that order including the reasons for such order shall be sent by registered post to the registered proprietor by the competent authority.

(8) No order refusing a licence of suspending or cancelling the licence of the business of a travel agent shall be made on the ground that any person employed in such business has been convicted of any offence, if the registered proprietor of such business establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by his employee without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(9) Where the licence of the registered business of any travel agent has been suspended or cancelled, such licence shall be deemed for all purposes to have ceased to be in force.

#### General

Correction of particulars in registration entry or licence.

15. (1) Where any change occurs in any matter or thing relating to the registered business of a travel agent which necessitates any amendment in the particulars of the registration entry relating to that business, the registered proprietor of such business shall forthwith give notice of such change to the competent authority, and such authority may, on receipt of such notice, but after such inquiry as he deems fit in the circumstances, make the necessary amendment in such particulars.

(2) Where the particulars in the registration entry or licence relating to the registered business of a travel agent are revised by the competent authority under this Code, such authority may require the registered proprietor of that business to return the licence to such authority to enable him to make corresponding amendments in that licence, and it shall be the duty of such proprietor to comply with that requirement within the period specified therein.

Special provisions relating to the mode and manner of payment by tourists to, and the acceptance of such payment by travel agents.

16. (1) The mode and manner of the payment by tourists to any registered travel agent for the services and facilities provided by such travel agent, and the mode and manner of the acceptance of such payment by such travel agent, shall be in accordance with such directions as may be issued in that behalf from time to time by the competent authority with the approval of the Board.

(2) Any direction issued by the competent authority under paragraph (1) of this regulation shall be in conformity with the provisions, if any, of the Monetary Law Act and/or the Exchange Control Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Customs Ordinance, the Control of Imports and Exports Act or of any regulations made under the aforesaid Acts.

(3) Where any offence under the Act is committed in respect of the registered business of a travel agent, the registered proprietor of that business and the person who actually demanded the payment referred to in paragraph (1), or accepted such payment, shall each be guilty of that offence.

Punishment for fraudulent registration or Licensing.

17. If any person fraudulently procures or attempts to procure the business of a travel agent to be registered or licensed under this Code by producing or causing to be made or produced false or fraudulent representation or other material in writing, he and every person aiding and abetting him shall be guilty of an offence.

Assuming the name of, or carrying on business as a travel agent an offence.

18. (1) No proprietor of the business of a travel agent shall, unless such business has been registered and licensed under the provisions of this Code, take, use or display any name, title, addition or description in relating to such business, implying that it is a registered and licensed business of a travel agent.

(2) Every person who contravenes the provisions of this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

Power of competent authority to require information from persons generally, and to hold inquiries.

19. (1) The competent authority—

- (a) may direct any person to furnish such authority within such period as shall be specified in the direction, with such information within his knowledge as shall be so specified, being information which is necessary for the following purposes, namely, the disposal of any application made by any other person under this Code, or for the verification of the authenticity of any particulars specified in such application, of any return or information made or furnished by such other person under this Code, or for the suspension or cancellation of any registration or licence ; and
- (b) may, from time to time, hold such inquiries as may be necessary for any of such purposes.

(2) Any person to whom any direction is issued under paragraph (1) of this regulation shall comply with such direction within the period specified therein.



Provided, however, that where the competent authority is satisfied that the direction could not be complied with for reasons beyond the control of the person to whom it was issued, he may allow such person a further period of time to comply with such direction.

Offences.

20. (1) Any person who acts in contravention of any of the provisions of this Code shall be guilty of an offence under the Act.

(2) Any offence committed under the Act by any servant or agent of the registered proprietor of a business of a travel agent by reason of a contravention of any provision of this Code shall be deemed to be an offence committed by such registered proprietor, unless such registered proprietor establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

Registered and licensed business of travel agent to keep books and registers and furnish returns.

21. (1) Every proprietor of the business of a travel agent registered and licensed under the provisions of this Code, shall maintain books and registers containing particulars of—

- (a) the names of persons who have engaged the services of such travel agent, the nature of services rendered to such persons, and the period or dates on which such services were rendered ;
- (b) the country of origin and address of the person who engaged the services of the travel agent ;
- (c) the payment made by such person in respect of accommodation, food and drink, hire of transport, or other services and the currency in which payment was made ;
- (d) any other information that may be specified by the competent authority.

(2) Every registered proprietor of the business of a travel agent shall periodically, and whenever required by the Chairman of the Board, the competent authority or an officer of the Board acting on behalf of such authority, furnish to the competent authority certified extracts or returns of such information from the books and registers maintained under the provisions of sub-paragraph (1).

Powers of entry, inspection, etc.

22. (1) For the purpose of determining whether the provisions of this Code are being complied with, it shall be lawful for the Chairman of the Board, a member of the Board acting under the authority of the Chairman of the Board, the competent authority or any person holding the office of not less than the rank of Assistant Director of the Board acting under the written authority of the Chairman of the Board or the competent authority—

- (a) without previous notice and at any time during business hours, to enter any premises used or occupied for the business of a travel agent, or purporting to be used or occupied for the business of a travel agent and to inspect such premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether such business of the travel agent is being maintained in accordance with the provisions of the Act and this Code ;
- (b) at any time to require any person in charge of the business of a travel agent to produce any book, notice, record, list or other document which is in the possession, custody or control of that person or any other person in his behalf ;
- (c) to examine any such book, notice, record, list or other document, make copies or take extracts from such book, notice, record, list or document and require from any person connected with the business of such travel agent an explanation of any entries therein, and seize any such book, notice, record, list or document as, in his opinion, may afford evidence of any offence committed under the Act or under this Code ;
- (d) to question, either alone or in the presence of any other person as he deems fit, with respect to any matter which is being investigated by him, every person whom he finds in the premises entered by him or whom he has reasonable grounds for believing to be or to have been employed in such premises or to be in possession, custody, or control of anything referred to in this regulation ;
- (e) require any person referred to in the preceding sub-paragraph (d) to appear before him at a time and place fixed by him and to question that person concerning any matter which is being investigated by him.

(2) Any person who is in charge of any premises referred to in paragraph (1), shall, at all times, provide all such facilities as may be required of him by such Chairman, member, authority or person in the exercise of his or their powers under this regulation.

(3) Any person exercising the powers conferred upon him by paragraph (1) shall on demand produce evidence of his identity or the written authority referred to.

(4) Any person who resists or obstructs such Chairman, member, authority or person in the exercise of the powers conferred by the preceding provisions of this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

(5) Any person acting under the provisions of paragraph (1) shall be deemed to be a state officer within the meaning and for the purposes of the Penal Code.

Oath of secrecy.

23. All persons exercising the powers conferred by regulation 21 (2) and 22 (1) shall make an official " Oath or Affirmation " according to such form and with such formalities as may be prescribed by the Board, swearing or declaring and affirming as the case may be, that he or they shall observe strict secrecy with regard to any fact, matter or thing which came or may come to his or their knowledge during the course of and in the performance of the duties referred to in the said regulations.

Exercise of administrative control over travel agents by competent authority. Appropriate notified fees.

24. The registered proprietor of the business of a travel agent shall comply with the lawful directions or requirements of any notice served on him by the competent authority within the time stated in such notice, or if no such time is stated in such notice, then within fourteen days from the date of service of such notice.

25. The competent authority may, from time to time, by notification published in the *Gazette*, fix the fees payable for registration or licences or for duplicates or copies of registration entries or licences. Any such notification may be amended, revoked, or replaced by such authority in a like notification.

Service of documents.

26. (1) Any document which is required or authorised by this Code to be served on, or issued to any person shall, if it is not personally served on, or issued to such person, be deemed to have been duly served or issued if it is sent to him by post in a registered letter addressed to his last known place of abode or of business.

(2) In this regulation " document " means any copy of any order, any licence, any direction, or any other document by whatsoever name or designation called.

Interpretation.

27. (1) In this Code, unless the context otherwise requires—

" appropriate notified fee " for the purposes of any registration, any licence, or any duplicate or copy of a registration entry or licence, means the fee fixed for such purposes by the competent authority by notification published in the *Gazette* under regulation 25;

" Board " means the Ceylon Tourist Board constituted under section 2 of the Ceylon Tourist Board Act No. 10 of 1966 ;

" Chairman of the Board " means the Chairman of the Ceylon Tourist Board appointed under section 6 of the Ceylon Tourist Board Act, No. 10 of 1966 ;

" Member of the Board " means a member of the Ceylon Tourist Board appointed under section 6 of the Ceylon Tourist Board Act, No. 10 of 1966 ;

- “Class” or “Classification” in relation to the business of a travel agent means the registered class or classification assigned to that business by the competent authority ;
- “competent authority” has the same meaning as in the Act ;
- “licence” means a licence issued by the competent authority under this Code ;
- “registered” means registered in the Register of travel agents ;
- “Act” means the Tourist Development Act, No. 14 of 1968 ; and
- “travel agent” has the same meaning as in the Act.

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Regulations

- Short title. 1. These regulations may be cited as the Tourist Hotels Code, 1973.

PART I

CLASSIFICATION OF TOURIST HOTELS

- Classification of tourist hotels. 2. For the purposes of this Code, tourist hotels shall be classified as star-class tourist hotels, comprising—
- (a) one-star tourist hotels, being tourist hotels which comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that class, but do not comply with the notified minimum requirements of any higher star-class tourist hotels ;
- (b) two-star tourist hotels, being tourist hotels which comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that class, but do not comply with the notified minimum requirements of any higher star-class tourist hotels ;
- (c) three-star tourist hotels, being tourist hotels which comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that class, but do not comply with the notified minimum requirements of any higher star-class tourist hotels ;
- (d) four-star tourist hotels, being tourist hotels which comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that class, but do not comply with the notified minimum requirements of any higher star-class tourist hotels, and
- (e) five-star tourist hotels, being tourist hotels which comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that class.

Power to prescribe minimum requirements of tourist hotels 3. The competent authority may, from time to time, in consultation with such bodies or individuals engaged in the hotel industry as he may deem fit, prescribe by notification published in the *Gazette*, the minimum requirements which shall be complied with by star-class tourist hotels (in this Code referred to as the “notified minimum requirements”). Different minimum requirements may be so prescribed in respect of tourist hotels of different star classes.

Right of registered tourist hotels to use certain symbols

4. (1) A registered tourist hotel shall be entitled—
- (a) if it is so registered as a one-star tourist hotel, to use or display the symbol approved by the competent authority to represent one-star tourist hotels along with its name ;
- (b) if it is so registered as a two star tourist hotel, to use or display the symbol approved by the competent authority to represent two-star tourist hotels along with its name ;
- (c) if it is so registered as a three-star tourist hotel, to use or display the symbol approved by the competent authority to represent three-star tourist hotels along with its name ;
- (d) if it is so registered as a four-star tourist hotel, to use or display the symbol approved by the competent authority to represent four-star tourist hotels along with its name ; and
- (e) if it is so registered as a five-star tourist hotel, to use or display the symbol approved by the competent authority to represent five-star tourist hotels along with its name.

(2) No registered tourist hotel shall use or display any symbol referred to in paragraph (1) of this regulation unless it is entitled to do so under that paragraph.

(3) No registered tourist hotel shall use or display or cause to be used or displayed any fraudulent symbol or an obvious imitation of any symbol referred to in paragraph (1).

(4) No registered tourist hotel shall use or display the words “registered tourist hotel” or any name or designation which includes the words “tourist hotel” without displaying the star-class classification assigned to it by the competent authority.

(5) For the purposes of this regulation, a registered tourist hotel shall be deemed to use any symbol referred to in paragraph (1) of this regulation along with its name or designation if such symbol appears in or on any handbill, placard, poster, notice, sign, badge or any other instrument, device or document by whatsoever name or designation called, in or on which the name of such hotel also appears.

(6) Where any offence under the Act is committed in respect of any registered tourist hotel by reason of a contravention of any provision of this regulation, the registered proprietor thereof shall be guilty of that offence.

PART II

REGULATION OF THE USE OR OCCUPATION OF TOURIST HOTELS

Regulation of the use or occupation of registered tourist hotels

5. (1) No registered tourist hotel, or any part thereof, shall be used or occupied for any purpose, other than the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel, except under the authority, and under and in accordance with the terms or conditions of a permit issued by the competent authority (in this Code referred to as a “user’s permit”).

(2) No application for a user’s permit shall be allowed by the competent authority in respect of any registered tourist hotel of any star-class, or any part thereof, unless such authority is satisfied that such use or occupation will not result in such hotel ceasing to comply with the notified minimum requirements of tourist hotels of that star-class.

(3) Where an offence is committed under the Act by reason of a contravention of any provision of this regulation relating to the use or occupation of a registered tourist hotel or any part thereof, the registered proprietor of such hotel and the person who so used or occupied such hotel or part thereof, shall each be guilty of that offence.

6. (1) An application for a user's permit—  
 (a) shall be made in writing to the competent authority in such form as may be provided by him for the purpose ;  
 (b) shall contain the particulars required by that form ; and  
 (c) shall be signed by the applicant.
- (2) On receipt of an application for a user's permit, the competent authority may, subject to the provisions of regulation 9, make order allowing or refusing such application ;
- Provided that in any case where the competent authority refuses an application for a user's permit he shall give his reasons for such refusal in his order.
- (3) Where the competent authority makes an order allowing an application for a user's permit, he shall issue to the applicant such permit in such form as may be determined by him.
- (4) A user's permit may be issued by the competent authority, subject to such terms or conditions as such authority may deem necessary for securing compliance with the provisions of the Act and this Code, and as shall be specified in such permit and subject to the provisions of regulation 49.
- (5) It shall be a condition of every user's permit that, in the event of a contravention or failure to comply with any term or condition specified in the permit, the competent authority may, subject to the provisions of regulation 9, by order cancel such permit ;
- Provided that in any case where the competent authority cancels a permit he shall give his reasons for such cancellation in his order.
7. (1) The competent authority shall cause a certified copy of every order made by him refusing an application for a user's permit to be served on the applicant or cancelling a user's permit to be served on the holder of such permit.
- (2) Every such certified copy of an order of refusal or cancellation served on an applicant for, or the holder of, a permit as the case may be, shall contain the reasons for making such order of refusal or cancellation.
8. Any order made by the competent authority under this part shall be final and conclusive.
9. Before making an order refusing an application for a user's permit, or cancelling any such permit, the competent authority shall give the applicant, or the holder of any such permit, as the case may be, an opportunity of being heard either in person or by a representative authorised by him in writing in that behalf.

Applications for permits.

Copies of orders made by the competent authority under this Part to be served on persons.

Order of the competent authority to be final and conclusive

Special provisions relating to refusal of applications for permits or cancellation of permits.

### PART III

#### TOURIST HOTELS WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO REGISTRATION AND REGISTRATION OF SUCH HOTELS

10. (1) A tourist hotel shall be subject to registration if, but only if, there is a determination to that effect by the Classification Committee on any reference to it by the competent authority, under and in accordance with the provisions of this Code.
- (2) No such determination shall be made by the Classification Committee unless such hotel is qualified to be classified as a star-class tourist hotel in accordance with the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulation 3, and every such determination shall specify the star-class allotted to such hotel.
- (3) A tourist hotel which is subject to registration in accordance with the preceding provisions of this regulation is hereinafter in this Code referred to as a "tourist hotel subject to registration".
11. The following provisions shall apply to any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel :—
- (a) The competent authority may of his own motion or shall at the request of the proprietor of such business, refer to the Classification Committee for a determination as to whether such hotel shall be a tourist hotel subject to registration.
- (b) Such reference shall be accompanied by a report in writing from the competent authority containing his own observations on the subject matter of such reference.
- (c) No such reference shall be made by the competent authority of his own motion unless—  
 (i) he or any officer authorised by him in that behalf has exercised in respect of such premises the powers of entry, inspection and examination conferred by the succeeding provisions of this Code ; and  
 (ii) such authority has given the proprietor of such business an opportunity of being heard in person or by a representative authorised in writing by him.
12. For the purposes of this Code the competent authority shall maintain or cause to be maintained a book to be called the "Register of Tourist Hotels" in such form as may be determined by him in which premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, and the proprietor of such business, shall be registered under and in accordance with the provisions of this Code. Such Register is in this Code referred to as "the Register".
13. (1) On and after the expiration of a period of three months from the date of service of notice of a determination made under regulation 10, no premises of a tourist hotel to which that determination relates shall be used for the purpose of carrying on the business of such hotel unless such premises and the proprietor of such business are registered in accordance with the provisions of this Code.
- (2) Where any offence is committed under the Act by reason of the contravention of the provisions of paragraph (1) of this regulation, the proprietor of such business and the person for the time being in charge thereof shall each be guilty of that offence.
14. (1) Every application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration shall—  
 (a) be made in writing to the competent authority ;  
 (b) be made in such form as may be provided by such authority for the purpose ;  
 (c) contain the particulars required by that form ; and  
 (d) be signed by the applicant, who shall be the proprietor of the business of the tourist hotel.
- (2) No registration of any premises for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel shall be made except upon payment of the appropriate notified fee.
15. (1) No premises shall be registered, or continue to be registered—  
 (a) as a one-star tourist hotel, unless such premises comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulation 2 (a) ;  
 (b) as a two-star tourist hotel, unless such premises comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulations 2 (b) ;

Tourist Hotels subject to registration.

Special provisions applicable to premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel.

Register of tourist hotels.

When tourist hotels subject to registration are required to be registered.

Applications for registration.

Classification of tourist hotels on registration.

- (c) as a three-star tourist hotel, unless such premises comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulation 2 (c);
- (d) as a four-star tourist hotel, unless such premises comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulation 2 (d); and
- (e) as a five-star tourist hotel, unless such premises comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements referred to in regulation 2 (e).

(2) A tourist hotel which is to be registered under this Code shall be so registered as a one-star tourist hotel, or a two-star tourist hotel, or a three-star tourist hotel, or a four-star tourist hotel, or a five-star tourist hotel, in accordance with the determination as to its star-class made by the Classification Committee on any reference made to it under this Code.

Disposal of applications for registration.

16. (1) Subject to the provisions of regulation 19, upon receipt of an application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, the competent authority may make an order—

- (a) allowing such application; or
- (b) refusing such application;

Provided that in any case where he refuses an application he shall give his reasons therefor in his order.

(2) The competent authority may, by order, refuse to register any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration if the applicant or any person employed or proposed to be employed in the business of that tourist hotel, has, during the period of five years immediately preceding date of application for registration, been convicted of an offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Exchange Control Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificate Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act, or of an offence involving the use of the premises of such tourist hotel for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude or if such applicant or employee or proposed employee has during the aforesaid period been convicted of a similar offence or offences under the corresponding laws of any other country:

Provided however, that no order refusing an application for registration shall be made on the ground that any person employed by the applicant has been convicted of any offence referred to in this paragraph if the applicant establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by his employee without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(3) (a) Where the competent authority makes an order refusing an application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, he shall cause a certified copy of such order to be served on the applicant;

(b) Every such certified copy of an order of refusal served on an applicant for registration shall contain the reasons for making such order or refusal.

(4) (a) Where the competent authority makes an order allowing an application for registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, he shall register such premises in the register and shall register the applicant in the Register as the proprietor thereof, by entering in the Register, such particulars as may be determined by him, including particulars as to its star-class as determined by the Classification Committee on any reference made to it under this Code, and the terms or conditions, if any subject to which registration is effected.

(b) Every entry made in the Register under this regulation is in this Code referred to as a "registration entry".

(c) A person registered under this regulation as the proprietor of the business of a tourist hotel is in this Code referred to as a "registered proprietor".

(d) The star-class under which a tourist hotel is registered in the registration entry relating to that hotel by the competent authority under the preceding provisions of this paragraph shall be final.

(5) The registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration may be effected subject to the provisions of regulation 45 (2) and to such terms or conditions as may be specified in the registration entry constituting such registration, the terms or conditions so specified being such terms or conditions as the competent authority may deem necessary—

(a) for securing compliance with the provisions of this Code; and

(b) for ensuring that such hotel will comply with not less than the notified minimum requirements of the star-class allotted to such hotel.

(6) Where the competent authority has, in consequence of any order made by him on any application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration registered such premises, such authority shall cause a copy of the registration entry relating to such hotel certified under his hand to be served on the registered proprietor of that hotel.

Revision of registered star-class classification of tourist hotels

17. (1) Where at any time after the registration of a tourist hotel of any star-class, the competent authority is satisfied after due inquiry, either of his own motion or on representations made to him in that behalf, that the question of abolition of its star-class or the revision of its star-class and the assignment of a fresh star-class classification should be determined, such authority may refer the matter to the Classification Committee for a determination of that question.

If the determination made on such reference—

(a) requires the abolition of its star-class, the competent authority shall delete from the register the entry relating to such hotel in accordance with such determination.

(b) requires its star-class to be revised and a new star-class classification allotted to that hotel, the competent authority shall make such amendments in the registration entry as may be necessary to give effect to such determination.

Any deletion or amendment so made shall be final.

(2) The competent authority shall cause a copy of any reference made by him under this regulation in respect of a registered tourist hotel to be served on the registered proprietor of that hotel.

Suspension or cancellation of the registration of a tourist hotel

18. (1) The competent authority may, subject to the provisions of regulation 19, by order suspend or cancel the registration of any tourist hotel—

(a) upon the conviction of the registered proprietor of such hotel, or of any of his employees, of any offence committed under the Act by reason of a contravention of any of the provisions of this Code relating to such hotel, or an offence under Monetary Law Act, or the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968 or the Exchange Control Act or the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act or of an offence involving the use of such hotel for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude, or if such registered proprietor or any of his employees is convicted of a similar offence or offences under the corresponding laws of any other country; or

(b) for breach of any terms or conditions specified in the registration entry in terms of regulation 16 (4).

Every such order or suspension of cancellation of the registration of any tourist hotel, made by the competent authority shall contain his reasons for such order.

(2) No order suspending or cancelling the registration of a tourist hotel shall be made under paragraph (1) on the ground that any person employed at such hotel has been convicted of any offence referred to in that paragraph if the registered proprietor of such hotel establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by the employee without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(3) When the competent authority is satisfied after due inquiry, either of his own motion or on representations made to him in that behalf, that any premises registered for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel have ceased to be used for such purpose, such authority may, subject to the provisions of regulation 19, by order cancel such registration. Any such order of cancellation shall contain the reasons for such cancellation.

(4) The competent authority shall cause a certified copy of any order made by him under this Part suspending or cancelling the registration of a tourist hotel to be served on the registered proprietor of such hotel. Every such certified copy of an order of suspension or cancellation as the case may be, shall contain the reasons for making such order.

19. Before making an order refusing an application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, or suspending or cancelling such registration, the competent authority shall give the applicant, or the registered proprietor, as the case may be an opportunity of being heard either in person or by a representative authorized in writing by him in that behalf.

Special provisions relating to orders refusing applications for registration.

20. Any order made by the competent authority under this Part refusing an application for the registration of any premises used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel subject to registration, or suspending or cancelling such registration, shall be final and conclusive.

Finality and conclusiveness of orders made by the competent authority under this part.

21. Where any change occurs in any matter or thing relating to a registered tourist hotel which necessitates any amendment in the particulars in the registration entry relation to such hotel, the registered proprietor of such hotel shall forthwith give notice of such change to the competent authority, and such authority may, on the receipt of such notice, but after such inquiry as he deems fit in the circumstances and subject to the provision of regulation 17, make the necessary amendment in such particulars.

Correction of particulars in a registration entry.

#### PART IV

##### LICENSING OF REGISTERED TOURIST HOTELS

22. (1) No registered tourist hotel shall, on and after the expiration of a period of one month after the date of its registration, carry on business as a tourist hotel except under the authority, and under and in accordance with the terms or conditions, of a licence issued by the competent authority under this part and for the time being in force.

Registered tourist hotel to be licensed.

(2) For the purposes of this Code, a registered tourist hotel shall be deemed to carry on business as a tourist hotel if the premises of such hotel, or any part thereof, are used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a tourist hotel.

(3) Where an offence is committed under the Act by reason of any contravention of the provisions of this regulation by a registered tourist hotel, the registered proprietor of such hotel shall be guilty of that offence.

23. A licence to be issued by the competent authority under this Part in respect of a registered tourist hotel shall be a licence of one of the following descriptions, that is to say—

Descriptions of licences.

- (a) a one-star tourist hotel licence ;
- (b) a two-star tourist hotel licence ;
- (c) a three-star tourist hotel licence ;
- (d) a four-star tourist hotel licence ; or
- (e) a five-star tourist hotel licence ;

and shall be in accordance with the star-class classification indicated in the registration entry.

24. Every application for a licence in respect of a registered tourist hotel shall—

Applications for licences.

- (a) be made in writing to the competent authority ;
- (b) be made in such form as may be provided by him for the purpose ;
- (c) contain the particulars required by that form, being particulars which shall include the particulars contained in the registration entry relating to that hotel ; and
- (d) be signed by the registered proprietor of that hotel.

25. The competent authority shall refuse a licence—

Special provisions regarding power to refuse applications for licence.

- (a) if the premises to which the application relates is not a registered tourist hotel ; or
- (b) if a determination is pending on any reference made to the Classification Committee under regulation 17 ; or
- (c) if the registered proprietor of a registered tourist hotel has failed to comply with the terms and conditions of a licence that may have been issued to him by the competent authority for the year immediately preceding the year in respect of which the application has been made ; or
- (d) if the registered proprietor of such hotel or any of his employees has, during the year immediately preceding the year in respect of which the application is made, been convicted of any offence under the Act by reason of a contravention of any provision of this Code in its application to that hotel or an offence under the Monetary Law Act, the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, the Exchange Control Act, the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act or of an offence involving the use of such hotel for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude or of such registered proprietor or any of his employees is convicted of a similar offence or offences under the corresponding laws of any other country ; or
- (e) in the event of a contravention of regulation 5 of this Code.

Licence not to be issued except upon payment of appropriate notified fee.

26. The competent authority shall not issue a licence in respect of any registered tourist hotel except upon payment of the appropriate notified fee for such licence.

Disposal of applications for licences.

27. (1) Upon the receipt of an application for a licence in respect of a registered tourist hotel, the competent authority may, subject to the provisions of regulations 25 and 32, make an order allowing or refusing such application :

Provided that in any case where he refuses an application he shall give his reasons for such refusal in his order.

(2) The competent authority shall cause a certified copy of every order made by him refusing an application for a licence in respect of a registered tourist hotel to be served on the applicant for such licence. Every such certified copy of an order of refusal served on an applicant shall contain the reasons for making such order.

(3) Where the competent authority makes an order allowing an application for a licence in respect of any registered tourist hotel, he shall issue to the applicant a licence in such form, and containing such particulars as may be determined by such authority, including particulars as to its star-class, and the terms or conditions, if any, subject to which such licence is issued.

Terms or conditions of licences.

28. (1) A licence in respect of a registered tourist hotel may be issued subject to such terms or conditions as may be specified in the licence, the terms or conditions so specified being such terms or conditions as the competent authority may deem necessary—

(a) for securing compliance with the provisions of this Code ;

(b) for ensuring that such hotel will comply with not less than the notified minimum requirement applicable to the star-class allotted to that hotel ; and

(c) any other terms or conditions as the competent authority deems necessary.

(2) It shall be a term or condition of a licence issued in respect of a registered tourist hotel that such licence is specially subject to the provisions of regulation 45.

Duration and display of licence.

29. (1) Every licence issued by the competent authority under this Part in respect of any registered tourist hotel shall come into force on the date specified therein, and shall, unless it is earlier cancelled by such authority be valid for a period of twelve months from the date of issue.

(2) Every licensed tourist hotel shall display in a conspicuous place in such hotel the licence issued in respect of such hotel by the competent authority.

Suspension or cancellation of licences.

30. (1) It shall be a term or condition of a licence issued by the competent authority under this Part in respect of any registered tourist hotel that such licence may, subject to the provisions of regulation 32, be suspended or cancelled by such authority—

(a) in the event of the registered proprietor thereof, or any of his employees, being convicted of any offence under the Act by reason of a contravention of any provision of this Code in its application to that hotel or an offence under the Monetary Law Act, or the Foreign Exchange Entitlement Certificates Act, No. 28 of 1968, or the Exchange Control Act or the Customs Ordinance or the Control of Imports and Exports Act or of an offence involving the use of such hotel for an illegal purpose or of an offence involving moral turpitude or if such registered proprietor or any of his employees is convicted of a similar offence or offences under the corresponding laws of any other country ; or

(b) in the event of such proprietor contravening or failing to comply with any term or condition specified in the licence ; or

(c) in the event of a contravention of the provisions of Regulation 5 of this Code ;

Provided that in any case where he suspends or cancels a licence, he shall give his reasons for such suspension or cancellation, as the case may be.

(2) No order suspending or cancelling the licence of a registered tourist hotel shall be made under paragraph (1) on the ground that any person employed at such hotel has been convicted of any offence, if the registered proprietor of such hotel establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed by his employee without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(3) (a) The competent authority shall cause a certified copy of any order made by him under this Part suspending or cancelling the licence of a registered tourist hotel to be served on the registered proprietor of such hotel ;

(b) Every such certified copy of an order of suspension or cancellation served on a registered proprietor of such hotel shall contain his reasons for making such an order of suspension or cancellation.

Special provision where the registration of a tourist hotel is cancelled or suspended.

31. (1) Where the registration of any tourist hotel is cancelled, any licence issued in respect of that hotel by the competent authority under this Part shall be deemed for all purposes to have ceased to be in force.

(2) Where the registration of any tourist hotel is suspended by the competent authority under this Code, the licence issued in respect of that hotel by the competent authority under this Part shall cease to be in force during the period of such suspension.

Special provisions relating to the refusal of applications for licence, etc.

32. Before making an order refusing an application for a licence for a registered tourist hotel, or suspending or cancelling such licence, the competent authority shall give the applicant, or the holder of such licence, as the case may be, an opportunity of being heard in person or by a representative authorized in writing by him in that behalf.

Convection of particulars of licences in certain cases.

33. Where the particulars in any registration entry relating to a registered tourist hotel are revised by the competent authority under this Code, such authority may by written notice require the registered proprietor of that hotel to return his licence to such authority to enable him to make corresponding amendments in that licence and it shall be the duty of such proprietor to comply with that requirement within the period specified therein.

PART V

CLASSIFICATION COMMITTEE

34. (1) For the purpose of determining references under this Code in the manner hereinafter provided there shall be a Classification Committee (in these regulations referred to as "the Committee") consisting of seven members who shall be appointed from time to time by the Board. Constitution of Classification Committee.

(2) At least two of the members of the Committee shall be selected in consultation with such bodies or individuals engaged in the hotel industry as the Board may deem fit.

(3) The Board shall appoint one of the members of the Committee other than any member appointed under paragraph (2) to be the Chairman of the Committee (in this regulation referred to as "the chairman").

(4) Every member of the Committee shall, unless he earlier vacates office by death, resignation or removal, hold office for a period of two years. Any member of the Committee who vacates office by effluxion of time shall be eligible for re-appointment :

Provided that a member appointed in succession to a person who has ceased to be a member of the Committee before the expiry of his term of office shall, unless he vacates office earlier, hold office for the unexpired portion of the term of office of the member whom he succeeds.

35. The Board shall appoint a secretary to the Committee (hereinafter referred to as "the secretary"). Appointment of secretary.

36. The members of the Committee shall be remunerated at such rates as may be determined by the Board with the concurrence of the Minister in charge of the subject of tourism. Remuneration of members of the Committee.

37. (1) The secretary shall, under the direction of the chairman of the Committee, convene meetings of the Committee at which matters which have been referred to it will be determined. Meetings of the Committee.

(2) The quorum for any meeting of the Committee shall be four.

(3) The chairman of the Committee shall preside at every meeting of the Committee. In the absence of the Chairman from any meeting, the members of the Committee present at the meeting shall choose from among themselves as chairman of the meeting any member other than a member appointed under regulation 34 (2).

(4) A member of the Committee who is interested in the subject matter of any reference to the Committee or who has been consulted as an advocate or proctor in regard to that matter by or on behalf of the party interested in the reference, shall not participate in a meeting of the Committee at which that reference is to be determined.

(5) A meeting of the Committee may from time to time, be postponed or adjourned.

38. (1) Every reference made to the Committee under this Code by the competent authority shall— References to the Committee.

(a) be in writing ;

(b) contain a full and concise statement of the subject matter of such reference and the reasons therefor ; and

(c) state the determination which is sought from the Committee on such reference.

(2) Every reference shall be addressed to the chairman of the Committee and shall be transmitted or delivered to the secretary of the Committee.

39. (1) Every reference to the Committee shall be determined at a meeting of the Committee. Proceedings at the Committee.

(2) The chairman shall fix a date, time and place for the determination of such reference by the Committee and shall give ten clear days notice thereof in writing through the secretary to the competent authority and the party affected by such reference.

(3) The competent authority and the party interested in any reference to the Committee shall attend personally or by his agent or agents duly authorised in writing the meetings of the Committee at which the reference is to be determined. Where, for reasonable cause notified in writing to the chairman of the Committee, such authority or party is unable to so attend such meeting, the meeting for this purpose may be postponed by the chairman to a date to be determined by him.

(4) The decision of the majority of the members of the Committee present at a meeting shall be deemed to be the determination of the Committee and where there is an equality of votes the member presiding at the meeting shall have an additional or casting vote.

(5) The secretary shall, in respect of every reference determined by the Committee, keep a record of all such proceedings before the Committee as relate to that reference.

(6) No act or proceeding of the Committee shall be deemed to be invalid by reason only of the existence of any vacancy among its members or any defect in the appointment of a member thereof.

40. (1) For the purpose of determining any reference made under this Code, the Committee shall, with notice to the proprietor of a tourist hotel, inspect the premises of such hotel. At such inspection the Committee may sample any food or drink on payment of the cost thereof. Practice and procedure before the Committee and power to inspect.

(2) The proprietor or the person who is in charge of any premises referred to in paragraph (1) shall provide all such facilities as are required by the Committee to exercise its powers under this regulation.

(3) The proceedings before the Committee on any reference made to the Committee under this Code shall as far as possible be free from the formalities and technicalities of the rules of procedure and evidence ordinarily or normally applicable to a court of law, and may be conducted by the Committee in any manner not inconsistent with the principles of natural justice which to the Committee may seem best adapted to elicit proof concerning the matters that are being investigated.

41. The Committee shall cause notice of its determination on any reference made to the Committee under this Code to be served on the competent authority and the party affected by the reference. Service of notice of determination by the Committee.

42. The competent authority shall, on receipt of notice of any determination made on any reference to the Committee, take all such steps as may be necessary to give full force and effect to such determination. Duty of competent authority to give effect to determination of the Committee on a reference.

Members of the Classification Committee deemed to be state Officers.

43. The members of the Committee shall be deemed to be state officers within the meaning and for the purposes of the Penal Code.

#### PART IV

#### GENERAL

Power to inspect a registered tourist hotel.

44. (1) For the purpose of determining whether the provisions of this Code are being complied with by any registered tourist hotel, it shall be lawful for the Board, the Chairman of the Board, a member of the Board, acting under the authority of the Chairman of the Board, the competent authority, or any person acting under the authority of the competent authority holding the Office of not less than the rank of Assistant Director of the Board, after giving written notice to the proprietor or any person in charge of such a hotel—

(a) to inspect the premises of such hotel with a view to ascertaining all matters and things relevant to such purposes;

(b) to require any person in charge of such hotel to produce the register which is required to be kept under regulation 58;

(c) to examine such register and make copies or take extracts from such register.

(2) Any person in charge of any premises referred to in paragraph (1) shall provide all such facilities as are required by the Board, the Chairman of the Board, a member of the Board, the competent authority, or an Officer of the Board not less than the rank of Assistant Director referred to in that paragraph to exercise his powers under this regulation.

Power to amend etc, the terms or conditions of permits or licences or registration.

45. (1) The competent authority may, either of his own motion or on representations made to him in that behalf by the holder of any permit or licence, after giving such holder an opportunity of being heard, amend, vary, modify or rescind any term or condition attached to that permit or licence, or attach any new or term condition thereto.

(2) The competent authority may, either of his own motion or on representations made to him in that behalf by the registered proprietor of a registered tourist hotel, after giving such registered proprietor an opportunity of being heard, amend, vary, modify, or rescind any term or condition attached to the registration of that hotel, or attach any new term or condition thereto.

Power of competent authority to require applicants for permits, registration or licensing to furnish information.

46. The competent authority may direct any applicant for registration or for a permit or licence to furnish, within such period as may be specified in the direction, such authority with such information or documents indicated in the directions relating to the particulars specified in the application, as may be necessary for the purpose of enabling such authority to dispose of the application, and if the applicant fails to comply with such direction, such authority may refuse the application.

Power of competent authority to require information from persons generally, and to hold inquiries.

47. (1) The competent authority—

(a) may direct any person to furnish, within such period as shall be specified in the direction, such authority with such information within his knowledge as shall be so specified, being information which is necessary for the following purposes: namely, the disposal of any application made by any other person under this Code or for the verification of the correctness of any particulars specified in any such application, or of any return or information made or furnished by such other person under this Code, or for the suspension or cancellation of any registration, or any permit or licence; and

(b) may, from time to time hold all such inquiries as may be necessary for any of such purposes.

(2) A person to whom any direction is issued under paragraph (1) of this regulation shall comply with such direction within the period specified therein.

Oath or Affirmation.

48. All persons exercising the powers conferred by regulations 44 to 47 and 58(2) of this Code shall make an Official "Oath or Affirmation" according to such form and with such formalities as may be prescribed by the Board, swearing or declaring and affirming, as the case may be that he or they shall observe strict secrecy with regard to any fact, matter or thing which came or may come to his or their knowledge during the course of and in the performance of the duties referred to in the said regulation.

Certain registrations, permits or licences invalid, and punishment for fraudulent representations.

49. (1) Any registration, or any permit or licence which has been obtained fraudulently or by means of a false representation shall be invalid and of no effect for the purposes of this Code.

(2) If any person fraudulently procures or attempts to procure the business of a tourist hotel to be registered or licensed under this Code by making or producing or causing to be made or produced false or fraudulent representations or other material in writing, he and every person aiding and abetting him shall be guilty of an offence.

Duty to comply with terms or conditions of registration, or of permits, or licences.

50. The registered proprietor of a registered tourist hotel, or the holder of any permit or licence, shall, comply with every term or condition attached to such registration or permit or licence.

Permits or licences not to be transferable.

51. The holder of a permit or licence shall not assign or transfer such permit or licence, as the case may be to any other person, and any such assignment or transfer in contravention of the provisions of this regulation shall be null and void.



Pretence to be a registered tourist hotel to be an offence.

52. (1) No hotel which is not a registered tourist hotel shall—  
 (a) use or display the words "tourist hotel" "registered tourist hotel" or any name or designation which includes the words "tourist hotel", either alone or in combination with any other word or letters; or  
 (b) use any name, title, addition or description implying that it is a tourist hotel or a registered tourist hotel; or  
 (c) use or display any symbol or any fraudulent symbol or an obvious imitation of any symbol referred to in regulation 4(1).

(2) For the purposes of this regulation a hotel which is not a registered tourist hotel shall be deemed to use the words "tourist hotel", "registered tourist hotel" or any name or designation which includes the words "tourist hotel" or any symbol referred to in the preceding paragraph, if such words, name designation or symbol appears in or on any handbill, placard, poster, notice, sign badge or any other instrument, device or document by whatsoever name or designation called, in or on which the name of such hotel also appears.

(3) Where any offence is committed under the Act by reason of a contravention of the preceding provisions of this regulation in respect of any hotel which is not a registered tourist hotel, the proprietor of that hotel and the person for the time being in charge of that hotel shall be guilty of that offence.

Duplicates of permits, etc.

53. (1) The registered proprietor of any registered tourist hotel who has lost the certified copy of the registration entry relating to such hotel, or his licence relating thereto, may obtain a duplicate thereof from the competent authority upon payment of the appropriate notified fee for such duplicate.

(2) The holder of any permit who has lost his copy of that permit may obtain a duplicate thereof from the competent authority upon payment of the appropriate notified fee for such duplicate.

Appropriate notified fees.

54. The competent authority may from time to time, by notification published in the *Gazette*, fix the fees payable for permits, licences, registration, and for duplicates of permits, licences or certified copies of registration entries. Any such notification may be amended, revoked or replaced by such authority in a like notification.

Service of notices, documents, etc.

55. (1) Any document which is required or authorized by this Code to be served on, or issued, to any person shall, where it cannot be personally served on, or issued, to such person, be deemed to be duly served on that person if it is sent by registered post to that person at his last known place of abode or of business.

(2) In this regulation, "document" means any copy of any order, any permit or licence, any direction, any notice, or any other document by whatsoever name or designation called.

Offences.

56. (1) Any person who acts in contravention of any of the provisions of this Code shall be guilty of an offence.

(2) Any offence committed by any servant or agent of the registered proprietor of a tourist hotel who is the holder of a licence granted under this Code shall be deemed to be an offence committed by such licence holder unless such licence holder establishes to the satisfaction of the competent authority that such offence was committed without his knowledge or that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

Special provisions relating to the mode and manner of payment by tourists to, and acceptance of such payment by registered tourist hotels.

57. (1) The mode and manner of the payment by tourists to any registered tourist hotel for the services and facilities provided by such hotel, and the mode and manner of the acceptance of such payment by such hotel shall be in accordance with such directions as may be issued from time to time in that behalf by the competent authority.

(2) Any direction issued by the competent authority under paragraph (1) of this regulation shall be in conformity with the provisions, if any, of the Monetary Law Act or the Exchange Control Act or of any subsidiary legislation made thereunder.

(3) Where any offence under the Act is committed in respect of any registered tourist hotel by reason of a contravention of any provisions of this regulation, the registered proprietor of that hotel and the person who actually demanded the payment referred to in paragraph (1), or accepted such payment, shall each be guilty of that offence.

Proprietor to keep registers and books and furnish returns.

58. (1) The proprietor of a registered tourist hotel shall maintain a register containing the following particulars—

- (a) date and time of arrival of visitors ;
- (b) name of visitor ;
- (c) passport number ;
- (d) nationality ;
- (e) room number ;
- (f) permanent address of visitor ;
- (g) next address to which mail should be forwarded ;
- (h) date and time of departure of visitor ;
- (i) amount of the bill and the currency in which payment was made ;
- (j) signature of the visitor ;
- (k) any other information that may be specified by the competent authority.

(2) The proprietor of any registered tourist hotel shall periodically, and whenever required by the Board, the Chairman of the Board, a member of the Board acting under the authority of the Chairman of the Board, the competent authority, or a Director or Assistant Director of the Board acting on behalf of that authority furnish certified extracts or returns of such information from the books and registers maintained by such proprietor.

Interpretation.

59. In this Code, unless the context otherwise requires—

"appropriate notified fee" for the purpose of any registration, any permit any licence, or any duplicate of any copy of a registration entry or any permit or any licence, means the fee fixed for such purposes by the competent authority by notification published in the *Gazette* under regulation 54 ;

"competent authority" has the same meaning as in the Act ;

"licence" means a licence issued by the competent authority under this Code ;

"permit" means a permit issued by the competent authority under this Code ;

"registered" means registered in the Register ;

"registered tourist hotel" means a registered tourist hotel so registered as a one-star tourist hotel, or a two-star tourist hotel, or a three-star tourist hotel, or a four-star tourist hotel, or a five-star tourist hotel, and the expressions registered one-star tourist hotel, registered two-star tourist hotel, registered three-star tourist hotel, registered four-star tourist hotel, and registered five-star tourist hotel shall be construed accordingly ;

“ regulation ” means a regulation contained in this Code ;

“ star-class ”, in relation to a registered tourist hotel, means the star-class allotted to that hotel in the registration entry relating to that hotel ;

“ Act ” means the Tourist Development Act, No. 14 of 1968 ;

“ Board ” means the Ceylon Tourist Board established and constituted by the Ceylon Tourist Board Act, No. 10 of 1966 ;

“ Minister ” means the Minister in charge of the subject of Tourism.

Rescissions. 60. The Tourist Hotels Code, 1970, made by the Ceylon Tourist Board and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 14,896/2 of March 10, 1970, are hereby rescinded.

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**THE NATIONAL HOUSING ACT No. 37 OF 1954**  
Certificate under Section 49

BY virtue of powers vested in me by Section 49 of the National Housing Act No. 37 of 1954, I, Pieter Gerald Bartholomeusz Keuneman, Minister of Housing and Construction, do hereby certify that the lands described in the Schedules hereto should be acquired by the Government for the purpose of being made available for the carrying out of any housing object within the meaning of Section 2 of that Act.

P. G. B. KEUNEMAN,  
Minister of Housing and Construction.

Maha 4/ATH/226.  
Colombo, 7th September, 1973.

**SCHEDULE No. 1**

An allotment of land out of the land called Primrose Hill Estate in extent 4A. 1R. 0P., situated within the Gramasevaka Division of Getambe 42 D, Assistant Government Agent's

Division of Kandy Four Gravets, Kandy District, Central Province and bounded as follows:—

North: Balance portion of the same land;  
East: Road of the balance portion of the same land;  
South: Road of the balance portion of the same land;  
West: Land owned by Postal Department (O.C.A.D.S.).

**SCHEDULE No. 2**

An allotment of land in extent 0A. 1R. 0P, 20ft. in width out of the land called Primrose Hill Estate situated within the Gramasevaka Division of Getambe 42D, Assistant Government Agent's Division of Kandy Four Gravets, Kandy District, Central Province and bounded as follows:—

North by Mabel Cooray Mawatha;  
East by balance portion of the same land;  
South by balance portion of the same land;  
West by balance portion of the same land.

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THE Minister of Foreign and Internal Trade has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned officers, in addition to their own duties as Assistant Controllers of Imports and Exports with effect from 1st December, 1972.

1. Mr. IRWIN JOSEPH WICKRAMA, S.L.A.S., Class III, Assistant Commissioner (Administration) Department of Commodity Purchase.

2. Mr. KANAPATHIPILLAI KUMARASAMY, Class I of General Clerical Service, Office Assistant, Department of Commodity Purchase.

K. B. DISSANAYAKE,  
Acting Secretary,  
Ministry of Foreign and Internal Trade.  
Colombo, 10th September, 1973.

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**THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT**

Notification under Section 5

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 5 of the Births and Deaths Registration Act (Chapter 110), I, Felix Reginald Dias Bandaranaike, Minister of Public Administration, Local Government and Home Affairs, do by this notification, amend with effect from 1st October, 1973, the Notification published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 8,146 of September 20, 1935, as amended from time to time, in the Schedule thereto, under the heading, “ North-Western Province—Kurunegala District ”.

1. By the substitution for item 23 relating to Gantihe Korale Division, of the item set out in Schedule A hereto, and
2. By the insertion, immediately after item 23 of the new item 23A set out in Schedule B hereto.

FELIX R. D. BANDARANAIKE,  
Ministry of Public Administration,  
Local Government and Home Affairs.

Colombo, 27th August, 1973.

**SCHEDULE A**

23 Kirimetiya Division comprising the following villages:—

Ambakolawewa	Kadahatagama
Amunugama	Kairakgama
Badalgama	Kirimetiya
Bogodagedera	Kubukwewa
Detawa	Pahala Amunugama
Egodayagama	Pahala Watta
Galatenwatta	Palu Siyambalewa
Hinukgala	Pannalayagama
Hirigollegama	Welamitiyagedera
Jayalathgama	

**SCHEDULE B**

23A. Ambapola Division comprising the following villages:—

Ambagammana	Ihala Bakmiwewa
Ambanpola	Ihala Kudawewa
Aluthwewa	Ihala Ranorewa
Atapattu Siyambalewa	Ihala Udanguwawa
Atawarala	Ihala Walpaluwa
Atawarala	Ipalogama
Badabeddewa	Kaluperumawa
Bamunugama	Kaluwilopotana
Bamunugama	Karandagahawewa
Bambara Mithogama	Karambe
Beruwewa	Karuwalagaswewa
Borawewa	Kasikote
Dematewa	Katupitigama
Dematagolla	Kirimetiawatta
Digana	Kiwulegama
Dodangollewa	Kiwullewa
Dumbuluwawa	Kodikkattuwa
Ellabadagama	Kokatiyawa
Erubuduwewa	Konkadawala
Galawewa	Konwewa
Ganagama	Korakahagama
Gawatagane	Korowwegama
Getadiula	Kossettewa
Getadiula	Kotakimbulewa
Getilawa	Kudabelungala
Gonagama	Kudapalagaswewa
Gonamaditta	Kukulewa
Hammilla Kadawala	Kumbukgahawewa
Hammilla Kotawa	Kumbukgete
Helabewa	Kurundegama
Hettagama	Madadenigama
Hewanpolagama	Mahadiwullewa
Hithokadawala	Mampitigama
Hiriyalayagama	Mamunugama

Maningamuwa	Pahala Maningamuwa	Ralagewewa	Ulkendewa
Medagama	Pahala Walpaluwa	Rambewa	Urewa
Munamalegama	Pahala Belungala	Randenigama	Ussewa
Nathewa	Palapattala	Ranorewa	Waduressa
Nawagaththa	Panadaragama	Rolawa	Walaliya
Nekethi Kumbukwewa	Panogama	Tammennawa	Walpaluwa
Nekathi Taranagaswewa	Parapegama	Tammitagama	Weraherayagama
Nekathi Wanduressa	Parasangiligama	Tambare	Weerakandawewa
Nelumpattewa	Pattinigama	Tantiriyawa	Weerasole
Nikapitigama	Piduruwellewa	Udadiwullewa	Yakapalugaswewa
Nikunnewa	Pilla	Udangawa	Yaluwewa
Pahala Bakmiwewa	Polpithigama	Udatammennawa	Yantampalagama
Pahala Kudawatta	Potana	Udawalaliya	
Pahala Kudawewa	Pussellegama		

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PADDY MARKETING BOARD ACT No. 14 OF 1971

SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO

Order Under Section 39 (1)

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 39 (1) of the Paddy Marketing Board Act No. 14 of 1971, I, Hector Senerath Rajakaruna Banda Kobbekaduwa, Minister of Agriculture and Lands, do by this Order, approve of the proposed acquisition of the property described in the schedule hereto for the purpose of the business of the Paddy Marketing Board.

H. S. R. B. KOBBEKADUWA,  
Minister of Agriculture & Lands.

Colombo, September, 1973.

All that land called Dandunawewatte together with the entirety of the house called and known as "Brooklyn" and everything else standing thereon bearing Assessment No. 57, situated at Badulla, within the municipal limits of Badulla, Ward 7, Welekade, Badulla District, Badulla Gravets, Yatikinda Korale, Uva Province and which said land is bounded on the north by College Premises and the premises of the Health Department belonging to State, east by Badulla-Mahiyangana Road, south by Badulla-Mahiyangana Road and Kandura, west by Kandura and Field, containing in extent 2 roods and 16 perches (OA. 2R. 16.P).

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THE RENT ACT No. 7 OF 1972

Order made by the Minister of Housing and Construction under Section 44 of the Rent Act No. 7 of 1972.

P. G. B. KEUNEMAN,  
Minister of Housing and Construction.

Colombo,  
13 September, 1973.

Order

I, Peter Gerald Bartholomeusz Keuneman, Minister of Housing and Construction, do hereby declare the undermentioned officers to be Authorised Officers with effect from 1st August, 1973 for the purposes of the Rent Act No. 7 of 1972. Their areas of appointment, within the limits of which, they shall exercise their powers and functions under the Act, are specified below against each of their names.

Area

Names of Authorised Officers

(1) Area within the Administrative limits of the Municipality of Colombo ..	}	J. J. Ranasinghe
		H. B. Dissanayake
(2) Area within the administrative limits of the—	}	
(a) Negombo Municipal Council .. .. .		
(b) Peliyagoda, Gampaha, Minuwangoda, Katunayake—Seeduwa, and Wattala Mabole Urban Councils		
(c) Kelaniya, Dalugama, Veyangoda, Mirigama, Kochochikade, Kandana, Welisara, Ragama and Hendala Town Councils		S. Dalukdeniya
(d) Biyagama, Mahara, Naranwale, Galahitiyawa, Henerathgoda, Bemulla, Egodapotha and Katana Village Councils		
All of which are situated within the administrative limits of the District of Colombo		
(3) Areas within the administrative limits of the—	}	
(a) Dehiwela-Mt. Lavinia Municipal Council		
(b) Kotte and Moratuwa Urban Council		
(c) Piliyandala Town Council		P. M. Chandradasa
(d) Mampe-Kesbewa Village Council		
All of which are situated within the Administrative limits of the District of Colombo		
(4) Areas within the Administrative limits of the—	}	
(a) Kolonnawa and Avissawella Urban Council		
(b) Maharagama, Homagama, Kotikawatte, Mulleriyawa and Battaramulla-Talangama Town Councils		D. L. Ubeyawarna
(c) Kotte-Galkissa, Kaduwela, Hanwella Peruwa and Padduka-Waga Village Councils		
All of which are situated within the Administrative limits of the District of Colombo		

Local Authority, Sanitary Board, Rural and Bazaar areas which have been declared as areas in which the Rent Act shall be in operation and the areas which will be declared as areas in which the Rent Act shall be in operation within the Administrative limits of the following Districts —

(5) Kalutara and Ratnapura .. .. .	.. .. .	P. R. J. Seneviratne
(6) Galle, Matara and Hambantota .. .. .	.. .. .	W. J. Weerasekera
(7) Jaffna, Vavuniya and Mannar .. .. .	.. .. .	K. Thulasigamani
(8) Batticaloa, Trincomalee, Anuradhapura, Amparai and Polonnaruwa	.. .. .	W. N. K. B. Weerabahu
(9) Kurunegala, Puttalam and Chilaw .. .. .	.. .. .	M. C. E. Fernando
(10) Nuwara Eliya, Badulla and Moneragala .. .. .	.. .. .	R. Wanasinghe
(11) Kandy, Matale and Kegalle .. .. .	.. .. .	G. M. M. Gunapala Bandara

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THE CEYLON (PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS)  
ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1946

Electoral District No. 32—Agalawatta

It is hereby notified for general information that in view of the notification by the Secretary, Ministry of Public Administration, Local Government and Home Affairs, published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon)* No. 34 of 17th November, 1972, establishing a new Divisional Revenue Officer's Division "Pasdun Korale South (Walallawita)" in Kalutara District, the words "Pasdun Korale East Divisional Revenue Officer's Division" should be substituted for the words "Maha Pattu Divisional Revenue Officer's Division" in respect of Polling Districts "A" to "K", "O", "Q" & "R" and "X" to "OO" and the words "Pasdun Korale South" should be substituted for the words "Maha Pattu

Divisional Revenue Officer's Division" in respect of Polling District "L" to "N", "P" and "S" to "W" and for the words "Pasdun Korale West" in respect of Polling District "PP" to "DDD" of the above Electoral District in the Schedule to the notice under section 10 (3) of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 14,938/11 of 31.12.1970.

K. N. W. ABEYSEKERA,  
Assistant Registering Officer,  
Electoral District No. 32—Agalawatta.

Elections Office,  
Kalutara, 5th December, 1972.  
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## THE CROP INSURANCE ACT, No. 13 OF 1961

Notification Under Section 11 (2)

It is hereby notified to the public that under the Crop Insurance Act, No. 13 of 1961, there shall be compulsory insurance as provided in that Act against loss of the paddy crop in specified areas, due to any of the following causes:—

Specified Causes—

- (1) Lack of Water.
- (2) Drought.
- (3) Excessive water.
- (4) Floods.
- (5) Plant diseases.

- (6) Insect infestations.
- (7) Wild boar.
- (8) Wild elephants.
- (9) Approved methods of farming.

K. WEERAWARDENE,  
Commissioner of Agrarian Services.

Department of Agrarian Services,  
No. 4, Bullers Lane,  
Colombo 7, September 13, 1973.  
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## THE CROP INSURANCE ACT, No. 13 OF 1961

Notification Under Section 14(3)

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 14(3) of the Crop Insurance Act, No. 13 of 1961, I, Nagamuttu Pulendiran, Senior Assistant Commissioner of Agrarian Services, do hereby determine that the cultivation periods for each specified area in respect of the Maha season shall be as specified in the Schedule hereto.

N. PULENDIRAN,  
Senior Assistant Commissioner of  
Agrarian Services.

Department of Agrarian Services,  
4, Bullers Lane, Colombo 7,  
September 13, 1973.

## SCHEDULE

District	Divisional Revenue Officers' Division	Maha	
		Date of Commencement of sowing	last Date of Harvesting
1. Colombo	(1) Hewagam Korale East ..	July 1 ..	March 30
	(2) Hewagam Korale West ..	August 10 ..	May 31
	(3) Siyane Korale Meda Pattuwa West ..	July 1 ..	March 10
	(4) Aluthkuru Korale North—A ..	July 1 ..	March 20
	(5) Divulapitiya ..	July 1 ..	March 20
	(6) Aluthkuru Korale North—B ..	July 1 ..	March 20
	(7) Muththes Division ..	..	..
2. Kalutara	(1) Pasdun Korale West ..	July 10 ..	March 31
	(2) Kalutara Thotamuna North ..	July 15 ..	March 31
	(3) Kalutara Thotamuna South ..	July 15 ..	March 31
3. Kandy	(1) Udapalatha—		
	Cultivation Committee No. 80 ..	August 1 ..	April 15
	Cultivation Committee No. 81 ..	August 5 ..	January 1
	Cultivation Committee No. 83, 84, 85 and 86 ..	September 15 ..	April 15
	Cultivation Committee No. 82, 87, 88 and 89 ..	August 1 ..	March 31
	Cultivation Committee No. 90, 95, 96, 97 and 98 ..	September 15 ..	April 15
	Cultivation Committee No. 91, 92, 93 and 94 ..	July 15 ..	April 15
Cultivation Committee No. 99, 100 and 101 ..	July 1 ..	March 31	
(2) Meda Dumbara ..	..	October 5 ..	April 15
	..	..	..
4. Galle	(1) Gangaboda Pattuwa North ..	October 1 ..	March 31
	(2) Gangaboda Pattuwa South ..	October 1 ..	March 31
5. Matara	(1) Weligam Korale ..	July 1 ..	February 28
	(2) Gangaboda Pattuwa ..	June 1 ..	March 15
6. Hambantota	(1) Magampattuwa ..	October 15 ..	April 15
	(2) Giruwa Pattuwa East ..	October 15 ..	April 15
	(3) Giruwa Pattuwa South ..	July 1 ..	April 15
	(4) Giruwa Pattuw eNorth ..	July 1 ..	March 31

District	Divisional Revenue Officer's Division	Maha	
		Date of Commencement of Sowing	Last Date of Harvesting
7. Jaffna	(1) Karachchi	September 25	April 10
8. Vavuniya	(1) Vavuniya North	September 1	April 30
	(2) Vavuniya South (Tamil Division)	September 1	April 15
	(3) Wengala Cheddikulam	September 1	April 15
	(4) Koralai Pattu	September 1	April 15
9. Batticaloa	(1) Manmunai North	October 1	April 30
	(2) Manmunai West—Cultivation Committee No. 82	October 1	April 15
	Manmunai West—Cultivation Committee No. 35, 37, 43 and 67	October 1	April 15
	(3) Manmunai South and Eruvil Porativu	October 1	April 15
10. Amparai	(1) Samanthurai Pattu	October 15	May 15
11. Trincomalee	(1) Kimniya	September 15	March 31
	(2) Thampalakamam	September 15	March 31
	(3) Kantalai	September 15	March 31
12. Kurunegala	(1) Hiriyala Hath Pattuwa	August 15	April 30
	(2) Pannala	June 15	March 31
	(3) Kuliyaipitiya	June 15	March 31
	(4) Bingiriya	June 15	March 31
	(5) Wariyapola	July 15	April 15
	(6) Hettipola	July 15	April 15
13. Anuradhapura	(1) Hurulu Palatha Central Kokulen Madata	October 15	April 30
	(2) Hurula Palatha North	November 15	April 30
	(3) Kalagam Palatha North	October 15	May 15
	(4) Kalagam Palatha South	October 15	May 15
	(5) Nuwaragam Palatha West	November 15	April 30
	(6) Nuwaragam Palatha East	November 15	April 30
	(7) Nuwaragam Palatha South	October 15	June 15
14. Badulla	(1) Yatikinda	October 1	July 31
	(2) Passara	December 1	September 30
	(3) Medakinda	January 10	August 31
15. Ratnapura	(1) Navadun Korale—Cultivation Committee No. 2, 4, 12, 24, 16 and 17	August 15	February 28
	Cultivation Committee No. 5, 6, 13, 14, 15, 19, 21, 23, 25, 28, 29, and 31	October 1	April 30
	(2) Ataklan Korale	September 1	May 15
16. Kegalle	(1) Dohigampal and Pahatha Bulathgama Korale	August 1	April 30
	(2) Beligal Korale	August 1	April 15

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THE CROP INSURANCE ACT, No. 13 OF 1961

Notification under Section 8 (4)

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 (1) of the Crop Insurance Act, No. 13 of 1961, I, Nagamuttu Pulendiran, Senior Assistant Commissioner of Agrarian Services, do hereby determine that—

- (a) the total extent of land bearing the paddy crop in respect of which there shall be compulsory insurance as provided in the Act shall be as specified in the Notification under section 8 (4) of the Crop Insurance Act, No. 13 of 1961, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 14,979 of 8th October, 1971, subject to the variations specified in Schedule published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 29 of 13th October, 1972; and
- (b) the persons who are entitled to the whole or any part of the paddy crop in the extent determined under (a) above, in respect of whom the insurance shall

apply, and their respective shares of such crop shall be as specified in Schedule II hereto.

N. PULENDIRAN,  
Senior Assistant Commissioner of  
Agrarian Services.

Department of Agrarian Services,  
4, Bullers Lane, Colombo 7,  
September 13, 1973.

SCHEDULE II

DESCRIPTION OF PERSON AS DEFINED IN THE PADDY LANDS ACT

	Share of Crop
1. Owner Cultivator	100%
2. Non-cultivating owner employing agricultural labour	100%
3. Lessee employing agricultural labour	100%
4. Tenant cultivator, Minimum	75%
5. Owner whose land is cultivated by tenants, Maximum	25%
6. Lessee whose land is cultivated by tenants, Maximum	25%

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THE CROP INSURANCE ACT, No. 13 OF 1961

Notification under Section 13 (3) (a)

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 13 (3) (a) of the Crop Insurance Act, No. 13 of 1961, I, Karunadasa Weerawardene, Commissioner of Agrarian Services, do hereby determine that minimum farming practices and the special approved methods of farming insured persons shall observe in regard to insured extents of land shall be as specified in the Schedule hereto.

K. WEERAWARDENE,  
Commissioner of Agrarian Services.

Department of Agrarian Services,  
No. 4, Bullers Lane,  
Colombo 7, September 13, 1973.

SCHEDULE

Minimum Farming Practices—

- (1) Repair and maintain ridges and bunds.
- (2) Till and/or plough and/or mud and level.
- (3) Broadcast sowing.
- (4) Tend or watch the crop.
- (5) Prevent or minimise damage.
- (6) Harvest.

Special Farming Practices—

- (1) Row sow or transplant or row transplant.
- (2) Use approved fertilizer.
- (3) Weed and/or use weedicides or harrow.

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My No. C/I. 738.

## THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to me by the arbitrator to whom the Industrial Dispute which has arisen between Ceylon Press workers' Union, 123, Union Place, Colombo 2 and M/s. H. W. Cave & Co. Ltd., P. O. Box 25, Colombo 1, was referred by order dated 29th June, 1972, made under section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 as amended and published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka* No. 17 of July 21, 1972, for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of Section 18 (1) of the said Act.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

Department of Labour,  
Labour Secretariat,  
Colombo 5, 11th September, 1973.

C. I. 738.

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In the matter of an Industrial Dispute  
between

Ceylon Press Workers' Union,  
123, Union Place,  
Colombo 2,

and

M/s. H. W. Cave & Co. Ltd.,  
P. O. Box 25, Colombo 1.

Award.

The acting Minister of Labour has, by virtue of the powers vested in him 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 and 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act No. 37 of 1968), and by his Order dated 29th June, 1972, referred the abovementioned dispute to me for settlement by arbitration.

The matter in dispute between the parties is whether Messrs. Richard Perera and Mohamed Alavi are entitled to arrears of Pay for the periods 1.10.1966 to 30.11.1970 and 1.10.1966 to 31.12.1970, with reference to the Collective Agreement of 1966 between the Employers Federation of Ceylon and the Ceylon Press Workers' Union applicable to the Printing Trade.

This matter was fixed for inquiry on 25.5.1973, on which date Mr. T. Jayarajasingham, Assistant Secretary, Employers' Federation of Ceylon was present to represent the Respondent Company. Neither the workers, nor a Representative of the Union was present.

On 13.7.1973, the next date of inquiry, Mr. M. C. M. Shaffie appeared on behalf of the two Applicants Mr. T. Jayarajasingham, Advocate, appeared for the Respondent Company. On this date, 13.7.1973, the parties stated their cases in brief to me, and also at my instance undertook to explore the possibility of a settlement.

When the inquiry was resumed on 23.8.1973, parties intimated to me that they had reached a settlement on the following terms:—

1. Richard Perera will be paid a sum of Rs. 1,500 in full and final settlement of all his claims in regard to the matter in dispute.
2. Mohamed Alavi will be paid a sum of Rs. 1,000 in full and final settlement of all his claims in regard to the matter in dispute.

The aforesaid sums of money will be deposited by the Respondent Company with the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Colombo South, on or before 10th September, 1973, and the workmen will withdraw the money thereafter."

I consider the above terms of settlement just and equitable, and make award accordingly.

Mrs. Sirimavo Kolugala.

Dated at Colombo, this 23rd day of August, 1973.

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My No. CIE/524/71.

## THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to me by the Arbitrator, to whom the Industrial Dispute which has arisen between Mr. R. Thavaprasatham, No. 437, Galle Road, Colombo 3, of the one part and (1) Messrs. A. Ramachandra, N. Ramachandra, R. Ramachandra and Mrs. S. Tharmarathnam, all of 94, Campbell Place, Colombo 10, the Proprietors of Hayes Group, Ullinduwwa and Horamulla Estate, Rakwana and (2) Consolidated Commercial Agencies Ltd., Agents and Secretaries of Hayes Group, Ullinduwwa and Horamulla Estate, Rakwana, P. O. Box 401, No. 25, Lillie Street, Colombo, of the other part was referred by order dated 10th January, 1972, made under section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 as amended and published in *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 14,994 of 21st January, 1972, for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of Section 18 (1) of the said Act.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

Department of Labour,  
Labour Secretariat,  
Colombo 5, 13th September, 1973.

CIE/524/71.

A—1116

In the matter of an Industrial Dispute  
between

Mr. R. Thavaprasatham, No. 437, Galle Road,  
Colombo 3,

of the one part,  
and

- (1) M/s. A. Ramachandra, N. Ramachandra, R. Ramachandra and Mrs. S. Tharmarathnam, all of No. 94, Campbell Place, Colombo 10, the Proprietors of Hayes Group, Ullinduwwa and Horamulla Estate, Rakwana, and
- (2) Consolidated Commercial Agencies Ltd., Agents and Secretaries of Hayes Group, Ullinduwwa and Horamulla Estate, Rakwana, P. O. Box 401, No. 25, Lillie Street, Colombo, of the other part.

Award

The Honourable the Minister of Labour has, by virtue of the powers vested in him 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 and 62 of 1957, 4 of 1962 and 39 of 1968 (read with Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act No. 37 of 1968) and by his Order dated 10th January, 1972, referred the abovementioned industrial dispute to me for settlement by arbitration.

The matter in dispute between the parties, as per the statement of the matters in dispute accompanying the Minister's reference, is whether the non-employment of Mr. R. Thavaprasatham by the Management of Hayes Group, Ullinduwwa and Horamulla Estate, Rakwana, from November, 1970, is justified and to what relief he is entitled.

The inquiry into this dispute commenced on 8.3.72, was continued on 23 subsequent dates and ended on 11.7.73.

At the beginning of the inquiry Mr. Advocate Sidath Sri Nandalochona instructed by Mr. K. Sivanandan appeared for the Applicant and Mr. Vernon de Livera appeared for the first Respondent. At a certain stage of the inquiry, Mr. S. Balasingham represented the Consolidated Commercial Agencies Limited, the second Respondent.

From 3.10.72, Mr. Advocate W. T. P. Gunatilleke appeared for the 3rd and 4th respondents, while Mr. Vernon de Livera continued to appear but only for the 1st and 2nd respondents.

From 4.12.72, Mr. K. Sivanandan appeared for the applicant and from 27.4.73 Mr. M. Krishnapillai.

During the course of the inquiry a large volume of evidence was led and a number of submissions were made on behalf of both parties. The chief witnesses for the applicant's case were the Applicant himself and Police Inspector G. C. Perera who was the Officer-in-Charge of the Rakwana Police Station at the time of this incident. The Applicant closed his case on 10.1.73. Thereafter, on 12.3.73, consequent to certain discussions in Court, the parties intimated to me that they intended exploring the possibility of a settlement and moved that they be given a long date to enable them to work out the details of the terms of settlement.

Finally, on 11th July, 1973, the parties tendered a Memorandum of Settlement dated 11.7.1973, duly signed by them, the terms of which are appended hereto:—

"It is agreed between the Parties that a sum of Rs. 3,009.68 is the amount standing to the credit of Mr. R. Thavaprasatham in the Provident Fund in respect of his period of employment as from June, 1967 to 21st November, 1970, and that of this amount a sum of Rs. 2,558.23 is payable to the said Mr. Thavaprasatham, the remainder being retained by the Employers for payment of Tax on the said aggregate

amount of Rs. 3,009.68. It is agreed that the sum of Rs. 451.45 retained by the Employers for the payment of Tax as aforesaid shall become payable immediately to Mr. Thavaprasatham on producing a Clearance Certificate from the Department of Inland Revenue or, in the event the Employers pay the tax, any balance after payment of Tax shall be payable to Mr. Thavaprasatham.

2. The Employees agree to make payment to Mr. R. Thavaprasatham of a further sum of Rs. 3,295 ex-gratia as a gratuity in consideration of his period of service.

3. It is agreed that, for the sum of Rs. 782 payable by the Employers to the Department of Inland Revenue in terms of the Notice served on the Employers dated 15.3.73 under section 112 of the Inland Revenue Act, on account of the tax payable by Mr. R. Thavaprasatham for the years 1967/68 to 1970/71, the Employers shall issue a cheque in favour of the Commissioner of Inland Revenue and the said sum of Rs. 782 shall be deducted from the said sum of Rs. 3,295.

4. It is further agreed that the sum of Rs. 2,556.23 being the amount standing to the credit of Mr. Thavaprasatham in his Provident Fund less the amount retained for payment of

tax together with a sum of Rs. 2,513 being the *ex-gratia* payment to him less the tax of Rs. 782 comprising an aggregate sum of Rs. 5,071.23 will be paid to Mr. Thavaprasatham in three monthly instalment as set out below in full and final settlement of whatever claims he may have in respect of his period of employment or the termination of his services against the Ramachandra Estates Agency and/or any of the persons who are parties to this dispute and/or the Consolidated Commercial Agencies Limited. The instalments payable are as follows:

- (1) Rs. 2,000 on or before 15.7.1973;
- (2) Rs. 2,000 on or before 15.8.1973;
- (3) Rs. 1,071.23 on or before 15.9.1973."

I consider the above terms of settlement just and equitable and I make award accordingly.

A. S. KOHOBAN WICKREME,  
Arbitrator.

Dated at Colombo this 23rd day of July 1973.

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My No. 1041

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to the Commissioner of Labour by the Arbitrator to whom the industrial dispute which had arisen between the All-Ceylon United Motor Workers' Union, No. 457, Union Place, Colombo 2 and Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir, (Proprietor), Puttalam Transport, No. 7 Poles Road, Puttalam; Mr. Mohamed Kasim Abdul Haleem, Udair Lane, Puttalam (Lessee) was referred by order dated 7th November, 1972, under Section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131, as amended and published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka* No. 36 of December 01, 1972 for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of Section 18 (1) of the said Act.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

Labour Department,  
Labour Secretariat,  
Colombo 5, September 14, 1973.

A. 1200

In the matter of an Industrial Dispute  
between

All-Ceylon United Motor Workers' Union, No. 457, Union Place  
Colombo 2,  
and

- (1) Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir, Proprietor, Puttalam Transport, No. 7, Poles Road, Puttalam, and
- (2) Mr. Mohamed Kasim Abdul Haleem, Udair Lane, Puttalam (Lessee).

Award

The Honourable the Minister of Labour, by virtue of the powers vested in him 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 the Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act No. 37 of 1968) has, by his Order dated 7th November, 1972, appointed me to be the Arbitrator and referred to me the aforesaid dispute for settlement by arbitration.

The matters in dispute, as set out in terms of Section 16 of the aforesaid Act by the Commissioner of Labour in his statement dated 26th October, 1972, are—

- "(1) whether the demand of the All-Ceylon United Motor Workers' Union, 457, Union Place, Colombo 2, for payment of wages to the workers who are members of the Union and whose names are given in the Schedule attached thereto in respect of the period 1.12.1971 to 24.3.1972 when work was not offered to them by the Management of Messrs. Puttalam Transport, Puttalam, is justified and to what relief each of them is entitled;
- (2) whether the non-implementation of the terms of the agreement entered into between the above Union and the Management of Messrs. Puttalam Transport; under the chairmanship of the Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Industrial Relations, on the 2nd of June, 1972, is justified and to what relief the workmen covered by the agreement are entitled."

The parties to the dispute appeared before me on 14.12.72, 15.1.73, 23.1.73, 30.1.73, 13.2.73, 22.2.73, and 2.3.73, the Union being represented by the late Mr. D. G. William, General Secretary, and Mr. K. Marasinghe, Administrative Secretary of the Ceylon Federation of Labour, and the Employer by Mr. S.

Jeganayagam, Proctor. On these dates the matters in dispute were discussed with a view to exploring the possibility of a settlement, and it was agreed to meet again on 13.3.73.

On 13.3.73 the parties agreed to the settlement of the dispute on the following terms:—

"Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir admits that he is the employer of the workmen referred to in this matter.

Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir agrees that Mr. Mohamed Kasim Abdul Haleem of Udair Lane, Puttalam, need not be treated as a party to this matter.

Accordingly, the following agreement is reached between the said All-Ceylon United Motor Workers' Union of No. 457, Union Place, Colombo 2, and Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir, Proprietor, Puttalam Transport, No. 7, Poles Road, Puttalam:—

Issue No. 1.

The Union does not wish to pursue the cases of the following fifteen workers and hence there is no dispute in respect of them:—

1. N. L. M. Ismail—No. 1.
2. M. S. A. Aseez—No. 2
3. W. T. Marshall Appuhamy—No. 3.
4. W. A. David—No. 6.
5. R. P. A. Ramond—No. 7.
6. B. J. Perera—No. 8.
7. M. L. Abdul Saleem—No. 13.
8. P. A. Lee Perera—No. 14.
9. M. I. Mohamed Salib—No. 17.
10. M. L. Lafeer—No. 19.
11. K. Nadarajah—No. 22.
12. N. Rahim—No. 23.
13. T. M. I. Hamsa—No. 24.
14. A. L. Richard—No. 25.
15. I. M. Haniffa—No. 27.

With regard to the balance twelve workers whose names are given below, the said Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir agrees to pay, in settlement of this dispute, each of the employees the sums stated hereinbelow against their respective names in respect of the period 1.12.71 to 24.3.72;

	Rs.	c.
S. William, No. 4	207	0
E. Ibunu, No. 5	207	0
S. M. S. Noordeen, No. 9	207	0
M. N. Ali Cader, No. 10	209	79
S. M. M. Hussain, No. 11	232	11
N. K. L. D. Fernando, No. 12	207	0
W. A. M. Jayatillake, No. 19	239	07
R. P. A. Patrick, No. 16	183	0
M. S. Abdeen, No. 18	183	0
N. Rahumathulla, No. 21	235	12
D. Wilfred Mendis, No. 26	180	0
P. Gopal, No. 20	183	0
	<b>2,473</b>	<b>09</b>

Issue No. 2.

(a) The said Union agrees that the services of the four casual workers, namely I. M. I. Ameer, H. M. Gamini, T. A. Careem and H. A. Shafeen, shall stand terminated as from 30th October, 1972, and hence no dispute exists in respect of these four employees.

(b) The said Union agrees that the services of the following ten workers shall stand terminated and the said Mr. Asenkudhoos Abdul Basir agrees to pay each of the said ten workers the sums stated hereinbelow against their respective names in full and final settlement of all their claims in respect of their employment including the subject matter of letter No. TE. 133/72 dated 18th October, 1972, addressed to the employer by the Commissioner of Labour other than statutory matters :

	Rs.	c.
W. A. M. Jayatilleke .. .. .	956	28
N. K. L. D. Fernando .. .. .	828	0
E. Ibunu .. .. .	1,518	0
M. N. Ali Cader .. .. .	979	02
S. William .. .. .	1,104	0
S. M. M. Hussain .. .. .	1,856	88
S. M. S. Noordeen .. .. .	966	0
N. S. Abdeen .. .. .	854	0
R. P. A. Patrick .. .. .	1,098	0
N. Rahumathulla .. .. .	1,018	88
	11,179	06

The total amount payable in terms of this Agreement, i.e. Rs. 13,652.15, will be paid in four equal instalments. The first instalment will be paid to the workers in the presence of the Arbitrator on the 15th of March, 1973, at 2.00 p.m.

The balance three instalments will be deposited with the Commissioner of Labour on or before the respective dates given below :

Second instalment on or before 15th April, 1973,  
Third instalment on or before 15th May, 1973,  
Fourth instalment on or before 15th June, 1973,

and the workers concerned will be entitled to draw the amounts due to them after each instalment has been so deposited."

I consider the above settlement fair and equitable and make award accordingly.

First instalment payable in terms of the above settlement was paid in my presence on 15th March, 1973. It was agreed that the second, third and fourth instalments would be deposited with the Commissioner of Labour on the dates specified in the agreement, but the Employer had failed to honour that part of the agreement. It was subsequently brought to my notice by the Union that the Employer had not deposited the moneys with the Commissioner of Labour as agreed. I had, therefore, to summon both parties for further discussions and the three instalments were paid to the workers concerned in two instalments—one on 30th May, 1973 and other on 27th July, 1973, respectively.

M. MATHIAPARANAM,  
Arbitrator.

Colombo, 5th September, 1973.

9-719—Gazette No. 79 of 73.09.28

My No. C/I. 54.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to me by the arbitrator to whom the Industrial Dispute which has arisen between Ceylon Mercantile Union, 22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street, Colombo 1 and Brodie & Company Ltd., 19, Upper Chatham Street, Colombo 1, was referred by Order dated 10th May, 1973 made under section 4(1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 as amended and published in the *Gazette of Republic of Sri Lanka* No. 62 of June 01, 1973, for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of Section 18(1) of the said Act.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour,  
Department of Labour,  
Labour Secretariat, Colombo 5, 15th September, 1973.

No. A. 1,246

In the matter of an Industrial Dispute  
between

the Ceylon Mercantile Union, 22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street,  
Colombo 1,

and

Messrs. Brodie & Co. Ltd., No. 19, Upper Chatham Street,  
Colombo 1.

Award

THE Honourable the Minister of Labour, by virtue of the powers vested in him 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 the Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act No. 37 of 1968) has by his Order dated 10th May, 1973 appointed me to be the Arbitrator and referred to me the aforesaid dispute for settlement by arbitration.

The matter in dispute as set out in terms of Section 16 of the aforesaid Act by the Commissioner of Labour in his statement dated 4th May, 1973, is "whether the claim made by the Ceylon Mercantile Union, on behalf of its members who are employed as drivers by Brodie & Co. Ltd., that they be paid arrears of the difference in the wages paid to them and to the drivers employed by Ceylon Brewery Ltd., from March 1, 1966, (on which date the Companies amalgamated) to January 1, 1968, (from which date they were paid wages on the same basis as paid to the drivers of Ceylon Brewery Ltd.), is justified and to what relief each of them is entitled."

The parties appeared before me on 13th, 19th and 27th June, 1973, the Union being represented by Mr. C. Motilal Nehru,

Advocate, instructed by Mr. S. Sivadasan, Proctor, and the employer by Mr. S. M. Fernando, Assistant Secretary, Employers' Federation of Ceylon. On these three dates the matter in dispute was discussed with a view to exploring the possibility of a settlement. It was agreed to meet again on 30th June, 1973.

On the 30th June, the parties to the dispute agreed to the settlement of the dispute on the following terms:

"Both parties agree that the workmen involved in the dispute which was referred for settlement by arbitration by the Honourable Minister's Order dated 10th May, 1973, are—

Mr. R. Kunjhimon, and

Mr. L. Guneratne.

Messrs. Brodie & Co. Ltd., agree to pay to each of the aforesaid workers the amounts mentioned below against their respective names, being the difference between the Dearness Allowance actually paid by Messrs. Brodie & Co. Ltd., and the Dearness Allowance calculated at the rate paid to the drivers at Messrs. Ceylon Brewery Ltd., during the period 1st March, 1966, to 31st December, 1967;

Mr. R. Kunjhimon...Rs. 1,012.78

Mr. L. Guneratne...Rs. 946.76

This offer of payment is in full settlement of the claims made by the Union on behalf of these two workers, and without any prejudice to the position of the Management that Brodie & Co. Ltd., and Ceylon Brewery Ltd. have never been amalgamated.

Mr. C. Motilal Nehru, on behalf of the Ceylon Mercantile Union and the aforesaid workers accept this offer in full settlement of their claims for arrears of wages for the period 1st March, 1966, to 31st December, 1967.

It is further agreed that the payments to Mr. R. Kunjhimon and Mr. L. Guneratne will be paid in the presence of the Arbitrator on the 30th of June, 1973.

I consider the above settlement fair and equitable and make award accordingly.

The two workmen referred to in this settlement were paid the sums indicated against their respective names therein on the 30th June, 1973, in my presence.

M. MATHIAPARANAM,  
Arbitrator.

Colombo, 4th September, 1973.

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My No. C/I. 1190.

THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, CHAPTER 131

THE Award transmitted to me by the arbitrator to whom the industrial dispute which had arisen between United Port Workers' Union, 110, Delft Canal Road, Fort, Colombo 11; and Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake, 31, Benjean Road, Kotahena, Colombo 13, was referred by order dated 28th December, 1973, made under section 4 (1) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 as amended and published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka* No. 42 of 12th January, 1973, for settlement by arbitration is hereby published in terms of section 18 (1) of the said Act.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

Department of Labour,  
Labour Secretariat,  
Colombo 5, 14th September, 1973.

No. A. 1209

In the matter of an industrial dispute  
between

The United Port Workers' Union, No. 110, Delft Canal Road,  
Port, Colombo 11,

and

Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake, No. 31, Benjean Road, Kotahena,  
Colombo 13

Award

The Honourable the Minister of Labour, by virtue of the powers vested in him 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 the Industrial Disputes (Special Provisions) Act, No. 37 of 1968) has, by his Order dated 28th December, 1972, appointed me to be the arbitrator and referred to me the aforesaid dispute for settlement by arbitration.

The matter in dispute as set out in terms of section 16 of the aforesaid Act by the acting Commissioner of Labour in his statement dated 16th December, 1972, is "as to what compensation and/or gratuity is each of the following workers entitled to in respect of the services rendered by them to Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake:—

1. D. A. Saimon
2. T. Noor
3. K. M. D. Perera
4. P. Iralanch
5. P. Rajendram
6. P. Perumal
7. S. Joseph
8. T. H. Suwaris Appuhamy
9. H. D. Somipala
10. K. B. Perera
11. A. S. Jayasinghe
12. A. Romiel
13. H. W. Daniyel."

The parties were summoned to appear before me for inquiry on 29.1.73, 9.2.73, 22.3.73 and 10.4.73, and on these dates the Union's representatives, Mr. Irwin Perera, President, and/or its Administrative Secretary, Mr. H. P. Elaris, were present, but neither Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake nor his representative was present.

A directive had therefore to be served on Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake under section 36 (1) (aa) of the Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition), as amended requiring him to be present at the inquiry. Accordingly, on 10th May, 1973, Mr. Ratnayake appeared before me with his Proctor, Mr. F. N. Dias Abey-singhe. The union was represented by its President, Mr. Irwin Perera.

At the inquiry on 10.5.73, the matter in dispute was discussed at length with a view to exploring the possibility of a statement, and it was agreed to meet again on 21.5.73.

On the 21st of May, the parties agreed to the settlement of the dispute on the following terms:—

(1) Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake agrees to pay as gratuity and/or compensation to each of the thirteen workers referred to in the statement of the Acting Commissioner of Labour dated 16th December, 1972, and whose names are given below, the sums stated against their respective names in respect of their employment under the said Mr. J. M. P. Ratnayake:

	Rs.	c.
1. D. A. Saimon	...	350 0
2. T. Noor	...	450 0
3. K. M. D. Perera	...	450 0
4. P. Iralanch	...	450 0
5. P. Rajendram	...	450 0
6. P. Perumal	...	450 0
7. S. Joseph	...	350 0
8. T. H. Suwaris Appuhamy	...	350 0
9. H. D. Somipala	...	350 0
10. K. B. Perera	...	250 0
11. S. Jayasinghe	...	450 0
12. A. Romiel	...	350 0
13. H. W. Daniyel	...	350 0
		5,150 0

(2) The total amount payable in terms of this agreement is Rs. 5,150. This sum will be paid in two equal instalments. The first instalment will be paid to the aforesaid workers in the presence of the arbitrator on the 51st of May, 1973, at 2 p.m. at the 9th Floor of the Labour Secretariat, Narahenpita, Colombo 5. The second instalment will be paid to them, again in the presence of the Arbitrator, on the 30th of July, 1973, at 2 p.m. at the same place.

(3) Mr. Irwin Perera, President of the United Port Workers' Union, accepts this offer on behalf of the above-mentioned workers in full settlement of their claims regarding compensation and/or gratuity."

I consider the above settlement fair and equitable and make award accordingly.

The payments due in terms of the above settlement were made in my presence on 31.5.73 and 30.7.73 respectively.

M. MATHIAPARANAM,  
Arbitrator.

Colombo, 4th September, 1973.

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My No. C/I 219.

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

WHEREAS an industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this Order exists between Ceylon Mercantile Union, 22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street, Colombo and Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., State Bank of India Building, P. O. Box 1363, Baillie Street, Colombo 1:

Now, therefore, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardena, Minister of Labour, do, by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 (2) 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 refer the aforesaid dispute for settlement to an Industrial Court which shall be constituted in accordance with the provisions of section 22 of that Act.

M. P. DE Z. SIRIWARDENA,  
Minister of Labour.

Colombo, 18th September, 1973.

The Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments, Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition)

In the matter of an Industrial Dispute between  
Ceylon Mercantile Union, 22 1/1, Upper Chatham Street,  
Colombo 1

and

Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., State Bank of India Building, P. O.  
Box 1363, Baillie Street, Colombo 1.

STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE

The matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties is whether the demand made by the Ceylon Mercantile Union that its members employed by Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., at the Nattandiya and Ratmalana Factories be paid non-recurring cost of living gratuities on the basis set out in clause 17 (1) of Collective Agreement No. 3 of 1971, with effect from 1st February, 1972, is justified and to what relief they are entitled.

Dated at the Office of the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo. This 14th day of September, 1973.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

9-873—Gazette No. 79 of 73.09.28

My No. C/I 219.

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

WHEREAS an industrial dispute in respect of the matter specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this Order exists between United Corporations and Mercantile Union, 53, Jayantha Weerasekera Mawatha, Colombo 10 and Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., State Bank of India Building, P. O. Box 1368, Baillie Street, Colombo.

Now, therefore, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardena, Minister of Labour, do, by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 (2) 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 refer the aforesaid dispute for settlement to an Industrial Court which shall be constituted in accordance with the provisions of section 22 of that Act.

M. P. DE Z. SIRIWARDENA,  
Minister of Labour.

Colombo, 18th September, 1973.

The Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments, Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition)

In the matter of an Industrial Dispute between  
United Corporations and Mercantile Union, 53, Jayantha  
Weerasekera Mawatha, Colombo 10.

and

Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., State Bank of India Building, P. O.  
Box 1368, Colombo 1.

STATEMENT OF MATTER IN DISPUTE

The matter in dispute between the aforesaid parties is whether the demand made by the United Corporations and Mercantile Union that its members employed by the Ceylon Glass Co. Ltd., at the Nattandiya Factory be paid non-recurring cost of living gratuity on the basis set out in clause 17 (1) of Collective Agreement No. 3 of 1971, with effect from 1st February, 1972, is justified and to what relief they are entitled.

Dated at the Office of the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo.  
This 14th day of September, 1973.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

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My No. C/I 795.

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

WHEREAS an industrial dispute in respect of the matters specified in the statement of the Commissioner of Labour which accompanies this Order exists between Ceylon Engineering Workers Union, 71, Malay Street, Colombo 2 and Messrs. Maurice Roche Limited, P. O. Box 61, Colombo:

Now, therefore, I, Michael Paul de Zoysa Siriwardena, Minister of Labour, do by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 (2) 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 refer the aforesaid dispute for settlement to an Industrial Court which shall be constituted in accordance with the provisions of section 22 of that Act.

M. P. DE Z. SIRIWARDENA,  
Minister of Labour.

Colombo, 15th September, 1973.

The Industrial Disputes Act, Chapter 131 of the Legislative Enactments, Ceylon (1956 Revised Edition)

In the Matter of an Industrial Dispute between  
Ceylon Engineering Workers Union, 71, Malay Street, Colombo 2.  
and

Messrs. Maurice Roche Limited, P. O. Box 61, Colombo.

STATEMENT OF MATTERS IN DISPUTE

The matters in dispute between the aforesaid parties are:

- (1) Whether the demand of the said Ceylon Engineering Workers Union for the revision of the salaries of its members employed at Messrs. Maurice Roche Limited is justified, and
- (2) if so,—
  - (i) What should be the revised scales of salaries,
  - (ii) From what date should such scales of salaries be applied, and
  - (iii) On what points in such scales should each member of the Union be placed.

Dated at the Office of the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo.  
This 3rd day of August, 1973.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Commissioner of Labour.

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THE TRUST RECEIPTS ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 5(1)(a) of the Trust Receipts Ordinance (Chapter 86), I, Ivan Samarawickrama, Director of Commerce, do by this notification declare each of the institutions specified in the Schedule here to be an approved credit agency for the purposes of that Act.

Colombo, September 13, 1973.

IVAN SAMARAWICKRAMA,  
Director of Commerce.

SCHEDULE

1. Alawwa Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
2. Atakalan Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
3. Akuressa Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
4. Aranayake Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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25. Chankanai Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
26. Dickwella Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
27. Devalgama Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
28. Deegalla Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
29. Dambadeniya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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35. Gampaha Siyapattuwa Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
36. Galagedera Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
37. Gomarankandewela Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
38. Galoya Mitiyawatha (Medapalata) Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
39. Hanguranfeta Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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54. Kamburupitiya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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56. Kattaiyeli Nelliady Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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71. Laggala Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
72. Mawathagama Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
73. Mahawa Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
74. Matawa Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
75. Mantai West Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
76. Mantai North Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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80. Matale Pallesiya and Udasiya North Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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86. Nikeweretiya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
87. Nivitigala Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
88. Nuwara Eliya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
89. Nanattan Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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91. Nilaveli Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
92. Otarapalatha Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
93. Polgahawela Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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108. Panikattimurippu Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
109. Paiyagala Maggonabadda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
110. Rambodagalla Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
111. Ratnapura Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
112. Ramboda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
113. Rambukkana Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
114. Ragala Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
115. Ruwanwella Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
116. Rikillagaskada Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
117. Rattota Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
118. Raigama Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
119. Raigam udugahapattu Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
120. Sathkoralala Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
121. Thenmaradchey East Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
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130. Tissamaharama Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
131. Uduppiddy Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
132. Vavunikulam Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
133. Vali East (ND) Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
134. Velanai Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
135. Valli East Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
136. Vavuniya South Tamil Division Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
137. Vavuniya North Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
138. Weligama Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
139. Warakapola Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
140. Wagapanaha Gangalasiya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
141. Weeragoda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
142. Wadduwa Waskadubadda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
143. Weeraketiya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
144. Yatiyantota Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
145. Yatakalanpattu Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.
146. Yatalamatta Nagoda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.

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### THE MORTGAGE ACT

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 3 (c) of the Mortgage Act (Chapter 89) and on the recommendation of the Board made under section 114 (2) of the said Act, I, Ivan Samarawickrama, Director of Commerce do by this notification declare each of the institutions specified in the Schedule hereto to be an approved credit agency for the purposes of that Act.

IVAN SAMARAWICKRAMA,  
Director of Commerce.

Colombo, 13th September, 1973.

#### Schedule

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| 31. Eheliyagoda Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.                        | 85. Mungwatte West Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.                 |
| 32. Eppawela Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.                           | 86. Nikeweretiya Multipurpose Co-operative Society Ltd.                   |
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### THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE

#### Notification

IN accordance with the provisions of section 28 of the Wages Boards Ordinance (Chapter 136), the Wages Board for the Coir Mattress and Bristle Fibre Export Trade hereby notifies that the Board by virtue of the powers vested in it by section 30 of the aforesaid Ordinance proposes to vary, in the manner set out in the Schedule hereto, such decisions of the Board as are specified in that Schedule.

Objections to the aforesaid proposal will be received by the Chairman of the Board until 12 noon on October 16, 1973.

Every such objection must be made in writing and must contain a statement of the grounds upon which such objection is taken.

W. L. P. DE MEL,  
Chairman,

Wages Board for the Coir Mattress  
and Bristle Fibre Export Trade.

Colombo, 18th September, 1973.

#### SCHEDULE

The decisions made by the Wages Board for the Coir Mattress and Bristle Fibre Export Trade and set out in the Schedule to the notification published in *Gazette* No. 13,197 of June 29th

1962, as varied from time to time shall be further varied in Part VI of that Schedule, under the heading "Public Holidays" by the substitution for paragraph 9 (a) thereof, of the following new paragraph:—

#### "PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

9. (a) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph and of paragraph 10, every employer shall allow as holidays with remuneration to all workers employed by him, the following public holidays within the meaning of the Holidays Act No. 29 of 1971:—

- (1) The Tamil Thai Pongal Day;
- (2) The day immediately prior to the Sinhala and Tamil New Year's Day;
- (3) The Sinhala and Tamil New year's Day;
- (4) May Day (May 1);
- (5) The day immediately succeeding the Full Moon day of the Sinhala month of Vesak;
- (6) Republic Day (May 22);
- (7) Miland-un-Nabi (Holy Prophet's Birthday);
- (8) Bandaranaike Commemoration Day (September 26); and
- (9) Christmas Day."

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### Price Orders

Food Price Order No. KD 150.

#### SUBSIDIARY FOODSTUFFS

#### CONTROL OF PRICES ACT

#### Order

BY virtue of powers vested in me by section 4, read with section 3 (2) of the Control of Prices Act (Chapter 173), I, Muthu Bandara Ranasinghe, Assistant Controller of Prices for Kandy District and Uda Hewaheta Divisional Revenue Officers Division of Nuwara Eliya District, do by this Order—

- (i) revoke with immediate effect the Food Price Order No. KD 145 dated 28th December, 1972; and published in *The Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon) Extraordinary* No. 43/2 dated 20th January, 1973;
- (ii) fix with immediate effect the prices for the time being fixed under the Control of Prices Act (Chapter 173), as the wholesale dealer's maximum wholesale price per hundredweight gross and retail dealers maximum retail price per pound nett for the Colombo Municipality increased by the amounts in columns 2 and 3 of the First Schedule hereto, to be respectively the maximum wholesale price per hundredweight gross and the maximum retail price per pound nett above which the articles specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the First Schedule hereto, shall not be sold within the Kandy Municipal area, the Gangawate Korale and the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Uduuwara and the Divisional Assistant Government Agent's Division of Yatinuwara in the Administrative District of Kandy;
- (iii) fix with immediate effect the prices for the time being fixed under the Control of Prices Act (Chapter 173), as the wholesale dealer's maximum wholesale price per hundredweight gross and the retail dealer's maximum retail price per pound nett for the Colombo municipality increased by the amounts specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Second Schedule hereto, to be respectively the maximum wholesale price per hundredweight gross and the maximum retail price per pound nett above which the articles specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the Second Schedule hereto, shall not be sold within the Divisional Assistant Government Agent's Division of Patha Hewaheta and Divisional Revenue Officers' Divisions of Patha Dumbara, Meda Dumbara, Harispattuwa, Tumpane and Uda Palatha in the Administrative District of Kandy;
- (iv) fix with immediate effect the prices for the time being fixed under the Control of Prices Act (Chapter 173), as the wholesale dealer's maximum wholesale Price per hundredweight gross and the retail dealer's maximum retail price per pound nett for the Colombo municipality increased by the amounts specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Third Schedule hereto, to be respectively the maximum wholesale price per hundredweight gross and the maximum retail price per pound nett above which the articles specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the Third Schedule shall not be sold within the Divisional Revenue Officers' Divisions of Uda Dumbara, Minipe, Pasbage Korale and Ambagamuwa Korale in the Administrative District of Kandy and the Divisional Revenue Officers' Division of Uda Hewaheta in the Administrative District of Nuwara Eliya;
- (v) direct that for the purpose of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of any article specified in column 1 of the Schedules for the purposes of resale, or any sale of an article specified in column 1 of the Schedules in a quantity of one hundredweight gross or more at a time shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity of any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule, less than one hundredweight gross for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail;

- (vi) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order, no person shall sell any article specified in column 1 hereto which is adulterated with any other article;
- (vii) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by the Order, every trader, who has any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto in his possession or under his control at any place or in any vehicle shall exhibit conspicuously at that place or on that vehicle a quantity of such article in a suitable container, with the maximum prices for such article fixed by this Order display in figures not less than one inch in height on price tags or boards attached to such container in such a manner that the article and the maximum prices could be clearly seen by any customer;
- (viii) direct that for the purpose of this Order "pound" or "lb" shall be deemed to be the standard pound avoirdupois weight;
- (ix) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order, every person, who sells any article specified in column 1 of the Schedules by wholesale shall, and every person who sells any articles by retail shall, on demand, give the purchaser thereof a receipt in which there shall be set out—
- (a) the date of the sale;
  - (b) the quantity of such article sold by (weight);
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity sold; and
  - (d) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail;
- (x) direct that when any article specified in column 1 of the Schedules is sold, the maximum prices referred to in Columns 2 and 3 of the Schedules shall include the price of the wrapper or container, if any, in which such article is sold.

M. B. RANASINGHE,  
Assistant Controller of Prices, Kandy District  
and Uda Hewaheta D. R. O's Division of  
Nuwara Eliya District.

Signed at Kandy Kachcheri at 12 noon on the 07 August, 1973.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE

AREA : KANDY MUNICIPAL AREA, THE GANGAWATA KORALE AND THE DIVISIONAL REVENUE OFFICER'S DIVISION OF UDUNUWARA AND DIVISIONAL ASSISTANT GOVERNMENT AGENT'S DIVISION OF YATINUWARA IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT OF KANDY

Column 1 Description of Article	Column 2 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Gross	Column 3 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Retail Price per Pound nett
	Rs. c	Rs. c.
Chick Peas .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Gram Dhall .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Orid Dhall/Oorid Split .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Orid (whole) .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Toor Dhall .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Yellow Gram .. .. .	3 0	0 03
Corriander .. .. .	3 0	0 03

#### SECOND SCHEDULE

AREA : THE DIVISIONAL ASSISTANT GOVERNMENT AGENT'S DIVISION OF PATHA HEWAHETA AND THE DIVISIONAL REVENUE OFFICER'S DIVISIONS OF PATHA DUMBARA, MEDA DUMBARA, HARISPATTUWA, TUMPANE AND UDA PALATHA IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT OF KANDY (EXCLUDING THE AREAS NOW FALLING UNDER KANDY MUNICIPALITY)

Column 1 Description of Article	Column 2 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Gross	Column 3 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Retail Price per Pound nett
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Chick Peas .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Gram Dhall .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Orid Dhall/Oorid Split .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Orid (whole) .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Toor Dhall .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Yellow Gram .. .. .	3 20	0 04
Corriander .. .. .	3 20	0 04

#### THIRD SCHEDULE

AREA : THE DIVISIONAL REVENUE OFFICER'S DIVISIONS OF UDA DUMBARA, MINIPE, PASBAGE KORALE AND AMBAGAMUWA KORALE IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT OF KANDY AND THE DIVISIONAL REVENUE OFFICER'S DIVISION OF UDA HEWAHETA IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT OF NUWARA ELIYA

Column 1 Description of Articles	Column 2 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Gross	Column 3 Increase over the Colombo Municipality Maximum Retail Price per Pound nett
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Chick Peas .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Gram Dhall .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Orid Dhall/Oorid Split .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Orid (whole) .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Toor Dhall .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Yellow Gram .. .. .	3 40	0 04
Corriander .. .. .	3 40	0 04

These prices do not constitute the fixed prices at which the above must be sold. They are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales should not take place.

### Miscellaneous Departmental Notices

#### COMPANIES ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 145)

Notice under Section 277 (5) to Strike Off Raymond  
Vaz & Company Limited

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that Raymond Vaz & Company Limited, a company incorporated on 31.10.1968, under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 145), is not carrying on business or in operation:—

And whereas notice dated 11th June, 1973, was published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka*, No. 65 of 73.06.22, that the name of Raymond Vaz & Company Limited, would at the expiration of three months from that date, be struck off the register unless cause was shown to the contrary.

And whereas Raymond Vaz & Company Limited has not shown cause to the contrary within the period of three months aforesaid:

Now therefore, I, Ruwanpura Lickmond de Silva, Registrar of Companies, acting under section 277 (5) of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 145) do by this notice declare that Raymond Vaz & Company Limited, was this day struck off the register of Companies and the said Company is dissolved.

R. L. DE SILVA,  
Registrar of Companies.

Department of the Registrar of Companies,  
Colombo, 1, 14th September, 1973.

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#### COMPANIES ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 145)

Notice under Section 277 (5) to Strike Off Colombo  
Cycle Company Limited

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that Colombo Cycle Company Limited, a company incorporated on 31st October, 1968, under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 145), is not carrying on business or in operation:—

And whereas notice dated 11th June, 1973, was published in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka* No. 66 of 73.06.29, that the name of Colombo Cycle Company Limited, would at the expiration of three months from that date, be struck off the register unless cause was shown to the contrary:

And whereas Colombo Cycle Company Limited has not shown cause to the contrary within the period of three months aforesaid:

Now therefore I, Ruwanpura Lickmon De Silva, Registrar of Companies, acting under section 277 (5) of the Companies Ordinance (Chapter 145) do by this notice declare that Colombo Cycle Company Limited, was this day struck off the register of Companies and the said Company is dissolved.

R. L. DE SILVA,  
Registrar of Companies.

Department of the Registrar of Companies,  
Colombo 1, 14th September, 1973.

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#### THE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, NO. 35 OF 1970

Order under Section 2 (1)

By virtue of the powers vested in me by section 2 (1) of the Co-operative Societies (Special Provisions) Act, No. 35 of 1970, I, Rajaguru Bandara Rajaguru, Commissioner of Co-operative Development and Register of Co-operative Societies, do by this order amalgamate the societies (referred to as "Amalgamating Societies") specified in the First Schedule hereto with the society (referred to as the "Principal Society") specified in the Second Schedule hereto, with effect from 25.09.1973.

R. B. RAJAGURU,  
Commissioner of Co-operative  
Development and Register of  
Co-operative Societies.

Colombo, September 19th, 1973.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE

##### AMALGAMATING SOCIETIES

Name of Society	Registered No.	Date of Registration
1. Oddamavadi Hameediya Fishermen's Co-operative Credit and Sales Society Unlimited	BC 43	10.12.1959
2. Valaichensai Muslim ward 4 Fishermen's Co-operative Credit and Sales society Unlimited	BC 59	25.09.1961
3. Morokottanchenai Sri Muthu mariamman Fishermen's Co-operative Credit and Sales society Unlimited	BC 41	10.11.1959
4. Mankerny Queen of Angels Co-operative Fishermen's Society Limited	Mada 138	20.09.1971
5. Vaharai Fishermen's Co-operative Credit and Sales Society Unlimited	BC 90	08.08.1963

#### SECOND SCHEDULE

##### PRINCIPAL SOCIETY

1. Koralaipattu Fishermen's Co-operative Society Limited	Mada 142	17.02.1972
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### IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PUBLICATION OF GAZETTE

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	Friday	30.11.73 .. 12 Noon Friday .. 23.11.73
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	Friday	14.12.73 .. 12 Noon Friday .. 7.12.73
	Friday	21.12.73 .. 12 Noon Friday .. 14.12.73
	Friday	28.12.73 .. 12 Noon Friday .. 21.12.73

L. W. P. PEIRIS,  
Government Printer.

Department of Government Printing,  
Colombo, August 18, 1972.