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### Government Notifications

#### PROVINCIAL COUNCILS ELECTIONS ACT, No. 2 OF 1988

##### Filling of a Vacancy in the Eastern Province Provincial Council

WHEREAS the Secretary of the Eastern Province Provincial Council has informed me under Section 65(1) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988 that a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the Eastern Province Provincial Council by reason of being elected as a member of the Parliament.

And whereas the Secretary of the United National Party, the recognized political party to which the member belonged was required by me under Section 65(2) of the aforesaid Act, to nominate an eligible person to fill such vacancy ;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has nominated Mr. Mohamed Hanifa Sehu Ismail to fill such vacancy ;

I, Dayananda Dissanayake, Commissioner of Elections, acting in terms of Section 65(2) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988, do hereby declare Mr. Mohamed Hanifa Sehu Ismail, elected as a member of the above Provincial Council from the Administrative District of Batticaloa in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

DAYANANDA DISSANAYAKE,  
Commissioner of Elections.

Elections Secretariat,  
Rajagiriya,  
25th May, 2010.

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