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PART IV (A) — PROVINCIAL COUNCILS

Provincial Councils Notifications

SOUTHERN PROVINCE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

Notification

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 277 OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCILS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 252) READ WITH SECTION 2 (1) AND SECTION 4 OF THE POWERS OF SUPERVISION OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES STATUTE NO. 04 OF 1990 AND SECTION 2 OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCILS (ANCILLARY PROVISIONS) ACT, NO. 12 OF 1989.

I, Shan Wijayalal de Silva, the Minister in Charge of the subjects of Finance and Planning, Law and Order, Transport, Water Supply and Drainage, Electricity, Engineering Services, Health and Indigenous Medicine and Local Government of the Southern Province Provincial Council, acting under the powers vested in me in terms of Section 277 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252) read with Section 2(2) of the Powers of Supervision of the Administration of Local Government Authorities Statute No. 4 of 1990 of the Southern Province Provincial Council and Section 2 of the Provincial Councils (Ancillary Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 1989, did cause an inquiry to be held by a retired judicial officer appointed by me to inquire into and find out whether Mr. **A. A. Methsiri Alexander de Silva**, the Mayor of Galle Municipal Council had, in the performance of his functions as the Mayor of Galle Municipal Council committed any acts of offence falling under Section 277 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252) and section 2(1) of the Powers of Supervision of the Administration of Local Government Authorities Statute No. 4 of 1990 of the Southern Province Provincial Council. On the basis of the findings of the said inquiry I am satisfied that the said Mr. **A. A. Methsiri Alexander de Silva**, the Mayor of the said Galle Municipal Council had committed such offences falling under Section 277 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252) and Section 2(1) of the Powers of Supervision of the Administration of Local Government Authorities Statute No. 4 of 1990 of the Southern Province Provincial Council. As such in terms of Section 277 (i) (1) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252) read with Section 2(1) of the Powers of Supervision of the Administration of Local Government Authorities Statute No. 4 of 1990 of the Southern Province Provincial Council and Section 2 of the Provincial Councils (Ancillary Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 1989, I remove Mr. **A. A. Methsiri Alexander de Silva**, the Mayor of Galle Municipal Council from the Office of Mayor and membership of the Galle Municipal Council.

SHAN WIJAYALAL DE SILVA,
Minister of Finance and Planning,
Law and Order, Transport, Water Supply and Drainage,
Electricity, Engineering Services, Health and Indigenous Medicine
and Local Government of the Southern Province.

17th January 2013.

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