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**PART IV (B) — LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance**

**FILLING OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE KUCHCHAVELI PRADESHIYA  
SABHA UNDER SECTION 66A(1) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE  
(CHAPTER 262)**

WHEREAS the office of return member of Kuchchaveli Pradeshiya Sabha has fallen vacant by reason of Resignation;

And whereas the Secretary of the Ahila Ilankai Tamil Congress, the recognized political party to which Soosaipillai Mohanathas the member belonged was required by me under Section 66A(1) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon returned member of Kuchchaveli Pradeshiya Sabha who belongs to such party and is not disqualified under Section 9 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) and who shall be declared selected as a member within a period of thirty (30) days ;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has communicated his decision to nominate Ponnaiah Vaiththilingam to fill such vacancy ;

I, Sangarapillai Suthakaran, Returning Officer of the Kuchchaveli Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare Ponnaiah Vaiththilingam was selected as the member of the Kuchchaveli Pradeshiya Sabha.

**S. SUTHAKARAN,**  
Returning Officer,  
Kuchchaveli Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Election Office,  
Trincomalee,  
17th November, 2021.

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