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PART I: SECTION (I) – GENERAL

Government Notifications

THE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 & 4 of the Societies Ordinance (Chapter 123), 1, Wasantha Samarasinghe Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security and Cooperative Development do by this notification;

- 1) Authorize the registration of the society namely, TAHOMA ORGANIC GROWERS' ASSOCIATION of No.454, Metiyakgama, Karambe, Maho to carry out the following purposes under Section 3(b) of the Societies Ordinance No. 16 of 1891:
 - i. To organize individuals engaged in cultivation using organic farming methods, to sell those products through any company, and to improve the living standards of members through the benefits, allowances, and other assistance received from such production, while acting in accordance with the standards relevant to obtaining such benefits, funds, and other aid.
 - ii. To identify the needs of members who cultivate fruits, coconuts, and spices organically, as well as those in the conversion period to become organic farmers, and to implement projects to fulfill those needs.
 - iii. To properly manage the benefits and allowances in order to achieve the objectives of the association.
 - iv. To plan and implement activities aimed at collectively improving the living standards of the association's members and their family members.



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2) Exempt the application of the provisions of Section 5(4) of the Societies Ordinance to the aforesaid Society.

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THE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE.

By virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 & 4 of the Societies Ordinance (Chapter 123), 1, Wasantha Samarasinghe Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security and Cooperative Development do by this notification;

- 1) Authorize the registration of the society namely, BIKERHOLICS MOTORCYCLE CLUB of No. 716/3, KULASEWANA MAWATHA, KOTTAWA, PANNIPITIYA to carry out the purposes under Section 3(b) of the Societies Ordinance No. 16 of 1891.
 - i. Promote brotherhood, social services with a special focus assisting on educational needs and infrastructure in rural areas of the country, love of nature, charity work, road discipline and respect.
 - ii. Endeavor to create awareness within the biker community on road disciplines and good riding practices that ensure safety for all those who travel on roads.
 - iii. Encourage new members and promotes brotherhood among fellow motorcycle enthusiasts to foster a friendly and sociable environment.
- 2) Exempt the application of the provisions of Section 5(4) of the Societies Ordinance to the aforesaid Society.

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THE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 & 4 of the Societies Ordinance (Chapter 123), 1, Wasantha Samarasinghe Minister of Trade, Commerce, Food Security and Cooperative Development do by this notification;

1) Authorize the registration of the society namely, DIFFERENTLY ABLED SOCIETY PUNGUDUTIVU of KURIKADDUVAN ROAD, 9TH DIVISION, PUNGUDUTIVU to carry out the following purposes under Section 3(b) of the Societies Ordinance No. 16 of 1891.

- i. **Recognition and Preservation:** Uphold the legacy and honor the contributions of those instrumental in founding the organization, ensuring their names and legacies endure.
- ii. **Empowerment:** Enhance the lives of differently abled individuals by providing them with essential amenities and empowering resources.
- iii. **Education and Skill Development:** Enable learning through tailored programs for differently abled individuals
- iv. **Employment Opportunities:** Create pathways to meaningful employment, fostering economic independence and purpose within the differently abled community.
- v. **Emergency Response:** Provide swift and comprehensive assistance during crises and natural disasters, ensuring the safety and well-being of all members.
- vi. **Family Assistance:** Extend support to families navigating the challenges and triumphs alongside their differently abled loved ones, offering guidance and resources as needed.
- vii. **Inclusive Community Building:** Foster a society where differences are celebrated, promoting inclusivity and understanding through community engagement initiatives.
- viii. **Advocacy and Rights:** Champion the rights and dignity of differently abled individuals, advocating for inclusive policies and societal reforms.
- ix. **Awareness and Education:** Raise public awareness and dispel misconceptions surrounding disability, fostering empathy and understanding within society.
- x. **Collaborative Partnerships:** Forge partnerships with diverse stakeholders, leveraging collective expertise and resources to amplify impact and reach.
- xi. **Technological Innovation:** Harness the power of technology to develop innovative solutions that enhance accessibility and improve the quality of life for the differently abled.
- xii. **Health and Wellness:** Prioritize the physical and mental well-being of differently abled individuals, providing access to healthcare services and mental health support.
- xiii. **Cultural Enrichment:** Promote cultural diversity and artistic expression within the differently abled community, nurturing creativity and self-expression.

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- xiv. **Environmental Accessibility:** Advocate for the creation of barrier-free environments, ensuring that public spaces and infrastructure are accessible to all.
- xv. **Policy Influence:** Engage with policymakers and stakeholders to shape disability inclusive policies and enact systemic change that advances the rights and opportunities of the differently abled.

2) Exempt the application of the provisions of Section 5(4) of the Societies Ordinance to the aforesaid Society.

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