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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 GALENBINDUNUWEWA PRADESHIYA SABHA UNDER SECTION 66A(1)(a) OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 262)

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

And whereas the Secretary of the Jathika Jana Balawegaya, the recognized political party to which Somasirige Jayanath Sandanuwan Rajapaksha the member belonged, was required by me under Section 66A(1)(a) of the aforesaid Ordinance, to decide upon the member of that Ward Number 03 - Dutuwewa of Galenbindunuwewa 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 elected as a member within a period of thirty (30) days;

And whereas the Secretary of the aforesaid recognized political party has communicated the decision to nominate Brahmana Mudiyanseelage Dhanoja Kumari Thilakarathna to fill such vacancy;

Therefore I, Nuwara Pakshage Pivithuru Indika Raviraj Gunarathna, Returning Officer of the Galenbindunuwewa Pradeshiya Sabha, acting in terms of Section 66A(1)(a) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance (Chapter 262) do hereby declare that Brahmana Mudiyanseelage Dhanoja Kumari Thilakarathna was elected as the member of the Ward Number 03 - Dutuwewa of Galenbindunuwewa Pradeshiya Sabha.

N. P. I. R. GUNARATHNA,
Returning Officer,
Galenbindunuwewa Pradeshiya Sabha.

District Elections Office,
Anuradhapura,
19th of February, 2026.

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