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Department of Government Printing,
Colombo 08,
01st January, 2026.

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Provincial Councils Notifications

NORTHERN PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

Notice of Hon. Governor of Northern Province

1. An inquiry conducted under Section 277 (1A) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252), Ordinance No. 29 of 1947, read together with Section 02 of the Provincial Councils (Consequential Provisions) Act., No. 12 of 1989.
2. In the exercise of the powers vested in me, I, Nagalingam Vethanayagan, Governor of the Northern Province, under Section 277(1A) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252), Ordinance No. 29 of 1947, read together with Section 02 of the Provincial Councils (Consequential Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 1989, do hereby appoint Retired District Judge Kandaiah Ariyanayagam as the Individual Inquiry Board in terms of Section 277(1A)(b) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 252), to investigate, inspect, and inquire into the following matters/allegations and to submit his report within a period of two months.
 - 3 **matters or allegations to be inquired into**
 - I. Whether, in granting land owned by the Vavuniya Municipal Council, located in front of the Police Station, by lotting and allocating it to traders, there was an abuse of the powers vested by law by failing to obtain prior approval as required under Section 40(1)(f) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance.
 - II. Whether the powers vested by law were abused by granting land belonging to the Vavuniya Municipal Council, located in front of the Police Station, by lotting and allocating it to traders in contravention of the decisions of the Council.
 - III. Whether misconduct in duty was committed by granting land belonging to the Vavuniya Municipal Council, located in front of the Police Station, by lotting and allocating it to traders in violation of Government Procurement Procedures.
 - IV. Whether misconduct in duty was committed by granting land belonging to the Vavuniya Municipal Council, located in front of the Police Station, by lotting and allocating it to traders without entering into any written agreement setting out the terms and conditions and bearing the requisite signatures.
 - V. Whether misconduct in duty was committed by granting land belonging to the Vavuniya Municipal Council, located in front of the Police Station, by lotting and allocating it to traders without obtaining valuation from the Government Valuation Department and without recovering lease rent.
 - VI. Failure to implement the council decision regarding “Expenses on dredging work and reconstruction of the main canal located at Thirunavatkulam” amounts to a violation of the powers vested by Law.
 - VII. The repair and dredging work of the main canal at Thirunavatkulam was awarded to the Bandaravanniyan Community Centre, and an agreement was signed on 15th September, 2025. However, only the Mayor of the Municipal Council signed the agreement. This is contrary to the provisions of Section 227 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, as the Commissioner did not sign the agreement as required by law.

- VIII. Misconduct in duty was committed as the sand that was excavated was unloaded at several locations without assessing or recording the quantity as required by the sand assessment procedures.

NAGALINGAM VETHANAYAGAN,
Governor,
Northern Province.

Governor's Secretariat,
Old Park,
Chundikuli,
Jaffna.
31st December, 2025.

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Examinations, Results of Examinations, &c.

AMENDMENT

CENTRAL PROVINCIAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Extending the closing date of the applications for Recruitment for the posts of Technological Service (Civil) Grade III/One year Training Grade/Two Years Training Grade in Central Provincial Public Service (Open Basis) - 2025

It is kindly notified that the closing date of applications for the Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment for the posts of Technological Service (Civil) Grade III/One year Training Grade/Two Years Training Grade in Central Provincial Public Service (Open Basis) - 2025 appearing in the Provincial Council Section of the Gazette No. 2,468 dated 19.12.2025 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, is extended to **23.01. 2026**.

02. All the other details in the said Gazette notification remain unchanged.

K. K. G. I. D. P. WIJETHILAKE,
Secretary,
Provincial Public Service Commission,
Central Provincial Council.

Central Provincial Public Service Commission,
No. 244, Katugastota Road,
Kandy.

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AMENDMENT

CENTRAL PROVINCIAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Recruitment to the Post of Technological Officer (Quantity Surveyor) of the Supervisory Management Assistant - Technical Service Category of the Department of Engineering Services of Central Province. (Open Basis) - 2025

It is kindly notified that the closing date of applications for the Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment for the posts of Technological Officer (Quantity Surveyor) of the Supervisory Management Assistant- Technical Service Category of Department of Engineering Services of Central Province (Open Basis) - 2025, appearing in the Provincial Council Section of the Gazette No. 2,468 dated 19.12.2025 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, is extended to **23.01. 2026**.

02. All the other details in the said Gazette notification remain unchanged.
03. Candidates who have already applied for this examination are advised not to submit applications again due to this amendment.

K. K. G. I. D. P. WIJETHILAKE,
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