COUNCIL MEETING OF THE WESTERN PROVINCE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

29th December 2016, at 09.30 a.m.

AGENDA

- I. Governor's Proclamations
- II. Announcements by the Chairman
- **III.** Presentation of Papers
- **IV.** Presentation of Committee Reports
- V. Petitions
- VI. Questions
- VII. Motions for leave of absence
- VIII. Announcements of the Ministries / Statements of the Ministers
 - IX. Council Affairs

To be presented by the Hon. Minister of Council Affairs:

Motion:

"According to the agreements received at the Business Advisory Committee meeting held on 26.12.2016, proceedings shall take place considering that no whatsoever hindrance may occur from provisions stated in Rules of Procedure Rule Nos. 15(1), 15(4), 57(1), 57(3), 57(4), 57(5), 63a(2), 63a(3), 88(2) and 88(3) for the affairs under the subject of Public Affairs of the Agenda today [29.12.2016]."

X. Council Meeting

To be presented by the Hon. Minister of Council Affairs:

Motion:

"Subsequent to today's dispersal, this Provincial Council shall convene on 17.01.2017 at 9.30 a.m. while considering 03.01.2017 as a date on which the Provincial Council meeting will not be held"

XI. Public Affairs

Hon. Isura Devapriya - Hon. Chief Minister and Minister of Finance and Planning, Engineering Services, Law and Order, Local Government and Provincial Administration, Economic Promotion, Electricity and Energy, Environmental Affairs, Water Supplies and Drainage and Tourism Affairs (W.P.)

Motion:

Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka Development (Special Provisions) Bill

"Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka – Development (Special Provisions)

<u>Bill'</u>, referred to this Provincial Council by Hon. Governor of Western Province, after having been forwarded to the Hon. Governor by His Excellency the Presided for expression of opinions of this Western Province Provincial Council under Clause 154 g (3) of the 13th Amendment to the Constitution, is presented to this Western Province Provincial Council on 29.12.2016 (today), and, as a need has arisen to accomplish those functions within a limited time period and having taken into consideration about the agreements reached at this Council meeting previously, this Provincial Council is in the opinion that after discussing today (29.12.2016) at this Provincial Council about the said Bill and compatible to the decisions reached therein, measures should be taken to forward a statement on Provincial Council's opinions on the said Bill to Hon. Governor of Western Province, in order to be reported to His Excellency the President."

XII. Adjournment of the Council

K.H.D.K. Samarakoon Secretary, Western Province Provincial Council

26.12.2016 Council Secretariat (W.P.), Western Province Provincial Council, 5th Floor, Wing 'B', Sethsiripaya, Battaramulla.