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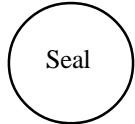
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**PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL**

**Proclamations & C., by the President**

**ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT**

**Essential Public Services Act, No. 61 1979**



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GOTABAYA RAJAPAKSA

BY VIRTUE of the powers vested in me in terms of Section 2 of the Essential Public Services Act, No. 61 of 1979, I, Gotabaya Rajapaksa, President of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, do by this Order, considering it necessary that the services provided by any Public Corporation or Government Department or Local Authority or Co-operative Society or any branch thereof being a Department or Corporation or Local Authority or Co-operative Society, which is engaged in provision of the services specified in the Schedule hereto, is essential to the life of the community and is likely to be impeded or interrupted, declare the services specified in the Schedule hereto to be an essential public service for the purposes of the aforesaid Section.

Given at Colombo, on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, Two Thousand and Twenty Two.

By order of His Excellency the President,

**GAMINI SENARATH,**  
Secretary to the President.



SCHEDULE

1. The supply of electricity
2. All service, work or labour, of any description whatsoever, necessary or required to be done in connection with the maintenance, and the reception, care feeding, and treatment, of patients in hospitals, nursing homes, dispensaries, and other similar institution.

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