

## No. 11 of 1890.

### An Ordinance to confirm the Validity of the Registration of certain Marriages, Births, and Deaths in the District of Erávur, in the Eastern Province.

(See No. 6 of 1847.)

**W**HEREAS doubts have arisen as to the legality of the registration of marriages, births, and deaths in the district of Erávúr, in the Eastern Province, as from and after the first day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-nine, and it has become expedient to remove such doubts: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Preamble.

**1** This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as "The Marriages, Births, and Deaths Registration Amendment Ordinance, 1890."

Short title.

**2** As from and after the first day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-nine, the district of Erávúr, in the Eastern Province, consisting of the villages named in the schedule hereto, shall be deemed to have been, and shall hereafter be, a registration district, for the purposes of the Ordinances No. 6 of 1847, No. 13 of 1863, No. 8 of 1865, and No. 18 of 1867.

Erávúr to be a registration district.

Persons acting as registrars for the Erávúr district to be deemed duly appointed.

**3** Every person who between the first day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-nine, and the passing of this Ordinance shall have held, or who at the date of the passing of this Ordinance is holding, the office of registrar of marriages, or the office of registrar of births and deaths, within the district of Erávúr, shall be deemed for the purposes of the Ordinances specified in the preceding section, to have been duly appointed registrar of marriages and registrar of births and deaths respectively.

Proviso as to subsequent valid marriages.

**4** Provided always that no validity shall be given by the enactments contained in the two preceding sections to any marriage that may have heretofore been declared invalid by a competent court, or where the parties or either of them have or has contracted a valid marriage subsequent to the first day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-nine, and before the passing of this Ordinance.

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SCHEDULE.

Tannámunai	Kommáturai
Mayilampáveli	Vantárimulai
Vedakudi	Chittándikudi
Arumukattánkudi	Kaluvankeni
Erávúr, Moor village	Perumaveli
Véddakkudi, Moor village	Pankudáveli
Erávúr, Tamil village	Rúgam
Pútúr	

10th November, 1890.

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