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### PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

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#### THE SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL LAW, No. 5 OF 1973

REGULATION made by the Minister of Mass Media and Information, under Section 30 of the Sri Lanka Press Council Law, No. 5 of 1973 read with Sections 10 and 25, and approved by Parliament.

KEHELIYA RAMBUKWELLA,  
Minister of Mass Media and Information.

Colombo,  
13th January 2013.

#### Regulation

The Press Council (General) Regulations 1973 published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 63/5 of June 12, 1973 as last amended by *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 806/16 of February 15, 1994 are hereby further amended by the repeal of regulation 11 thereof, and the substitution therefor of the following regulation :-

- "11. (a) Every proprietor or editor of a newspaper making application for registration or renewal of the registration of the proprietor's or editor's name, as the case may be, shall along with such application forward a fee for the same according to the rates set out below :-
- (1) for registration or renewal of the registration in respect of a daily newspaper - Rupees Five Thousand (Rs. 5,000)
  - (2) for registration or renewal of the registration in respect of a weekly newspaper - Rupees Three Thousand (Rs. 3,000)
  - (3) for registration or renewal of the registration in respect of any other newspaper - Rupees Two Thousand (Rs. 2,000)
- (b) Where the application for the renewal of registration is made after 31st of March of any year, a sum of Rupees Five Hundred (Rs. 500) shall be paid in respect of every month or part thereof during such period after 31st March of that year such delay continues by such proprietor or editor, as the case may be, as a late registration fee".