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**NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ACT, No. 47 OF 1980**

**Order under Sections 24C and 24D**

BY VIRTUE of the powers vested in me by Sections 24C and 24D of the National Environmental Act, No. 47 of 1980, I, Keheliya Rambukwella, Minister of Environment, do by this Order, amend the Schedule II and Schedule III to the Order made under the aforesaid Sections in respect of area called “Muthurajawela Environmental Protection Area” and published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1466/26 of October 13, 2006, as follows :-

(1) by the addition immediately after item 18 of the Schedule II thereto, of the following item :-

“19. Double circuit 33 kV transmission line on zebra tower from Kerawelapitiya Grid Substation to Nugape Junction along the southern boundary of the Environmental Protection Area” ;

(2) in Schedule III thereto -

(a) by the repeal of item (o) thereof, and the substitution therefor of the following item :-



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“(o) an Administrative Levy Scheme will be prepared and adopted by the Central Environmental Authority, in order to carry out the evaluation process of the Project Proposals and monitor the project activities ” ;

(b) by the addition immediately after item (o) thereof, of the following item :-

“(p) construction, operation and maintenance of the Double circuit 33 kV transmission line on zebra tower from Kerawelapitiya Grid Substation to Nugape Junction, shall not have adverse impact on the Environmental Protection Area ”.

KEHELIYA RAMBUKWELLA,  
Minister of Environment.

Colombo,  
07th November, 2023.

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