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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
 OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
 10th June, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday, and on the advice of Her Majesty's Ceylon Ministers, to signify her intention of conferring the Honour of Knighthood upon:—

Warusahennedige Abraham Bastian SOYSA, Esq., C.B.E., Senator. For social services.

the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be an Ordinary Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—
 Lieutenant - Colonel Herbert Clifford SERASINGHE, E.D., Ceylon Army Medical Corps.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—
 Major Bertram Lucien SENEVIRATNE, Ceylon Light Infantry.

CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT
 MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE.

10th June, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday, and on the advice of Her Majesty's Ceylon Ministers, to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:—

To be a Member of the Third Class, or Companion, of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Gunasena DE SOYZA, Esq., O.B.E., Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.

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To be an Ordinary Knight Commander of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

The Honourable Mr. Pattiya Pathirannahalage Albert Frederick PERIES, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

To be Ordinary Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—
 Alexander Nicholas D'Abrew ABEYESINGHE, Esq., M.B.E., Member of Parliament for Negombo. For services to the Co-operative Movement.

Ernest Peter Arnold FERNANDO, Esq. For social services.

Paul Alfred John HERNU, Esq., O.B.E., Chairman, Colombo Port Commission.

H. de Z. SIRIWARDANA, Esq., Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs.

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