

**IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST
REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA**

Court of Appeal No: 143/2009

High Court Anuradhapura No: 177/2005

Meragal Padige Piyadasa,
6th Mile Post,
Thuppitiyawa,
Tantirimale.

Accused Appellant

Vs.

Hon. Attorney General,
Attorney General's Department,
Colombo 12.

Respondent

Before : **Sisira J. de Abrew, J. &**
P.W.D.C. Jayathilake, J.

Counsel : Neranjan Jayasinghe for the Accused-Appellant.
Sudharshana de Silva SSC for A/G.

Argued &

Decided on : 22.11.2013

Sisira J. de Abrew, J

Learned Counsel appearing for the accused-appellant informs Court that the accused-appellant in this case is dead. He submits the death certificate of the accused-appellant and letter signed by the Grama Niladhari of the area. We are satisfied that the accused-appellant is dead. We make order abating the appeal.

Appeal abated

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

P.W.D.C.Jayathilake, J.

I agree.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

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