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

C.A.NO. 266/2008

H.C. Batticaloa No. HCEP/410/87

Murugesu Arasararatnam Nambalawatte, Mandur.

-Appellant-

-Vs-

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

-Respondent-

<u>C.A.NO. 266/2008</u>		H.C. Batticaloa No. HCEP/410/87
BEFORE	:	SISIRA J. DE ABREW, J (ACTING P/CA) &
		P.W.D.C.JAYATHILAKA, J.
COUNSEL	:	Indika Mallawarachchi for the Accused-
		Appellant.
		Rajindra Jayaratne SC for the respondent.
ARGUED AND		
DECIDED ON	•	23 rd January, 2014.

SISIRA J. DE ABREW, J.(ACTING P/CA)

Both Counsel submit that the accused-appellant in this case is dead. The Chief Jailor of Welikada Prison, by his letter dated 09.12.2013 addressed to the Registrar of this Court, has informed that the accused-appellant in this case is dead. We therefore make order abating the appeal.

Appeal is abated.

ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

P.W.D.C.JAYATHILAKA, J.

I agree.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

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