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SAMATHTHUVA KADCHI

CONSTITUTION

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THE CONSTITUTION OF THE SAMATHTHUVA KADCHI

1. Name of the party is called SAMATHTHUVA KADCHI
2. Address of the party is No. 03, 1st Lane, Kanagapuram, Kilinochchi, Kilinochchi District, Sri Lanka. Phone No.0212285390, 0779322115.
3. Party Flag : There is a specific flag for the party. The flag will be in Red, Yellow and White colour in equal size with the length and width of 2.1.

4. Objectives and Goals

4.1. Vision

Multinational and developed Sri Lanka existing Equality, Social, Justice Peace and Harmony governing the country on the basis of a Democratic Value.

4.2. Mission

To take all necessary steps effectively and efficiently to implement the principles, values, and practices of equality and social justice in the main branches of government—namely the legislature, the executive, and the judiciary—as well as in public administration, provincial councils, local bodies , their administrative structures, and civil society organizations. Through these efforts, to build a better society and the Nation of Sri Lanka.

4.3. Objectives

The party will base its political programs on the following objectives:

- 4.3.1. Creating political awareness among the people to think intelligently and participate in politics
- 4.3.2. Disseminating, promoting and improving democratic political ideas based on equality and social justice among the people
- 4.3.3. To uphold justice, freedom and equality, working for the benefit of all sections of society, especially the weaker sections and the oppressed.
- 4.3.4.1 To develop political ideas and promote culture that can create national harmony and unity among the people based on the idea of "We are Sri

Lankans" without distinction of race, religion, language, gender, social differences and regional differences.

- 4.3.4.2 The Tamil speaking community shall maintain its identity, right to development and equality with other communities.
- 4.3.4.3 To train Politics as a social responsibility and a national duty to the Party members and supporters.
- 4.3.4.4 To Create Peoples representatives who use political power only for the benefit of the people responsible with national interest.
- 4.3.4.5 Working in partnership and collaboration with progressive political parties, trade unions and civil society organizations that operate on a value-based basis for the general benefits and common goals of the country.
- 4.3.4.6 Establishing governance and leadership at all levels of the party to operate on the basis of equality and social justice values such as consultation, collective responsibility, transparency, accountability, etc.
- 4.3.4.7 To act against anti-social activities including corruption, fraud, waste, abuse of power, bribery, incitement to violence, and incitement to act in a biased manner.
- 4.3.4.8 To promote and advance sustainable development by utilizing the country's resources efficiently and effectively on a planned basis, focusing on the needs of the people.
- 4.3.4.9 To Build a developed, pluralistic Sri Lankan nation through peace, equality and coexistence.
- 4.3.4.10 Prevention and protection of activities against nature and the environment.

5. Methodology

The party is committed to carrying out all its activities in respect of the country's laws and regulations, adhering to democratic methods and the values of good governance.

6. Membership

6.1. Membership Qualification

- 6.1.1. Both sex who are above 18 years old accepting the goals and activities for the party can join as member
- 6.1.2. Every Member who joined the party shall be enrolled as ordinary member and Life time member

- 6.1.3. Anyone can be enrolled as ordinary member on payment of Rs.500/- and who pays Rs. 5000/- as Lifetime member.
- 6.1.4. Individual who joined as member shall not be member of any other political party or member of any organisation or establishment who are against the party policy or objectives.
- 6.1.5. No one who are accused and convicted in the Sri Lankan court, for the involvement of anti-social activities such as corruption, fraud, waste, abuse of power, bribery or disciplinary action and rejected by the society.

6.2. Categories of Membership

- 6.2.1 Founder Member
- 6.2.2 Primary Member
- 6.2.3 Associate Members
- 6.2.4 Active Member
- 6.2.5 Honorary Members

6.3. Founder Members

- 6.3.1 Senior members who made contribution continuously and diligently towards the formation and Growth of the party identified by the Leadership council will be confirmed as Founder Members.
- 6.3.2 Founder members are permanent members and shall hold important position in the Leadership Council, Management Committee, and Political Affairs Committee of organizational structure.
- 6.3.3 Founder members shall have the right to vote at the internal elections whenever the leadership council feels appropriate.

6.4. Primary Members

- 6.4.1 Persons having qualification for membership can apply for membership.
- 6.4.2 Such applications are submitted to the National Working Committee by the Ward / Village / City / LGA / District level committee.
- 6.4.3 If such applications are accepted by the National Working committee the said applicants are admitted as Primary members.
- 6.4.4 Primary members do not have the right to vote in internal party elections or major decisions.

6.5. Associate Members

- 6.5.1 Primary member is qualified to apply for associate membership after completing one year in the Primary membership.
- 6.5.2. Application for the Associate member shall be forwarded to the National Working committee through Ward/,Village / City / LGA /District level committee for consideration.
- 6.5.3 Leadership Council will decide the applications for Associate Member as per recommendation of the National Working committee.
- 6.5.4 Associate member shall have the right to vote at the Ward / Village / City / LGA level internal election.

6.6. Active Members

- 6.6.1. Active members who are involved in the activities of the party by accepting the party policy ,Values Activities and Objectives for three years will be absorbed as Active member.
- 6.6.2. The Leadership council will take decision on the applications for active member based on the recommendation of the Membership committee.
- 6.6.3. Only the active members are qualified to be appointed to the posts and responsibilities in the party and they are eligible vote in the internal election.

6.7. Honorary Members

- 6.7.1. Anyone who can contribute expert advice for acquiring resource for the party programmes shall be nominated as Honorary Members on the proposal by the members of the Leadership council.
- 6.7.2. Honorary Members thus incorporated will not be members with voting rights but will be those who support the broader objectives and activities of the party.

6.8. Loss of Membership / Termination of Membership

Members will lose their membership for the following circumstances

- 6.8.1. Death
- 6.8.2. Resignation
- 6.8.3. Expelling through disciplinary action
- 6.8.4. Joining other parties without prior permission
- 6.8.5. Convicted in a Court of law or by Executive Committee of the party for corruption, fraud, bribery, violation, bad conduct

7. Organizational Structure

7.1. Units of Organizational Structure

7.1.1. Leadership Council

7.1.2. Management Committee

7.1.3. Political Affairs Committee

7.1.4. Membership Committee

7.1.5. Delegates Assembly

7.1.6. National Working Committee

7.1.7. District Working Committee

7.1.8. Village / City / LGA level Working Committee

7.1.9. Ward level Working Committee

7.1.10. There shall be no less than 25% female representation in all Organizational Structures.

7.1.11. There shall be no less than 10% young members in the age group of 18-35 years comprising both sex representation in all Organizational Structures.

7.2. Leadership Council shall be the supreme council of the PARTY

7.2.1. Structure of the Leadership Council

7.2.1.1. There shall be 15 members. Out of this 2/3rd of its members shall be selected from the list of founder members by voting of founder members.

7.2.1.2. Remaining 1/3 members for the Leadership council shall be selected from the Founder Members/Associate members by voting.

7.2.1.3. The term of the Leadership Council is four (4) years.

7.2.1.4 The following officer bearers for the leadership council shall be selected unanimously or by voting.

1. Chairman

2. General Secretary

3. Treasurer

4. Deputy Chairman

5. Assistant Secretary

6. Assistant Treasurer

7. National Organizer

7.2.2 Responsibilities of the Leadership Council

7.2.2.1 Drafting policy for the party and prepare operation guidance

7.2.2.2 Approving the annual sustainable annual Plan and designing projects

7.2.2.3. Approving the budget

7.2.2.4. Maintaining the assets of the party and supervising the financial activities

7.2.2.5. Implement the decision of the party and granting final approval

7.2.2.6. Deciding the operational activities of the party

7.2.2.7. Planning strategic politics

7.3 Management Committee

7.3.1. Structure of the Management Committee.

7.3.1.1. There shall be minimum 5 members.

7.3.1.2 Office bearers for the Management Committee shall be selected by the leadership council.

7.3.1.3.1 Term of office of the management committee shall be two years.

7.3.2 Responsibilities of the Management Committee

7.3.2.1. Implementing the Policy, Planning and Proposals set out by the Leadership council effectively towards the expected outcome.

7.3.2.2.1. Supervise and perform all the administrative activities of the party.

7.4 Political Affairs Committee

7.4.2. This is formed by the Leadership Council.

7.4.3. Number of member shall be decided by the leadership Council time to time.

7.4.4. Term of office shall be 2 years.

7.4.5. It shall be a committee coordinating the political affairs of the party give advice and guidance to the Leadership council time to time.

7.5 Membership Committee

7.5.2. This is appointed by the Leadership Council.

7.5.3. Number of members shall be decided by the leadership Council time to time

7.5.4. Term of office shall be 2 years.

7.5.5. It shall be a committee coordinating the political affairs of the party give advice and guidance to the Leadership council time to time.

7.6. Delegates Assembly

7.6.1. Structure of the Delegates Assembly.

7.6.1.1. This is formed by the leadership Council.

7.6.1.2. All members of the founder members are members of this Assembly.

7.6.2.1.1. Number of members shall be decided by the leadership Council time to time

7.6.1.2.1.2 Responsibilities of the Delegates Assembly.

7.6.1.2.1.3 Function as Assembly to give necessary advice, proposal and guidance to the leadership council coordinating the General affairs of the party.

7.6.1.3 Accepting the Party Constitution and amendments shall be on majority a decision of the Assembly

7.7. National Working Committee

National working committee shall be a committee which will coordinate the party's activities at national level.

7.7.1. Structure of the National working committee and its responsibilities.

7.7.1.1. National Working Committee will consist of all staff level office bearers, District representatives, Female member and other representatives of other sections of the party.

7.7.1.2. Number of members shall be decided by the leadership Council time to time

7.7.1.3. Term of office shall be two (02) years.

7.8 District Working Committee

7.8.1. District working committees will be formed depending on the activities of the Party in the district.

7.8.1.1. There shall be minimum of 7 members from the Associate committee 3 members from the Active members.

7.8.1.2. Maximum members of the District Working committee shall be 15.

7.8.1.3. Term of office shall be one (01) year.

7.8.1.4. Posts of District Coordinator, Secretary, Treasurer and vacancies of other office bearers shall be filled with the approval of Leadership council

7.8.1.5. District working Committee shall be a body which will coordinate the party activities at District Level.

7.9 Village / City / LGA shall be formed depending on the activities of the party

7.9.1 Structure and Responsibilities of Village / City / Local Government level Committee

7.9.1.1.1.1 There shall be minimum 3 members from associate member to formulate Village / City / Local Government level

7.9.1.1.1.2. There shall be a maximum 11 members in the Village / City / Local Government level Committee

7.9.1.1.1.2.1 Term of the Village / City / Local Government level Committee shall be one (01) year

7.9.1.1.1.3. There shall be Coordinator, Secretary, Treasurer in the Village / City / Local Government level committee. Other office bearers shall be filled with the approval of Leadership council depending on the requirement.

7.9.1.1.1.4. It shall be a body which will coordinate the party activities at Village / City / Local Government level

7.9.1.1.1.5. Ward Level Working Committee.

Ward level working Committee shall be formed depending on the activities of the party in the ward

7.9.1.1.1.6. Structure and Responsibilities of Ward Level working committee

7.9.1.1.1.7. There shall be a minimum three (3) Primary members to form Ward level working Committee

7.9.1.1.1.8. There shall be a maximum 7 members in the Ward level working Committee

7.9.1.1.1.9 Term of office shall be one (01) year

7.9.1.1.1.10. There shall be a Coordinator, Secretary, Treasurer in the Ward level working committee. Other office bearers shall be filled with the approval of Leadership council depending on the requirement

7.9.1.1.11. Ward level working Committee shall coordinate the ward level activities of the party

7.11 Office Bearers and Responsibilities

7.11.1. Chairman

- 7.11.1.1 Presiding the party and carrying the activities of the party through the Leadership Council.
- 7.11.1.2 Every decision shall be taken with the consultation of management committee. However when a decision to make on very important matters shall take such decision with the consultation of Leadership Council.
- 7.11.1.3 Guiding the management committee by presiding the committee.

7.11.2. Deputy Chairman

- 7.11.2.1. Assisting the Chairman to carrying out the Management committee.
- 7.11.2.2. Carrying out the matters, Responsibilities and duties assigned by the management Committee.
- 7.11.2.3. Performing the duties of Chairman during his absence.

7.11.3 General Secretary

- 7.11.3.1. Implementing the decisions of the leadership Council.
- 7.11.3.2. Coordinating the Leadership Council, Executive Committee and National Working Committee and invite them.
- 7.11.3.3. Preparing agenda for every meeting with the concurrence of the Leadership council, preparing Minutes of the meeting and conduct the internal elections.
- 7.11.3.4. Attending all correspondences according to the policy of the party.
- 7.11.3.5. Signing all legal documents, documents relating to the Election commission and Department of Elections and Implementation.
- 7.11.3.6. Maintain relationship with other parties and organisation.
- 7.11.3.7. Prepare annual plan and get approval from the Leadership Council.
- 7.11.3.8. Signing the agreement approved by the leadership council.
- 7.11.3.9. Function as Chief administrator of the Party Head office.
- 7.11.3.10. Implementing the matters decided by the Leadership council.
- 7.11.3.11. Shall be the spokesperson of the party and informant of the final decisions of the party .
- 7.11.3.12 .Supervising the financial activities of the party.

7.11.3.13. Maintaining and keeping Relationship with Diasporas and Diplomatic relationship, General relationship.

7.11.4 Assistant Secretary

7.11.4.1. Assisting the General Secretary for Implementing the decisions of the leadership Council and administrative activities of the party.

7.11.4.2. Performing the duties of the General Secretary during his absence.

7.11.5 National Organizer

7.11.5.1. In charge of structure of Party membership.

7.11.5.2. Creating national District, Village level committees.

7.11.5.3. Meeting with members district wise.

7.11.5.4. Organise Female/Youth Front at national District, Village level.

7.11.5.5. Arrange training programmes for the members.

7.11.6 Treasurer

7.11.6.1. Responsible for the entire financial activities of the Party.

7.11.6.2. Shall be Chief of all Financial Activities and bank Accounts .and keeping all written documents relating to Accounts and answerable for all action.

7.11.6.3. Preparation Budget of the party and get the approval of the leadership Council.

7.11.6.4. Confirming financial activities as per financial regulation of the party.

7.11.7 Assistant Treasurer

7.11.7.1. Assisting the Treasurer for the financial activities of the party

7.11.7.2. Shall be in charge of financial Activities of the party in the absence of the Treasurer

8. Financial Activities

8.1.1.1. Contributions

8.1.1. Donations

8.1.2. Gifts

8.1.3. Member's contributions

8.1.4 Contribution of Disaster relief

8.1.5 Well-wisher's contribution

8.2 Utilisation of Finance

8.2.1. Amount less the Rs. 100000/ can be spent by the treasurer with the approval of the General Secretary.

8.2.2. Amount between Rs. 100000/- to Rs. 500000/ Can be spent by the Treasurer with approval of officer bearers.

8.2.3. Utilising funds for special needs shall be made with approval of majority members of the Leadership council.

8.2.4. Bank Accounts and Cheque writing shall be operated with signature of the Secretary, Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer

9. Financial year

9.1. From 1st of January to 31st of December

9.2. Financial Report shall be for the period from 1st of January to 31st December.

9.3. Audit Report will be completed as per section 11.

10. Internal Auditor

10.1. A suitable member among the members shall be selected by the at the General Meeting.

10.2. It shall confirm that financial Activities are carried out as per the constitution and decision of the party

10.3. He is not entitled to vote at meetings.

10.4. Attend all the meeting inform valuable ideas.

10.5 Acting loyally to the party

11. External Auditor

11.1. External auditor shall be selected from qualified registered Audit Firm at the General Meeting.

12. Annual Meeting

12.1. At the end of the year Annual activities and Financial Report will be submitted at the Annual General meeting

12.2. The convention shall be annual General meeting of the party at national level

12.3. The secretary shall send invitation for convention two week before the two days ahead of the meeting

12.4. Meeting at Village / City/Local Government level will be held every year. Respective Treasurer shall submit annual Secretary's/ Treasurer's report at the meeting and new office bearers will be selected.

12.5. Invitation for convention shall be sent to the members through two week before the two days ahead of the meeting through their Secretaries of the Committee Level.

12.6. There shall be 50% attendance to conduct the meeting.

12.7. A special meeting can be convened due to urgent and essential purpose on the request of 2/3 members with one notice with special Agenda by the General Secretary.

13. Disciplinary Code of the Party

13.1. Leadership Council will prepare a disciplinary code and implement.

13.2 It shall be the duty of the member and Officer bearers to obey disciplinary code of the party.

13.3 Leadership council shall have the power to suspend or dismiss the party Member according to Disciplinary code.

14. Interpretation of the constitution and Final Decision

14.1. The leadership council has the power to interpret the constitution and legal findings.

14.2. Decision of the leadership council shall be final in respect of the dispute on any matters relating to the party.

14.3. Final decision of the leadership council shall be valid only with 51% of members consent.

15. Amendment to the Constitution


15.1. The leadership council will propose with the consent of 2/3 members of Founder member.

15.2. Proposal of the leadership council for the amendment of Constitution with the consent of 51% members at the annual convention.

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