

I assent.

D. J. G. ROSE

Governor-General.

15th September, 1969.

ACT NO. 16 OF 1969.

FIRE PREVENTION (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1969.

Arrangement of Sections.

Section

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of the long title of the Principal Ordinance.
3. Amendment of section 1 of the Principal Ordinance.
4. Amendment of section 2 of the Principal Ordinance.
5. Minor amendments to the Principal Ordinance.

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SCHEDULE
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AN ACT to amend the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954.

A.D. 1969.

Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

15th September, 1969

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Fire Prevention (Amendment) Act, 1969 and shall be construed and read as one with the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954, and all amendments thereto.

Amendment of
the long title
of the Prin-
cipal
Ordinance.
No. 19 of
1954.

2. The following long title is hereby substituted for the long title of the Principal Ordinance —

“AN ORDINANCE to provide for the inspection of premises in Guyana for the purpose of eliminating fire hazards and for purposes connected therewith.”

Amendment of
section 1 of
the Principal
Ordinance.

3. Section 1 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended in the following respects —

- (a) by the substitution of a full stop for the comma after the number "1954" in subsection (1), and the deletion therefrom of all the words in the subsection following thereafter beginning with the word "and";
- (b) by the repeal of subsection (2) thereof; and
- (c) by the deletion of the symbol "(1)" from the section.

4. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the following definition immediately before the definition of the expression "the Superintendent" —

Amendment of section 2 of the Principal Ordinance.

“Minister” means the Minister to whom responsibility for fire protection has been assigned;”.

5. (1) The provisions of the Principal Ordinance specified in the first column of the schedule to this Act are hereby amended in the manner specified in the second column of that schedule.

Minor amendments to the Principal Ordinance.

(2) Anything lawfully done under the Principal Ordinance prior to its amendment by subsection (1) of this section, and which would continue to have effect but for such amendment, shall continue to have effect as if so done in conformity with such amendment.

SCHEDULE

Section 5 (1)

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| Subsections (2) and (3) of section 3. | The word "Minister" shall be substituted for the words "Governor acting in his discretion". |
| Sections 3(7) and 4. | The word "Minister" shall be substituted for the word "Governor". |
| Section 3(9). | The words "Minister may" shall be substituted for the words "Governor may, in his discretion". |
| Sections 7(3) and 10. | The word "Minister" shall be substituted for the expression "Governor in Council" wherever it appears. |
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Passed by the National Assembly on the 28th of August, 1969.

M. B. HENRY,
Acting Clerk of the National Assembly.