

I assent.

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Governor,

23rd March, 1950.

ORDINANCE No. 4 of 1950.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Georgetown Sewerage and Water Ordinance by conferring power on the Commissioners to award pensions. A.D. 1950.

[25th March, 1950.

Be it enacted by the Governor of British Guiana, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Georgetown Sewerage and Water (Amendment) Ordinance, 1950, and shall be construed with the Georgetown Sewerage and Water Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance. Short title. Cap. 96.

2. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion, after section ten, of the following new section — Insertion of new section 10A in the Principal Ordinance.

10A. (1) The Commissioners may, as seems to them just, award pensions gratuities and premiums to their engineers, officers, clerks workmen and labourers, or if such persons are dead, to their personal representatives, and such pensions gratuities and premiums shall be paid out of the proceeds of the rate referred to in paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section twenty-eight of the Georgetown (Valuation and Rating) Ordinance, 1942.

No. 30 of 1942.

(2) Pensions gratuities and premiums awarded under this section shall be computed in the same manner and to the like extent as if such engineers officers clerks workmen and labourers were employed by The Mayor and Town Council of Georgetown:

Provided that for the purpose of computing any pension for the purposes of this section, the Commissioners may take into account the whole period of unbroken service spent by any engineer or officer in their employ notwithstanding that any part of that service was under a special agreement,