

**THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2019**  
**LEGAL SUPPLEMENT — A**

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**ACT NO. 13 OF 2019**

**INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS (AMENDMENT) ACT 2019**

I assent



David Granger,  
President.

2019.06.12

**ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

**SECTION**

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 3(2) of the Principal Act.

## AN ACT to amend the Interception of Communications Act.

A.D. 2019 Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:-

Short title. 1. This Act, which amends the Interception of Communications Act, may be  
Cap: 47:03 cited as the Interception of Communications (Amendment) Act 2019.

Amendment  
of section  
3(2) of the  
Principal  
Act.

2. Section 3(2) of the Principal Act is amended as follows –

(a) in paragraph (b), by the substitution for the full stop, of a semi-colon; and

(b) by the insertion immediately after paragraph (b), of the following paragraphs –

“(c) the person has reasonable grounds for believing that the person to whom or by whom the communication is transmitted consents to the interception;

(d) the communication is intercepted as an ordinary incident in the course of employment in the provision of telecommunication services;

(e) the communication is not a private telecommunication;


(f) the communication is a stored communication and is acquired in accordance with any other law; or

(g) the interception is of a communication transmitted by a private telecommunications network and is done by a person who has –

(i) a right to control the operation or use of the network; or

- (ii) the express or implied consent of the person to whom or by whom the communication is transmitted.”.

*Passed by the National Assembly on the 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2019.*

  
S.E. Isaacs,  
Clerk of the National Assembly

(Bill No. 1/2019)