# THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 16<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2017 LEGAL SUPPLEMENT — A



#### **ACT NO. 10 of 2017**

### TRAVEL VOUCHER TAX (AMENDMENT) ACT 2017

I assent.

David Granger, President.

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

#### **SECTION**

- 1. Short title.
- 2. Amendment of the Principal Act.

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## AN ACT to amend the Travel Voucher Tax Act.

A. <u>D 20</u> 17	Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:-
Short title.	1. This Act, which amends the Travel Voucher Tax Act, may be cited as the
Cap 80:09	Travel Voucher Tax (Amendment) Act 2017.
Amendment of the Principal Act.	2. The provisions of the Principal Act specified in column one of the Table are amended in the manner specified in the corresponding entries in column two.

#### **TABLE**

SECTION	AMENDMENT
Section 2	by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical order the following definition -
	"flight crew" has the meaning assigned to it under section 56 (2) of
	80:01 the Tax Act;"
Section 8	by inserting the following subsection -
	"(4) (a) The Commissioner-General may appoint such number of collection
	agents as he deems necessary for the purpose of collecting and remitting
	travel voucher tax.
	(b) Where a carrier or charterer fails to remit travel voucher tax when it
	becomes due and payable the carrier or charterer commits an offence
	and shall be liable to a fine under section 10 (1A)(a) and to the forfeiture
	of the bond executed under paragraph (e).
	(c) Travel voucher tax may be paid to the Commissioner-General or to the
	agents of the Commissioner-General in accordance with section 10 (1).
	(d) Where a collection agent fails to remit travel voucher tax within the time
	determined by the Commissioner-General or prescribed by regulations
	the collection agent shall be liable to the same penalty under section
	10(1A)(a).

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(e) No carrier or charterer shall operate an aircraft in Guyana unless a bond
to ensure payment of travel voucher tax is given in a sum determined by the Commissioner-General.".

Passed by the National Assembly on the 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.

Clerk of the National Assembly

(BILL No. 35/2016)