



**GUYANA**

ACT No. 9 of 1985

**NATIONAL SECURITY (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS)**

**(AMENDMENT) ACT 1985**

I assent.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "L. F. S. Burnham".

**L. F. S. BURNHAM,**  
President.

1985—07-12

**ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

**SECTION**

1. **Short title.**
2. **Re-enactment of Part II of the Principal Act with modifications.**
3. **Insertion of new section 30A in the Principal Act.**

AN ACT to amend the National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act for the purpose of re-enacting Part II thereof with modifications and for certain other purposes.

A.D. 1985 Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

Short title.  
Cap. 18:02

1. This Act, which amends the National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, may be cited as the National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Act 1985.

Re-enact-  
ment of  
Part II  
of the  
Principal  
Act with  
modifica-  
tions.  
No. 2 of  
1982.

2. The provisions of Part II of the Principal Act, as last re-enacted by the National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Act 1982, which expired before the enactment of this Act, are hereby re-enacted subject to the following modifications, that is to say, —

(a) in section 3, in the definition of “legal adviser” or “legal representative” the substitution, for the words “advocate or solicitor”, of the word “attorney-at-law”;

(b) in section 13 —

(i) in the marginal note, the insertion, after the word “tribunal”, of the words “for purposes of article 148 of the Constitution”;

(ii) the deletion of subsection (1) and the substitution of the following subsection therefor —

“(1) For the purposes of article 148 of the Constitution, there shall be and there is hereby established an advisory tribunal consisting of —

(a) a chairman appointed by the Chancellor from among persons entitled to practise in Guyana as attorneys-at-law; and

(b) two other members appointed by the Chancellor from among persons who hold or have held judicial office in Guyana.”;

(c) the deletion of section 14.

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3. The Principal Act is hereby amended by the insertion, after section 30, of the following section as section 30A. —

Insertion of  
new section  
30A in the  
Principal Act.

30A. (1) For the purposes of article 151 of the Constitution, there shall be and there is hereby established an advisory tribunal consisting of —

"Advisory  
tribunal for  
purposes of  
article 151 of  
the Constitu-  
tion.

- (a) a chairman appointed by the Chancellor from among persons entitled to practise in Guyana as attorneys-at-law; and
- (b) two other members appointed by the Chancellor from among persons who hold or have held judicial office in Guyana.

(2) The advisory tribunal referred to in subsection (1) may, with the approval of the Chancellor, make rules for the purpose of the discharge of its functions and, subject thereto, may regulate its own procedure.

(3) Rules made pursuant to the preceding subsection shall be laid in the National Assembly at its next sitting following their publication."

*Passed by the National Assembly on 1985—06—24.*

*F. A. Narain*

F. A. Narain,

Clerk of the National Assembly.

(Bill No. 8/1985)