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FIRE BRIGADE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1959. ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Short title.

2. Amendment of section 15(2) of Ordinance No. 7 of 1957.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE FIRE BRIGADE ORDIN-ANCE, 1957.

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana :-

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Fire Brigade (Amend-ment) Ordinance, 1959, and shall be construed and read with the Fire Brigade Ordinance, 1957, hereinafter referred to as the Principal No. 7 of 1957. Ordinance, and any Ordinance amending the same.

2. Subsection (2) of section 15 of the Principal Ordinance is Amendment hereby amended by the insertion after the word "officer" in paragraph 15(2) of (c) of the words "or sub-officer". Ordinance No. 7 of 1957.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

Under section 15(2) (c) of the Fire Brigade Ordinance, 1957, it is the duty of the Chief Fire Officer of the British Guiana Fire Brigade to cause prosecutions under the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954, to be instituted either in his own name or that of any officer of the Brigade.

2. Having regard to the limited number of commissioned officers in the Brigade, this Bill seeks to provide that such prosecutions may also be instituted in the name of any sub-officer of the Brigade.

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