

# Bill No. 27 of 1963 (S)

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The following Bill which will be introduced in the Senate is published for general information.

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Acting Clerk of the Legislature.

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FIRE PREVENTION (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1963.

Arrangement of Sections

## Section

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 2 of the Principal Ordinance.

## A BILL

Intituled

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954.

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana:—

A.D. 1963.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Fire Prevention (Amendment) Ordinance, 1963, and shall be construed and read with the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance, and any Ordinance amending the same.

Short title.  
No. 19  
of 1954.

2. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the substitution for the definition of the expression "the Superintendent" of the following definition —

Amendment  
of section 2  
of the  
Principal  
Ordinance.

"the Superintendent" means the Chief Fire Officer of the British Guiana Fire Brigade established under the Fire Brigade Ordinance, 1957, and any member of that Brigade not below the rank of sub-officer.

No. 7  
of 1957.

## OBJECTS AND REASONS

The administration of the Fire Prevention Ordinance, 1954, is seriously hampered by the narrow definition in that Ordinance of "the Superintendent" and this Bill accordingly seeks to remedy that defect by providing a wider definition of "the Superintendent".

JANET JAGAN,  
Minister of Home Affairs.

(M.P.M. 42/3/2).  
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