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GEORGETOWN TOWN COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1961. ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

- 1. Short title.
- 2. Amendment of section 132 of Chapter 152.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE GEORGETOWN TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana:-

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Georgetown Town Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 1961, and shall be construed and read with the Georgetown Town Council Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance, and any Ordinance amending the same.

2. Section 132 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

Amendment

- (a) by relettering paragraph (1) of subsection (1) thereof as 132 of Chapter 152. paragraph (m); and
- (b) by the insertion of the following paragraph as paragraph
 - "(1) the award of scholarships, exhibitions, bursaries, or other educational awards to any person whom the Council might think fit and on such terms and conditions as may be approved by the Council."

OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Georgetown Town Council has power to assess, levy and raise taxes for several specified purposes. The Council does not however have power to raise taxes for the purpose of awarding scholarships or other awards to suitable persons.

2. This provision seeks to give the Council such authority.

B. S. RAI, Minister of Community Development and Education.

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