

BILL No. 41 of 2009

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Guyana.

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

S. E. Isaacs,
Clerk of the National Assembly.



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FIRE SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL 2009

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 24 of the Principal Act.
3. Amendment of section 25 of the Principal Act.
4. Amendment of section 26 of the Principal Act.
5. Amendment of section 27 of the Principal Act.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to amend the Fire Service Act.

A.D. 2009. Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:-

Short title. 1. This Act which amends the Fire Service Act, may be cited as the Fire
Cap. 22:02 Service (Amendment) Act 2009.

Amendment of 2. Section 24 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting, for the words
section 24 of "three hundred dollars" and "three months" the words "one hundred thousand dollars"
the Principal and "six months", respectively.
Act.

Amendment of 3. Section 25 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting, for the words
section 25 of "four hundred dollars", "seven hundred and fifty dollars", and "twelve months" the
the Principal words "one hundred thousand dollars", "one hundred and fifty thousand dollars" and
Act. "two years", respectively.

Amendment of 4. Section 26 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting, for the words
section 26 of "three hundred dollars" and "three months" the words "one hundred and fifty thousand
the Principal dollars" and "six months", respectively.
Act.

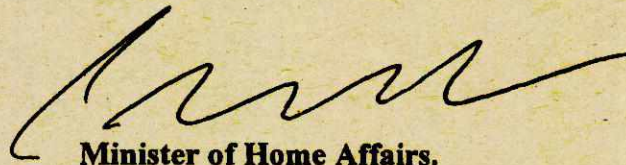
Amendment of 5. Section 27 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting, for the words
section 27 of "one hundred and fifty dollars" the words "twenty-five thousand dollars".
the Principal Act.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Fire Service Act (Cap. 22:02)

Clause 1 sets out the short title of the Bill.

Clauses 2 to 5 seek to amend sections 24, 25, 26, and 27 respectively to enhance the fines payable and other penalties to reflect current values.

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Minister of Home Affairs.