

GUYANA

No. 15 of 1971.

ORDER

Made Under

THE PENSIONS (PRESIDENT, PARLIAMENTARY AND SPECIAL OFFICES) ACT, 1969

(No. 30 of 1969)

IN PURSUANCE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED ON ME BY SECTION 2 OF THE PENSIONS (PRESIDENT, PARLIAMENTARY AND SPECIAL OFFICES) ACT, 1969, I HEREBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDER:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Pensions (President, Parliamentary and Special Offices) (Designation) Order, 1971.
2. The Offices of Ambassador, High Commissioner, Consul-General, and Minister Counsellor, of Guyana and the offices of Commissioner for British Guiana are hereby designated as specified qualifying offices for the purposes of the Act.
3. Notwithstanding anything in clause 2, service in any office mentioned in that clause shall be service as a legislator for the purposes of the Act only if—
 - (a) in the case of a person holding any such office at the commencement of this Order, or of a person who held any such office at any time prior thereto, such person within three months after such commencement or such later date as the Minister may, by directions in writing, in any particular case allow —
 - (i) intimates in writing to the Minister his desire to become a contributor under the Act;
 - (ii) repays to the Accountant General all sums paid to him as gratuity under a contract of service in respect of service in any such office less an amount certified by the Commissioner of Inland Revenue to be the amount of income tax paid by him in respect of such sums;
 - (iii) certifies in writing to the Minister his waiver of any right to any gratuity accruing to him under a contract of service in respect of service in any such office; and
 - (iv) pays to the Accountant General an amount representing the contributions payable by him under the Act in respect of his service in any such office after 31st December, 1969;
 - (b) in the case of any holder of any such office, service in that office is service to which the Pensions (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1957, does not apply.

Made this 26th day of March, 1971.

H. D. HOYTE,
Minister of Finance.

