No. 49 of 1953.

ORDER

MADE UNDER

THE BRITISH GUIANA (CONSTITUTION) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1953.

UNDER SECTION 4(1) OF THE BRITISH GUIANA (CONSTITUTION) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1953, THE FOLLOWING ORDER HAS BEEN MADE BY THE GOVERNOR:—

- 1 The Ordinances set out in the second column of the Schedule to this Order are hereby amended in the manner and to the extent shown in the third column of the said Schedule.
- 2. This Order shall be deemed to have come into effect on the twenty-ninth day of May, 1953.

SCHEDULE

No.	and	Year	Short Title	:	Extent of Amendment
(a)	Cap.	196	Education		Section 2 By the insertion after the definition of the word "prescribed" in subsection (1) of the following definition: "Minister" means the Minister of Education. Section 51 (a) by the deletion of all the words occurring after the word "Governor" in subsection (1); (b) by the substitution for the word "Governor" wherever it appears in the section of the word "Minister"; and (c) by the repeal of subsection (9). Section 52 (a) by the substitution for the word "Governor" in paragraph (g) of subsection (1) of the word "Minister"; (b) by the substitution for the word "Director" in subsection (2) of the word "Minister"; and (c) by the substitution for the word "Governor" in subsection (4) of the word "Minister". Section 53 By the substitution for the word "Governor" of the word "Minister".
(b) Cap.	207	Widows and Orphans Pensions		Section 12 (a) by the substitution for the words "elected members of the Legislative Council" in subsection (2) of the words "persons other than Public Officers"; (b) by the repeal of paragraph (b) of subsection (4), and by the renumbering of paragraph (c) as paragraph (b); and (c) by the repeal of the proviso to subsection (5). Section 17 as substituted by section 7 of the Widows and Orphans Pensions (Amendment) Ordinance, 1947.

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				By the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" of the word "Legislature".
(c)	Cap. 2	48	Trotman Trust Fund	Section 2 (a) by the deletion of the words "of the Legislative Council" in subsection (1); (b) by the substitution for subsection (2) of the following — "(2) The Committee shall consist of three
				persons appointed by the Governor in Council, one of whom shall be an officer in the public service." Section 4
				By the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" of the word "Legislature".
	No. 30 1931	of	Transport and Harbours Ordinance,	By the insertion therein after the definition of the word "Merchandise" of the following definition:
			1931	"Minister" means the Minister charged by the Governor with the responsibility for the Transport and Harbours Department, Section 3b as inserted by section 4 of the Transport and Harbours (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946. (a) by the substitution for the words "General Manager" in paragraph (a) of the word "Min-
			· ·	ister"; (b) by the substitution for the words "Governor or General Manager" in paragraph (b) of the word "Minister";
				(c) by the substitution for the words "General Manager" in paragraph (c) of the word "Minister"; and(d) by the deletion of paragraph (d).
				Section 3c as inserted by section 4 of the Transport and Harbours (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946. (a) by the substitution for subsection (2) of the following subsection:—
				"(2) The members of Council shall be the General Manager, who shall be Vice-Chairman, and six other persons appointed by the Minister.":
				(b) by the substitution for the word "Governor" in subsections (4), (8), (9), (10) and (11) of the word "Minister" and by the substitution for the words "Colonial Secretary" in paragraph (b) of subsection (10) of the word "Minister";
			_	(c) by the deletion of the following commas and words in subsection (8):— ", subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of this section,";
				(d) by the deletion of paragraph (a) of subsection (10) and by the renumbering of paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e) thereof as paragraphs "(a)", "(b)", "(c)" and "(d)" respectively; and

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1.9		(e) by the deletion of the following commas and words in subsection (11):— ", subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of this section, and by the deletion of the proviso to subsection (11).
(e) No. 11 of 1933	Sea Defence Ordinance. 1933	By the insertion after the definition of the words "Local authority" of the following definition: "Minister" means the Minister charged by the Governor with the responsibility for the Department of Public Works. Section 4 (a) by the substitution for the words "Governor in Council" in paragraph (b) of subsection (1), subsection (7) and subsection (9) of the
		word "Minister"; (b) by the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" in sub-paragraph (i) of paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of the words "House of Assembly"; (c) by the substitution for the word "Governor" in subsection (3) and in paragraph (c) of subsection (8) of the word "Minister"; (d) by the substitution for the words "Colonial Secretary" in paragraph (a) of subsection (9) of the word "Minister"; (e) by the substitution for paragraph (d) of subsection (8) of the following paragraph: "(d) if, being an elected member of the House of Assembly, he ceases to be a member of the said House;"
		(f) by the substitution for the proviso to subsection (9) of the following proviso; "Provided that where the House of Assembly has been dissolved the Minister may appoint any person until the first meeting thereafter of the House."
(f) No. 15 of 1934	Public Health Ordinance, 1934	Section 2 By the insertion after the definition of the words "Mining district" of the following definition; "Minister" means the Minister charged by the Governor with the responsibility for the Medical Department."
		Section 3 (a) by the substitution for the word "Governor" wherever it appears in the section of the word 'Minister"; (b) by the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" in paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of the words "House of Assembly";

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		(c) by the substitution for paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of the following paragraph: "(b) One member of the State Council."; and (d) by the substitution for the word "Council" in subsection (8) of the words "Chamber of which he was a member at the date of his appointment." Section 6
		By the substitution for the word "Governor" in paragraph (a) of the word "Minister". Section 9
		By the substitution for the word "Governor" of the word "Minister". Section 11
		By the substitution for the words and commas "Governor may, with the consent of the Legislative Council," of the word "Legislature".
(g) No. 30 of 1937	Mitchell Trust Ordinance, 1937	Section 3 (a) by the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" wherever they appear in the section of the word "Legislature"; (b) by the insertion after subsection (6) of the following subsection: "(7) All powers and functions conferred on the Governor by sections three, four, five and eight of this Ordinance shall be exercisable by him on the advice of the Executive Council."
		Section 7 By the substitution for the words "Legislative Council" of the "Legislature."
(h) No. 22 of 1940	Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Ordinance, 1940	Section 71Q as enacted by section 5 of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Ordinance, 1946. (a) by the substitution for the word "Governor" in subsection (1) of the words "Minister charged by the Governor with the responsibility for Mctor Vehicles licensing and road transport"; and (b) by the deletion of the words and commas, ", of whom not less than three shall be members of the Legislative Council," in subsection (1).
(i) No. 24 of 1946	Housing Ordinance, 1946	Section 2 By the insertion after the definition of the words "Local Authority" of the following definition: "Minister" means the Minister charged by the Governor with the responsibility for Housing. Section 4 (a) by the substitution for the word "Governor" wherever it appears in the section of the word "Minister";

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		 (b) by the repeal of paragraph (a) of subsection (1) and by the renumbering of paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) thereof as paragraphs "(a)", "(b)", and "(c" respectively; (c) by the substitution for the word "five" in paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of the word "nine"; (d) by the substitution for the words "paragraphs (a) and (d)" in subsections (3), (4), (6) and (7) of the words "paragraph (c)"; (e) by the deletion of the following words and commas from subsection (4) ", subject to the provision of the said paragraphs of subsection (1) of this section,"; (f) by the deletion of paragraph (a) of subsection (7) and by the renumbering of paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e) as paragraphs "(a)", "(b)", "(c)" and "(d)" respectively; (g) by the substitution for the words "Colonial Secretary" in paragraph (b) of subsection (7) of the word "Minister"; and (h) by the deletion of the words "of paragraph (a)" in subsection (8).

Made in Council this 2nd day of July, 1953.

M. S. PORCHER, Clerk to the Executive Council.