# THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 20TH FEBRUARY, 1993 LEGAL SUPPLEMENT - B

GUYANA

No. 1 of 1993

### ORDER

Made Under

## THE IMMIGRATION ACT

(Cap. 14:02)

IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED UPON ME BY SECTION 5 OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT, I HEREBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDER:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Immigration (Passports) Order 1993 and shall come into operation on 15th February, 1993.

Citation and commencement.

2. Except as otherwise provided in this order, the passport of a subject or citizen of any foreign country shall not be accepted as s uch under section 5 of the Act, unless it bears a Guyanese consular visa valid for Guyana. Visa required except in cases specified,

3. Clause 2 shall not apply —

Excemptions

Schedule

- (a) where the passport is issued by any of the countries specified in the Schedule;
- (b) where the passport is issued by a Commonwealth country, other than a country specified in the

Schedule, and the law of that country is such as to ensure entry of Guyanese subjects or citizens in that country on presentation of their Guyanese passports without the need for a visa from that country;

- (c) where a passport is exempted by the Minister from the requirements of this order; or
- (d) where the passport falls within the provisions of a Visa Abolition Agreement for the time being in force;

other Exemptions,

- 4. (1) Clause 2 shall not apply to
  - (a) diplomatic or service passports issued by the Government of Venezuela to a subject or citizen of Venezuela who is a member of the Embassy, or a member of the consular post, of Venezuela in Guyana;
  - (b) diplomatic or service passports issued by the Government of Venezuela to a subject or citizen of Venezuela, not being a member of the Embassy or of the consular post of Venezuela in Guyana, who is travelling through Guyana for official purposes on behalf of the Government of Venezuela:

Provided that such subject or citizen seeking to enter Guyana proposes to remain therein only for a period not exceeding one month from the date of his entry into Guyana and after entering Guyana remains therein only for a period not exceeding the aforesaid period of one month or such further period as the Government of Guyana may allow at the request of the Embassy of Venezuela in Guyana.

(2) In paragraph (1), the expression "member of the consular post" has the same meaning as in the Privileges and Immunities (Diplomatic, Consular and International Organisations) Act.

Cap, 18:01

Revocation.

The Immigration (Passports) Order 1984 is hereby revoked.

#### **SCHEDULE**

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## **COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES**

Antigua and Barbuda The Bahamas Barbados Belize Dominica Grenada Jamaica Montserrat Saint Christopher and Nevis Saint Lucia St. Vincent and Grenadines Trinidad and Tobago United Kingdom Canada Australia New Zealand

# OTHER FOREIGN COUNTRIES

United States of America Portugal Belgium Spain France Denmark Norway Germany Sweden Greece Finland Ireland Suriname Italy Japan Luxembourg The Netherlands

Democratic People's Republic of Korea. Republic of Korea

Made this 12th day of February, 1993.

Feroze Mohamed; Minister of Home Affairs.