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REGULATIONS

MADE UNDER

THE BRITISH GUIANA (CONSTITUTION) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1953 IN PURSUANCE OF SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 87 OF THE BRITISH GUIANA (CONSTITUTION) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1953, AS INSERTED BY SECTION 25 OF THE BRITISH GUIANA (CONSTITUTION) (TEMPORARY PROVISIONS) (AMENDMENT) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1956, THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE BY THE GOVERNOR WITH THE CONSENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE:—

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Delegation of Powers (Prison Officers) Regulations, 1960.
- 2. Unless the context otherwise requires words and expressions used in these Regulations shall have the same respective meanings as in the Prison Ordinance, 1957.*
- 3. The powers conferred upon the Governor by subsection (1) of section 87 of the British Guiana (Constitution) Order in Council, 1953, as set out in the second column hereunder are hereby delegated to the officers of the British Guiana Prison Service as set out in the first column hereunder.

Public Officer

Power delegated

- (1) Deputy Director of Prisons, Superintendent of Prisons, and Assistant Superintendent of Prisons.
- (a) power to interdict from duty any member of the subordinate staff of a prison pending the decision of the Director;
 (b) power to award the following punishments to any member of the subordinate
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(i) reduction in rank;

- (ii) forfeiture of not more than seven days' pay;
- (iii) performance of up to four days' extra duty;
- (iv) severe reprimand;
- (v) reprimand.
- (a) power to interdict from duty any member
- of the subordinate staff of a prison;

 (b) power to award the following punishments to members of the subordinate staff of a prison in respect of disciplinary offences, subject to a right of appeal to the Governor
 - (i) reduction in rank;

⁽²⁾ Director of Prisons.

- (ii) forfeiture of not more than fourteen days' pay;
- (iii) performance of up to six days' extra duty;
- (iv) severe reprimand;
- (v) reprimand.
- (c) power at any time during the probationary period to dispense with the services of any member of the subordinate staff if the Director considers that he is not fitted physically or mentally to perform the duties of his office or that he is not likely to become an efficient or well-conducted officer.
- 4. The instrument of delegation made in pursuance of subsection (3) of section 87 of the British Guiana (Constitution) Order in Council, 1953, as inserted by section 25 of the British Guiana (Constitution) (Temporary Provisions) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1956, and dated the 8th January, 1958, is hereby revoked in so far as it relates to the delegation of powers to officers of the British Guiana Prison Service.

Made this 31st day of December, 1960.

R. F. A. GREY, Governor.