THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE--19TH SEPTEMBER, 1981 **LEGAL SUPPLEMENT--B**

GUYANA No. 22 of 1981

REGULATIONS Made Under THE DEFENCE ACT

(Cap. 15:01)

- IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED UPON THE DEFENCE BOARD BY SECTION 212 OF THE DEFENCE ACT, THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS ARE HEREBY MADE BY THAT BOARD:—
- 1. These Regulations, which amend the Defence (Pen-Citation. sions and Gratuities) Regulations* may be cited as the Defence (Pensions and Gratuities) (Amendment) Regulations 1981.
- Regulation 12 of the Principal Regulations is hereby Amendment amended in the following respects
 - by substituting, in paragraph (2), a colon for the Principal Regulations. full stop at the end and inserting thereafter the following proviso
 - "Provided that no such approval shall be required when the President is the competent appointing authority in relation to any officer.";
 - (ii) by inserting, after paragraph (2), the following paragraphs as paragraphs (3) and (4) -
 - '(3) In paragraph (2) "competent appointing authority", means -
 - (a) in relation to an officer, the Minister;
 - in relation to a soldier, the Chief of Staff or any other officer of the Force duly authorised by the Chief of Staff.
 - (4) Without prejudice to the provisions of paragraph (2), the approval required under that paragraph for permitting an officer or soldier to continue as a member of the force may be given also by -

*Cap. 15:01 Subsidiary Legislation.

- (a) the President in the case of an officer or soldier; and
- (b) the Head of the Presidential Secretariat in the case of a soldier.'.
- Amendment 3. Regulation 16 of the Principal Regulations is hereby of regulation amended by substituting the words "Defence Board" for the Principal Regulations. word "Board".
- Amendment of regulation 22 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by renumbering it as paragraph (1) of that regulation Principal Regulations. following paragraph as paragraph (2) Regulation 22 of the Principal Regulations is hereby , following paragraph as paragraph (2) —
 - "(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of paragraph (1), the functions conferred on the Defence Board by regulations 15 to 221 (inclusive) may be exercised also by the Head of the Presidential Secretariat.".

Made this 10th day of September, 1981.

L. F. S. Burnham, President, Chairman Defence Board.

P. A. Reid, Prime Minister Member Defence Board.

S. S. Naraine. Vice-President, Works and Transport, Member Defence Board.

M. Shahabuddeen, Attorney General and Minister of Justice, Member Defence Board.

> S. Moore, Minister of Home Affairs, Member Defence Board.

N. G. Mc Lean. Chief of Staff, Guyana Defence Force. **Member** Defence Board.