## NINTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYNA FIRST SESSION (2006-2007) NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

## **RESOLUTION NO. 35**

WHEREAS the Standing Committee, to address matters relating to the appointment of members of Commissions established under the Constitution appointed by the Committee of Selection on 14th December, 2006 and pursuant to article 119C of the Constitution, met on eleven (11) consecutive occasions for the purpose of identifying such bodies, as appear to it to "represent the majority of the members of the Police Force and any other such body it deems fit" for consultation in the nominations of four Members to the Police Service Commission to be appointed in accordance with article 210 (1) (c) of the Constitution;

AND WHEREAS the majority of the members of the Committee of Appointments, comprising of the PPP/C and AFC members, are of the view that the National Commission on Law and Order and the National Executive of the Community Policing Groups appear as bodies it deems fit to submit nominees for consideration on the Police Service Commission by the Standing Committee of Appointments of Members of Commissions;

AND WHEREAS the People's National Congress Reform-One Guyana does not accept that the Terms of Reference of the National Commission of Law and Order allow for their inclusion in the consultative process nor does it agree to the inclusion of the National Executive of the Community Policing Groups;

AND WHEREAS the Committee in its Special Report to the National Assembly has reported on the differences of views on the matter of the inclusion of these two bodies in addition to the Police Association and the Association of Former Police Officers in the consultation process to submit nominees for the consideration of the Committee of Appointments to the Police Service Commission;

AND WHEREAS the Committee has referred the matter for consideration and guidance to include the National Commission of Law and Order and the National Executive of the Community Policing Groups to the National Assembly,

## NOW THEREFORE RESOLVED,

That the National Assembly determines that the National Commission on Law and Order and the National Executive of the Community Policing Groups be among the bodies that appear as bodies it deems fit to submit nominees to the Police Service Commission.

Passed by the National Assembly on Friday, 27th July, 2007.

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