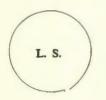
GUYANA

SEAL No. 92 of 1968

A COMMISSION TO INQUIRE INTO CERTAIN ASPECTS OF THE POLICE FORCE



By His Excellency SIR DAVID JAMES GARDINER ROSE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander in the Royal Victorian Order, Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Guyana.

D. J. G. ROSE,

Governor-General.

WHEREAS it is provided by the Commissions of Inquiry Ordinance, Chapter 59, that it shall be lawful for the Governor-General whenever he shall deem it advisable to issue a Commission appointing two or more Commissioners and authorising such Commissioners or any quorum of them therein mentioned to inquire. inter alia, into any matter in which an inquiry would, in his opinion, be for the public welfare;

AND WHEREAS I am of opinion that it would be for the public welfare that an inquiry should be held into certain aspects of the Police Force in Guyana;

NOW THEREFORE by virtue of the powers conferred by the said Ordinance and of all powers enabling me in that behalf. I do hereby issue this Commission and appoint DR. BERTRAM A. N. COLLINS. HAROLD BARRING-TON DAVIS. ESOUIRE. DR. BALWANT SINGH. WAINWRIGHT KING, ESQUIRE and JOHN THEOPHILUS CLARKE. ESQUIRE, Q.C. to be Commissioners under the said Ordinance, and I hereby authorise the said Commissioners —

- (1) to receive representations upon and inquire into and make recommendations on :---
 - (i) the recruitment of members of the Police Force in an Independent Guyana;
 - (ii) the principles on which the salaries of members of the Police Force should be fixed and the machinery for salary determination;
 - (iii) any other matters that may be deemed relevant to the above.

(2) to furnish the Governor-General a full statement of the proceedings of the Commission and of the reasons leading to the conclusions so reported.

I DIRECT that DR. BERTRAM A. N. COLLINS shall be the Chairman of the Commissioners:

AND I FURTHER DIRECT that if for any reason DR. BERTRAM A. N. COLLINS shall be unable to perform the functions of Chairman, HAROLD BARRINGTON DAVIS, ESQUIRE shall be Chairman of the Commissioners:

AND I FURTHER DIRECT that the Chairman and any two Commissioners shall constitute a quorum under the said Ordinance:

AND I FURTHER DIRECT that the inquiry shall be held at Georgetown and any other place to which the inquiry may from time to time be adjourned by the Commissioners.

> Given under my Hand and the Public Seal of Guyana at Guyana House, Georgetown, Guyana, this 4th day of April, 1968, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command.

R. A. CHEONG, Secretary to the Office of the Governor-General.