# THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 11<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2025 LEGAL SUPPLEMENT — C

## BILL No. 3 of 2025

# Tuesday 11th February, 2025

PARLIAMENT OFFICE Public Buildings, Georgetown, Guyana.

11th February, 2025.

The following Bill which will be introduced in the National Assembly is published for general information.

S.E. Isaacs, Clerk of the National Assembly.



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## **COURT OF APPEAL (AMENDMENT) BILL 2025**

## **ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

## SECTION

- 1. Short title.
- 2. Amendment of section 34 of the Principal Act.

# A BILL Intituled

AN ACT to amend the Court of Appeal Act.

A.D. 2025 Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana: -

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Short title. 1. This Act, which amends the Court of Appeal Act, may be cited as the Court of Appeal (Amendment) Act 2025.

Amendment of<br/>section 34 of the<br/>Principal Act.2. Section 34(1) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for the word<br/>"nine" the word "eleven".

#### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend section 34(1) of the Court of Appeal Act, Cap. 3:01. Presently, this section provides that the judges of the Court of Appeal shall include not less than five and not more than nine Justices of Appeal.

**Clause 2 of this Bill** amends section 34(1) of the Principal Act to increase the maximum number of Justices of Appeal from nine to eleven.

Hon. Mohabin mit Nandlall, SC, MP Attorney General and **Minister of Legal Affairs** 

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