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BILL No. 19 of 2005

Thursday 10th November, 2005

PARLIAMENT OFFICE, Public Buildings, Georgetown, Guyana.

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

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



BILL No. 19 of 2005

LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ELECTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2005

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

- 1. Short title and commencement...
- 2. Amendment of section 36A of the Principal Act.

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A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to amend the Local Authorities (Elections) Act to provide for the postponement of elections of councillors of local democratic organs.

A.D. 2005

Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:-

Short title and commencement Cap.28:03

1. This Act, which amends the Local Authorities (Elections) Act, may be cited as the Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Act 2005 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st November, 2005.

Amendment of section 36A of the Principal Act. 2. Section 36A (1) of the Principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution for the words "ninety -six months," of the words "one hundred and eight months", and this amendment shall apply only to the next local government elections to elect members of local democratic organs now to be held on or before 1st December, 2006 in consequence of this amendment.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to extend the date for the holding of the next local government elections to elect members of local democratic organs. Such elections which are to be held at anytime on or before 1st December, 2005 may now be held within twelve months of that date.

Manipersand Nokta

Minister of Local Government and Regional Development.