

Singapore Sports Council (Amendment) Bill

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An Act to amend the Singapore Sports Council Act, 1973 (No. 44 of 1973).

Be it enacted by the president with the advice and consent of the Parliament of Singapore, as follows: —

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Singapore Sports Council (Amendment) Act, 1977.

Repeal and re-enactment of section 16

2. Section 16 of the Singapore Sports Council Act, 1973, is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor: —

“Pension schemes, provident fund, etc.

16.—(1) The Council may, with the approval of the Minister, make rules for the establishment of a scheme or schemes for the payment of pensions, gratuities, provident fund or other superannuation benefits to such employees or classes of employees of the Council as it may determine, or to their legal personal representatives or dependants, on the death or retirement of such employees from the service of the Council or on their otherwise leaving the service of the Council.

(2) The following provisions shall apply to any scheme established under this section: —

- (a) no assurance on the life of any contributor under any such scheme, and no moneys or other benefits payable under any such assurance, and no payment made under any such scheme to any person who has been employed by the Council, shall be assignable or transferable, or liable to be garnished, attached, sequestered or levied upon for or in respect of any debt or claim other than a debt due to the Council or to the Government;
- (b) no donation by the Council or contribution by its officers and employees made under any such scheme and no interest thereon shall be assignable or transferable or liable to be garnished, attached, sequestered or levied upon for or in respect of any debt or claim other than a debt due to the Council or to the Government;
- (c) no such donation, contribution or interest shall be subject to the debts of the contributor, nor shall such donation, contribution or interest pass to the Official Assignee on the bankruptcy of such contributor, but, if such contributor is adjudicated a bankrupt or is declared insolvent by a court, such donation, contribution or interest shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be deemed to be subject to a trust in favour of the persons entitled thereto on the death of the contributor;
- (d) the bankruptcy of a contributor shall not affect the making of deductions from the salary of the contributor in accordance with any such scheme, but such deductions shall continue to be made notwithstanding the provisions of any written law, and the portion of