

Parliamentary Elections (Amendment) Bill

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An Act to amend the Parliamentary Elections Act (Chapter 50 of the 1970 Revised Edition).

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 Parliamentary Elections (Amendment) Act, 1971.

Amendment of section 10

2. Subsection (1) of section 10 of the Parliamentary Elections Act (hereinafter in this Act referred to as “the principal Act”) is hereby amended —

- (a) by deleting the figures “1967” appearing in the second line thereof and substituting therefor the figures “1971”;
- (b) by deleting the figures “99” appearing in the sixth line thereof and substituting therefor the figures “100”; and
- (c) by deleting the figures “1967” appearing in the eighth line thereof and substituting therefor the figures “1971”.

Amendment of section 13

3. Section 13 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting immediately after subsection (3) thereof the following new subsection: —

“(4) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, the Registration Officer may, before certifying any register of electors, transfer the name of any person who is no longer resident at the address shown in such register to the appropriate register, provided that such person has notified the Commissioner appointed under the National Registration Act (Cap. 45) in writing of his change of residence on or before the last day for the inspection of the register of electors specified in the notice given by the Registration Officer under subsection (4) of section 10 of this Act.”.

Amendment of section 15

4. Subsection (1) of section 15 of the principal Act is hereby amended by deleting the figures “1967” appearing in the second line thereof and substituting therefor the figures “1971”.

Amendment of First Schedule

5. The First Schedule to the principal Act is hereby amended by deleting Forms 9 and