

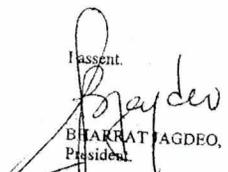
THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 21ST JANUARY, 2009
LEGAL SUPPLEMENT — A



GUYANA

ACT No. 23 of 2008

LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ELECTIONS) (AMENDMENT) ACT 2008

In assent.

BHARRAT JAGDEO,
President.
January 21st, 2009

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title and commencement.
2. Amendment of section 36A of the Principal Act.
3. Mayors, Deputy Mayors, etc.

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

A.D. 2008

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 2008 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st November, 2008.

Amendment of section 36A of the Principal Act.

2. Section 36A (1) of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution for the words "eleven years" of the words "twelve years", 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, 2009 in consequence of this amendment.

Mayors, Deputy Mayors etc.

3. Notwithstanding anything in section 2 or in any other provision of the Principal Act, the Minister may on request of a local democratic organ or on his instructions authorize the holding of election at any time for the election of a Mayor, Deputy Mayor or a Chairman or a Deputy Chairman of a local democratic organ.

Passed by the National Assembly on 29th December, 2008.


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

(BILL No. 24/2008)