#### LAWS OF GUYANA

# CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (REMUNERATION OF HOLDERS) ACT CHAPTER 27:11

#### Act 26 of 1962

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Note on Repeal

This Act repealed Ordinance (33 of 1928)

#### **CHAPTER 27:11**

## CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (REMUNERATION OF HOLDERS) ACT

#### ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

#### SECTION

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SCHEDULE—Salaries prescribed

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26 of 1962

An Act to prescribe the salaries and allowances payable to the holders of certain offices under the Constitution.

[31ST DECEMBER, 1962]

Short title. [O. 38/1966A] **1**. This Act may be cited as the Constitutional Offices (Remuneration of Holders) Act.

Salaries prescribed. Schedule.

- **2.** (1) The amounts specified in the Schedule in relation to the persons holding the offices specified therein, are hereby prescribed as the salaries payable annually to the said persons.
- (2) The amounts aforesaid shall grow due and become payable monthly on the last day of each month in the year:

Provided that -

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- (a) the amounts so to be paid for or in respect of each month shall not exceed the aggregate amount of all such salaries for the month, the monthly salary of a person holding an office aforesaid being one-twelfth of his annual salary;
- (b) where a person is appointed to be a member of more than one Service Commission, he shall only be entitled to be paid salary as prescribed in respect of his membership of one Service Commission, and where the amount of salary prescribed for members of the respective Service Commissions is not the same, the said person shall be entitled to be paid whichever amount of salary is greater or greatest, as the case may be.
- (3) In this section, the expression "Service Commission" means the Judicial Service Commission or the Public Service Commission or the Police Service Commission established under the Constitution.

Allowances. Schedule. **3.** There shall be paid to the holder of any office specified in the Schedule such allowances as may from time to time be prescribed by order of the Minister responsible for finance (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister").

Exemption from customs duties of goods imported by the President. **4.** No customs duties or bill of entry tax shall be charged, levied or paid on goods imported by or on behalf of the President for his personal use.

Power to amend

5. Subject to negative resolution of the National

Schedule. O. 38/1966A. Assembly, the Minister may from time to time, by order, amend the provisions of the Schedule.

Retrospective operation of orders made under section 3 and 5.

**6.** Any order made under section 3 or 5 may contain provisions authorising the payment of the allowance or salary from a date earlier than the date on which the order is published in the *Gazette*, and such earlier date may be a date prior to the commencement of this Act.

**SCHEDULE** 

ss. 2, 3, 5. [O. 13/1963 27/1965 37/1965 25/1966A 38/1967 32/1967 70/1973 44/1974]

(a) The Chancellor—
Salary...... \$25,000

(b) The Chief Justice—
Salary...... \$24,000

(c) Every Justice of Appeal—
Salary...... \$21,600

(d) Every Puisne Judge— Salary...... \$18,000

The Ombudsman—Salary \$21,600

The Director of Public Prosecutions—
Salary....... \$21,600

Every other member of the Elections Commission Salary	\$ 4,200
The Chairman of the Public Service Commission Salary	\$15,000
The Deputy Chairman of the Public Service Commission and every member, other than the Chairman, performing full-time duties with the Commission—Salary	\$ 9,000
Every other member of the Public Service Commission performing part-time duties with the Commission—Salary	\$ 6,000
Every appointed member of the Judicial Service Commission who is not a Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature—Salary	\$ 6,000
Every appointed member of the Police Service Commission Salary	\$ 1,200
The Director of Audit—Salary	\$18,000
The Commissioner of Police – Salary	\$15,000

#### SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

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### CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (HOLDERS' ALLOWANCES) ORDER

made under section 3

Citation [O.38/1968A]

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Constitutional Offices (Holders' Allowances) Order.

Interpretation.

**2**. In this Order, the expression "Service Commission" means the Commission or the Public Service Commission or the Service Commission established under the Constitution.

President's Allowances. [O.15/1969 71/1973 45/1974] Duty Allowances. [71/1973 3/1980]

- **3**. The President shall be paid a duty allowance of twelve thousand dollars per annum and an entertainment allowance at twelve thousand...
- **4**. The person holding the respective offices specified hereunder shall be paid duty allowances at the rate specified hereunder in respect of those offices —

The Chancellor... ... \$6,000 per annum

#### Constitutional Offices (Remuneration of Holders)

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(2)

The

Chairman of

the

Public

Constitutional Offices (Holders' Allowances) Order

The Chief Justice \$4,800 per annum Every Justice of Appeal, the Ombudsman and the Director of Public Prosecutions..... \$3,900 per annum. Every Puisne Judge and the Director of Audit \$3,300 per annum Allowances 5. [Omitted] for chauffeurs. [0. 26/1966 A 4/1966B 59/1968 56/1972 71/1973 45/1974 62/1975 110/1975 3/1980] 6. (1) [Omitted] Travelling Allowances. [O. 38/1966A 4/1966B 2/1969 15/1972 29/1972 45/1974 57/1974 61/1974 110/1975 3/1980] 7. (1) The Judges of the Supreme Court, the Subsistence allowances. Ombudsman, the Director of Public Prosecutions and the [O. 26/1966A Director of Audit shall be paid subsistence allowance at the 38/1966A rate of twenty dollars per day subject to the conditions of 4/1966B payment from time to time applying to officers in the public 2/1969

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Commission and the Commissioner of Police, shall be paid subsistence allowance at the rate of \$4.50 per day for the first 28 days, \$3.50 per day for the next 28 days, and \$2.25 per day thereafter, subject to the conditions of payment from time to time applying to Heads of Departments in the public service.

(3) Every appointed member of the Judicial Service Commission who is not a judge of the Supreme Court, every member of the Public Service Commission other than the Chairman thereof and every appointed member of the Police Service Commission, shall be paid subsistence allowance at the rate of \$4.00 per day for the first 28 days \$3.00 per day for the next 28 days and \$2.00 per day thereafter, subject to the conditions of payment from time to time applying to officers in the public service to whom the aforesaid rates are payable as subsistence allowance.

Entertainment allowance. [3/1980]

8. [Omitted]

Telephone allowances. [3/1980]

9. [Omitted]

House allowances. [O. 26/1966A 4/1966B 59/1968 2/1969 29/1972 10. [Omitted]

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[O. 57/1974]

**SCHEDULE** 

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The area bounded as follows:

On the North By the Atlantic Ocean.

On the South By the southern boundary of

Plantation Rome.

On the East By the eastern boundary of the

Company Path on the eastern side of Plantation Cummings Lodge (west of Ogle Airstrip

Road).

On the West By the right Bank of the

Demerara River.

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