ORDINANCE No. 17 OF 1957 PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE. 1957.

I assent.

F. D. JAKEWAY,

Officer Administering the Government.

23rd May, 1957.

Arrangement of Sections

Section.

- Short title. 1.
- 2. Amendment of section 4 of Chapter 160.
- 3. Amendment of section 9 of Chapter 160.
- Validation of awards of pensions and gratuities.

An Ordinance to amend the Public Free Library Ordinance. [**25**th **M**ay, 1957.]

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana:--

A.D. 1957. Short title.

This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Free Library (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be construed and read as one with the Public Free Library Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance, and any Ordinance amending the same.

Cap. 160.

Section 4 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion between the words "maintained" and "out" of the words "and all pensions and gratuities awarded be paid".

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160.

3. Section 9 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

(a) by the insertion therein after subsection (2) of the

following new subsection ---

"(3) The Committee may, in accordance with any regulations that the Committee may make for this purpose, award pensions and gratuities to any of its officers or servants, and such pensions and gratuities shall be paid out of the moneys provided under the provisions of section 4 of this Ordinance.";

- (b) by the renumbering of subsection (3) as subsection (4) and the substitution for the words "The regulations" appearing therein of the words regulations made under the provisions of this section".
- 4. All awards and payments of pensions and gratuities made validation by the Committee to any of its officers or servants prior to the commencement of this Ordinance, shall be, and are hereby deemed gratuities. to have been validly made.