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THE PEACE (EXTENSION OF JURISDICTION) BILL 1992

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AN ACT to provide for the extension of the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace for a limited period,

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This Act may be cited as the Justices of the Peace (Ex-Short title. tension of Jurisdiction) Act 1992.

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2(1) Notwithstanding anything in any written law, every Justice of the Peace, including an ex offico Justice of the Peace, whose appointment is limited to a part of Guyana, is hereby deemed a Justice of the Peace in and for the whole of Guyana, for the period commencing on the date of the proclamations by the President under the Constitution appointing the date of the general vidential election and regional elections this year and ending two weeks after the aforesaid date.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in any written law, the appointment of an ex officio Justice of the Peace, which would come to an end during the period referred to in subsection (1) on account of his retirement from the office, by virtue of which he became an ex officio Justice of the Peace, shall be deemed to continue until the end of the period referred to in subsection (1).

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

It is considered desirable, in furtherance of the electoral process, that the limited jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace should be extended to embrace the whole of Guyana.

This should apply as well to Justices of the Peace who hold their appointments by virtue of their offices.

This Bill seeks to provide accordingly.

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