TENTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA – FIRST SESSION (2012)

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY** 

**NOTICE PAPER NO. 22** 

**Member Giving Notice:** 

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**MOTION** 

**COMPOSITION OF THE PARLIAMENTARY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE** 

WHEREAS Standing Order No. 85(1) makes provision for the appointment of a

Parliamentary Management Committee as soon as may be after the beginning of each National

Assembly;

AND WHEREAS Standing Order No. 85(2) provides that the Parliamentary

Management Committee shall comprise ten (10) members, five (5) representing the Government

and five (5) representing the Opposition to be nominated by the Committee of Selection, with the

Speaker as the Chair, and if the latter is not a member of the Committee, he or she shall not have

an original or casting vote;

AND WHEREAS the provision of the said Standing Order No. 85(2) could lead to

gridlock and impasse in the work of the Parliamentary Management Committee,

BE IT RESOLVED:

That Standing Order No. 85(2) be amended to provide that the

composition of the Parliamentary Management Committee shall be nine (9)

members; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That representation on the nine (9) member Parliamentary Management

Committee shall be determined in accordance with the seat allocation to the

Political Parties in the Assembly.

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