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MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL 2016 ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

- 1. Short title.
- 2. Amendment of the Principal Act.

A BILL Intituled

AN ACT to amend the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act.

A. <u>D.20</u> 16]	Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:-	
Short title.	1.	This Act, which amends the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, may be	
Cap 51:02		cited as the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Act 2016.	
Amendment of the Principal Act.	2.	The provisions of the Principal Act specified in column one of the Table are	
		amended in the manner specified in the corresponding entries in column two.	

TABLE

SECTION	AMENDMENT	
Section 9(1)(b)	(a) by substituting for the words "registration, the prescribed fee" the words "registration and the prescribed fee";	
	(b) by deleting immediately after the words "prescribed fees" the words "and a certificate of the Commissioner-General Guyana Revenue Authority stating that the registered owner has in accordance with section 60 of the Income Tax Act delivered to the Commissioner General Guyana Revenue Authority all his returns, including the return for the preceding year of income, and has paid all taxes due and payable to the Commissioner by him or has made arrangements to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for the payment of all such taxes that	
	are due and payable".	

First Schedule B-Other Fees Section 9- For	(a) by substituting for section 9 the following -		
transfer of registration	"of motor cycles	\$5000	
	of other motor vehicles	\$25,000 or two percent of selling price or current valuation,	
		whichever is greater "	
First Schedule	by inserting immediately after the re	ference to section 105 the following -	
B-Other Fees	by inserting immediately after the reference to section 105 the following - "For any permit or other document - (a) driving permits issued to drivers residing abroad but visiting Guyana temporarily- \$2,000;		
	(b) letter of authenticity for verification of drivers' licences - \$2,000.".		

EXPLANATORY MOMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend Section 9 of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, Chapter 51:02, to dispense with the requirement for Motor Vehicle Compliance from the Revenue Authority.

This Bill also seeks to amend the First Schedule to the Act by increasing fees for the transfer of motor cycles and other motor vehicles and by imposing fees for the issuance of letters of Authenticity and driving permits by the Revenue Authority

Hon. Winston Jordan, MP

Minister of Finance