

(d) substituting -

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| 1. JONES, JOHN PETER Shopkeeper | |
| 2. ROBINSON, PETER FREDERICK Carpenter | |

for the last six lines of Form No. 17;
(e) substituting "(6)" for "(5)" in the first line of Form No. 20.

Amendment of Third
Schedule.

16. The Third Schedule to the principal Law is amended by substituting the following for rule 18 of the Elections Rules -

"Receipt of
covering
envelopes.

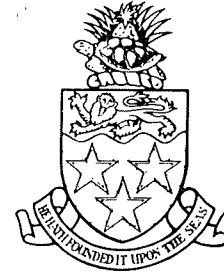
18. The Returning Officer shall, immediately upon receipt (either by hand or by post) of a covering envelope before the close of the poll, place it unopened in a postal voters' box locked and sealed in accordance with rule 16."

Passed the Legislative Assembly this 25th day of February, 1987.

PETER LLOYD
President.

GEORGETTE MYRIE
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

CAYMAN ISLANDS



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THE ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) LAW, 1987
(LAW 2 OF 1987)

Amendment of
Second Schedule.

15. The Second Schedule to the principal Law is amended by -

- (a) inserting "without partiality, fear, favour or affection," immediately after "1983" in the fifth line of Form No. 11;
- (b) substituting the following for the fourth to eleventh lines of paragraph 2 of Form No. 15 -

"For example, supposing JOHN PETER JONES and PETER FREDERICK ROBINSON are the candidates for election and the voter wishes to vote for JONES, he must place a cross opposite JONES' name as follows:-

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| 1. JONES, JOHN PETER Shopkeeper | X |
| 2. ROBINSON, PETER FREDERICK Carpenter | . |

(c) substituting the following for Form No. 16 -

**"FORM NO. 16
POLL BOOK** **Sections 2 and 24 (4)**

| Consecutive number given each voter as he applies for ballot | Particulars of Voters | | | | | | Particulars of persons applying for Ballot papers after another person has voted as such person | | | | | Remarks |
|--|-----------------------|------------|----------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|------|--|------------------------|---|---------|
| | Name of voter | Occupation | Postal Address | Consecutive No. of voters on list of voters | Form of oaths if any voter is required to swear | (a) Record that oath sworn or refused | (b) Record that voter has voted | Name | Consecutive No. of voter on list of voters | Record that oath sworn | Objections if any made on behalf of any candidate | |
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(a) If sworn insert "sworn", and number of the Oath; if refused insert "refused to be sworn".
 (b) When Ballot put into Ballot Box insert "voted.";

Amendment of s.27.

9. Section 27 of the principal Law is amended, in subsection (4), by substituting "23" for "24" in -

- (a) the second line; and
- (b) the margin.

Amendment of s.34.

10. Section 34 of the principal Law is amended by substituting "at least one" for "the" where that word first appears in the second line of subsection (1).

Amendment of s.35.

11. Section 35 of the principal Law is amended by inserting "(1)" immediately after "42" in the last line of subsection (1).

Amendment of s.39.

12. Section 39 of the principal Law is amended by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (b) of subsection (1) -

"(ba) a voter is unable or likely to be unable to go in person to the polling station due to his absence for whatever reason outside the Islands;"

Insertion of new s.40A.

13. The principal Law is amended by inserting the following new section immediately after section 40 -

"Spoilt postal ballot paper.

40A. An absent voter who has inadvertently so dealt with his ballot paper that it cannot conveniently be used may restore it or cause it to be restored by hand to the returning officer, who shall cancel it by writing the word "spoiled" across the face of it and forthwith placing it in a sealed packet. The returning officer shall then, unless such ballot paper is restored to him too late for another ballot paper to be delivered or sent to the absent voter before the close of the poll, deliver or send another ballot paper to him."

Amendment of s.47.

14. Section 47 of the principal Law is amended by substituting "48" for "18" in the last line of subsection (3).

CAYMAN ISLANDS

Law 2 of 1987

I Assent

PETER LLOYD

Governor

6th April, 1987

**A LAW TO AMEND THE ELECTIONS LAW, 1983.
(LAW 36 OF 1983)**

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Cayman Islands.

Short title.

1. This Law may be cited as the Elections (Amendment) Law, 1987.

Amendment of s. 2.

2. Section 2 of the Elections Law, 1983 in this Law referred to as the principal Law, is amended by inserting the following new definition immediately after the definition of "election" in subsection (1) -

"election agent" shall be a voter in the same electoral district as that in which the candidate for whom he is the agent has been nominated;"

Insertion of new s.3A.

3. The principal Law is amended by inserting the following new section immediately after section 3 -

"Appointment, powers and duties of Deputy Supervisor.

3A. The Governor shall appoint a public officer to be Deputy Supervisor of Elections who, subject to the general direction and supervision of the Supervisor and subject to such conditions, exceptions and qualifications as he may direct and unless by this or any other law

expressly prohibited from so doing, shall have and may exercise such of the functions, powers and duties conferred or imposed upon the Supervisor by this Law as the Supervisor may in writing delegate to him.”.

Amendment of s.11.

4. Section 11 of the principal Law is amended by substituting a colon for the fullstop in the sixth line of paragraph (c) of subsection (2), and by adding the following proviso immediately after that colon -

“Provided that he may, at any time, at a place to be notified by him in the Gazette -

- (a) on the application of that person, register any person so qualified;
- (b) on his own motion, register any person so qualified who he is satisfied is unable to attend that place by reason either of blindness or any other physical incapacity.”.

Amendment of s.12.

5. Section 12 of the principal Law is amended by substituting “record” for “write down” in the second line of subsection (1).

Amendment of s.18.

6. Section 18 of the principal Law is amended by -

(a) inserting the following three new subsections immediately after subsection (6) -

“(6A) If at four o’clock in the afternoon the number of candidates nominated in an electoral district is less than the number of members to be returned, the returning officer shall declare the nominated candidate or candidates (if there are any) elected and shall immediately thereafter certify by endorsement on the writ the return of such candidate or candidates, as the case may be, in Form No. 9 and shall return the writ

Form No. 9

Amendment of s.19.

7. Section 19 of the principal Law is amended by substituting -

- (a) “returning officer” for “returning office” in the second line of subsection (3);
- (b) “(7)” for “(1)” in the second line of subsection (4).

Amendment of s.23.

8. Section 23 of the principal Law is amended by substituting “appointment” for “appintment” in the first line of subsection (2).

so endorsed to the Supervisor of Elections for transmission to the Governor within the time specified for that purpose.

(6B) The Governor shall thereupon, in respect of any seat or seats in an electoral district for which no candidate or candidates have been declared elected under an election to which subsection (6A) applies, issue a writ under the Public Seal addressed to the returning officer of that district in Form No. 6 in respect of any seat or seats not filled at that election and thereupon, subject, to subsection (6C), the provisions of this Part shall apply mutatis mutandis to that election.

Form No. 6

(6C) In the case of any election to which subsection (6B) applies, subsection (2) of section 17 shall have effect as if the words “less than six weeks” in the third line were substituted by the words “more than three months.”;

- (b) substituting “ten” for “three” in the first line of subsection (7);
- (c) deleting “of” where it first appears in the seventh line of subsection (8).