

THE EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) ACT 1977

Act No. 33 of 1977

I assent,

15th December 1977.

General

W. H. GARRIOCH

Acting Governor-

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Short title.
2. Interpretation.
3. Section 33 of the Ordinance amended.
4. Award of 1975 scholarships for post-secondary studies validated.
5. Award of 1975 and 1976 Junior Scholarships validated.

To amend the Education Ordinance, 1957

(17th December).

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows-

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Education (Amendment) Act 1977.

Interpretation

2. In this Act-

"Ordinance " means the Education Ordinance, 1957.

Section 33 of the Ordinance amended

3. Section 33 of the Ordinance is amended-

(a) by deleting the marginal note and replacing it by the words "State of Mauritius Scholarship ";

(b) by deleting subsection (1) And replacing it by the following subsection-

(1) (a) The Minister shall, in accordance with regulation made under this Ordinance, award-

- (i) eight scholarships to boys; and
- (ii) eight scholarships to girls.

- (b) A scholarship awarded under paragraph (a) shall-
 - (i) be known as a State of Mauritius Scholarship;
 - (ii) be of such annual value, free of income tax, as the Minister may approve;
 - (iii) be tenable for such period as the Minister may determine to enable the laureates to pursue studies in Mauritius or in any other country approved by the Minister.
- (c) in subsection (2) by deleting the word "Governor-General" and replacing it by the word " Minister
- (d) in subsection (3) by deleting the word "Governor-General" and replacing it by the word " Minister ",
- (e) in subsection (4) by deleting the words "English Scholarships" and replacing them by the words "State of Mauritius Scholarships";
- (f) by deleting subsection (5)

Award of 1975 scholarships validated

- 4. The award of Scholarships made for post-secondary studies of in respect of the year 1975 shall be deemed to have been validly made and any monies paid or expenses incurred in respect of such. Scholarships shall be a charge on the Consolidated Fund.

Award of 1975 and 1976 Junior Scholarships validated

- 5. The award of Junior Scholarships made in respect of the years shall be deemed to have been validly made and any monies paid or expenses incurred in respect of such scholarships Junior shall be a charge on the Consolidated Fund.