

OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill would amend the *Magistrate's Courts Act*, Cap. 116A.

Arrangement of Sections

1. Short title
2. Amendment of section 17A of Cap. 116A

BARBADOS

A Bill entitled

An Act to amend the *Magistrate's Courts Act*.

ENACTED by the Parliament of Barbados as follows:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Magistrate's Courts (Amendment) Act, 2017*.

Amendment of section 17A of Cap. 116A

2. *Section 17A of the Magistrate's Court Act, in this Act referred to as the principal Act, is amended in subsection (1)(a) by deleting the words " a senior member of the Royal Barbados Police Force not below the rank of Sergeant" and substituting the words " a member of the Royal Barbados Police Force ".*

Read three times and passed the House of Assembly this
day of _____, 2017.

Speaker

Read three times and passed the Senate this _____ day of
, 2017.

President