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JAPHETH EDISON DELEVEAUX (PENSION) ACT, 2022

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUOUS SERVICE IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE OF JAPHETH EDISON DELEVEAUX

[Date of Assent - 5th May, 2022]

Enacted by the Parliament of The Bahamas

1. Short title.

This Act may be cited as the Japheth Edison Deleveaux (Pension) Act, 2022 and shall be construed as one with the Pensions Act (*Ch. 43*).

2. Bridging years of public service for computation of pension period.

Notwithstanding section 24 of the Pensions Act (*Ch. 43*), in computing the period of service in respect of which Japheth Edison Deleveaux may be granted a pension or gratuity, the period 1st June 1947 to 21st August 1956 shall be deemed to be unbroken service and continuous with the period of his public service of 6 August 1957 to 1992, and shall be taken into account.

2. Recalculation of the amount of pension or gratuity.

Having regard to the effluxion of time, and notwithstanding the payment of pension or gratuity to Japheth Edison Deleveaux in respect of his unbridged public service, his entitlement to pension or gratuity shall be recalculated at the rate applicable on his retirement in 1992 in respect of the continuous public service computed in accordance with section 2, and any difference shall be paid to the personal representative or executor of Japheth Edison Deleveaux to be distributed in accordance with his Will or on his Intestacy.

