

JAMAICA

No. 8—2002

I assent,

[L.S.]

H. F. COOKE,
Governor-General.

27th day of March, 2002.

AN ACT to Postpone the holding of a General Election under the Parish Councils Act and for purposes connected therewith.

[28th March, 2002]

BE IT ENACTED by The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Representatives of Jamaica, and by the authority of the same as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Parish Councils General Election (Postponement) Act, 2002, and shall be read and construed as one with the Parish Councils Act (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) and all amendments thereto.

Short title
and con-
struction.

Modifica-
tion of
principal
Act.

2. During the continuance in force of this Act, the principal Act shall be read and construed as if there were substituted for subsection (1) of section 8, the following subsection—

“ (1) A general election of councillors to serve on the Parish Council for each parish shall be held on such day or days not earlier than the 30th day of November, 2002 nor later than the 31st day of March, 2003, as the Governor-General in Council may by proclamation appoint.”.

Duration
of Act.

3. This Act shall continue in force until the 31st day of March, 2003, and shall then expire.

Repeal of
Parish
Councils
General
Election
(Postpone-
ment), Act,
2001.

4. The Parish Councils General Election (Postponement) Act, 2001, is hereby repealed.