

JAMAICA

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I assent,

[L.S.]

Governor-General

30th December 2008

ANACT to Amend the Retiring Allowances (Legislative Service) Act.

[31st December 2008]

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 Retiring Allowances (Legislative Service) (Amendment) Act, 2008, and shall be read and construed as one with the Retiring Allowances (Legislative Service) Act (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) and all amendments thereto, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1980.

Short title,
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Amendment
of section 9
of principal
Act

2. Section 9 of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) in subsection (3), by deleting the word "Where" and substituting therefor the words "Subject to subsection (4) and section 15, where"; and
- (b) by inserting next after subsection (3) the following as subsections (4) and (5)—
 - " (4) Subsection (3) shall not apply where—
 - (a) a refund has been made to any person under this section;
 - (b) subsequently, the person has served again as a legislator; and
 - (c) the person repays to the Accountant-General the amount refunded within twelve months next after the date of commencement of the subsequent service as a legislator or such longer period as the appropriate Minister may, in any case, allow.

(5) Any amount repaid under subsection (4) shall be paid into the Consolidated Fund."

Passed in the House of Representatives this 2nd day of December, 2008.

DELROY CHUCK
Speaker.

Passed in the Senate this 19th day of December, 2008.

O. HARDING, O.J. C.D. Q.C.

President.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the authenticated impression of the foregoing Act, and has been found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Act.

Clerk to the Houses of Parliament.