

THE POLICE (AMENDMENT) BILL
(No. of 2003)

Explanatory Memorandum

The main object of this Bill is to provide for police officers to form part of peace-keeping missions in any country in specific circumstances.

..... 2003

P.R. Bérenger, G.C.S.K
*Prime Minister, Minister of Defence &
Home Affairs, and Minister of External
Communications*

THE POLICE (AMENDMENT) BILL
(No. of 2003)

ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

Clause

1. Short title
2. Interpretation
3. Section 22 of principal Act amended

A BILL

To amend the Police Act

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows -

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Police (Amendment) Act 2003.

2. Interpretation

In this Act -

"principal Act" means the Police Act.

3. Section 22 of principal Act amended

Section 22 of the principal Act is amended by numbering the existing provision as subsection (1) and inserting the following subsection -

(2) Notwithstanding section 9, the Commissioner may require any officer to form part of a peace-keeping mission in any country where -

- (a) the peace-keeping mission will operate under the aegis of the United Nations or any other international or regional organization of which Mauritius is a member; and
- (b) Government has decided that Mauritius should participate in such a mission.