

No. 18] *Governor-General's Emoluments and Pensions* [2005.
(Amendment) Act

I ASSENT

[L.S.]

PEARLETTE LOUISY,
Governor-General.

13th September, 2005.

SAINT LUCIA

No. 18 of 2005

AN ACT to amend the Governor-General's Emoluments and Pensions
Act 1968, No. 4 of 1968.

[4th October, 2005]

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with
the advice and consent of the House of Assembly and the Senate of Saint
Lucia, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

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Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Governor-General's Emoluments and Pensions (Amendment) Act 2005.

Interpretation

2. In this Act "principal Act" means the Governor-General's Emoluments and Pensions Act 1968, No.4 of 1968.

Amendment of section 7

3. Section 7 of the principal Act is repealed and substituted by the following:

"Pension and living allowance granted to person who has ceased to hold office of Governor-General

7.— (1) Subject to the provisions of section 8, there shall be granted to any person who has held the office of Governor-General, an annual pension equivalent to two-thirds of his or her highest annual salary as Governor-General, with effect from the date on which he or she ceased to hold the office of Governor-General or from the 1st day of January 2005 whichever is later, and regardless of the length of service as Governor-General.

(2) There shall be payable to any person who has held the office of the Governor-General, a monthly living allowance of two thousand dollars, with effect from the date on which he or she ceased to hold the office of Governor-General or from the 1st day of January 2005 whichever is later, and regardless of the length of service as Governor-General."

Amendment of section 11

4. Section 11 of the principal Act is repealed and substituted by the following:

"Pension and living allowance payable to surviving widow or widower of Governor-General

11.— (1) Subject to subsections (3) and (4), there shall be granted to the surviving widow or widower of a person who has held the office of Governor-General, with effect from the date of death of that person or from the 1st day of January 2005 whichever is later, an annual pension equivalent to two-thirds of the highest annual

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pension which would have been granted to that person pursuant to section 7(1) if —

- (a) the death had not occurred; and
- (b) that person had ceased to hold the office of Governor-General.

(2) Subject to subsections (3) and (4), there shall be payable to the surviving widow or widower of a person who has held the office of Governor-General, with effect from the date of death of that person or from the 1st day of January 2005 whichever is later, a monthly living allowance equal to two-thirds of the monthly living allowance which would have been payable to that person pursuant to section 7(2) if —

- (a) the death had not occurred; and
- (b) that person had ceased to hold the office of Governor-General.

(3) Subsections (1) and (2) shall apply regardless of whether the person dies while holding office or after ceasing to hold the office of Governor-General.

(4) A widow or a widower shall cease to receive an annual pension pursuant to subsection (1) and a monthly living allowance pursuant to subsection (2) if the widow or widower becomes the Governor-General or the Prime Minister."

Passed in the House of Assembly this 16th day of August, 2005.

J. BADEN ALLAIN,
Speaker of the House of Assembly.

Passed in the Senate this 30th day of August, 2005.

THERESA ROMULUS,
Deputy President of the Senate.