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COMPOSITION OF THE FEDERAL LEGISLATURE.

PART I

REPRESENTATIVES OF BRITISH INDIA.

General Qualification for Membership.

- 1 A person shall not be qualified to be chosen as a representative of British India to fill a seat in the Federal Legislature unless he—
- (a) is a British subject, or the Ruler or a subject of an Indian State which has acceded to the Federation; and
 - (b) is, in the case of a seat in the Council of State, not less than thirty years of age and, in the case of a seat in the Federal Assembly, not less than twenty-five years of age; and
 - (c) possesses such, if any, of the other qualifications specified in, or prescribed under, this Part of this Schedule as may be appropriate in his case:
- Provided that the Ruler or a subject of an Indian State which has not acceded to the Federation—
- (i) shall not be disqualified under sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph to fill a seat allocated to a Province if he would be eligible to be elected to the Legislative Assembly of that Province; and
 - (ii) in such cases as may be prescribed, shall not be disqualified under the said sub-paragraph (a) to fill a seat allocated to a Chief Commissioner's Province.
- 2 Upon the expiration of the term for which he is chosen to serve as a member of the Federal Legislature, a person, if otherwise duly qualified, shall be eligible to be chosen to serve for a further term.