
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1982 No. 151

CARIBBEAN AND NORTH ATLANTIC TERRITORIES

The Virgin Islands (Constitution) (Amendment) Order 1982

<i>Made</i>	- - -	10th February 1982
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		18th February 1982
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		12th March 1982

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 10th day of February 1982

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in Her by section 5 of the West Indies Act 1962(a) and all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Virgin Islands (Constitution) (Amendment) Order 1982 and shall be construed as one with the Virgin Islands (Constitution) Order 1976(b). Citation, construction and commencement.

(2) The Virgin Islands (Constitution) Order 1976 and this Order may be cited together as the Virgin Islands (Constitution Orders) 1976 and 1982.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on 12th March 1982.

2. The following new section is inserted in the Virgin Islands (Constitution) Order 1976 after section 54:— New s.54A.

“Teaching Service Commission. 54A.—(1) There shall be in and for the Virgin Islands a Teaching Service Commission which shall consist of three members appointed by the Governor.

(2) In appointing one member of the Teaching Service Commission the Governor shall act in his discretion and in appointing one member thereof he shall act after consultation with the British Virgin Islands Teachers Union.

(3) The provisions of sections 51(2), (3), (4) and (5) and 53 of this Order shall apply in relation to the Teaching Service Commission as they apply in relation to the Public Service Commission and for that purpose shall have effect as if the references therein to the latter were references to the former.

(a) 1962 c. 19.

(b) S.I. 1976/2145.

(4) The provisions of section 52(1) and (2) of this Order shall, in their application to any office of teacher in the Government Teaching Service, have effect in relation to any such office as if the references therein to the Public Service Commission were references to the Teaching Service Commission."

N. E. Leigh,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Virgin Islands (Constitution) Order 1976 by the insertion of a new section establishing a Teaching Service Commission.

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