

## **CHAPTER 8**

### **MINISTERS AND PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES (REMUNERATION AND ALLOWANCES)**

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MINISTERS AND PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES  
(REMUNERATION AND ALLOWANCES)

*An Act to make provision for revised salaries for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries.* 1979-5. 1991/31. 2007-22.  
1984-19. 1996/32. 2008/117.  
1980/148. 1997/19.  
1982/230. 1998/37.  
1984/189. 1999/103.  
1986-16. 2000/99.  
1987-32. 2002/72.  
1989/15. 2003-20.  
1989/52. 2005/107.

[1st April, 1978] Commence-  
ment.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries (Remuneration and Allowances) Act*. Short title.

2. (1) The holder of an office specified in column 1 of the *Schedule* is entitled to the emoluments specified in column 2 thereof opposite that office. Salaries and allowances. Schedule. 1986-16.

(2) The holder of the office of Prime Minister may opt to receive a housing allowance at the rate specified in column 2 of the *Schedule* opposite that office or to occupy, free of rent, the official residence of the Prime Minister.

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of the *Income Tax Act*,
- (a) emoluments, other than salary, paid to a person in pursuance of this Act; and Exemption from income tax. Cap. 73. 1986-16.
- (b) the housing allowance paid to the Prime Minister in pursuance of this Act or the taxable value of the official residence of the Prime Minister, as the case may be,

shall not be included in calculating the assessable income of any such person for the purposes of that Act.

Payment after dissolution of Parliament. Schedule.

**4.** For the purposes of this Act, emoluments payable under this Act to a person holding an office mentioned in column 1 of the *Schedule* shall, notwithstanding the dissolution of Parliament, continue to be payable to such person until a new appointment to that office is made.

Power to amend Schedule. 1987-32.

**5.** (1) The Minister responsible for Finance may, by order, amend the *Schedule* by increasing or decreasing any of the emoluments specified therein.

(2) An order made under subsection (1)

(a) may contain such supplementary provisions as the Minister considers necessary or expedient for the purposes of the order;

1987-32.

(b) may be given retrospective effect; and

(c) shall be subject to affirmative resolution.

Payment of expenses.

**6.** All emoluments payable under this Act shall be charged on and paid out of the Consolidated Fund in equal monthly instalments.

## SCHEDULE

2008/117.

*(Sections 2 and 5)*REMUNERATION AND ALLOWANCES OF  
MINISTERS AND PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES

Office	Emoluments from 1st April, 2008			
	Salary	Entertainment Allowance	Travelling Allowance	Housing Allowance or Official Residence
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Prime Minister	194 426.52	52 477.08	Official Car	Official Residence
Minister assigned responsibility as Deputy Prime Minister under section 72 of the <i>Constitution</i>	165 273.12	35 763.24	31 182.84	
Other Ministers	145 820.16	23 129.52	22 750.20	
Parliamentary Secretaries	141 556.32	14 996.28	15 162.96	

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Office	Emoluments from 1st April, 2009			
	Salary	Entertainment Allowance	Travelling Allowance	Housing Allowance or Official Residence
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Prime Minister	203 175.60	54 838.44	Official Car	Official Residence
Minister assigned responsibility as Deputy Prime Minister under section 72 of the <i>Constitution</i>	172 710.36	37 372.56	32 586.00	
Other Ministers	152 382.00	24 170.28	23 773.92	
Parliamentary Secretaries	147 926.28	15 671.04	15 845.28	