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Public Services (Management) Act 1995

DETERMINATION OF FUNCTION OF DEPARTMENT AND ALTERATION OF DESIGNATION OF AN OFFICE OF DEPARTMENTAL HEAD

I, Silas Atopare, G.C.M.G., K.St.J., Governor-General, by virtue of the powers conferred by Sections 21(1) and 22(c) of the *Public Services (Management) Act 1995*, and all other powers me enabling, hereby:—

- (a) acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Executive Council, given after consideration of reports made by the Departmental Head of the Department of Personnel Management, Determine that the Department of the Prime Minister and National Executive Council shall have the following additional functions:—

"To co-ordinate all matters relevant to, proceeding to or emanating from the National Executive Council and to issue directives relative to such matters to Departmental Heads and heads of statutory bodies.

To ensure implementation by the public sector of the Government directives and policies.

To ensure the accountability of the public sector to the National Executive Council and Parliament.";

and

- (b) acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Executive Council, Alter the designation of the Departmental Head of the Department of the Prime Minister and National Executive Council from "Secretary of the Department of the Prime Minister and National Executive Council" to "Chief Secretary to Government".

Dated this 17th day of June, 1998.

SILAS ATOPARE,
Governor-General.