

THE EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) ACT

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AN ACT

To amend the Education Act

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows-

1. **Short title**

This **Act** may be cited as the **Education (Amendment) Act 2002**.

2. Interpretation

In this **Act** -

"principal **Act**" means the **Education Act**.

3. Section 2 of principal **Act** amended

Section 2 of the principal **Act** is amended-

- (a) in the definition of "approved secondary school", by inserting immediately after the words "Cambridge Overseas School Certificate Examinations", the words "or equivalent, or Higher School Certificate Examinations or equivalent";
- (b) by deleting the definitions of "junior secondary school" and "junior technical school";
- (c) by deleting the definition of "secondary school" and replacing it by the following definition-
 - "secondary school" means-
 - (i) a school providing post-primary **education** of not less than 5 years' duration leading to a public examination of School Certificate level or equivalent;
 - (ii) a school providing post-primary **education** of not less than 7 years' duration leading to a public examination of Higher School Certificate level or equivalent; or
 - (iii) a Form VI College.

(d) by inserting the following definitions in their appropriate alphabetical places-

"Form VI College" means a school providing **education** at post-School Certificate level or equivalent leading to a public examination of Higher School Certificate level or equivalent;

"rector" means the head of a Form VI College responsible for the control and supervision of instruction in such school;

4. Section 8 of principal Act amended

Section 8 of the principal **Act** is amended in subsection (1), by deleting paragraph (c), and replacing it by the following paragraph-

(c) a register of rectors and principals in which shall be entered: the name and address of every registered rector or principal and the name of the school of which he is the rector or principal; and

5. Section 11A of principal Act amended

Section 11 A of the principal **Act** is amended -

(a) in subsection (1), by inserting immediately after the words "manager and" the words "a rector or";

(b) in subsection (2), by inserting immediately after the words "may also **act** as the", the words "rector or".

6. Section 12 of principal Act amended

Section 12 of the principal **Act** is amended-

(a) in the heading, by inserting immediately after the word "managers", the words ",rectors".

(b) in subsections (1), (2) and (3), by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words ",rector".

7. Section 13 of principal Act amended

Section 13 of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words ", rector".

8. Section 14 of principal Act amended

Section 14 of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words ", rector".

9. Section 24A of principal Act amended

Section 24A of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words ", rector".

10. Section 31 of principal Act amended

Section 31 of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words "or rector".

11. Section 39 of principal Act amended

Section 39 of the principal Act is amended in paragraph (b), by inserting immediately after the word "managers", the words ", rectors".

12. Schedule to principal Act amended

The Schedule to the principal Act is amended in FORM 3 by inserting immediately after the word "manager" wherever it appears, the words ", rector".

Passed by the National Assembly on the seventeenth day of December two thousand and two.

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