COMMONWEALTH OF DOMINICA

ACT No. 11 of 1991.

I assent

C. A. SEIGNORET President.

1st July, 1991.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PENSIONS ORDINANCE (CAP. 235).

(Gazetted 4th July, 1991.)

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Dominica as follows:--

1. This Act may be cited as the-

Short title.

PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1991.

2. Section 22 of the Pensions Ordinance is replaced with the Amendment of following:---

"Officers joining the service on or after 1st February 1976. Act No. 38 of 1975.

22.—(1) Notwithstanding section 57 (1) of the Social Security Act 1975 a public officer whose employment or appointment commenced on or after 1st February, 1976 and

(a) who retires or resigns from the public service after ten or more years of continuous and satis-

the Pensions Ordinance Cap. 235.

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factory service shall, if he satisfies the provisions of this Ordinance pertaining to the award of gratuity, be awarded a gratuity in accordance with this Ordinance; or

- (b) who retires or resigns from the public service on or after he reaches the age of fifty years but before he reaches the age of sixty years shall, if he satisfies the provisions of this Ordinance pertaining to the award of a pension, be awarded a pension in accordance with this Ordinance.
- (2) A person to whom subsection (1) (b) applies shall be paid a pension until he reaches the age of sixty years whereupon that pension shall cease and thereafter he shall, if he satisfies the provisions of the Social Security Act, 1975 pertaining to the award of a pension, be awarded a pension in accordance with that Act."

Act No. 38 of 1975.

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3. This Act shall be deemed to have come into effect on 22nd November, 1990.

Passed in the House of Assembly this 29th day of May, 1991.

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Clerk of the House of Assembly.

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