

**Third Session Second Parliament Republic of Trinidad
and Tobago**



REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 17 of 1983

[L.S.]

**AN ACT to amend the Constitution of the Republic of
Trinidad and Tobago**

[Assented to 15th December, 1983]

**WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (1) of section 54
of the Constitution that Parliament may alter any of
the provisions of the Constitution:**

And whereas it is provided by subsection (2) of the said section 54 that insofar as it alters section 121 of the Constitution a Bill for an Act under the said section shall not be passed by Parliament unless at the final vote thereon in each House it is supported by the votes of not less than two-thirds of all the members of each House:

And whereas it is intended by this Act to alter section 121 of the Constitution:

Enactment

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as follows—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Constitution (Amendment) Act, 1983.

Section 121 of the Constitution amended

2. Section 121 of the Constitution is amended in subsection (7) by inserting immediately after the words "Prison Service" occurring in line 3 the words "and to the offices in the Tobago House of Assembly".

Commencement

3. This Act is deemed to have come into operation on the 23rd September, 1980.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 25th day of November, 1983.

R. L. GRIFFITH
Acting Clerk of the House

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that this Act is one the Bill for which has been passed by the House of Representatives and at the final vote thereon in the House has been supported by the votes of not less than two-thirds of all the members of the House, that is to say, the votes of 28 members of the House.

R. L. GRIFFITH
Acting Clerk of the House

Passed in the Senate this 29th day of November, 1983.

E. WILLIAMS
Acting Clerk of the Senate

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that this Act is one the Bill for which has been passed by the Senate and at the final vote thereon in the Senate has been supported by the votes of not less than two-thirds of all the members of the Senate, that is to say, the votes of 27 members of the Senate.

E. WILLIAMS
Acting Clerk of the Senate