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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

An Ordinance to amend the Interpretation Ordinance.

Chapter 2.
(Vol. 1, p. 11).

BE it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Interpretation (Amendment) Ordinance, No. . of 1946.

Short title.

2. Section 2 of the Interpretation Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as the " principal Ordinance "), is hereby amended in paragraph (v), by the substitution, for the words " or any part thereof," of the words " or any part thereof, and the Minutes on Pensions,".

Amendment of
section 2 of
Chapter 2.

Retrospective
effect.

3. The amendment made in the principal Ordinance by this Ordinance shall be deemed for all purposes to have had effect on the date on which the principal Ordinance came into operation.

Objects and Reasons.

In order to resolve doubts that have arisen and to facilitate the application of certain sections of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, it is necessary to amend the definition of "written law" in the Interpretation Ordinance so as to include in that definition the Minutes on Pensions issued by the Governor from time to time. This Bill, accordingly, provides for such amendment.

Colombo, November 21, 1946.

ALAN ROSE,
Legal Secretary.