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The following Bill which will be introduced in the National Assembly is published for general information.

S.E. Isaacs,
Clerk of the National Assembly.

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BILL No. 23 of 2016

PRIME MINISTER HAMILTON GREEN PENSION BILL

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A Bill
Intituled

AN ACT to provide a pension, benefits and other facilities to Hamilton Green, Prime Minister from 1985 to 1992, to enable him to live in keeping with the high office he occupied.

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Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:

1. This Act may be cited as Prime Minister Hamilton Green Pension Act 2016 and shall come into operation on 1st December, 2016.

2. Prime Minister Hamilton Green shall receive the pension, benefits and other facilities prescribed by this Act with effect from 1st December, 2016.

3. Notwithstanding anything in the Pensions (President, Parliamentary and Special Offices) Act, Prime Minister Hamilton Green shall be paid a pension in accordance with section 4 of the said Act based on the salary paid to the Prime Minister, as though he actually earned the said salary, taking into consideration his record of service as a legislator.

4. The Former President (Benefits and Other Facilities) Act 2015 shall, subject to such modifications as may be necessary, apply to Prime Minister Hamilton Green and for that purpose wherever the word “President” occurs it shall be substituted by the words “Prime Minister”.

5. Prime Minister Hamilton Green shall continue to receive any other benefits and facilities provided for in any other law.

6. The pension that Prime Minister Hamilton Green is receiving since retirement shall be discontinued with effect from 30th November, 2016.
EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to provide a pension, benefits and other facilities to Hamilton Green, Prime Minister from 1985 to 1992, to enable him to live in keeping with the high office he occupied.

Clause 1 states that the Bill shall come into operation on 1st December, 2016.

Clause 2 states from 1st December, 2016 Prime Minister Hamilton Green shall receive the pension, benefits and other facilities prescribed by this Act.

Clause 3 provides that the pension payable to Prime Minister Hamilton Greene shall be paid in accordance with section 4 of the Pensions (President, Parliamentary and Special Offices) Act based on the salary paid to the Prime Minister.

Clause 4 provides for Prime Minister Hamilton Green to receive all the benefits and facilities under the Former President (Benefits and Other Facilities) Act 2015.

Clause 5 provides that Prime Minister Hamilton Green shall continue to be entitled to any other benefits and facilities provided for in any other law.

Clause 6 states that Prime Minister Hamilton Green current pension shall be discontinued with effect from 30th November, 2016.

Hon. Winston Jordan, M.P.
Minister of Finance