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## THE COMPANIES (AMENDMENT) ACT 1984

NO. 4 OF 1984

Passed by the National Parliament this twenty-second day of May 1984.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill passed by Parliament and found by me to be a true and correct copy of the said Bill.

JM Tunaika

Clerk to the National Parliament

Assented to in Her Majesty's name and on Her Majesty's behalf this twentysecond day of June 1984.

B Devesi

Governor-General

Date of commencement: see section 1.

AN ACT further to amend the Companies Act to regulate the qualifications for appointment as auditors so as to enable the people of Solomon Islands and others to practise as a professional group of auditors in Solomon Islands.

ENACTED by the National Parliament of Solomon Islands.

Short title and commencement. 1. This Act may be cited as the Companies (Amendment) Act, and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notice, published in the Gazette, appoint.

Amendment of section 155 Cap 66.

- 2. Section 155 of the Companies Act is hereby amended -
  - (a) by substituting "Regulation of the qualifications for appointment as auditor" for "Disqualifications for appointment as Auditor", in the marginal heading;
  - (b) by substituting "unless he is a member of the Institute of Solomon Islands Accountants and either" for "unless either", in the opening portion of subsection (1);
  - (c) by substituting "before or after the commencement of this Act, practised in Solomon Islands as an accountant", or" for "before the commencement of this Act, practised in Solomon Islands as an accountant:" in paragraph (b) of subsection (1); and
    - (d) by inserting the following new paragraph in subsection(1) as so amended:-
      - "(c) he is certified by the said Institute as qualified to practise as an accountant in Solomon Islands."

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