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A LAW TO AMEND THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION LAW.

CAP. 203.
22 of 1950.
17 of 1952.

J. FLETCHER-COOKE,]

[4th July, 1953.

Officer Administering the Government.

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus as follows:—

1. This Law may be cited as the Elementary Education (Amendment) Law, 1953, and shall be read as one with the Elementary Education Law (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Law").

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Repeal of section 16 of the principal Law and substitution of new section.

2. Section 16 of the principal Law (as amended by section 2 of Law 22 of 1950) is hereby repealed and the following section substituted therefor :—

“Town Committees.

16.—(1) For Greek-Orthodox schools and for Moslem schools in any town there shall be a Town Committee respectively composed of such number of persons, having knowledge of, and interest in, education, and not exceeding nine, as the Governor may appoint.

(2) The Governor shall appoint a Chairman and a Vice-Chairman from among the members of a Town Committee :

Provided that if the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a Town Committee is not present at any meeting the members present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman for that meeting.

(3) Every member of a Town Committee shall hold office for a period of two years from the date of his appointment and may be eligible for re-appointment thereafter :

Provided that the Governor may, if he deems it expedient, terminate at any time the appointment of any such member.”.

Amendment of section 18 of the principal Law.

3. Sub-section (3) of section 18 of the principal Law is hereby repealed and the following sub-section substituted therefor :—

“(3) No business shall be transacted at any meeting unless more than one-half of the members are present.

If, on the second successive summons, the required number of members is not present at the time and place appointed for the meeting, the Town Committee may proceed with business if two members only are present.”.

Repeal of section 108 of the principal Law.

4. Section 108 of the principal Law (as amended by section 5 of Law 22 of 1950) is hereby repealed.

4th July, 1953.

J. F. SYMONS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.