

Sri Lanka Tea Board (Amendment)

Act, No. 17 of 1985 I

[Certified on 10th May, 1985]

L. D.-O. 28/84.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SRI LANKA TEA BOARD LAW, No. 14 OF 1975

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as follows :-**1.**

This Act may be cited as the Sri Lanka Tea Board (Amendment) Act, No. 17 of 1985.

2. Section 6 of the Sri Lanka Tea Board Law, No. 14 of 1975 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal enactment") is hereby amended by the repeal of subsection (1) thereof and the substitution therefor of the following subsection :-**constitution of the Board.** 6. (1) The Board shall consist of-

a) a Chairman nominated by the Minister with the concurrence of the Prime Minister who shall be the chief executive of the Board ;

(b) the person holding office for the time being as Secretary to the Ministry in charge of the subject of Planning, or any Senior Officer of that Ministry nominated by the Minister in charge of that Ministry ;

(c) the person holding office for the time being as Secretary to the Ministry in charge of the subject of Finance, or any Senior Officer of that Ministry nominated by the Minister in charge of that Ministry ;

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(cl) the person holding office for the time being as Secretary to the Ministry *in* charge of the subject of Plantation Industries, or any Senior Officer of that Ministry nominated by the Minister in charge of that Ministry ;

(e) the person holding office for the time being as Secretary to the Ministry in charge of the subject of Trade, or any Senior Officer of that Ministry nominated by the Minister in charge of that Ministry;

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(f) the person holding office for the time being as Secretary to the Ministry in charge of the subject of Shipping or any Senior Officer of that Ministry nominated by the Minister in charge of that Ministry ;

(g) the person holding office for the time being as the Director of Commerce ;

(h) the person holding office for the time being as the Chairman of the Jambhastha Estates Development Board ;

(i) the person holding office for the time being as the Chairman of the State Plantations Corporation ;

(j) the person holding office for the time being as the Chairman of the Tea Small Holdings Development Authority ;

(k) the person holding office for the time being as the Chairman of the Export Development Board ; and

(l) five other members nominated by the Minister with the concurrence of the Prime Minister from among persons who have a knowledge of, and experience in, the tea industry with special reference to planting, manufacture, sale, export and finance. “.

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3. Section 23 of the principal enactment is hereby repealed and the following section substituted therefor :-**enact**

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relating to

23. Any person who is employed by the Board shall not by reason of such employment

be disqualified from receiving a pension from the Government, or from any local authority or from the Local Government Service Commission. ‘.

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24 of the principal enactment is hereby ~\$~\$~~~
the following section substituted therefor : - Of.% **pmcrpal**

24. Every person who is guilty of an enactment.
offence under this Act shall, on conviction
after summary trial before a Magistrate, be
a liable to a tie not exceeding fifty thousand
rupees or to imprisonment of either descrip-tion
for a period not exceeding one year, or
to both such fine and imprisonment, notwith-standing
that ‘the tie exceeds the amount of
fine which a Magistrate may impose in the
exercise of his ordinary jurisdiction. “.

5. Section 31 of the principal enactment is hereby zztayne;;
amended by the substitution for ‘the definition of the **or the**
expression “local authority” of the following definition : - **principal** enactment.

‘ “ local authority ” means any Municipal
\ Council, Urban Council or Develop-ment
Council and includes any
Authority created and established
by or under any law to exercise,
perform and discharge powers,
duties and functions corresponding
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