THE CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT NO. 2) BILL

(No. XXX of 2016)

Explanatory Memorandum

The object of this Bill is to amend the Constitution to provide for a minimum number of candidates for election to the Rodrigues Regional Assembly to be of a particular sex, with a view to ensuring adequate representation of each sex in the Rodrigues Regional Assembly.

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ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

Clause

- 1. Short title
- 2. Section 16 of Constitution amended

A BILL

To amend the Constitution

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows -

- **1.** This Act may be cited as the Constitution (Amendment No. 2) Act 2016.
- 2. Section 16 of Constitution amended

Section 16 of the Constitution is amended, in subsection (4), by inserting, after paragraph (aa), the following new paragraph –

 (ab) for a minimum number of candidates for election to the Rodrigues Regional Assembly to be of a particular sex, with a view to ensuring adequate representation of each sex in the Rodrigues Regional Assembly;