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NOTICES OF AMENDMENTS TO BILL

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Singapore Legislative Assembly Elections (Amendment) Bill [Bill No. 199]

Clause 27:

Note:—In page 11, line 14: to leave out the full-stop.

New Clauses:

Mr. Lee Kuan Yew:

'New section 34A. The principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding immediately after section 34 thereof the following new section:—

"Polling day at general election to be Public Holiday. 34A.—(1) Polling day at any general election shall be a Public Holiday as though it had been so expressly appointed in addition to the days mentioned in Schedule A to the Holidays Ordinance. 5

(2) Nothing in section 4 or section 7 of the Holidays Ordinance shall affect the performance on such polling day of any act or thing relating to public offices and departments concerned with elections or of the duty to vote at such elections imposed by section 41A of this Ordinance." 10

Note:—It is intended that this new clause be inserted after clause 14.

Chief Secretary:

'Amendment of section 46. Subsection (1) of section 46 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

(a) by deleting the words "and the counterfoils of the ballot papers; and" appearing in the eighth and ninth lines thereof and substituting therefor a semi-colon; 5

(b) by inserting immediately after paragraph (b) thereof the following new paragraph:—

"(c) the counterfoils of the ballot papers; and"; and 10

(c) by re-lettering paragraph (c) thereof as paragraph (d).'

Note:—It is intended that this new clause be inserted after clause 17.

Consequential amendments:

Amendments to the numbers of clauses of the Bill, consequential on the addition of new clauses, to be made.