
AKROTIRI VILLAGE (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2009

An Ordinance to amend the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) Ordinance 1966

J. H. GORDON
ADMINISTRATOR

29th July 2009.

BE it enacted by the Administrator of the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia as follows:—

1. Short Title

This Ordinance may be cited as the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Ordinance 2009.

2. Section 4 amended

In the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) Ordinance 1966(a), section 4 (Special committee to administer specified property) is amended by repealing subsection (6) and replacing it with –

- “(6) (a) If an elected member dies or resigns during his period of office, the Committee must appoint a replacement member from among the qualified voters.
- (b) A replacement member appointed under paragraph (a) –
- (i) is to hold office as a member of the Committee for the remaining period of office of the elected member who died or resigned; and
- (ii) is deemed to be an elected member for the purposes of this Ordinance.”.

3. Commencement

This Ordinance comes into force on the day it is published in the Gazette.

Notes
(a) Ordinance 3/66.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the Ordinance)

Introduction

1. This explanatory note relates to the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Ordinance 2009 (“the Ordinance”). It has been prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and Legal Adviser in order to assist the reader of the Ordinance. It does not form part of the Ordinance.
2. The note should be read in conjunction with the Ordinance. It is not, and is not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Ordinance. So when a section or part of a section does not seem to require any explanation or comment, none is given.

Particular points

3. The Ordinance amends section 4 of the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) Ordinance 1966 by repealing and replacing subsection (6). It does away with the part of subsection (6) which provided for elected members of the Akrotiri Merra Committee to hold office for a term of three years. The term of office was increased to five years by the Akrotiri Village (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Ordinance 2004 (Ordinance 7/04), which inserted a new subsection (4A) but did not expressly repeal subsection (6). The remaining part of subsection (6), which deals with the death or resignation of an elected member, is largely unchanged.