

THE CIVIL SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT ACT

Act
54 of 1975.

[1st February, 1976.]

1. This Act may be cited as the Civil Service Establish- Short title.
ment Act.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires— Interpretation.
 “the Minister” means the Minister for the time being responsible for the public service;
 “officer” means an officer in the public service;
 “public service” means the service of the Crown in a civil capacity, permanent in nature, in respect of the Government of Jamaica, so, however, that the Minister may, by order, deem service with any statutory authority or other body specified in the order to be public service for the purposes of this Act.

3.—(1) Subject to the provisions of the Constitution of Jamaica relating to the holders of public offices and of this Act, the power to constitute or abolish offices in the public service shall be exercised by the Minister by order. Power to constitute and abolish offices.

(2) An order under this section may from time to time—

- (a) determine the numbers of any office specified thereunder;
- (b) determine the emoluments to be attached to any office; and
- (c) make such incidental, consequential and supplemental provisions as the Minister thinks necessary or expedient to give full effect to the order and,