I assent.

(L.S.)

AGATHA BARBARA
President

22nd April, 1986

ACT No. XV of 1986

AN ACT further to amend the Police Licences Act, 1949.

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

Act XXXIV of 1949

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Police Licences (Amendment) Act, 1986, and shall be read and construed as one with the Police Licences Act, 1949, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

(2) This Act shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st January, 1986.

Addition of new section to the principal Act.

2. Immediately after section 3 of the principal Act there shall be added the following new section:

"Additional fee due in certain cases.

4. Where under any regulation made in virtue of section 3 of this Act a licence to drive a motor vehicle is issued or renewed for a period of more than one calendar year, and during the period for which such licence has been issued or renewed, the fee payable for the issue or renewal of such licence is increased, then, notwithstanding the payment of any fee at the time of the issue or renewal of such licence, there shall be paid to the Commissioner of Police the difference between the amount paid on the issue or renewal of the licence and the new rate of fee payable, and unless that difference is paid such licence shall be deemed not to be renewed.".

Transitory provision.

3. The provisions of this Act shall in relation to a licence to drive a motor vehicle, issued or renewed before the coming into force of this Act for a period of more than one calendar year, only apply to any increase in the fee for the issue or renewal of such licence occuring after the lapse of the period for which such licence has been so issued or renewed before the 1st January, 1986.

Passed by the House of Representatives at Sitting No. 337 of the 16th April, 1986.

DANIEL MICALLEF
Speaker

C. MIFSUD
Clerk to the House of Representatives

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