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## Bribery (Amendment) Act, No. 17 of 1956

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE BRIBERY ACT, No. 11 OF 1954.

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BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Representatives of Ceylon in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Bribery (Amendment) Act, No. 17 of 1956.

Short title.

2. The Bribery Act, No. 11 of 1954, is hereby amended, in section 14 of that Act, by the addition, at the end of that section, of the following proviso:—

Amendment of  
section 14 of  
Act No. 11  
of 1954.

“ Provided, however, that it shall not be an offence under the preceding provisions of this section for any trade union or other organization to offer to a member of either the Senate or the House of Representatives, or for any such member to accept from any trade union or other organization, any allowance or other payment solely for the purposes of his maintenance.”