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An Act to amend the Public Service Provident Fund Ordinance. No. 18 of 1942.

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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 in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Public Service Provident Fund (Amendment) Act, No. 33 of 1952.

Short title.

2. Section 18 of the Public Service Provident Fund Ordinance, No. 18 of 1942, (hereinafter referred to as the "principal enactment"), is hereby amended as follows:—

Amendment of section 18 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1942.

- (a) by the re-numbering of that section as sub-section (1) of section 18;
- (b) by the insertion after the re-numbered sub-section (1), of the following new sub-section:—
 - "(2) Where a contributor to the Fund is appointed to a pensionable office in the public service and enters on the duties of such office, then, notwithstanding that his service as a scheduled employee is not continuous with his service in the pensionable office, the provisions of sub-section (1) shall apply if, but only if—
 - (a) his service as a scheduled employee is terminated by resignation made with the consent of the prescribed officer or authority given for the purpose of enabling him to accept the pensionable office; and
 - (b) the period intervening between the date of the termination of his service as a scheduled employee and the date of his entering on the duties of the pensionable office is not more than thirty-one days exclusive of any period during which he is actually being trained for such office:

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Provided, however, that in any such case the account of that contributor in the Fund shall be closed on the day of the termination of his service as a scheduled employee.".

Retrospective effect.

3. The amendment made in the principal enactment by section 2 of this Act shall be deemed for all purposes to have come into operation on the first day of January, 1946.