



# Mauritius Independence Act 1968

## 1968 CHAPTER 8

### 1 Fully responsible status of Mauritius.

- (1) On and after 12th March 1968 (in this Act referred to as “the appointed day”) Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom shall have no responsibility for the government of Mauritius.
- (2) No Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom passed on or after the appointed day shall extend, or be deemed to extend, to Mauritius as part of its law; and on and after that day the provisions of Schedule 1 to this Act shall have effect with respect to the legislative powers of Mauritius.

2, 3. ....<sup>F1</sup>

#### Textual Amendments

**F1** Ss. 2, 3 repealed by [British Nationality Act 1981 \(c. 61, SIF 87\)](#), [Sch. 9](#)

### 4 Consequential modification of other enactments.

- (1) .....<sup>F2</sup>
- <sup>F3</sup>(2) .....
- (3) On and after the appointed day the provisions specified in Schedule 2 to this Act shall have effect subject to the amendments specified respectively in that Schedule.
- (4) Subsection (3) of this section, and Schedule 2 to this Act, shall not extend to Mauritius as part of its law.

#### Textual Amendments

**F2** S. 4(1) repealed by [Interpretation Act 1978 \(c. 30, SIF 115:1\)](#), [Sch. 3](#)

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**F3** S. 4(2) repealed (28.3.2009 for specified purposes, 31.10.2009 in so far as not already in force) by [Armed Forces Act 2006 \(c. 52\)](#), s. 383(2), [Sch. 17](#); S.I. 2009/812, art. 3(a)(b) (with transitional provisions in S.I. 2009/1059); S.I. 2009/1167, art. 4

## **5 Interpretation.**

- (1) In this Act, and in any amendment made by this Act in any other enactment, “Mauritius” means the territories which immediately before the appointed day constitute the Colony of Mauritius.
- (2) References in this Act to any enactment are references to that enactment as amended or extended by or under any other enactment.

## **6 Short title.**

This Act may be cited as the Mauritius Independence Act 1968.

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