



No. 27 of 2009

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2009

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS ACT

(Date of Assent - 13th July, 2009)

Enacted by the Parliament of The Bahamas

1. Short title.

This Act which amends the Professional Engineers Act, (*Ch.200A*), may be cited as the Professional Engineers (Amendment) Act, 2009.

2. Amends section 9 of the principal Act.

Section 9 of the principal Act is amended in the proviso —

- (a) by deleting the words “thirty-six” and substituting therefor the word “seventy”; and
- (b) by deleting the words “three years” and substituting therefor the words “seventy months”.

3. Amends section 11 of the principal Act.

Section 11 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (14) in paragraph (a) —

- (a) by deleting the words “thirty days” and substituting therefor the words “seventy months”; and
- (b) by deleting the words “at the thirtieth day” and substituting therefor the words “in the seventieth month”.

4. Amends section 34 of the principal Act.

Section 34 of the principal Act is amended —

- (a) in subsection (1) paragraph (a) by deleting the words “twenty-four” and substituting therefor the word “seventy”; and
- (b) by repealing subsections (2), (3) and (4) and replacing those subsections as follows —
 - “(2) The Minister shall appoint a transitional Board which shall consist of seven individuals who are eligible to be registered as engineers under this Act.
 - (3) A member of the Board appointed under subsection (2) of this section shall hold office until the 30th day of June, 2010.
 - (4) The provisions of this Act shall apply mutatis mutandis to a Board constituted under subsection (2) of this section.”