Short titles.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the “Parliamentary Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1970”.

(2) The Parliamentary Superannuation Act, 1948-1969, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the “Parliamentary Superannuation Act, 1948-1970”.

(3) The Parliamentary Superannuation Act, 1948-1969, is hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act”.

Commencement.

2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

3. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act immediately after section 16 thereof:—

16a. (1) Every pension payable under this Act first payable before the day of commencement of the 1969 amending Act, shall on and from the commencement of the Parliamentary Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1970, be increased by eight and one quarter per cent.
(2) Every pension payable under this Act to the widow or widower of a person, to whom a pension under this Act was first payable before the day of commencement of the 1969 amending Act being a person who died during the prescribed period, shall on and from the commencement of the Parliamentary Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1970, be increased by eight and one quarter per cent.

(3) In this section "the prescribed period" means the period commencing on and including the day of commencement of the 1969 amending Act and concluding on and including the day immediately preceding the day of commencement of the Parliamentary Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1970.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

J. W. HARRISON, Governor.