

# OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (AMENDMENT) ACT 2009

Act No. 8 of 2009

Proclaimed by [\[Proclamation No. 19 of 2009\]](#) w.e.f. 15 July 2009

I assent

**SIR ANEROOD JUGNAUTH**

President of the Republic

15th May 2009

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**An Act**

### **To amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act**

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows –

**1. Short title**

This Act may be cited as the **Occupational Safety and Health (Amendment) Act 2009**.

**2. Interpretation**

In this Act –

“principal Act” means the Occupational Safety and Health Act.

### **3. Section 29 of principal Act amended**

Section 29 of the principal Act is amended by inserting, after subsection (3), the following new subsection –

- (3A) (a) No employee or Safety and Health Officer who is employed on a full-time basis shall also be employed as a Safety and Health Officer on a part-time basis unless –
- (i) he is authorised to do so by the Permanent Secretary; and
  - (ii) he is employed by another employer.
- (b) The Permanent Secretary may, after making such enquiry as he deems appropriate, grant an authority under paragraph (a) in respect of not more than one other employer.

### **4. Section 30 of principal Act amended**

Section 30 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (7), by inserting, after the word “employed”, the word “solely”.

### **5. Commencement**

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This Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by Proclamation.

Passed by the National Assembly on the twenty-eighth day of April two thousand and nine.

**Ram Ranjit Dowlutta**  
Clerk of the National Assembly