The Sonowal Kachari Autonomous Council (Amendment) Bill, 2025

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#### BILL

further to amend the Sonowal Kachari Autonomous Council Act, 2005.

#### Preamble

Whereas it is expedient further to amend the Sonowal Kachari Autonomous Council Act, 2005, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted in the Seventy-sixth Year of the

Assam Act No. XX of 2005

# Short title, extent and commencement

- 1. (1) This Act may be called the Sonowal Kachari Autonomous Council (Amendment) Act, 2025.
  - (2) It shall have the like extent as the principal Act.
  - (3) It shall come into force at once.

Republic of India, as follows:-

## Amendment of section 7

2. In the principal Act, in section 7, in sub-section (3), in the fifth line, for the punctuation mark "." appearing at the end the punctuation mark ":" shall be substituted, and thereafter the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:-

"Provided that if the Governor is satisfied that circumstances so exist which render holding of the elections impracticable, after completion of the term of office or the extended term, he may assume to himself all or any of the powers and functions of the General Council and the Executive Council, and appoint such person, or Interim Committee or any Authority as he may specify, who shall exercise the powers, functions and duties of the Council."

