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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ORISSA GRAMA PANCHAYAT ACT, 1964

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Orissa in the Thirty-eighth Year of the Republic of India, as follows :—

- Short title** 1. This Act may be called the Orissa Grama Panchayat (Amendment) Act, 1987.
- Amendment of Section 10.** 2. In section 10 of the Orissa Grama Panchayat Act, 1964,^{Orissa Act 1 of 1965.} after sub-section (3) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—
- “(4) If the members of a Grama Panchayat specified in sub-section (1) do not include a woman, such members shall, at a meeting specially convened for the purpose, elect in the prescribed manner a woman member who is otherwise eligible to be a member of the same Grama Panchayat and the woman member so elected shall, be an additional member of the Grama Panchayat, exercising all the rights of a member.”.