

Presidency or of the Colony, for or on account of the public service, and has not, within one month before the day of election, published in the English language in the *Gazette* a notice setting out the nature of such contract, and his interest or the interest of such firm or company, therein.

Tenure of
office of
nominated
and elected
members.

12. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance every official member of the Council appointed by name and every nominated member of the Council shall hold his seat in the Council during Her Majesty's pleasure.

(2) Every official member of the Council appointed by name and every nominated or elected member of the Council shall in any case cease to be a member at the next dissolution of the Council after his appointment or election, or previously thereto if his seat become vacant under the provisions of this Ordinance.

(3) The seat of a nominated or elected member of the Council shall become vacant—

(a) upon his death;

(b) if, without the leave of the Commissioner previously obtained, he shall be absent from three consecutive meetings of the Council;

(c) if he shall cease to be a British subject, or shall take any oath, or make any declaration or acknowledgement of allegiance, obedience or adherence to any foreign Power or State; or do, concur in or adopt any act done with the intention that he shall become a subject or citizen of any foreign Power or State;

(d) if he shall be adjudged or otherwise declared bankrupt under any law in force in any part of Her Majesty's dominions;