

Government Listings in Early Colony

Directors-General of the Two Rivers

Year	Date	Last	First	MI / Rank	Post
1751		van S'Gravesanc	Laurens	Storm	
1772	2 Nov	Trots	George	Hendrick	
1781	17 Oct	Kingston	Robert	Lt. Col.	
1782	10 Feb	de Kersaint	Count		
1782	15 Jul	de Lusignan	Marquis		
1782	15 Sep	de Kersaint	Count		
1783	20 Jan	de la Perriero	General		
1784	6 Mar	Bourda	J.		Prov. Governor
1785	Feb	L'Españesse	Jan		

Commandeurs of Essequibo

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1634		de Goss	J.V.		
1670		Roll	Hendrick		
1674		Roll	Hendrick		
1676	31 Mar	Hars	Jacob		
1678	25 Jul	Beckman	Abraham		
1680		De Jong	J.P.		
1690	2 Nov	Beckman	Samuel		
1707	10 Dec	van der Heyden	Peter		
1719	24 Jul	de Heere	Laurens		
1729	12 Oct	Gelskerke	Herman		
1742	April	van S'Gravesanc	Laurens	Storm	

Governors of Berbice

Year	Date	Last	First	MI / Rank	Post
1666		Bergensaar	Matthys		
1669		Crynsse	M.		
1674					
1684		Condrio	Heer	Lucas	
1733	22 Apr	Waterham	Bernhard		
1749	8 Apr	Lossner	John	Andries	
1749	7 May	Colier	John	Frederic	
1755	5 Dec	van Ryswick	Hendrick	Jan	
1760	4 Apr	van Hogenheim	Wolfort	Simon	
1765	6 Sep	Heyliger	Johannes	(Jun)	
1768	7 Apr	de la Sabloniere	Stephen	Hendrick	
1781		<i>While in the hands of the English & French, Berbice had same Gov. as Demerary & Essequibo</i>			
1784	May	Koppiers	Peter	H.	
1793		Batenburg	Abraham		
1802	Dec.	<i>Prov. Government - 2 mem. of Council apptd by Batavia</i>			
1803	1 Oct	Nicholson	Robert	Lt. Col.	Acting Gov
1804	Aug	van Batenburg	Abraham		(re appointed)
1806	Dec.	Nicholson	Lt. Col.		Acting Gov
1807	Sept	Montgomery	Gen. James		
1809	Mar	Woodly	William		
1810	Jan	Dalrymple	Maj. Gen		Acting Gov
1810	Dec.	Gordon	Robert	Lt. Governor	
1812	Jun	Murray	John	Brig. Gen	Acting Gov
1813	Feb	Gordon	Robert		(resumed)
1813	13 Dec	Grant	Major		Acting Gov
1814	Jun	Bentinck	H.W.		Lt. Governor

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1820	Nov	Thistlewayte			Acting Gov
1821	Jan	Cameron	Sir John		Acting Gov
1821	Mar	Beard	Henry		Lt. Governor
1825	Mar	D'Urban	Sir. B.		Acting Gov
1826	Jul	Beard	Henry		(resumed)

Governors of the United Colony of Demerary & Essequibo

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1765		van der Heuvel	Jan	Cornelis	
1789	18 Aug	Becker	A.		
1793	31 Mar	van Grovestins	W. A.	Baron	
1795	5 May	<i>Prov. Government - 2 members of the Court of Policy</i>			
1795	29 Jun	Beaujon	Anthony	<i>Contd in office by English on capture of the colony</i>	
1802	3 Dec	Meertens	Anthony	apptd by Batavian Rep.	
1803	1 Oct	Nicholson	Robert	Lt. Col.	
1804	18 Aug	Beaujon	Anthony		
1805	19 Oct	Montgomery	James	Brig. Gen.	
1806		Bentinck	H.W.		
1807	9 May	Montgomery	James	Brig. Gen.	
1807	19 Sep	Nicholson		Colonel	
1808	25 Jun	Ross		Lt. Col.	
1809	8 Apr	Dalrymple		Maj. Gen	
1809	20 May	Bentinck	H.W.		
1812		Carmichael	Hugh L.	Maj. Gen	
1813	12 May	Codd	Edward	Lt. Col.	
1813	17 May	Murray	John	Brig. Gen.	
1813	24 Aug	Codd	Colonel	(act. Vice Murray in Berbice)	
1813	9 Dec	Murray		Maj. Gen	Resumed
1815	26 Jul	Codd	Colonel	(act. Vice Murray gone to islands)	
1815	3 Oct	Murray	John	Maj. Gen	
1824	26 Apr	d'Urban	Sir Benjamin	Maj. Gen	Lt. Gov.

Governors of British Guiana

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1831	21 Jul	d'Urban	Sir Benjamin	Maj Gen	Governor
1833	7 May	Chambers	Courtenay	Lt. Col.	Acting
1833	5 May	Smith	Sir Charles		Acting
1833	26 Jun	Smyth	Sir James	Maj Gen	Lt. Gov
1835	27 Dec	Smyth	Sir James	Maj Gen	Governor
1836	28 May	Smith	Sir Lionel		Governor
1836	17 Jun	Smyth	Sir James		Governor
1838	6 Mar	Orange	W. N.	Major	Acting
1838	30 Mar	Bunbury	Thomas	Col.	Acting
1838	27 Jun	Light	Henry, Esq.		Governor
1840	8 Dec	McLeod	Sir Henry		Governor
1840	25 Jan	Light	Henry, Esq.		Governor
1848	19 May	Walker	Wm., Esq.		Lt. Gov
1849	12 Feb	Barkly	Henry, Esq.		Governor
1853	11 May	Walker	William, Esq		Lt. Gov