## **Prerogatives of the President**

- 1. Appointment and Removal of the **Prime Minister**;
- 2. Powers of **Dissolution** of the Legislature
  - a) Dissolves when Prime Minister loses confidence of the HOR and does not resign or advise dissolution within three days
  - b) **Dissolves** when there is a political stalemate.
  - c) **Blocks** a dissolution when not in interests of country to dissolve **and** there is an alternative majority;
- 3. Appointment and Removal of Leader of the Opposition
- 4. Appointing an Acting Prime Minister when no advice is given by PM
- 5. Choosing **one Judge or Magistrate** from a short list of three submitted by the Judicial Appointments Committee;
- 6. Vetoing members of his own staff.