#### BRITISH GULANA

FIRST LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

under the

British Guiana (Constitution) (Tempor ry Provisions)
Order in Council, 195.

THIRD SESSION

1956 - 1957

ORDER PAPER

THURSDAY. 20TH JUNE. 19 7.

AT 2.00 P.M.

PRAYERS -

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES - Thursday, 3th June, 1957.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER-

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES \_

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# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

- (a) By the Chief Secretary:
  - (i) VOLUNTEER (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1957. (Bill No. 26/1957 published 15.6.57).
  - (ii) D'ABREU PENSION BILL, 1957. (Bill No. 29/1957 pub ished 15.6.57).
  - (iii) PENSIONS (CONSOLIDATION) BILL, 1957. (Bill No. 25/1957 pub ished 17.6.57).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (Contd.).

(iv) POLICE BILL, 1957. (Bill No. 28/1957 published 17.6.57).

(b) By the Attorney General:

DEEDS REGISTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1957 (Bill No. 24/1957 published 15.6.57).

(c) By the Financial Secretary:

> DIAS PENSION BILL, 1957. (Bill No. 27/1957 published 15.6.57).

### PUBLIC BUSINESS ORDER OF THE DAY

### L. BILLS- First Roading.

A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE. (i)(Bill No. 26/1957 published 15.6.57).

A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE (ii)SPECIAL PROVISION IN REGARD TO THE PENSION AND GRATUITY PAYABLE TO PAULINE GOMES D'ABREU.

(Bill No. 29/1957 published 15.6.57).

A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND (iii) CONSOLIDATE THE LAW RELATING TO THE AWARD OF PENSIONS, GRATUITIES AND OTHER ALLOW-ANCES TO CIVIL SERVANTS IN RESPECT OF SERVICE IN THE COLONY. (Bill No. 25/1957 publiched 17.6.57)

(iv) A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND CONSOLIDATE THE LAW RELATING TO THE BRITISH GUIANA POLICE FORCE. (Bill No. 28/1957 published 17.6.57).

- A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE FURTHER TO (v) AMEND THE DEEDS REGISTRY ORDINANCE. (Bill No. 24/1957 published 15.6.57).
- A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE (vi) SPECIAL PROVISION IN REGARD TO THE PENSION AND GRATUITY PAYABLE TO VIVIAN CHARLES DIAS.

(Bill No. 27/1957 published 15.6.57).

#### EILLS - Third Reading.

- 2. The Financial Secretary to move the third reading of the following Bill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PAWNBROKING ORDINANCE.

(Bill No. 14/1957 published 4.5.57). (Notice was given on 3rd May, 1957).

- 3. The Member for Communications and Works to move the third reading of the following Bill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CORPORATION TO BE KNOWN AS THE BRITISH GUIANA ELECTRICITY CORPORATION AND FOR THE EXERCISE AND PERFORMANCE BY THE CORPORATION OF FUNCTIONS RELATING TO THE SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY AND CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS.

(Bill No. 20/1957 published 1.6.57). (Notice was given on 31st May, 1957).

## BILLS - Second Reading.

- 4. The Member for Local Government, Social Welfare and Co-operative Development to move the second reading of the following Bill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN ORDINANCE, 1955. (Bill No. 22/1957 published 15.6.57) (Notice was given on 12th June. 1957).
- 5. The Chief Secretary to move the second reading of the following Bill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ORDINANCE AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE INCLUSION OF CERTAIN AREAS AS REGISTRATION AREAS FOR THE PURPOSES OF THAT ORDINANCE.

(Bill No. 23/1957 published 15.6.57). (Notice was given on 13th June, 1957).

### MOTIONS

6. Mr. Correia to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Council accepts in principle the recommendations contained in the Report of the Select Committee appointed in terms of Resolution XXXVI of 1955, which was tabled on the 19th July, 1956, and requests the Administration to give favourable consideration to those recommendations.

(Notice was given on 15th August, 1956).

7. Mr. Luckhoo to move the following motion:

WHEREAS under the Rice Farmers (Security of Tenure) Ordinance, 1956, tenant rice farmers commit an offence by keeping their oxen on the holding after cultivation, reaping and threshing;

AND WHEREAS these tenants in many cases have nowhere to keep their animals and have in the past kept their animals on the holding:

(Motion by Mr. Luckhoo contd.)

BE IT RESOLVED:

That section 56(3) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1956 Rice Farmers (Security of Tenure) Ordinance, 1956, be repealed. (Notice was given on 29th November, 1956).