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BILL No. 6 of 1985

POST AND TELEGRAPH (AMENDMENT) BILL 1985

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

- 1. Short title.
- 2. Amendment of section 63 of the Principal Act.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to amend the Post and Telegraph Act.

A.D. 1985 Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

Short title.

Cap. 47:01

1. This Act, which amends the Post and Telegraph Act, may be cited as the Post and Telegraph (Amendment) Act 1985.

Amendment 2. Section 63 of the Principal Act is hereby amended by the of section 63 insertion after subsection (7) of the following subsections as subsections of the Principal Act. (8) and (9) —

- '(8) The provisions of this section shall apply to any wireless or cable television transmitter or station used or intended to be used for the transmission or reception or both of visual images by means of television as they apply to a wireless telegraphy station used for wireless telegraphy other than television.
 - (9) For removing doubts as to the meanings of the expressions "broadcast receiving sets", "wireless telegraphy" and "wireless or cable television transmitter or station" in this section, it is hereby declared that these expressions where used in this section in relation to visual images shall have the following meanings
 - "broadcast receiving sets" includes television receiving sets, whether used in conjunction with video recorders or not;
 - "wireless telegraphy" includes television;
 - "wireless or cable television transmitter or station" includes any apparatus, appliance or structure, used for the transmission or reception or both of electro-magnetic radiation or radio frequencies used for television broadcasting, but does not include a television receiver used only for domestic purposes."

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend section 63 of the Post and Telegraph Act, Cap. 47:01, relating to licence for wireless telegraphy, so that the provisions of that section shall apply to television apparatus, thus enabling the Minister to make regulations prescribing licence fees for television apparatus.

Hamilton Green,
Vice-President,
Social Infrastructure and First Deputy Prime Minister.

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