

Bill No. 25 of 1959

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DEVELOPMENT FUND (1958 APPROPRIATION) BILL, 1959.
ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Short title.
2. Appropriation of \$2,532,891.29 in 1958.
3. Validation of payments in 1958.

A BILL
Intituled

AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE PROVISION FOR THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DEVELOPMENT FUND OF A CERTAIN SUM OF MONEY TRANSFERRED THERETO FROM THE REVENUES AND FUNDS OF BRITISH GUIANA.

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Development Fund (1958 Appropriation) Ordinance, 1959. Short title.
2. The sum of two million, five hundred and thirty-two thousand, eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-nine cents, transferred from the revenues and funds of British Guiana to the Development Fund in the year 1958 is hereby deemed to have been appropriated by law to the said Development Fund on the 1st January, 1958. Appropriation of \$2,532,891.29 in 1958.
3. All payments made during the year 1958 out of the sum mentioned in section 2 of this Ordinance shall be deemed to have been validly and properly made out of the Development Fund. Validation of payments in 1958.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

It is the policy of Government to use the annual surpluses of revenue over recurrent expenditure to finance expenditure on the Development Programme. Clause 2 of the Bill seeks to appropriate the sum of \$2,532,891.29 to the Development Fund to which all expenditure on development works is chargeable. This amount represents the surplus of revenue over recurrent expenditure in respect of the year 1958. Clause 3 seeks to validate payments made out of the sum mentioned in Clause 2.

F. W. ESSEX,
Financial Secretary.

(M.P. F.S.G. 7E/54).

(Leg. Bill 25/1959).

SCHEDULE

SECTION 2

Item No. of Commodity in the schedule to the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959	Item No. of Commodity.	Article	Rate of Import Duty	
			Preferential Tariff	General Tariff
053-01	053-01	Preserved fruits whole or in pieces with or without added sugar, whether in airtight containers or not —		
053-02	053-02	Fruit, fruit peel, parts of plants drained, glazed or crystallized, flavoured or not	30%	46%
053-03	053-03	Jams, marmalades, fruit jellies, fruit pulps and pastes whether in airtight containers or not —		
053-04	053-04	Fruit juices, unfermented, whether frozen or not (including syrups and natural fruit flavours)—		
053-04.1	053-04.01	Grapefruit juice in bulk	30%	46%
053-04.2	053-04.02	Grapefruit juice in airtight containers	30%	46%
053-04.3	053-04.03	Orange juice in bulk	30%	46%
053-04.4	053-04.04	Orange juice in airtight containers	30%	46%
053-04.5	053-04.05	Mixtures of orange and grapefruit juice	30%	46%
053-04.6	053-04.06	Lime juice, raw	30%	46%
053-04.7	053-04.07	Lime juice, concentrated	30%	46%
053-04.8	053-04.08	Lime juice, top pulp	30%	46%
053-04.9	053-04.09	Lime juice, clear, clarified, filtered, racked, or settled	30%	46%
112-04.4	112-04.04	Other rum	\$22.19 per p. gal.	\$30.69 per p. gal.
122-01	122-01	Cigars and Cheroots	\$ 7.90 per lb.	\$ 8.80 per lb.
122-02.1	122-02.1	Cigarettes manufactured in a scheduled territory entirely from scheduled territory grown tobacco	\$ 7.02 per lb.	—
122-02.2	122-02.2	Cigarettes manufactured in a scheduled territory entirely or partly from foreign grown tobacco	\$ 7.44 per lb.	—
122-03.2	122-03.2	Tobacco (smoking, chewing) manufactured in a scheduled territory entirely or partly from foreign grown tobacco	\$ 6.32 per lb.	—
841-03.4	841-03.4	Suits (complete) for women and girls	30%	45%
862-01	862-01	Films (other than cinematographic), plates and paper for photography—		

OBJECTS AND REASONS

Part 1 of the first schedule to the Customs Ordinance specifies the rates of import duties on certain articles. The Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959, amends the Customs Ordinance by the substitution for certain items in Part 1 of the first schedule thereto of the items set forth in the schedule to the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959.

2. This Bill seeks to amend Part 1 of the first schedule to the Customs Ordinance so as to remedy the effect thereon of certain errors in the schedule to the Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959.

F. W. ESSEX,
Financial Secretary.

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(Leg. Bill 26/1959.)