

L. A. Bill No. 1 of 1962

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The following Bill which was passed by the Legislative Assembly with the amendments as printed in italics, on the 1st of February, 1962, and which will be considered by the Senate, is published for general information.

2. The original Bill was published in the Gazette on the 6th of January, 1962.

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Clerk of the Legislature.

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DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION (DECLARATION OF AREA) (No. 2)* BILL, 1962.

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

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SCHEDULE.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE MERGING OF THE NORTHERN KLIEN POUDEROYEN DRAINAGE AREA AND THE NORTH KLIEN POUDEROYEN (EXTENSION) DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION AREA.

Enacted by the Legislature of British Guiana:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Drainage and Irrigation (Declaration of Area) (No. 2)* Ordinance, 1962. Short title.
2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires — Interpretation.
“the Board” means the Drainage and Irrigation Board established under the Principal Ordinance;
“existing Area” means the North Klien Pouderoyen (Extension) Area and the Northern Klien Pouderoyen Drainage and Irrigation Area;
“the Principal Ordinance” means the Drainage and Irrigation Ordinance.
3. The Northern Klien Pouderoyen Drainage Area shall be deemed to be and always to have been known as the Northern Klien Pouderoyen Drainage and Irrigation Area. Drainage Area deemed to be a Drainage and Irrigation Area.
4. (1) Anything to the contrary contained in the Principal Ordinance notwithstanding, the area described in the schedule hereto shall be, and is hereby declared to be, a drainage and irrigation area for all purposes as though it had been declared to be such by order in council made under section 18, and published as contemplated under section 19, of the Principal Ordinance and the existing Areas (which are within the said area) shall merge in the drainage and irrigation area hereby declared. Merging of existing Drainage and Irrigation Areas. Schedule.
(2) The name of the drainage and irrigation area declared under this section shall be the Northern Klien Pouderoyen Drainage and Irrigation Area and the boundaries thereof shall be those specified in the schedule hereto.
5. Nothing provided in this Ordinance shall have the effect of invalidating any assessment or payment of rates made under the Principal Ordinance in respect of an existing Area or any section thereof before the commencement of this Ordinance, and any rates which have been assessed but not paid shall remain payable and shall be recoverable in the same manner as if this Ordinance had not been enacted. Schedule.
Rates assessed in respect of area before merging to remain payable

That area of the northern portion of Plantation Klien Pouderoyen on the West Bank of the Demerara River, commencing on the West Bank of the Demerara River at the eastern extremity of the common boundary between Northern Klien Pouderoyen and Plantation Vreen-en-Hoop, and its boundaries extending thence southward along the West Bank of the Demerara River to its intersection with the prolongation eastwards of the northern boundary of a piece of land containing 3.69 English Acres held by the Colony of British Guiana under Transport No. 1005 dated 28th August, 1928, as shown and laid down on a plan by E. S. E. Parker, Sworn Land Surveyor dated 13th July, 1928, thence westwards along the aforesaid prolongation of and the northern boundary of the aforesaid piece of land to its north-western extremity, thence in a southerly direction along the line comprising the western boundary of the aforesaid piece of land held under Transport No. 1005 dated 28th August, 1928, Transport No. 204 dated 9th March, 1927 and Transport No. 202 dated 9th March, 1927 to its intersection with the prolongation eastwards of the common boundary between Lot C Klien Pouderoyen held under Transport No. 240 dated 16th February, 1948 and North Klien Pouderoyen, thence westward along the aforesaid prolongation of and the common boundary between Lot C Klien Pouderoyen and North Klien Pouderoyen aforesaid and the common boundary between the northern and southern Klien Pouderoyen to the common boundary on the west between Northern Klien Pouderoyen and Plantation Windsor Forest, thence northwards along the aforesaid common boundary between northern Klien Pouderoyen and Plantation Windsor Forest to the common boundary on the north between Northern Klien Pouderoyen and Windsor Forest, thence eastward along the aforesaid common boundary between Northern Klien Pouderoyen and Plantation Windsor Forest and the common boundary between Northern Klien Pouderoyen and Plantation Vreed-en-Hoop to the point of commencement.

Passed by the Legislative Assembly on the 1st February, 1962.

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OBJECTS AND REASONS

It is proposed to merge the two drainage and irrigation areas in the North Klien Pouderoyen Area in order to achieve more efficient administration and supervision.

2. The Northern Klien Pouderoyen Area was declared by Order in Council No. 40 of 1953 to be a drainage area, and subsequently by Ordinance No. 43 of 1954 the area was declared to be a drainage and irrigation area with effect from the date of Order in Council No. 40 of 1953. The name of the area was however omitted from the Ordinance and clause 3 of the Bill seeks to correct the omission.

3. The Bill seeks to declare the area described in the schedule to the Bill to be a drainage and irrigation area for the purposes of the Drainage and Irrigation Ordinance. The area consists of the Northern Klien Pouderoyen Drainage and Irrigation Area and the North Klien Pouderoyen (Extension) Drainage and Irrigation Area.

4. Clause 5 of the Bill seeks to continue the validity of assessment of rates made under the Drainage and Irrigation Ordinance and to make recoverable amounts of rates assessed but not paid.

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