

BILL No. 1 of 1996

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LICENCES (INCREASE OF DUTIES) BILL 1996

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title and commencement.
2. Amendment of certain Acts.

SCHEDULE

2

A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to amend certain Acts.

A:D: 1996

Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

Short title
and
commence-
ment.

1. This Act may be cited as the Licences (Increase of Duties) Act 1996 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st January, 1996.

Amendment
of certain
Acts.
Schedule

2. The Acts specified in the first column of the Schedule are hereby amended in the manner specified in the corresponding entry in the second column of that Schedule.

SCHEDULE

a. 2

Acts	Amendments
Coconut Products (Control) Act. Cap. 69:05 Section 5 (2)	For "one hundred" substitute "five hundred".
Section 6 (3)	For "one hundred" substitute "five hundred".
Tax Act Cap. 80:01 Section 8 (2)	For "ten thousand" substitute "twenty thousand".
Section 9A (2)	For "six thousand six hundred" substitute "thirteen thousand two hundred".
Section 19 (1) The Proviso Paragraph (a)	For "twenty thousand" substitute "forty thousand".
Section 19 (2)	For "twenty thousand" substitute "forty thousand".

Acts	Amendments
Section 20 (1)	For "200.00", "400.00", "800.00", "1500.00", "3,500.00", "5,000.00", "9,180.00", "14,050.00" and "14,850.00" substitute "600.00", "1,200.00", "2,400.00", "4,500.00", "10,500.00", "15,000.00", "27,540.00", "42,150.00", and "44,550.00", respectively.
Section 21(1)	For "800.00" and "400.00" substitute "2,400.00" and "1,200.00", respectively.
Section 21 (2)	For "five hundred" substitute "one thousand five hundred".
Section 21 (2A)	For "five hundred" substitute "one thousand five hundred."
Section 21(3)	For "two hundred" substitute "six hundred".
Section 22 (1)	For "100", "300" and "1,000" substitute "300", "900" and "3,000", respectively.
The Proviso Paragraph (b)	For "thirty" substitute "five hundred"
Section 24	For "one thousand" and "two hundred and fifty" substitute "three thousand" and "seven hundred and fifty", respectively.
Section 25	For "two hundred and fifty" substitute seven hundred and fifty".
Section 27	For "two hundred and eighty" substitute "eight hundred and forty".
Section 28	For "2", "40", "80", "120", and "15,000" substitute "9,000", "12,000", "18,000", "27,000", and "45,000", respectively.
Section 29	For "one hundred" substitute "three hundred".

Acts	Amendments
Section 31	For "five thousand" substitute "twenty-five thousand".
Section 32	For "twenty thousand", "fifteen thousand and "ten thousand" substitute "forty thousand", "thirty thousand" and "twenty thousand", respectively.
Section 33	For "five thousand" substitute "fifteen thousand".
Section 35	For "70.00", "100.00", "270.00", "500.00" and "1,000.00" substitute "210.00", "300.00", "810.00", "1,500.00" and "3,000.00", respectively.
Section 37	
Paragraph (e)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Paragraph (f)	For "500.00" substitute "1,500.00".
Paragraph (g)	For "280.00" substitute "840.00".
Paragraph (h)	For "280.00" substitute "840.00".
Paragraph (i)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Paragraph (j)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Paragraph (k)	For "200.00" substitute "600.00".
Paragraph (l)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Paragraph (m)	For "140.00" substitute "420.00".
Section 38	
Paragraph (a)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Paragraph (b)	For "80.00" substitute "240.00".
Paragraph (c)	For "100.00" substitute "300.00".
Section 40	For "twenty" substitute "one hundred".

Acts	Amendments
Section 41 (1)	For "five hundred" and "three hundred and thirty" substitute "one thousand five hundred" and "one thousand", respectively.
Section 53	For "one hundred" substitute "one thousand".
Section 54 (2)	For "2,200", "1,000" and "600", substitute "4,400", "2,000" and "1,200", respectively.
Section 55	For "five hundred" substitute "one thousand".
Section 61	For "New Amsterdam" substitute "New Amsterdam, Linden or Corriver-ton" and for "two thousand" and "one thousand", substitute "ten thousand" and "five thousand", respectively.
Miscellaneous Licences Act. Cap. 80:04 Section 6	For "forty" substitute "two hundred".
Hucksters Licensing and Control Act. Cap. 91:06 Section 3	For "280", "1,000" and "5,000" substitute "560", "2,000" and "10,000", respectively.
Auctioneers Act. Cap. 91:07 Section 3 (3)	For "three thousand five hundred" substitute "seven thousand".
Rice Factories Act. Cap. 95:05 Section 7 (2)	For "200.00", "250.00", "300.00" and "400.00" substitute "1,000.00", "1,250.00", "1,500.00" and "2,000.00", respectively.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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The Bill seeks to amend the Coconut Products (Control Tax Act, Cap. 80:01, Miscellaneous Licences Act, Cap. 80:04, t, Cap. 69:05, ksters Licensing and Control Act, Cap. 91:06, Auctioneers Act, Cap. 91:07 and Rice Factories Act, Cap. 95:05, for the purpose of increasing the duties, fees and cost of licences payable under these Acts.

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Senior Minister of Finance.