



GUYANA.

BILL No. 25 of 1970.

FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1970.

Arrangement of Sections.

Section

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 11 of the Principal Ordinance.

A BILL

intituled

AN ACT to amend the Fisheries Ordinance, 1956.

A.D. 1970. Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

Short title.
No. 30 of
1970.

1. This Act, which amends the Fisheries Ordinance, 1956, may be cited as the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1970.

Amendment
of section
11 of the
Principal
Ordinance.

2. Section 11 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended in the following respects —

(a) by the repeal of subsection (1) and the substitution therefor of the following subsection —

“(1) Every owner of a registered fishing boat who shall engage in fishing with the said boat, or permits the same to be so used, shall make application in the prescribed form to the Chief Agricultural Officer for a licence permitting the boat to be so engaged and such licence shall be carried on the boat whenever and by whomsoever it is being used for fishing.”; and

(b) by the substitution of the words “five hundred” for the word “fifty” appearing in subsection (5).

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to provide that an owner of a boat registered under the provisions of the Fisheries Ordinance, 1956, shall, if such boat is employed in fishing, have issued to him a licence permitting such usage and to increase the maximum penalty in respect of offences under section 11 of that Ordinance.

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Minister of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

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