

BRITISH GUIANA.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

MADE UNDER
THE CENSUS ORDINANCE,
(Chapter 64).

UNDER SECTION 2 (1) OF THE CENSUS ORDINANCE, IT IS
HEREBY ORDERED BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL
AS FOLLOWS :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Census (General) Order, 1960. Short title.

2. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires — Interpreta-
tion.

“census day” means the 7th April, 1960;

“census night” means the period of time between four o'clock in the afternoon of census day and midnight of that day;

“returns” means the forms provided by the Census Officer to enumerators for the purpose of the census;

“Rupununi District” means the area described in the third schedule to the Proclamation made by the Governor under the provisions of subsection (3) of section 2 of the District Government Ordinance on the 26th October, 1936; Cap. 56.

“West Indies” means the British possessions, or the possessions of France, the Netherlands or the United States of America, lying between the Equator and the Tropic of Cancer and between the fiftieth and ninetieth meridians of longitude west of Greenwich.

3. A census for the Colony, excluding the Rupununi District shall be taken on the 7th April, 1960, in respect of all persons who are alive at midnight on that day. Census Day.

4. The returns shall be completed by enumerators appointed by the Census Officer in accordance with the provisions of the Census Ordinance, with respect to all persons who are alive on census night, and who pass census night — Returns to
be completed
by enumerators
Cap. 64.
 - (a) at any place on land within the Colony;
 - (b) on any ship or boat, not being a ship registered at a port outside the West Indies, within the territorial waters of the Colony; or
 - (c) on any ship or boat, not being a ship registered at a port outside the West Indies, which arrives in the Colony within five days following census day without having called at any British West Indian port since midnight on census day.

Persons by whom information is to be furnished.

5. Information for the purpose of the census with respect to the persons referred to in article 4 of this Order shall be furnished by—

- (a) the person with respect to whom the returns are to be completed;
- (b) the householder or person in charge of every private dwelling with respect to all persons who pass census night on the premises of that dwelling;
- (c) the proprietor or manager of every club, hotel, boarding-house, common lodging house, boarding school or hostel with respect to all persons who pass census night on the premises of those places;
- (d) the chief resident officer of every public or private hospital, sanatorium, nursing home, poor-house, religious or charitable home, industrial school or other institution with respect to all persons who pass census night on the premises of those places;
- (e) the Officer in charge of every police station, prison, lock-up, or other place of detention with respect to all persons who pass census night on the premises of those places;
- (f) the officer or other person appointed for the purpose in pursuance of arrangements made between the Census Officer and the Commanding Officer with respect to all persons belonging to the military, naval or air forces of the Crown and any other persons who pass census night in any barracks, station or other premises under military, naval or air force discipline, or
- (g) the master of every ship or boat described in paragraphs (b) and (c) of article 4 with respect to all persons who pass census night aboard that ship or boat.

6. The particulars to be stated in the returns shall be as follows—

- (a) in respect of every private dwelling, the kind of dwelling and the number of rooms therein, the date of first occupancy, the tenancy status of the occupier, the rental, the water supply and the toilet facilities;
- (b) in respect of every person,
 - (i) the name, relationship to head of household, sex, age, race, religion, marital status,
 - (ii) place of birth, normal place of residence, duration of residence in the district,
 - (iii) highest level of education attained,
 - (iv) main activity (economic or uneconomic) during the twelve months preceding census day, number of months worked during the twelve months preceding census day, whether working for the first time during the twelve months preceding census day, main occupation during the twelve months preceding census day, whether employed during the week preceding census day, employment status, name and type of business of employer;

Particulars to be stated in the returns.

- (c) in respect of females,
 - (i) number of children born alive,
 - (ii) age at birth of first child born alive,
 - (iii) children born alive during the twelve months preceding census day,
 - (iv) under 45 years of age, type of union and duration of such union,
 - (v) over 45 years of age, type of union at 45 years of age and duration of that union at that age;
- (d) in respect of children attending school, the name and denomination of the school in which enrolled;
- (e) in respect of every child born on or after the 1st January, 1960—
 - (i) the date of birth, place of birth and whether born in a hospital or nursing home, the place where the birth is registered and the date of registration of birth,
 - (ii) the names of the father and mother, the maiden name of the mother, the ages of the father and mother,
 - (iii) the rank or profession of the father,
 - (iv) whether it is a single birth, one of twins or one of triplets,
 - (v) whether the name has been entered in the register of births, or has been used in baptism but not entered in the register or has not yet been used,
 - (vi) the place of normal residence of the parents,
 - (vii) if baptised, the name of the church in which baptised,
 - (viii) the live birth order in the family;
- (f) in respect of every person in charge of a farm or plot of land, the area of such farm or plot of land; and
- (g) in respect of every tenth household in an enumeration district, the income groups to which the members of the household belong as specified in the "Income Card" form set out in the first schedule to the Census Regulations, 1960.

Made in Council this 13th day of January, 1960.

IVAN H. SEELIG,
Clerk to the Executive Council (Acting).