

ORDINANCE No. 9 OF 1920.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Wines, etc., Licences Ordinance, 1868. A.D. 1920.

[20th March, 1920.]

BE it enacted by the Governor of British Guiana, with the advice and consent of the Court of Policy thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Wine, etc., Licences Ordinance, 1920, and shall be read and construed as one with the Wine, etc., Licences Ordinance, 1868, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance and with any amending Ordinance.

Short title.

2. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding thereto after section twenty-one the following new section:—

Enactment of Section 21A to Ordinance 8 of 1868.

“21A.—(1) Every holder of a liquor store or hotel or tavern licence, who is desirous of transferring the same to any other person, shall apply to the Excise Board in writing, who shall grant or refuse the same as to them may seem fit.”

3. Sub-section (1) of section twenty-two of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by inserting therein after the word “licence” in the second line thereof the words “or transfer.”

Amendment of Section 22 (1) of Ordinance 8 of 1868.

4. Sub-section (5) of section twenty-six of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by deleting therefrom the words “and every such refusal shall be final” in the last two lines thereof.

Amendment of Section 26 (5) of Ordinance 9 of 1868.

5. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding thereto after section thirty-four the following new section:—

Enactment of Section 34A to Ordinance 8 of 1868.

“34A. Every applicant for a new retail spirit shop licence or for the transfer of a retail spirit shop licence may appeal against any decision of the Excise Board refusing to grant him such licence or transfer, in the same manner as provided for in the case of appeals under section twenty-two of this Ordinance.”