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25 of 1943.

An Ordinance to make provision for the transfer from the Colony of certain persons detained in lawful custody within the Colony ; and for purposes connected with the matter aforesaid.

[11TH DECEMBER, 1943.]

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Detained Persons (Transfer of Custody) Ordinance.

Power of Governor to make order to remove detained persons from Colony.

2 & 3 Geo. 6.,
c. 62.

2. Where any person, whether a British subject or not and whether born in British Guiana or not, has been lawfully ordered to be detained in British Guiana, the Governor may, if it appears to him that continued detention of that person in British Guiana is impracticable or inexpedient, make arrangements with the Government of the United Kingdom or of any other country or territory to which the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, 1939, of the United Kingdom has been extended by Order in Council made under section 4 of that Act, for the removal of that person to the United Kingdom or to that country or territory, as the case may be, and may make an order directing that such person shall be removed from British Guiana in pursuance of such arrangement.

Power to detain person in respect of whom an order has been made.

3. Any person with respect to whom an order under the last preceding section has been made may be detained in such manner as may be directed by the Governor and may be placed on a ship or aircraft about to leave British Guiana and shall be deemed to be in lawful custody while so detained and while on board such ship or aircraft.

4. The operation of any order made under this Ordinance for the removal of any person from British Guiana shall not be affected by any proceedings instituted or by any procedural act under any other law with the object of preventing or delaying departure of any such person.

Operation of orders not to be affected by any proceedings.