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BILL NO. 27 OF 1970.

SURVEYS (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) BILL, 1970.

Arrangement of Sections.

Section

1. Short title.
2. Surveys by aerial photography.

A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to authorise the surveying of lands by means of aerial photography.

Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:—

A.D. 1970

Short title. 1. This Act may be cited as the Surveys (Special Provisions) Act, 1970.

Surveys by aerial photography.

Cap. 071.

No. 18 of 1959.

2. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other law, a plan or diagram may, either in conjunction with, or without the procedures prescribed by in the Land Surveyors Ordinance, be prepared in accordance with a survey carried out to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Lands and Mines by means of low altitude aerial photography, demonstrating for the purposes of the award of titles under the Land Registration Ordinance, 1959, or of any conveyance in respect of any State or Government lands, the situation, boundaries and relative position of land in a land registration area declared under the last-mentioned Ordinance or of any such State or Government lands; and any plan or diagram so prepared shall for all purposes have effect as if it had been prepared under the Land Surveyors Ordinance.

### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

There is an increasing need for surveys to be carried out for the purposes of land registration and public purposes which makes it desirable to have the required plans or diagrams prepared more expeditiously than is possible by the theodolite method of survey. There is a similar need for facilitating the conveyance of land by the Government. This Bill seeks, therefore, to give legal recognition lands; and any plan or diagram so prepared shall for all purposes those purposes.

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Natural Resources.

(Bill No. 27/1970).  
(AGR: 407/267/4 (3) ).