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The following Private Bill which will be introduced in the National Assembly by Cde. R. C. Van Sluytman, M.P., is published for general information.

F. A. Narain,
Clerk of the National Assembly.



GUYANA

BILL No. 13 of 1976

NATIONAL SPIRITUAL ASSEMBLY OF BAHA'IS OF GUYANA (INCORPORATION OF TRUSTEES) BILL 1976

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A BILL

Intituled

AN ACT to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is.

A.D. 1976 Enacted by the Parliament of Guyana :—

Short
title.

1. This Act may be cited as the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is of Guyana (Incorporation of Trustees) Act 1976.

Inter-
pretation

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —

“the Board of Trustees” or “the Board” means the Board of Trustees of the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is of Guyana incorporated by this Act;

“the Assembly” means the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is in Guyana.

Incor-
poration
of the
Board of
Trustees.

3. Henry Dolphin, Chairman; John Viera, Vice-Chairman; Ellen Widner, Secretary, Eileen Hill, Treasurer, Sheila Dolphin, Recording Secretary; Ivan Fraser, Member; Lygia Vasilda, Member, Edward Widmer, Member, Rooplall, Dudnath, Member, and their successors in office, shall be a body corporate and shall have the name of the Board of Trustees of the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is in Guyana.

Death or
absence
from
Guyana
of member
of the
Board of
Trustees.

4. There shall not be at any time more than nine Trustees of the Board and in the event of death or absence from Guyana or inability or refusal of any one or more of the Trustees to act as such, all or any of the powers conferred by this Act on the Trustees may be exercised by the surviving or remaining Trustees provided always that their number is not less than five.

Vesting of
property in
the Board.

5. All property movable or immovable of whatever nature or kind hereafter bequeathed by will or otherwise given to the Assembly shall be deemed to be the property of the Board.

Tenure of
property
for use and
benefit of
the Assembly.

6. All property vested in or hereafter acquired by the Board shall be held by the Board for the use and benefit of the Assembly.

Exercise
by Board
of powers
in matters

7. In all matters not specifically provided for by this Act, the Board shall, so far as practicable, possess and exercise the like power and authority as are possessed and exercised by the

not specifically provided for by this Act. Assembly and its proceedings shall be governed by the laws, regulations, powers and practices of that body in so far as they are not inconsistent with any law in force in Guyana.

Evidence of membership of the Board. 8. A statement that any person named therein has been appointed a member of the Board of Trustees, purporting to be signed by the Chairman of the Assembly, or the Secretary of the Assembly, shall be prima facie evidence of the said fact.

Service of process. 9. All process which is required to be served on the Board shall be deemed to be sufficiently served if served on a person of full age at the residence in Guyana of the Chairman, or the Vice-Chairman, or the Secretary, or the Treasurer, or if a copy thereof is published in the Gazette.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the National Spiritual Assembly of Baha'is of Guyana.

(Bill 13/1976).