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RICE (CESS) ACT

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AN ACT to provide for the payment by the Rice Marketing Board to the Government of a cess in respect of the proceeds of rice sold for consumption within Guyana.

[22ND FEBRUARY, 1952]

WHEREAS by reason of the increased price secured for rice exported from Guyana, the Rice Marketing Board have sought the approval of the Government for fixing an increased price to be paid by the Board in respect of rice purchased by the Board from rice producers in order to pass on to them the benefit derived from the increased export price:

AND WHEREAS any increase in the price paid to producers will make it necessary and expedient that the price of rice sold by the Board for consumption in Guyana should also be increased at the same time:

AND WHEREAS the Board have agreed in these circumstances that the proceeds of such increase in the price of rice sold by the Board for consumption In Guyana should

not accrue to the Board, but should be paid over by the Board into the Consolidated Fund:

Be it enacted by the Parliament of Guyana:

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Rice (Cess) Act.

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2. In this Act “the Board” means the Guyana Rice Marketing Board established under section 3 of the Rice Marketing Act.

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the Board to
pay cess to
Accountant
General.
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3. (1) Anything in the Rice Marketing Act to the contrary notwithstanding, the Minister may, where it has been agreed between the Government and the Board that it is expedient so to do, by order, authorise and direct the Board to pay to the Accountant General a cess at such rate as may be specified in such order, in respect of the proceeds of the sale of rice by the Board for consumption within Guyana.

(2) The moneys received by the Accountant General under subsection (1) shall be paid into the Consolidated Fund.

Certified
returns to be
made by the
Board.

4. (1) Where any order has been made under section 3(1), the Board shall, not later than fourteen days after the last day of every month, transmit to the Accountant General a return certified by the Manager and Secretary of the Board, showing the quantity of rice sold by the Board for consumption within Guyana during the preceding month, and the cess payable in respect thereof.

(2) The Board shall, not later than six days after the transmission of a return under this section, pay to the Accountant General the amount of cess shown by such return to be due and payable.