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CHAPTER NO. 188.

*Land (Interest on Arbitrated Compensation).*

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GENERAL ANNOTATION.

ADMINISTRATION.

As at 13 February 1976 (the date of gazettal of the most comprehensive allocation of responsibilities to Ministers and Departments at about the effective date), while the administration of this Chapter was not vested specifically in any Minister, it appears from the determination of functions of Ministers that it was the responsibility of the Minister for Justice.

The Chapter does not refer to it "the Minister", "the Departmental Head" or "the Department".

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ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS.

1. Interest on compensation.
2. Saving of compensation under other laws.

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Being an Act to make provision for interest on certain compensation for land.

**1. Interest on compensation.**

Subject to Section 2, in an arbitration for the assessment of compensation for the compulsory acquisition of land, the arbitrator may, if he thinks fit, order that there be included in the sum at which compensation is assessed, interest, at such rate as he thinks proper, on the whole or part of the compensation for the whole or part of the period between the date of the acquisition and the date of the assessment.

**2. Saving of compensation under other laws.**

Nothing in Section 1 applies in relation to any amount of compensation on which interest is payable under any other law.

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APPENDIX.

SOURCE OF THE LAND (INTEREST ON ARBITRATED COMPENSATION) ACT.

Part A.—Previous Legislation.

*Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1962 (No. 58 of 1962), Section 42.*

Part B.—Cross References.

Section, etc., in Revised Edition.	Previous Reference <sup>1</sup> .
1	42(1)
2	42(2)(b)

<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, references are to the Act set out in Part A.