

PAPUA.



No. I. of 1918.

AN ORDINANCE

To Amend "*The Timber Ordinance (Consolidated) of 1909.*"

[RESERVED 23RD AUGUST, 1917 ;

ASSENTED TO 6TH DECEMBER, 1917.] ^(a)

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Territory of Papua, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Timber Ordinance, 1917.* Short title and Citation.

(2) *The Timber Ordinance (Consolidated) of 1909* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the *Timber Ordinance, 1909-1917.*

2. Section 11 of the Principal Ordinance is amended— Amendment of s. 11 Principal Ordinance.

(a) by omitting the words "half a" and inserting the words "the whole or such portion of the first" in lieu thereof ;

(a) Date assented to by the Governor-General. Assent notified in *Gazette* No. 2 of 6th February, 1918.

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- (b) by inserting after the words "estimated area" the words "as may be prescribed";
- (c) by omitting the words "and shall be paid half yearly in advance";
- (d) by adding at the end of the section the following new paragraph:—

"Rent shall be paid in advance at such time and in respect of such periods as may be prescribed by Regulations. Such Regulations may alter the periods and times in respect of and at which rent is made payable under any Timber Licenses granted under this Ordinance prior to the making of such Regulations and thereafter rent in respect of such last mentioned Licenses shall be paid in accordance with such alteration"

Passed in Council this twenty-third day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice of the Executive Council of the Commonwealth of Australia, on the Sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.