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An Act to regulate the use of the national Coat of Arms of Guyana.

[10th December, 1966]

Short title.

1. This act may be cited as the Guyana Coat of Arms (Regulation) Act.

Restrictions on using the Coat of Arms of Guyana.

2. Subject as hereinafter provided, any person who, otherwise than in accordance with the terms of a licence granted by the Minister, uses or displays—

- (a) in connection with the carrying on of any business, trade, profession or calling; or
- (b) in connection with the activities of any body or persons, whether corporate or unincorporate,

the national Coat of Arms of Guyana, or any arms so nearly resembling them as to be calculated to deceive, shall be guilty of an offence against this Act:

Provided that the foregoing provisions of this section shall not apply to the reproduction or representation of the

national Coat of Arms of Guyana on any article, goods or thing sold or offered for sale except the Minister, lest any affront to public good taste be thereby occasioned or continued, declares by order published in the Gazette that the said foregoing provisions shall apply to the reproduction or representation of the national Coat of Arms of Guyana on those articles, goods or things.

Licences may be subject to terms and conditions.

3. (1) A licence may be granted under this Act by the Minister subject to such terms and conditions (if any) as are specified in the licence and it may at any time be revoked, amended or altered by the Minister.

(2) Every application for any such licence shall be in writing, shall be made by transmission thereof to the Minister responsible for ceremonial and shall contain such information as the Minister may from time to time require.

Penalty.
[6 of 1997]

4. Any person guilty of an offence against this Act shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine of sixteen thousand two hundred and fifty dollars and, in the case of a continuing offence, to a fine of one thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars for every day or part of a day during which the offence is continued after the first day in respect of which the conviction is had.
