CONSULAR FEES

THE CONSULAR FEES ACT

[22nd June, 1964.]

1. This Act may be cited as the Consular Fees Act.

2. In this Act—

"Minister" means the Minister responsible for external affairs;

"consular officer" means a consul-general, consul, vice-consul or consular agent appointed to represent Jamaica and holding a valid exequatur or other authorization to perform consular functions.

3.—(1) It shall be lawful for the Minister, by order to Power to fix the fees to be taken in respect of any matter or thing $\frac{fix \text{ con-sular fees.}}{sular fees}$ done by a consular officer in the execution of his office, and vary such fees by way of increase or decrease, and to abolish fees, and to create new fees.

(2) Every such order shall set out in the Schedule thereto the duties for which a consular officer shall charge a fee.

(3) Every order made under this section shall be subject to negative resolution of the House of Representatives.

(4) A consular officer shall not, save as may be provided by any order made under this Act, ask for or take any fee or reward for or on account of any act, thing, or service done, performed, or rendered by him in the execution of his office.

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