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**An Act to supplement the Workmen's Compensation Act, in order to give effect to a certain resolution adopted by a Conference of Commonwealth Countries held in London in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.**

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Commencement.

WHEREAS at a Conference of Commonwealth Countries held in London in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six, a resolution was adopted recommending that arrangements should be made between the different Commonwealth territories whereby sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in one Commonwealth territory to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in another Commonwealth territory may, at the request of the authority by which the award is made, be transferred to and administered by a competent authority in that Commonwealth territory in which such beneficiaries reside, and inviting the several Governments of the Commonwealth to take such steps by way of legislation or otherwise as each may consider necessary and appropriate for the purpose of promoting such arrangements.

Preamble.

**1.** This Act may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Transfer of Funds) Act, and shall be construed as one with the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Short title and construction.

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**2.** For the purpose of giving effect to the resolution referred to in the Preamble above, the President may, subject to affirmative resolution of Parliament make Regulations to provide, in the event of any such arrangement as is mentioned in the resolution adopted by the said Conference held in London in 1926 being made on behalf of or by Trinidad and Tobago and any other territory of the Commonwealth—

Regulations.

(a) for the transfer, in such manner as may be provided by the arrangement, to the

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Commonwealth territory with which the arrangement is made of any money paid to the Commissioner under the Workmen's Compensation Act and Regulations made thereunder, as applicable for the benefit of any person resident in or about to reside in the Commonwealth territory with which the arrangement has been made;

- (b) for the receipt and administration by the Commissioner of any money which under any such arrangement has been transmitted from the Commonwealth territory with which the arrangement has been made as money applicable for the benefit of any person resident or about to reside in Trinidad and Tobago.
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