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AN ACT to provide for the control of public buildings used as accommodation and for related matters.

1. Allocated Government bungalows

Except in the special circumstances and subject to the conditions that the President may impose, a public officer who has obtained a loan from or arranged by the public officer's employer for the construction of a residential accommodation under a housing loan scheme designed for public officers shall not, after the completion of the house in respect of which the loan was granted, be allocated a bungalow or an accommodation owned by the Government or the public officer's other employer within the Public Services if the city or town where the public officer is for the time being posted is the same as the city or town in which the house is situated.

2. Vacation of bungalows

(1) Subject to section 1, where at the commencement of this Act a person to whom section 1 applies has been allocated a bungalow or an accommodation that person shall vacate the bungalow or accommodation immediately or pay to the Government a sum of money equal to the rent for which the house constructed with the loan referred to in section 1 has been rented by the public officer.

(2) Where a house is rented to a tenant, the public officer referred to in subsection (1) is entitled to remove the tenant despite the lease or an agreement to the contrary from the house or tender to the tenant the rent which had been paid by the tenant to the public officer in respect of a period falling after the date of removal of the tenant from the house.

3. Interpretation

For the purposes of this Act, "public officer" includes a person who holds a public office as defined in article 295 of the Constitution and a person who is an employee of a company wholly-owned by the Government or wholly-owned by a statutory corporation or public corporation or any other agency of the Government.

1. The Act was issued as the Public Servants (Control of Provision of Bungalows) Decree, 1979 (A.F.R.C.D. 34), made on 14th September, 1979 and notified in the *Gazette* on 21st September, 1979.

