

1907.

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Read 1° 3 July, 1907.

(Brought in by the Prime Minister, the Honorable Alfred Deakin.)

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT

Relating to Grants and Dispositions of Freehold Estates in Land in the Territory of Papua.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows :—

1. This Act may be cited as the *Papua Act* 1907.

Short title.

5 2. Nothing in the *Papua Act* 1905 shall be deemed to prevent grants or dispositions of freehold estates in land within the Territory being made in pursuance of rights of purchase acquired under the law of British New Guinea before the commencement of that Act.

Grant of estates in freehold in pursuance of contracts.

