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Inheritances,

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commissioner and governor, thereafter, whether before or after a homestead lease of patent has been issued thereon, be or be contracted to be in any way, directly or indirectly, by process of law or otherwise, conveyed, mortgaged, leased, or otherwise transferred to, or acquired or held by or for the benefit of, any alien or corporation; or before or after the issuance of a homestead lease or before the issuance of a patent to or by or for the benefit of any other person; or, after the issuance of a patent, to or by or for the benefit of any person who owns, or holds, or controls, directly or indirectly, other land or the use thereof, the combined area of which and the land in question exceeds eighty acres. The prohibitions of this paragraph shall not apply to transfers or acquisitions by inheritance or between tenants in common."

SEC. 305. The fourth and fifth paragraphs of section 73 of the Hawaiian Organic Act are hereby amended by inserting "(h)" at the beginning of the fourth paragraph and "(i)" at the beginning of

the fifth paragraph.

Sec. 306. The sixth paragraph of section 73 of the Hawaiian

Organic Act is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(j) The commissioner, with the approval of the governor, may purchase lands for give to any person (1) who is a citizen of the United States or who yol. 30, p 445, amend has legally declared his intention to become a citizen of the United ed. States and hereafter becomes such, and (2) who has, or whose predecessors in interest have, improved any parcel of public lands and resided thereon continuously for the ten years next preceding the application to purchase, a preference right to purchase so much of such parcel and such adjoining land as may reasonably be required for a home, at a fair price to be determined by three disinterested citizens to be appointed by the governor. In the determination of such purchase price the commissioner may, if he deems it just and In heu of reserved reasonable, disregard the value of the improvements on such parcel lands. and adjoining land. If such parcel of public lands is reserved for public purposes, either for the use of the United States or the Territory of Hawaii, the commissioner may with the approval of the governor grant to such person a preference right to purchase public Lessees of public lands which are of similar character, value, and area, and which are situated in the same land district. The privilege granted by this paragraph shall not extend to any original lessee or to an assignee of Lettering of para- an entire lease of public lands."

Sec. 307. The seventh paragraph of section 73 of the Hawanan Organic Act is hereby amended by inserting "(k)" at the beginning thereof.

SEC. 308. The eighth paragraph of section 73 of the Hawaiian

Limit of area or Organic Act is hereby amended to read as follows:

(1) No sale of lands for other than homestead purposes, except Leases of agricultony convey lands exceeding either forty acres in area or \$5,000 in value tiral, pastoral, or waste shall be made. No lease of agricultural lands in area, or of pastoral or waste lands exceeding two hundred acres in area, shall be made without the approval of two-thirds of the board of public lands, which is hereby constituted, the members of which are to be appointed by the governor as provided in section Protisos board shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed said board for a term of four years: Provided, however, That the commissioner shall, with the approval of said board sall to the commissioner shall, with the approval of said board sall to the commissioner shall, with the approval of said board sall to the commissioner shall to the commissioner shall to the commissioner shall to the commissioner shall be said board sall to the commissioner shall to the commissioner shall be said board sall to the commissioner shall be said board shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members, and its members be appointed shall consist of six members are shall consist of six members and its members be appointed shall consist of six members are shall consist of six members are shall consist of six members and its members be appointed shall consist of six members are sh shall, with the approval of said board, sell to any citizen of the United States, or to any person who has legally declared his intention to become a citizen, for residence purposes lots and tracts, not exceeding three acres in area, and that sales of Government lands may be made upon the approval of said board whenever necessary to locate thereon railroad rights of way, railroad tracks, side tracks,