Providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provision of section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which requires on each mining claim located, and until a patent has been issued therefor, not less than $100 worth of labor to be performed or improvements aggregating such amount to be made each year, be, and the same is hereby, suspended as to all mining claims in the United States, including Alaska, during the year beginning at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1933, and ending at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1934: Provided, That the provisions of this Act shall not apply in the case of any claimant not entitled to exemption from the payment of a Federal income tax for the taxable year 1933: Provided further, That every claimant of any such mining claim, in order to obtain the benefits of this Act, shall file, or cause to be filed, in the office where the location notice or certificate is recorded, on or before 12 o'clock meridian, July 1, 1934, a notice of his desire to hold said mining claim under this Act, which notice shall state that the claimant, or claimants, were entitled to exemption from the payment of a Federal income tax for the taxable year 1933: And provided further, That such suspension of assessment work shall not apply to more than six lode-mining claims held by the same person, nor to more than twelve lode-mining claims held by the same partnership, association, or corporation: And provided further, That such suspension of assessment work shall not apply to more than six placer-mining claims not to exceed one hundred and twenty acres (in all) held by the same person, nor to more than twelve placer-mining claims not to exceed two hundred and forty acres (in all) held by the same partnership, association, or corporation.

Approved, May 15, 1934.

[CHAPTER 290.]

AN ACT

To amend sections 203 and 207 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920 (U.S.C., title 48, secs. 697 and 701), conferring upon certain lands of Auwaiolimu, Kewalo, and Kalawahine, on the island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, the status of Hawaiian home lands, and providing for the leasing thereof for residence purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph (4) of section 203 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920 (U.S.C., title 48, sec. 697), is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(4) On the island of Oahu: Nanakuli (three thousand acres, more or less), and Lualualei (two thousand acres, more or less), in the District of Waianae; and Waimanalo (four thousand acres, more or less), in the District of Koolaupoko, excepting therefrom the military reservation and the beach lands; and those certain portions of the lands of Auwaiolimu and Kewalo described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

“(i) Portion of the Government land of Auwaiolimu, Punchbowl Hill, Honolulu, Oahu, described as follows: Beginning at a pipe at the southeast corner of this tract of land, on the boundary between the lands of Kewalo and Auwaiolimu, the coordinates of said point of beginning referred to Government survey triangulation station ‘Punchbowl’ being one thousand one hundred and thirty-
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five and nine tenths feet north and two thousand five hundred and fifty-seven and eight tenths feet east as shown on Government survey registered map numbered 2692, and running by true azimuths:

"(1) One hundred and sixty-three degrees thirty minutes two hundred and thirty-eight and eight tenths feet along the east side of the Punchbowl-Makiki Road;

"(2) Ninety-four degrees eight minutes one hundred and twenty-four and nine tenths feet across Tantalus Drive and along the east side of Puuowaina Drive;

"(3) One hundred and thirty-one degrees thirteen minutes two hundred and thirty-two and five tenths feet along a twenty-five foot roadway;

"(4) One hundred and thirty-one degrees fifteen minutes twenty and five-tenths feet along same;

"(5) One hundred and sixty-eight degrees seventeen minutes two hundred and fifty-seven and eight-tenths feet along Government land (old quarry lot);

"(6) One hundred and fifty-six degrees thirty minutes three hundred and thirty-three feet along same to a pipe;

"(7) Thence following the old Auwaiolimu stone wall along L. C. Award numbered 3145, to Laenui, grant numbered 5147 (lot 8 to C. W. Booth), L. C. Award numbered 1375 to Kapule, and L. C. Award numbered 1355 to Kekuanoni, the direct azimuth and distance being two hundred and forty-nine degrees. one thousand three hundred and three and five-tenths feet;

"(8) Three hundred and twenty-one degrees twelve minutes six hundred and ninety-three feet along the remainder of the land of Auwaiolimu;

"(9) Fifty-one degrees twelve minutes one thousand four hundred feet along the land at Kewalo to the point of beginning; containing an area of twenty-seven acres; excepting and reserving therefrom Tantalus Drive, crossing this land.

"(ii) Portion of the land of Kewalo, Punchbowl Hill, Honolulu, Oahu, being part of the lands set aside for the use of the Hawaii Experiment Station of the United States Department of Agriculture by proclamation of the Acting Governor of Hawaii, dated June 10, 1901, and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of this lot, at a place called 'Puu Ea' on the boundary between the lands of Kewalo and Auwaiolimu, the coordinates of said point of beginning referred to Government survey triangulation station 'Punchbowl', being three thousand two hundred and fifty-five and six-tenths feet north and five thousand two hundred and forty-four and seven-tenths feet east, as shown on Government survey registered map numbered 2692 of the Territory of Hawaii, and running by true azimuths:

"(1) Three hundred and fifty-four degrees thirty minutes nine hundred and thirty feet along the remainder of the land at Kewalo, to the middle of the stream which divides the lands of Kewalo and Kalawahine;

"(2) Thence down the middle of said stream along the land of Kalawahine, the direct azimuth and distance being forty-nine degrees sixteen minutes one thousand five hundred and twelve and five-tenths feet;

"(3) One hundred and forty-one degrees twelve minutes eight hundred and sixty feet along the remainder of the land of Kewalo;

"(4) Two hundred and thirty-one degrees twelve minutes five hundred and fifty-two and six-tenths feet along the land of Auwaiolimu to Puu Iole;
“(5) Thence still along the said land of Auwaiolimu following the top of the ridge to the point of beginning, the direct azimuth and distance being two hundred and thirty-two degrees twenty-six minutes one thousand four hundred and seventy feet, containing an area of thirty acres; excepting and reserving therefrom Tantalus Drive, crossing this land.

“(iii) Together with that portion of the land of Kalawahine (twenty-five acres, more or less), makai of Tantalus Drive, and lying between the portion of the land of Kewalo above described and the so-called ‘Kalawahine lots’, in the District of Honolulu.”

SEC. 2. Paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of section 207 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, as amended (U.S.C., title 48, sec. 701), is hereby amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following:

“Provided further, That the portions of the lands of Auwaiolimu, Kewalo, and Kalawahine on the island of Oahu under the control of the Commission, shall be leased only for residence purposes in individual lots the area of which shall be not less than one eighth of an acre nor more than one half of an acre per lot.”

SEC. 3. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, as amended, limiting the leasing of lands to native Hawaiians, persons, whether or not native Hawaiians as defined by such Act, as amended, who are on the date of the enactment of this Act residing on the lands of Auwaiolimu, Kewalo, and Kalawahine on the island of Oahu placed under the control of the Hawaiian Homes Commission by this Act, shall be given first opportunity to lease such lands on which they reside.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect on and after the date of its approval.

Approved, May 16, 1934.