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His Excellency has approved of the following Bills being introduced at the next Session of the Legislative Council.

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Intituled

An Ordinance to amend the Branding of Stock Ordinance, 1907

- 1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Branding of Short title Stock Amendment Ordinance, 1917," and shall be read together with the Branding of Stock Ordinance, 1907, hereinafter called the Principal Ordinance
- 2 In section 2 of the Principal Ordinance delete the Interpretation definition of "Native" and substitute the tollowing therefor -

"Native" shall mean any native of Africa not of European or Asiatic origin and shall include any Swahili and any Somali

3 Section 18 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby deleted Sales by auctioneers to and the following substituted theretor --

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natives cattle to be branded with auctioneers' brand

18 It shall be the duty of a broker or auctioneer immediately to cause to be branded with his registered brand all cattle the property of a native or a nonnative which he may sell to a native A broker or auctioneer may deduct from the purchase price the sum of twenty-five cents in respect of each head of cattle so branded

Intituled

An Ordinance to amend the Law Relating to the Issue of Stock Traders Licences.

- This Ordinance may be cited as 'The Stock Tradeis Short title Licence Amendment Ordinance, 1918," and shall be read as one with the Stock Traders Licence Ordinance, 1918, hereafter reterred to as the Principal Ordinance
- 2 It shall not be necessary for any person who is a holder Exemption for anct oneris of a licence issued under the Sales by Auction Ordinance, 1912, to be in possession of a licence under the Principal Ordinance in order to sell any stock by auction

other than "tock traders

- 3 Any person not being a stock trader who is desirous of Litence to sell by persons 10 selling stock but who would under the provisions of the Principal Ordinance be required to be in possession of a licence under such Ordinance before such sale could be effected may in lieu of obtaining a licence under the Principal Ordinance apply to any Magistrate for a licence to sell such stock. Any Magistrate may 15 issue to any person applying under this section a licence to sell the stock specified thereon within the time stated thereon. There shall be payable for any licence issued under this section a fee of five supees per head of cattle in respect of which the licence is issued and a fee of one tupee per head of stock other than 20 cattle in respect of which the licence is issued
 - 4 Any Police Officer may demand for inspection any Power of Police to call for licence issued under the Principal Ordinance or this Ordinance production of licences and such licence shall forthwith be produced
- 5 Any person who sells stock in contravention of any Penalties 25 licence issued under this Ordinance or otherwise contravene the provisions of this Ordinance shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding one thousand five hundred rupees or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both

Intituled

An Ordinance to amend the Law Relating to Copyright

This Ordinance may be cited as "The Copyright Amend- Short title ment Ordinance, 1918," and shall be read as one with the Copyright Act, 1911, as applied to the Protectorate and the Copyright Ordinance, 1918

5 2 (1) If any person knowingly—

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Penalties for dealing with or infringing copies, &c

- (a) makes for sale or hie any infringing copy of a work in which copyright subsists or
- (b) sells or lets for mire, or by way of trade exposes or offers for sale or hire any infringing copy of any such work, or
- (c) distributes inflinging copies of any such work either for the purposes of trade or to such an extent as to affect prejudicially the owner of the copyright, or
- (d) by way of trade exhibits in public any infringing copy of any such work, or
- (e) imports for sale or hire into the Protectorate any 15 infringing copy of any such work

he shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance and be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding thirty rupees for every copy dealt with in contravention of this section, but not 20 exceeding seven hundred and fifty rupees in respect of the same transaction, or, in the case of a second or subsequent offence, either to such fine or to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding two months

- (2) If any person knowingly makes or has in his posses-25 sion any plate for the purpose of making infringing copies of any work in which copyright subsists, or knowingly and for his private profit causes any such work to be performed in public without the consent of the owner of the copyright, he shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance, and be liable on 30 conviction to a fine not exceeding seven hundred and fifty rupees, or, in the case of a second or subsequent offence, either to such fine or to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding two months
- (3) The Court before which any such proceedings are 35 taken may, whether the alleged offender is convicted or not, order that all copies of the work or all plates in the possession of the alleged offender, which appear to it to be infringing copies or plates for the purpose of making infringing copies, be destroyed or delivered up to the owner of the copyright or otherwise dealt 40 with as the Court may think fit
 - Any person aggreeved by a conviction under the fore Appeal going provisions of this Ordinance by a Subordinate Court may appeal to the High Court

Bill

Intituled

An Ordinance to amend the Law Relating to Compulsory Service.

- This Ordinance may be cited as "The Compulsory Shout title Service Amendment Ordinance, 1918," and shall be construed together with the Compulsory Service Ordinance, 1915, and the Compulsory Service Amendment Ordinance, 1917
- 2 A Court may, in addition to the penalties prescribed Order to return to by section 10 of the Compulsory Service Amendment Ordinance, 1917, order any person convicted by it of a breach of section 3 of such Ordinance to return either immediately or on the completion of any term of imprisonment to which he may be 10 sentenced for such breach to the employment which he has unlawfully left and such person shall forthwith return to such employment

employment

3 A Court may in addition to the penalties prescribed by Dismissal of employee section 10 of the Compulsory Service Amendment Ordinance, 15 1917, order any person convicted by it of a breach of section 5 of such Ordinance to dismiss any person employed by him in contravention of such section and such person shall forthwith be dismissed and the employer convicted as aforesaid shall not again employ him without the leave of the Court

rongfully employed

4 Any person who contravenes any provision of this Penalty Ordinance shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs 3,000/- or to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months

Intituled

An Ordinance to amend the Provisions of the Stock and Produce Theft Ordinance, 1912

- This Ordinance may be cited as "The Stock and Short title Produce Theft Amendment Ördmance, 1918," and shall be read as one with the Stock and Produce Theft Ordinance, 1912 hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance, and the 5 Stock and Produce Theft Amendment Ordinance, 1914
 - (1) Whenever any native, ordinarily and voluntarily Natives residing with resides, or is possessed of any moveable property, within the tribes other than their territory of any sub-tribe or tribe of different origin, such native shall be deemed to be a member of such sub-tribe or tube for the purposes of the Principal Ordinance

- (2) Whenever any such native shall be convicted of Levying of fine the theft of stock or produce and shall be sentenced to pay a fine the Court passing the sentence shall, unless the amount of the fine shall be forthwith paid, issue a warrant as provided by section 4 of the Principal Ordinance, and such warrant shall, subject to the provisions and directions prescribed by the Principal Ordinance be executed against the moveable property —
 - (a) of the offender,

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- (b) of any member or members of the offender's tamily,
- (c) of any member or members of the sub-tribe to which the offender is deemed to belong,
- (d) of any member or members of the tribe to which the offender is deemed to belong,
- 25 in the order set out above, until the amount of the fine is levied