

L.N. 96 of 1962.

FIREARMS ACT (CHAPTER 69)

Firearms Prohibition (Eastern Nigeria) (No. 2)
Order, 1962*Commencement : 23rd June, 1962*

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 36 of the Firearms Act the Prime Minister of the Federation has made the following Order :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Firearms Prohibition (Eastern Nigeria) (No. 2) Order, 1962, and shall have effect in Eastern Nigeria. Citation and application.
2. The possession of or dealing in any firearms or ammunitions in the Okrika Local Council area in Eastern Nigeria, is hereby absolutely prohibited for a period of six months from the date of publication of this Order in the Federation of Nigeria *Official Gazette*. Prohibition.
3. All firearms and ammunition in possession of any person within the area specified in the foregoing section 2 of this Order shall be surrendered to the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Port Harcourt, within one month from the date of publication of this Order. Surrender.

MADE this 7th day of July, 1962.

ABUBAKAR TAFAWA BALEWA,
Prime Minister of the Federation

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order but explains its effect)

Possession of Firearms and dealings therewith in the Okrika Local Council area were prohibited by the Firearms Prohibition (Eastern Nigeria) Order, 1962 (L.N. 37 of 1962). That Order has expired and it is essential to renew the prohibition for a further period of six months.

Penalties prescribed for failure to comply with the provisions of this Order are set out in the section under which it is made and they provide on conviction for a fine of five hundred pounds or two years imprisonment or both such fine and imprisonment.

L.N. 97 of 1962

ELECTORAL (TRANSITIONAL PROVISION) ACT, 1961

Elections (House of Representatives) Regulations, 1958

DELEGATION OF POWERS

It is notified that in pursuance of the powers conferred by subsection (1) of section 141 of the Constitution of the Federation of Nigeria, the Federal Public Service Commission has deputed the Secretary to the Electoral Commission to exercise the powers and perform the duties under the Elections (House of Representatives) Regulations, 1958 (as amended by the Elections

(House of Representatives) (Amendment) Regulations, 1962), in the Schedule hereto, subject to the condition that such powers shall be exercised and such duties performed in accordance with any general or special directions given by the Federal Public Service Commission.

SCHEDULE

Elections (House of Representatives) Regulations, 1958 (as amended by the Elections (House of Representatives) (Amendment) Regulations, 1962), Regulations 10, 11, 12, 13 and 15.

J. C. A. WARMANN,
Secretary to the Federal Public Service Commission