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FIREARMS ACT (CHAPTER 69)

Firearms Prohibition (Western Nigeria) Order 1965

Commencement : 28th October 1965

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 (Western Nigeria) Order 1965 and shall have effect in Western Nigeria. Citation and application.
2. The possession of or dealing in any firearms or ammunition in the Ijebu Province in Western 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 of this Order shall be surrendered to the Chief Superintendent of Police, Ijebu Province, within one month from the date of publication of this Order. Surrender.
4. Any person neglecting to make such surrender or being in possession of or dealing in any firearm or ammunition during the period that this Order is in force, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of five hundred pounds or imprisonment for two years, or to both such fine and imprisonment. Penalty.

MADE this 28th day of October 1965.

ABUBAKAR TFAWA BALEWA,
Prime Minister of the Federation