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CRIMINAL CODE ACT (CAP. 42)

Owegbe Cult (Declaration and Prohibition) Order 1966

Commencement : 21st April 1966

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 62 and 207 of the Criminal Code and of all other powers in that behalf, the Federal Executive Council hereby makes the following Order—

1. The Society known as the Owegbe Cult (otherwise known as Owegbe Society) is hereby declared to be a society dangerous to the good government of Nigeria.

2. Accordingly, the worship or invocation of the Owegbe juju (which includes Odolevbo, Aiwerioba, Izigidi, Aimuekpensulele, Obasun, Oghidian, Izelogha, Aimuekpensabo and Nomuovbiekpen) as part of the Owegbe Cult aforesaid is hereby prohibited.

3. This Order may be cited as the Owegbe Cult (Declaration and Prohibition) Order 1966 and shall apply throughout Nigeria.

MADE at Lagos this 21st day of April 1966.

Commence-. ment.

Owegbe Cult a dangerous Society.

Owegbe juju prohibited.

Citation and application.

S. O. WEY, Secretary to the Federal Executive Council