SIND ACT No. I OF 1952.

[THE COURT-FEES (SIND AMENDMENT) ACT, 1952.]



[31st January, 1952.]

An Act to amend the Court-Fees Act, 1870.

Whereas the Governor of Sind has, in pursuance of a proclamation issued by the Governor-General of Pakistan under section 92-A of the Government of India Act, 1935, assumed, on behalf of the Governor-General, all powers vested in or exercisable by the Provincial Legislature under the said Act;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Court-Fees Act, 1870, in the application to the Province of Sind, for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers so assumed, the Governor is hereby pleased to enact as follows:—

- ment) Act, 1952.
 - (2) It shall extend to the whole of the Province of Sind
 - (3) It shall come into force at once.
- 2. In section 30 of the Court-Fees Act, 1870, in its application to the Province of Sind, for the words "the figure-head", the words "the crescent and star" shall be substituted, and the following proviso be added at the end, namely:—

"Provided that if any document bearing a court-fee stamp of a design current in British India immediately before the fifteenth day of August 1947 and still current in Pakistan is presented to the proper officer, he shall forthwith effect the cancellation by punching out the figure-head so as to leave the amount designated untouched". *

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