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PART IV.

ACTS PASSED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

The following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 5th September 1867, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XXXV. of 1867.

An Act to provide temporary assistance to the Financial Commissioner of the Punjab.

WHEREAS, owing to the state of business in the Court of the Financial Commissioner of the Punjab, it is expedient to give him some temporary assistance in the disposal of appeals now pending before him, or which, within such time as hereinafter mentioned, shall be presented in his Court; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab may, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General of India in Council, appoint an officer to be styled the Additional Financial Commissioner of the Punjab, who shall hold his office during the pleasure of the said Lieutenant-Governor.

2. The said Financial Commissioner may, from time to time so long as this Act shall remain in force, cause a list of the appeals which he may wish to be transferred from his Court to the Court of the said Additional Financial Commissioner to be prepared and sent to the said Lieutenant-Governor; and such Lieutenant-Governor may, if

he think fit, order all or any of such appeals to be transferred accordingly.

3. The procedure of the Additional Financial Commissioner in appeals so transferred, shall be regulated by the rules relating to Civil Procedure for the time being in force in the Punjab, and his orders on such appeals shall have the same effect to all intents and purposes as if they had been made by the said Financial Commissioner.

4. The Additional Financial Commissioner shall hold his sittings at such place in the Punjab as the Lieutenant Governor shall from time to time appoint.

5. This Act shall come into operation on the 1st day of October 1867, and shall remain in force until the 1st day of April 1868, or until such subsequent day (if any) as the Governor General of India in Council shall notify in the *Gazette of India*: Provided that as to such appeals (if any) as shall, on or before the said 1st day of April, or the day so notified as the case may be, have been transferred under the provisions here-in contained, and shall not have been disposed of by the Additional Financial Commissioner, this Act shall remain in force until such appeals shall have been disposed of as aforesaid.

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The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 5th September 1867, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XXXVI. of 1867.

An Act to correct an error in Act No. XVII. of 1862.

WHEREAS Act No. XVII. of 1862 (*An Act to repeal certain Regulations and Acts relating to Criminal Law and Procedure*) repeals by its Schedule the whole Madras Regulation XI. of 1816 (*A Re-*

gulation for the establishment of a general system of Police throughout the territories subject to the Government of Fort St. George), "except Sections VIII., IX., X., XII., XIII., XIV., and XLVII.;" and whereas the said Section number "XII." is an error, and it is expedient to correct the same; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. The Schedule to the said Act shall be read as if for the words and figures hereinbefore cited, the following were substituted (that is to say), "except Sections VIII., IX., X., XI., Clause 1, XIII., XIV., XLVII."

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