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PART V.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT, BOMBAY.

(To be translated into Maráthi, Gujaráti and Kánarese, and the translations to be published in the "Bombay Government Gazette." To be translated also into Sindhi, and the translation to be published in the "Sind Official Gazette." The dates of publication to be reported.)

The following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons accompanying it, is published in accordance with Rule 15 of the Rules for the conduct of business at Meetings of the Council of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay for making Laws and Regulations:—

Bill No. II of 1896

A Bill to amend the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1886.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1886, in manner hereinafter appearing, it is enacted

as follows:—

1. In clause (10) of section 3 of the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1886, after the word "Government" there shall be inserted the following, *viz.*:

"or "the Local Government"."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In clause (10) of section 3 of the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1886, the word "Government," as used in that Act and in all Regulations and Acts made by the Governor of Bombay in Council, is defined as meaning, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context, the Governor of Bombay in Council. It is considered, however, that the expression "the Local Government" would be a more appropriate designation. It is proposed, therefore, by this Bill to amend clause (10) of section 3 of the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1886, so as to extend to the expression "the Local Government," as used in Regulations and Acts made by the Governor in Council, the same meaning as is given in that clause to the word "Government."

(Signed) H. BIRDWOOD.

Poona, 1st July 1896.

By order His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor,

M. H. W. HAYWARD,

Secretary to the Council of the Governor of Bombay
for making Laws and Regulations.

Poona, 15th July 1896.