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WHEREAS on Thursday, the 24th day of February, 1966, the Armed Forces of Ghana in the interest of the People of Ghana and with the co-operation of the Police Service of Ghana and the support of the People of Ghana assumed the Government of the Republic of Ghana;

AND WHEREAS by a Proclamation entitled "Proclamation for the constitution of a National Liberation Council for the administration of Ghana and for other matters connected therewith", published in *Gazette* No. 11 of Monday, 28th February, 1966, there was constituted for the administration of Ghana a National Liberation Council with power to make and issue Decrees having the force of law in Ghana;

AND WHEREAS on Friday, the 22nd day of August, 1969, there was enacted by the People of Ghana in the Constituent Assembly a Constitution to be the supreme law of Ghana;

AND WHEREAS by virtue of the said Constitution there was reserved to the National Liberation Council power to make and issue Decrees having the force of law in Ghana until the meeting of the National Assembly immediately following the formation of the Cabinet;

AND WHEREAS the National Liberation Council deems it expedient to repeal the aforementioned Proclamation and to enact certain provisions which appear to the Council to be necessary in consequence of the enactment of the Constitution;

NOW THEREFORE KNOW YE ALL MEN that in exercise of the power conferred upon the National Liberation Council by section 14 of the First Schedule to the Constitution and in pursuance of the Proclamation entitled "Proclamation for the constitution of a National Liberation Council for the administration of Ghana and for other matters connected therewith", this Decree is hereby made:—

Dissolution  
of the  
National  
Liberation  
Council.

1. On the commencement of this Decree the National Liberation Council shall cease to exist.

Dissolution  
of the  
Executive  
Council.

2. On the commencement of this Decree the Executive Council shall cease to exist.

Repeal of  
the Procla-  
mation.

3. The Proclamation entitled "Proclamation for the constitution of a National Liberation Council for the administration of Ghana and for other matters connected therewith", published in *Gazette* No. 11 of Monday, 28th February, 1966, is hereby repealed.

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4. (1) All Decrees of the National Liberation Council issued in pursuance of the said Proclamation, in so far as they existed on the commencement of this Decree, are hereby confirmed and shall form part of the laws of Ghana.

Confirma-  
tion of  
Decrees.

(2) It is hereby declared that a copy of any such Decree printed and published by the Government Printer shall, without any question whatsoever, in all Courts of Justice and for all purposes whatsoever be conclusive evidence of the due making and terms thereof.

5. The National Assembly Act, 1965 (Act 300) as amended by this Decree shall apply to the National Assembly established under the Constitution.

National  
Assembly  
Act to apply  
to Assembly  
established  
by the  
Constitution.

6. Until provision is otherwise made by the Rules of Court C\_\_\_\_\_ Article 121 (2) of the Constitution:—

Existing  
Rules of  
Court to  
continue.

- (a) the Rules of Court applicable to the Court of Appeal and in force immediately before the promulgation of the Constitution shall, with such modifications as may be necessary, apply to the Supreme Court established by the Constitution;
- (b) the Rules of Court applicable to the Court of Appeal and in force immediately before the promulgation of the Constitution shall continue to apply to the Court of Appeal established by the Constitution; and
- (c) the Rules of Court applicable to the High Court and in force immediately before the promulgation of the Constitution shall continue to apply to the High Court of Justice established by the Constitution.

7. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the financial estimates approved by the National Liberation Council for the current financial year shall, until provision is otherwise made by Act of Parliament, continue and shall have full force and effect.

Estimates  
for current  
financial  
year to  
continue to  
have effect.

8. The powers of mercy of the President under Article 50 of the Constitution may be exercised in respect of any criminal offence committed before the coming into force of the Constitution as they may in respect of a criminal offence committed thereafter.

Powers of  
mercy.

9. (1) Until provision is otherwise made, the person who was Secretary to the National Liberation Council immediately before the coming into force of the Constitution shall be Secretary to the Cabinet for the purposes of clause (7) of Article 61 of the Constitution.

Secretary  
to the  
Cabinet.

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(2) The Secretary to the Cabinet shall have charge of the Cabinet Office and shall, in accordance with such instructions as may be given to him by the Prime Minister, arrange the business for, and keep the minutes of, meetings of the Cabinet, and convey the decisions of the Cabinet as soon as practicable to the appropriate person or authority.

Portfolios.

**10.** There shall be deemed to be a portfolio for each Ministry created under section 7 of the Civil Service Act, 1960 (C.A. 5) which may be assigned by the Prime Minister to a Minister or held by the Prime Minister.

Payment and saving of rights under former Constitutions.

**11. (1)** All compensation, pensions, gratuities and similar allowances granted in accordance with the provisions of any Constitution formerly in force in Ghana and which were payable immediately before the commencement of this Decree, shall, notwithstanding the revocation of any such Constitution, continue to be payable and are hereby charged on the Consolidated Fund.

(2) Any person having rights immediately before the commencement of this Decree under any Constitution formerly in force shall retain such rights notwithstanding the abrogation of any such Constitution.

Application of Interpretation Act to Constitution, etc.

**12. (1)** The Interpretation Act, 1960 (C.A. 4) shall apply for the interpretation of the Constitution, every Act of the Parliament established by the Constitution, and every instrument made (directly or indirectly) under the Constitution or under any such Act, except in so far as a contrary intention appears in the Constitution or in any such Act or instrument.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1960 shall apply and shall be deemed always to have applied for the interpretation of every Decree of the National Liberation Council (including this Decree) and every instrument made (directly or indirectly) under any such Decree except in so far as a contrary intention appears in any such Decree or instrument.

References to President to read as Presidential Commission.

**13.** Any reference to the President in any enactment for the time being in force shall, during any period in which the Presidential Commission continues in being, have effect with the necessary adaptations as if it were a reference to the Presidential Commission.

Presidential and Public Seals.

**14.** The Presidential Seal and the Public Seal in existence immediately before the coming into force of the Constitution shall continue to be used until provision is otherwise made therefor.

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15. The Consolidated Fund and the Contingencies Fund in existence ~~immediately~~ before the ~~coming~~ into force of the Constitution shall, until otherwise provided by law, continue in existence as the Consolidated Fund and Contingency Fund respectively referred to in Articles 128 and 132 of the Constitution.

Consolidated Fund and Contingency Fund to continue.

16. Where immediately before the commencement of the Constitution any existing enactment had not been brought into force or was to come into force on a date subsequent to such commencement, that enactment may be brought into force in accordance with its terms or upon such subsequent date, as the case may be, notwithstanding any law to the contrary.

Enactments not yet in force.

17. The Oaths Act, 1960 (C.A. 12), shall have effect subject to the amendments set out in the First Schedule to this Decree.

Consequential amendments to Oaths Act, 1960.

18. Except where the context otherwise requires and subject to the other provisions of this Decree, in all enactments in existence immediately before the coming into force of this Decree:—

General adaptation of existing enactments.

- (a) for any reference to the "National Liberation Council" there shall be substituted a reference to the "Government";
- (b) for any reference to the "Executive Council" there shall be substituted a reference to the "Cabinet";
- (c) for any reference to the "Secretary to the National Liberation Council" there shall be substituted reference to the "Secretary to the Cabinet";
- (d) for any reference to a "Commissioner", being an individual of ministerial rank, there shall be substituted a reference to a "Minister";
- (e) for any reference to the Member of the National Liberation Council responsible for any subject or department of State there shall be substituted a reference to the Minister responsible for that subject or department of State;
- (f) for any reference to "the Gold Coast" or to "the Gold Coast Colony" there shall be substituted a reference to "Ghana" or "Southern Ghana" respectively;
- (g) references to the "Northern Territories" shall be read and construed as references to that part of Ghana which on the 5th day of March, 1957, was comprised in the Northern Territories of the Gold Coast;

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- (h) any reference to "Togoland" shall be read and construed as a reference to the territories included in that part of Ghana which on the 5th day of March, 1957, was under United Kingdom Trusteeship;
- (i) for any reference to "native law and custom" there shall be substituted a reference to "customary law".

Specific amendments in existing enactments.

19. The enactments set out in the first column of the Second Schedule to this Decree are hereby amended in the manner indicated in the second column of that Schedule.

Repeals and revocations.

20. (1) The enactments set out in Part I of the Third Schedule to this Decree are hereby repealed.

(2) The enactments set out in Part II of the Third Schedule to this Decree shall cease to have effect.

Further consequential amendments.

21. (1) The President, acting on the advice of the Cabinet, may within twelve months from the commencement of this Decree by legislative instrument make such amendments in any enactment in existence at the commencement of this Decree as may be necessary to bring that enactment into conformity with the provisions of the Constitution.

(2) An instrument made under this paragraph shall be laid before the National Assembly and shall come into force at the expiration of twenty-one days from the day on which it is so laid unless the National Assembly annuls such instrument by a resolution supported by the votes of not less than two-thirds of all the members of the National Assembly.

Commencement.

22. This Decree shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1969.

**FIRST SCHEDULE**

(Paragraph 17)

**AMENDMENTS TO THE OATHS ACT, 1960 (C.A. 12)**

The Oaths Act, 1960 (C.A. 12) is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) by the substitution for section 1 thereof of the following new section:—

"Oaths to be taken.

1. The oaths which shall be taken as occasion may demand shall be the oaths set out in the Second Schedule to the Constitution and the First Schedule to this Act."

(b) by the repeal of section 16 thereof and the Third and Fourth Schedules thereto;

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- (c) by the repeal of the First Schedule, other than the provisions relating to Court Proceedings, Oath for Affidavits and Police Oath;
- (d) by the insertion immediately before the entries relating to Court Proceedings in the First Schedule of the following new oaths:—

**“OATH OF OFFICER OF CABINET**

I.....being called upon to exercise the functions of.....to the Cabinet swear that I will not directly or indirectly reveal such matters as shall be debated in the Cabinet and committed to my secrecy. (So help me God.)

**ARMED FORCES OATH**

I.....swear that I will bear true and faithful allegiance to the President, Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, and to the Republic of Ghana, and that I will well truly and faithfully serve the Government of the Republic of Ghana as by law established and that I will as in duty bound serve in the Armed Forces of the Republic of Ghana and go wherever ordered by air, land or sea and that I will observe and obey all commands of the Government of the Republic of Ghana as by law established and of any officer set over me, even to the peril of my life.

.....  
*Signature or mark*

Sworn at.....this.....day of

.....19.....

Before me

.....  
*Signature of Officer”;*

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(e) by the substitution for the Second Schedule thereof of the following new Schedule:—

*“SECOND SCHEDULE  
(Section 2)*

<i>Nature of Oath</i>	<i>Person to take Oath</i>	<i>Person to tender Oath</i>
<i>Oath of Allegiance</i>	Chief Justice Ministers The Speaker The Deputy Speaker Attorney-General Justices of the Supreme Court Justices of the Court of Appeal. Justices of the High Court Chief of Defence Staff Members of Parliament All Civil Servants in Category “A”. Head of the Police Service Head of the Prisons Service	The President, the Chief Justice or such other per- son as the Presi- dent may desig- nate.
<i>Judicial Oath</i>	Chief Justice Justices of the Supreme Court Justices of the Court of Appeal. Justices of the High Court Judicial Secretary Circuit Judges Commissioners of Inquiry District Magistrates Juvenile Court Magistrates Such other officers exercising judicial functions as the Chief Justice may by execu- tive instrument designate.	The President, the Chief Justice or such other per- son as the Chief Justice may de- signate.
<i>Official Oath</i>	The Speaker The Deputy Speaker Attorney-General Auditor-General Members of the Public Ser- vices Commission. All Civil Servants in Category “B” and Category “C”.	The President or such other per- son as the Presi- dent may desig- nate.



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<i>Nature of Oath</i>	<i>Person to take Oath</i>	<i>Person to tender Oath</i>
	Such other persons holding office or executing official functions as the President may by executive instrument designate.	
<i>Oath of Secrecy</i>	All Civil Servants Such other persons holding office or executing official functions as the President may by executive instrument designate.	Head of a Ministry or a person authorised by him.
<i>Oath of Officer of Cabinet</i>	Secretary to the Cabinet Clerk to the Cabinet	The Prime Minister or the person presiding at the first meeting of the Cabinet after the appointment of the person taking the oath.
<i>Armed Forces Oath</i>	Members of the Armed Forces.	The Chief of Defence Staff or any officer authorised by him.
<i>Police Oath</i>	Members of the Police Service	The Head of the Police Service or any officer authorised by him.
<i>Court Proceedings</i>	A witness before a competent Court or before a Commission of Inquiry.	Clerk of the Court or the Secretary to the Commission.
<i>Affidavit</i>	The person swearing	A Commissioner for Oaths or District Magistrate, or a Registrar of the Superior Court of Judicature authorised in that behalf by the Chief Justice".

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**SECOND SCHEDULE**

(Paragraph 19)

**CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS IN EXISTING  
ENACTMENTS**

*Presidential Affairs Act, 1960 (C.A. 2).* Sections 8, 9, 10 and 12 are hereby repealed.

*Interpretation Act, 1960 (C.A. 4).* In section 32—

for the definition of “Act” or “Act of Parliament” *substitute* the following:—

“ “Act” or “Act of Parliament” means the Constitution, an Ordinance enacted before the 6th day of March, 1957, an Act (including Acts of the Constituent Assembly of 1960) enacted between the 6th day of March, 1957 and the 24th day of February, 1966, and a Decree of the National Liberation Council, but does not include an English statute continuing to apply by virtue of any enactment for the time being in force”;

for the definition of “Commonwealth country” *substitute* the following:—

“ “Commonwealth country” means any of the members of the Commonwealth, other than Ghana, comprising the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, India, Pakistan, Ceylon, the Federation of Malaysia, the Federation of Nigeria, the Republic of Cyprus, Sierra Leone, and any other country for the time being recognised by the Government of Ghana as a member”;

for the definition of “Decree” *substitute* the following:—

“ “Decree” means a Decree made by the National Liberation Council, and includes the Proclamation entitled “Proclamation for the constitution of a National Liberation Council for the

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administration of Ghana and for other matters connected therewith", published in *Gazette* No. 11 of 28th February, 1966";

for the definition of "enactment" *substitute* the following:—

" "enactment" means an Act, a constitutional instrument or a statutory instrument or any provision of an Act, a constitutional instrument or a statutory instrument";

for the definition of "financial year" *substitute* the following:—

" "financial year" means the period of twelve months ending on the 30th day of June in any year";

omit the definition of "Minister".

Section 34 is hereby repealed.

*Civil Service Act, 1960* (C.A. 5). In subsection (5) of section 9B (as inserted by N.L.C.D. 269) omit all the words appearing after the word "Board".

*Acts of Parliament Act, 1960* (C.A. 7). Subsection (3) of section 5 is hereby repealed. For section 6 *substitute* the following:—

"Assent of President. 6. A Bill shall become an Act of Parliament on the signature by the President of the first of the said copies."

For section 9 (a) *substitute* the following:—

"(a) with the omission of the statement contained in the original copies by virtue of section 5 of this Act."

For subsection (1) of section 11 *substitute* the following:—

"Commencement of Acts of Parliament. (1) Except so far as may be otherwise provided in an Act, the Act shall come into operation on the day on which it is published in the *Gazette*."

Parts II, III and IV of the Schedule are hereby repealed.

*Criminal Code, 1960* (Act 29). For section 180 *substitute* the following:—

"Treason. 180. (1) Whoever commits treason shall be liable to suffer death.

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(2) For the purposes of this section, "treason" shall have the meaning assigned to it by clause (16) of Article 20 of the Constitution.

(3) A person who is not a citizen of Ghana shall not be punishable under this section for anything done outside Ghana, but a citizen of Ghana may be tried and punished for an offence under this section wherever committed."

*Criminal Procedure Code,  
1960 (Act 30).*

Section 160 is hereby repealed.

In section 335, for references to the "Supreme Court" *substitute* references to the "Court of Appeal."

In section 336, for the words "Rules of Court made by the Supreme Court" *substitute* the words "any Rules of Court for the time being in force"; and for other references to the Supreme Court in that section *substitute* references to the Court of Appeal.

For section 337 *substitute* the following new section:—

"Appeals  
from High  
Court or  
Circuit  
Court to  
Court of  
Appeal.

337. (1) The prosecution or the defence may, except as otherwise provided in the Constitution, appeal to the Court of Appeal as of right from a decision of the High Court in the exercise of its original jurisdiction.

(2) The prosecution may appeal on a question of law to the Court of Appeal against any decision of a Circuit Court in a trial upon indictment.

(3) The defence may appeal to the Court of Appeal against any such decision of a Circuit Court in the same cases as are specified in section 335 (2) in relation to appeals from the High Court in its appellate jurisdiction."

In section 338, for references to the "Supreme Court" *substitute* references to the "Court of Appeal."

In sections 369 (4) (b) (ii) and 392 (4) (b) (ii), for references to the "Supreme Court" *substitute* references to the "Court of Appeal."

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*State Proceedings Act, 1961* (Act 51). Subsection (1) of section 1 (as substituted by N.L.C.D. 352) is hereby repealed.

For section 3 *substitute* the following:—

“Liability  
concerning  
property.

3. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the liability of the Republic shall be the same as that of a private person in respect of claims for the appropriation or recovery or restitution of any movable or immovable property.”

Sections 23, 26 and 27 are hereby repealed.

*Emergency Powers Act, 1961* (Act 56). Sections 1 and 2 are hereby repealed.

In sections 3 (1), 6 and 8 (1), for the words “section 1 of this Act” wherever those words occur, *substitute* the words “Article 26 of the Constitution.”

Section 12 is hereby repealed.

*Chieftaincy Act, 1961* (Act 81). Section 40 is hereby repealed.

*Armed Forces Act, 1962* (Act 105). In the Preamble, all the words appearing before “BE IT ENACTED” are hereby repealed.

In section 3 *substitute* for paragraph (a) the following new paragraph:—

“(a) officers commissioned by the President under the Constitution; and”.

For section 8 *substitute* the following:—

“Chiefs of  
Staff and  
Com-  
manders.

8. (1) The President may, acting in accordance with the advice of the Council of State, appoint an officer of the Armed Forces to be the Chief of Defence Staff of the Armed Forces.

(2) The President may, acting in accordance with the advice of the Armed Forces Council, appoint an Army Commander, Navy Commander and Air Force Commander who shall, subject to any regulations made by the Armed Forces Council, be charged with the control and administration of the Army, Navy and Air Force respectively of Ghana.

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(3) The Chief of Defence Staff and each of the Commanders referred to in subsection (2) may, subject to any direction given or regulation made by the Armed Forces Council, delegate to any officer under his command such of his functions, other than the said function of delegation, as he may from time to time deem expedient."

- Police Service Act, 1965* (Act 284). In subsection (1) of section 25 (as substituted by N.L.C.D. 336), for the words "National Liberation Council or any officer authorised in that behalf by the Council" *substitute* "President acting in accordance with the advice of the Police Council".
- National Assembly Act, 1965* (Act 300). Sections 1 to 9, 11, 13 to 22 and 24 to 26 are hereby repealed.  
In subsection (1) of section 12, for the words "Subject to the provisions of this Act, the" *substitute* the word "The".  
In section 44, *omit* the definition of "the Party".
- Ghana (Reduction of Taxation) Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 5). In paragraph 5 (1), *delete* the words "by decree made by the National Liberation Council".
- National Liberation Council (Bank Accounts) Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 7). In paragraph 7, for "Chairman or Deputy Chairman of the National Liberation Council" *substitute* "Prime Minister".
- Local Government (Interim Administration) Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 26). In paragraph 6, *delete*, "except as the National Liberation Council may otherwise by Decree provide,".
- National Liberation Council (Prohibition of Transfer of Assets) Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 40). In paragraph 6, for "Chairman or Deputy Chairman of the National Liberation Council" *substitute* "Prime Minister".
- Income Tax Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 78). In paragraph 51 (2), for "Supreme Court" *substitute* "Court of Appeal".
- Judicial Service Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 83). Paragraphs 1, 2, 5 and 6 are hereby repealed.
- Courts Decree, 1966* (N.L.C.D. 84). In subparagraph (1) of paragraph 1, for clause (a) *substitute* the following:—  
“(a) the Superior Court of Judicature as established by the Constitution;”.  
Paragraphs 2 and 3 are hereby repealed.

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For paragraph 6 *substitute* the following:—

“Majority judgments.

6. The determination of any question before the Court of Appeal shall be according to the opinion of the majority of the bench hearing the case.”

For paragraph 7 *substitute* the following:—

“Jurisdiction of Court of Appeal.

7. (1) In addition to the jurisdiction conferred by Article 110 of the Constitution, the Court of Appeal shall have the jurisdiction conferred by this paragraph.

(2) The Court of Appeal shall have jurisdiction—

(a) to hear appeals from any judgment of a Circuit Court in any civil cause or matter;

(b) to hear appeals from any decision of a Circuit Court in a criminal cause or matter tried on indictment exercised in accordance with the provisions of this Decree or any other enactment;

and shall also have any other jurisdiction conferred by this Decree or any other enactment.

(3) Any judgment of the Court of Appeal shall be executed and enforced as if it were an original judgment of the Court from which the appeal is made to the Court of Appeal.”

Paragraph 8 is hereby repealed.

Paragraph 12 is hereby repealed.

In paragraph 23, *delete* the word “finally”.

*Television Licensing Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 89).*

In paragraph 12, for “National Liberation Council” *substitute* “Minister responsible for Communications”.

*Electricity Corporation of Ghana Decree, 1967 (N.L.C.D. 125).*

In paragraph 9 (12) for “National Liberation Council” *substitute* “Prime Minister”.

*Financial Administration Decree, 1967 (N.L.C.D. 165).*

In paragraph 1 (2), for “Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature” *substitute* “Justice of the Superior Court of Judicature”.

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In paragraph 45, *delete* the definition of "Chairman".

*Interim Electoral Commissioner Decree, 1968 (N.L.C.D. 221).* For paragraph 2 *substitute* the following:—

"Resignation and removal.

2. The Commissioner may resign from office by writing under his hand addressed to the President and such notice of resignation shall be published in the *Gazette*."

Paragraph 6 is hereby repealed.

*External Loans Decree, 1968 (N.L.C.D. 246).* For paragraph 4 *substitute* the following:—

"Agreement to be laid before Assembly.

4. The terms and conditions of an agreement in pursuance of paragraphs 1 and 2 of this Decree shall be laid before the National Assembly and shall not come into operation unless the agreement has been approved by a resolution of the National Assembly."

For paragraph 5 *substitute* the following:—

"External loans referable to Consolidated Fund.

5. (1) Any moneys received in respect of a loan raised in pursuance of this Decree shall be paid into the Consolidated Fund and form part thereof or into some other public fund of Ghana either existing or created for the purposes of the loan.

(2) All moneys required for the discharge of any external loan under any agreement approved by the National Assembly and entered into under this Decree as well as all interest and other charges on such moneys are hereby charged on the Consolidated Fund or other public fund of Ghana either existing or created for the purposes of the loan, and shall be paid out of that fund in accordance with the terms of the said agreement."

*Representation of the People Decree, 1968 (N.L.C.D. 255).* Paragraph 9 is hereby repealed.

In paragraph 44 (1), for the definitions of "Assembly", "Commissioner", "general election" and "public elections" *substitute* the following new definitions:—

" "Assembly" means the National Assembly;"

" "Commissioner" means the Electoral —Commissioner;"



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““general election” means an election to elect the members of the National Assembly;”

““public elections” includes any elections that may be held for the election of members of the National Assembly;”.

In paragraph 44 (1), *omit* the definition of “specially elected member”.

*Law Reform Commission  
Decree, 1968 (N.L.C.D.  
288).*

In subparagraphs (2) and (3) of paragraph 2, for “National Liberation Council” *substitute* “National Assembly”.

In subparagraph (3) of paragraph 5, for the words “forward a copy of such report to the Secretary to the National Liberation Council for the information of the said Council” *substitute* the words “lay a copy of the report before the National Assembly”.

*Constituent Assembly  
(Amendment) Decree,  
1969 (N.L.C.D. 380).*

Paragraph 3 is hereby repealed.

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**THIRD SCHEDULE (Paragraph 20)**

**PART I**

**REPEALS**

- Cabinet and Ministers Act, 1960 (C.A. 3)
- Constitution (Consequential Provisions) Act, 1960 (C.A. 8)
- Cabinet and Ministers (Amendment) Act, 1961 (Act 36)
- Presidential Affairs (Amendment) Act, 1962 (Act 103)
- Cabinet and Ministers (Amendment) Act, 1964 (Act 227)
- Presidential Elections Act, 1965 (Act 292)
- National Liberation Council (Proclamation) (Amendment) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 1).
- National Liberation Council (Oaths) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 6)
- National Liberation Council (Oaths) (Amendment) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 14)
- Civil Service (Amendment) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 17)
- National Liberation Council (Administrative Committee) (Appointment) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 31)

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- National Liberation Council (Dissolution of the Ex-political Detainees Organisation) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 34).
- National Liberation Council (Defamation by C.P.P. Newspapers, etc.) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 50).
- National Liberation Council (Defamation by C.P.P. Newspapers, etc.) (Amendment) Decree, 1966 (N.L.C.D. 51).
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