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Order 29, 1915
Post Office Remand.

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Mr. W. W. Nathan.

The C.A. Ordinance seems to be
sufficient for the purpose required.
Respectfully,

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December 24th, 1915.

Sir,

With reference to your Confidential Circular despatch of the 18th of June last, I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and ten printed copies of "The Post Office Amendment Ordinance, 1915" as passed by the Legislative Council on the 2nd instant, together with an explanatory memorandum by the Attorney General.

2. I have assented to the Ordinance in the name of His Majesty.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,


GOVERNOR'S DEPUTY.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
ANDREW BONAR LAW, P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

INCLOSURE

In Dispatch No. 276 of 24

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REC'D
JAN 26 1916THE POST OFFICE AMENDMENT ORDINANCE, 1915.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Bill to amend the Indian Post Office Act, 1898, as applied to the Protectorate has been introduced in accordance with the suggestions conveyed by the Secretary of State in his Confidential Circular of the 18th June, 1915, that legislation should be introduced making the smuggling of letters an offence.

2. The Bill may, in my opinion, be enacted without further reference here.

3. A comparative table is attached.

Nairobi,

December 8th, 1915.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

THE POST OFFICE (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1915.

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EXPLANATIVE TABLE.

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Section.	Remarks.
Section 1.	Short Title.
Section 2.	<p>(a) Letters carried by persons landing or embarking to be declared and censored.</p> <p>(b) Letters carried by persons entering or leaving the Protectorate otherwise than by ship to be presented to a Censor by the person carrying the same before leaving or after arriving in the Protectorate as the case may be.</p>
Section 3.	Penalty for a breach of the provisions of Section 2.
Section 4.	Saving the provisions of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898.
Section 5.	Duration of Ordinance.