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GOLD AND SILVER PROTECTION ORDINANCE

1920

15 MARCH

Trans copies of "THE GOLD AND SILVER CURRENCY PROTECTION ORDINANCE, 1920". Has assented to Ordinance

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*Mr. Pearson*

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My Lord,

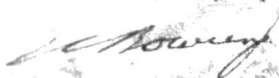
I have the honour to transmit, herewith, two authenticated and ten printed copies of "The Gold and Silver Currency Protection Ordinance, 1920" as passed by the Legislative Council on the 26th of January 1920, together with a Memorandum by the Acting Solicitor General.

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

I have the honour to be,

Your Lordship's,

humble, obedient servant,



ACTING GOVERNOR.

THE MEMORANDUM

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE DOMINIONS,

DOCKING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

THE GOLD AND SILVER CURRENCY ORDINANCE, 1920.

STATEMENTS OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

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The object of the above Ordinance is to prohibit in the Protectorate the melting down or using except as currency gold and silver coins in order to assist in preserving the currency of the world intact.

The Ordinance, follows the provisions of Defence of Realm Regulations 30 X.

Nairobi,

The 11th day of March, 1920.

ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL.

THE GOLD AND SILVER CURRENCY ORDINANCE, 1920.

COMPARATIVE TABLE.

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Remarks.

Section 11(1).

Prohibition on melting down or using otherwise than as currency gold or silver coin for the time being current in the Protectorate or United Kingdom or any British Possession or in any foreign country.

Imposes a penalty up to 6 months imprisonment or a fine up to £2,500/- or both for contravention of the Ordinance.

Maironi,

The 11th day of March, 1920.

ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL.