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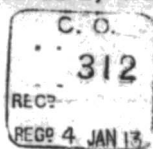
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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 857.

December 11th, 1912.



Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and ten printed copies of The Commissions of Inquiry Ordinance, 1912, as passed by the Legislative Council on the 27th ultimo together with an explanatory memorandum by the Attorney General.

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Memorandum by
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,

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GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

LEGAL REPORT.

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There is, at present, no local Ordinance dealing with such matters.

The Ordinance is based on laws which have been approved for enactment for the Crown Colonies on the West Coast of Africa.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Nairobi,

5th December, 1912.

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East Africa Ordinance.	Southern Nigerian Ordinance. No. 8 of 1896.	Remarks.
Section 1.	Section 1.	
Section 2.	Section 2.	"or headman" inserted after the word "chief" in line 5.
Section 3.	Section 3.	
Section 4.	Section 4.	
Section 5.	Section 5.	In the East Africa Ordinance a form of the oath to be taken is set out in the Schedule.
Section 6.	Section 6.	
Section 7.	Section 7.	
Section 8.	Section 8.	
Section 9.	Section 9.	
Section 10.	Section 10.	
Section 11.	Section 11.	Section 193 of the Indian Penal Code prescribes the punishment for giving false evidence or fabricating false evidence in a Judicial proceeding.
Section 12.	Section 12.	
Section 13.	Section 13.	

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Section	Section	East Africa Ordinances.	Southern Nigerian Ordinance, No. 8 of 1896.	Remarks.
Section 14.	Section 14.	Section 14.	Section 14.	
Section 15.	Section 15.	Section 15.	Section 15.	
Section 16.	Section 16.	Section 16.	Section 16.	
Section 17.	Section 17.	Section 17.	Section 17.	Under the Nigerian Section the Commissioners may direct that proceedings for penalties be taken. That provision was deleted from the East Africa Section on the motion of the Non-official Members of the Council.
Section 18.	Section 18.	Section 18.	Section 18.	
Section 19.	Section 19.	Section 19.	Section 19.	
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