

KENYA.

NO. 1331.



GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,
KENYA.

52898

21st September, 1921.

Sir,

With reference to your despatch No. 678 dated the 30th of April, 1921, I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and ten printed copies of the Currency Ordinance, 1921, which was passed by the Legislative Council on the 30th of August, 1921, together with a Statement of Objects and Reasons and a Comparative Table prepared 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,

W. K. ...

ACTING GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

WINSTON CHURCHILL, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S. W.

In Despatch No. 153/ul 21 7 18 21

THE EMERGENCY ORDINANCE, 1921.STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Ordinance was passed after consultation with Messrs. Uganda Protectorate and Tanganyika Territory to remove the restrictions on the melting down or use otherwise than as currency of all gold and silver coins. The prohibition against misuse of currency is now confined to silver coins current for the time being in the Colony or Protectorate. The sanction of the Secretary of State for the removal of the restrictions was given in his despatch of 30th April last.

Sd/- W. H. ...
ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Nairobi,

The 16th day of September, 1921.

THE CURRENCY ORDINANCE, 1921.COMPARATIVE TABLE.

Section.	Remarks.
1.	Short title.
2.	Prohibits melting down or using otherwise than as currency silver coins current in Colony and Protectorate.
3.	Penalties.
4.	Repeals the Gold and Silver Currency Protection Ordinance, 1920.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Nairobi.

The 10th day of September, 1921.