

EAST AFR. PROT.
36056

C O
36056
REC.
SEP 21 1914

Governor
Belfield 758
1914
13th August
Last previous Paper.
400
2481 1/3

VOLUNTEER RESERVE AMENDMENT ORDINANCE
NO. XXI OF 1914

Trs copies with Legal Report.

Have copies taken. ^{Nov} 27. 10. 14.

Col Hoskins
any others?

Majors Wilson } H. J. R.
2: Ford } 26/9/14

Col Hoskins is away and I do not know when
to ask return.

It seems possible that the effect of this may
be that the whole of the E.A. Vol. Reserve may
be formed by the Legion of Frontiersmen. I do
not know exactly what are the rules of the Legion
but it has few friends and has not (I believe)
been recognised officially in any other country.
The utility of the Vol. Reserve as at present
constituted has been called in question and

Jan 928 10 Oct 14 3

Next subsequent Paper.
400
1352 1/5

if these Legionnaires ^{are to} ~~be~~ considered in the
presence of the Reserve it may become
difficult to control them from anything
but a 1st Lt. Vol. Corps - It seems to
me to be a great chance for the Legion
which, rightly or wrongly, has had
little encouragement elsewhere.

I suggest that Major Wilson be asked
for an opinion.

J. 28.9.14

There appears to be no reason for
treating this Ordinance differently
from the "East Africa ^{Unit} ~~Ordinance~~
Volunteer Reserve Amendment
Ordinance 1911", which it was
decided to allow.

It is a pity that if the members
of the Legion of Frontiersmen are
ready to serve they want equal
in one of the recognized units
like any one else. They seem
determined, however, to do anything
in their power to get "the Legion"
some official recognition.

6.10.14. J.H.G.

Dr. J. F. Fildes

The principle has already been
admitted & the only grounds
for extension.

Sanction

D. F. ?

360

H. J. R.

8/2/14

along

Pr. 9.10.24

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 758.

36056
GOVERNMENT HOUSE
NAIROBI
21 SEP 14
BRITISH EAST AFRICA

August, 13th. 1914.

361

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and ten printed copies of The East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance, 1914, as passed by the Legislative Council on the 4th 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,

H. Conway Beyard

G O V E R N O R .

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S. W.

36056

Recd
21 SEP 14

INCLOSURE 2

In Despatch No. 75 of August 1914

302

THE EAST AFRICA VOLUNTEER RESERVE AMENDMENT
ORDINANCE 1914.

MEMORANDUM

1. The East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance 1914 has for its object the extension of the power to form units of the volunteer reserve from members of the Legion of Frontiersmen. Under the East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance 1911 only one such unit could be formed. It has been considered desirable to allow the formation of units at whatever centres there are sufficient members of the Legion of Frontiersmen willing to join the Volunteer Reserve and form Legion of Frontiersmen Units.
2. The East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance 1911 is repealed by the Bill.
3. The Bill as passed by the Legislative Council may in my opinion be forthwith assented to and published.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

THE EAST AFRICA VOLUNTEER RESERVE AMENDMENT ORDINANCE 1911.

Section.	Remarks.
1.	Short title.
2.	Provides for the formation of Units of the Reserve from members of the Legion of Frontiersmen under the East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance 1911.
3.	Repeal of the East Africa Volunteer Reserve Amendment Ordinance 1911.