

DESPATCH.

EAST AFR PROT.

22/78

Governor No.
London 301

1909

4 June.

at Previous Paper

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Court of Appeal
Appeal to Privy Council / Orders in Council
1909.

Submit minute by Principal Judge. Request
sanction to proposed addition of R 628. Subject
to approval of four concurrences 1 Jan 1910 is suggested
as suitable date for the C.I. to come into force.

H. Purley

H. J. R.

6/II

Mr Fox Fidgley

1 With regard to Date of commencement we need (or can)
do nothing until we hear that the India & Nigeria
comes as to 1 January 1910 - which seems to me
an suitable date, as it will allow ample time for
every body to prepare for the new regulations.

2 Judge Hamilton's views

para (3) I comes in this present of the 1st Rules of
Court etc in 43746/00

I see no objection to these recommendations
but I presume that it will not be necessary
for a effect to them if approved by
action under §§ 5 & 8 of the Ordinances
latter or in the year - if the Ordinance
to come into operation until Jan 1910.

An answer is wanted as to para (3) of the Judge

A.F.B. W. 3196277
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Subsequent Paper

Yours / 31/6/02 Alpha

3/10/02

named in any case so far as right before does approval
(or the review) of the recommendations in pages 44 & 51, but
expressing that definite action will not be taken under
Section 5 or 8 of the OMC until later on when a
notification has been published in the London Gazette
since the 3rd of the commencement of the OMC

J.S.R. 10/7

H.R. 2/8/54

to proceed
(A.D.)

- 13/11

as express above

26/11/54
R.D.

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marked in any case - so as might express due approval
(or the reverse) of the recommendations in parae (4) + (5), but
expressing that, default action will not be taken until
under \$§ 5 or 8 of the Orde until later on when a
notification has been published in the London Gazette
fixing the date of the commencement of the Orde

8/8/1877

H.R. 1877

to proceed

4/8/

- 13/11

as express above

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R.D.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,

Nairobi,

JUNE 4TH 1909.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

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No. 301.

(Incl. 1.)

My Lord,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt
of Your Lordship's despatch No. 207 of April 20th
enclosing the "Court of Appeal" and "Appeal to Privy
Council" Orders in Council 1909 and to transmit
herewith a minute by the Principal Judge.

2. I should be glad to receive Your Lordship's
sanction to the proposed addition to rule 28.

3. Your Lordship will perceive that, subject to
the concurrence of the other Governments concerned,
the 1st of January 1910 is suggested as a suitable
date for the Orders in Council to come into force.

4. I am communicating with the Acting Governor
of Uganda and the Governor of Nyasaland in accordance

with

H.M. Principal Secretary of State

for the Colonies,

Downing Street.

LONDON, S.W.

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with Your Lordship's instructions.

I have the honour to be,

with the highest respect,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient,

humble servant,

W. J. [unclear]

Recd
Date 3 JUL 09

INCLOSURE

MINUTE.

No Despatch No. 301 of June 4th 1909

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With reference to Colonial Office despatch No. 207 of 20th April 1909. after consultation with Judges Barth and Bonham Carter I beg to offer the following remarks:-

- (1) We think that a suitable date for bringing the Orders into force would be the 1st January 1910. This would give ample time for making the necessary arrangements and communicating with the other Protectorates concerned, and allow for the first sitting of the New Court to be held in March of that year.
- (2) We agree with all the criticisms of the Draft rules contained in the despatch in question.
- (3) We would wish, however, to add to rule 28 a new sub-section (g), viz:-

'To order that a decree shall be set aside and a new trial be had'.

This is a useful provision taken from the English practice, Order 58 rule 5, which should not be omitted.

- (4) As regards article 5 of the Court of Appeal Order Council we recommend that the seniority of the existing members of the Court should be published simultaneously with the Order, based on the dates of their respective appointments as judges of the various Protectorate High Courts, viz:-

Judge Hamilton
" Ennis
" Morris Carter
" Barth
" Griffin
" Bonham Carter

On

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Sal. N° 396.

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dated 35570
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20 July 1909.

MINUTE.

Mr. Parkinson 15/7

Mrs. Butler 16

Mr. Buckley 17

Mr. Read

Mr. Antrobus 18/7

Mr. Cox. 19 f.s.

Sir C. Lucas.

Sir F. Hopwood.

Col. Seely

The Earl of Crewe.

for consent

I approve of the
addition to rule 28
as reported in para (3) of
the minute.

Sir, I have the honour to
ack. the receipt of your
desp. No. 301 of this^d. A
copy of a minute by the Principal
Judge at the "Court
of Appeal" & Vice
"appeal to Privy Comit"
orders in Comit 1909.

3. I ^{also} ~~have~~ referred to
approve of the proposal
in para 4 of the
Principal

the judge's minute, but
no definite action

will be taken under
article 10
~~Section 10~~
para 2(x) of the

Court of Appeal

Order in Council

until a notification
has been published

in the London Gazette

fixing the date

for the orders —

~~Final~~ to come

into force.

4 with ref.

& the recommendation

made in the 1st para.

of the minute, I shall
be glad to learn

whether the recommenda-

that Mr. J W H Parkman
be appointed Registrar
of the Court of Appeal
it will, now that
he has been 472
appointed to the
post of Administrator
General.

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