

(2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power such rules as aforesaid may—

<sup>1</sup>[(a) regulate the exercise of the powers conferred on Inspectors under section 5 ;]

(b) regulate the action to be taken by veterinary practitioners under section 8 ;<sup>2\*</sup>

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(3) All such rules shall be published in the local official Gazette, and, on such publication, shall have effect as if enacted in this Act.

(4) In making any rule under this section the Local Government may direct that a breach of it shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

15. Whoever uses or permits to be used for breeding purposes— Penalties,

(a) any horse which has not been registered in accordance with the requirements of a notification under section 3, or

<sup>4</sup>[(b) any horse in respect of which an order under clause (b) or clause (c) of section 5 is in force,]

shall be punishable with fine which may amount, in the case of a first conviction, to fifty rupees, or, in the case of a second or subsequent conviction, to one hundred rupees.

16. No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any person for anything which is, in good faith, done or intended to be done under this Act. Protection to persons acting under Act.

ACT No. VI OF 1910.<sup>5</sup>

[4th March, 1910.]

An Act further to amend the Indian Stamp Act, 1899.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Stamp Act, 1899; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

- I of 1899. 1. This Act may be called the Indian Stamp (Amendment) Act, 1910. Short title.
- II of 1899. 2. In section 8, sub-section (1), of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (hereinafter referred to as " the said Act "), for the words " eight annas per centum " the words " one per centum " shall be substituted. Amendment of Act II, 1899, section 8.

<sup>1</sup> This clause was substituted by section 5 of the Dourine (Amendment) Act, 1920 (8 of 1920).

<sup>2</sup> The word " and " was omitted by *ibid.*

<sup>3</sup> Clause (c) was omitted by *ibid.*

<sup>4</sup> This clause was substituted for the original clauses (b) and (c) by s. 6 of *ibid.*

<sup>5</sup> For Statement of Objects and Reasons, see Gazette of India, 1910, Pt. V, p. 33; and for Proceedings in Council, see *ibid.*, 1910, Pt. VI, pp. 115 and 159, dated 12th March, 1910, and 19th March, 1910, respectively.

Amendment  
of Act II,  
1899,  
Schedule I.

3. In Schedule I of the said Act the following amendments shall be made, namely:—

(i) For Article No. 5 the following shall be substituted, namely:—

**" 5. AGREEMENT OR MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT—**

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| (a) if relating to the sale of a bill of exchange  | Two annas.   |
| (b) if relating to the sale of a Government security or share in an incorporated company or other body corporate ; | Subject to a maximum of ten rupees, one anna for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof of the value of the security or share. |
| (c) if not otherwise provided for . . . .  | Eight annas.   |

*Exemptions.*

Agreement or memorandum of agreement—

- (a) for or relating to the sale of goods or merchandise exclusively, not being a NOTE OR MEMORANDUM chargeable under No. 43 ;
- (b) made in the form of tenders to the Government of India for or relating to any loan ;
- (c) made under the European Vagrancy Act, 1874, section 17."

IX of 1874.

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(iii) For Article No. 27 the following shall be substituted, namely:—

" 27. DEBENTURE (whether a mortgage debenture or not), being a marketable security transferable—

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| (a) by endorsement or by a separate instrument of transfer ; | The same duty as a Bond (No. 15) for the same amount.   |
| (b) by delivery . . . . .                                    | The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 23) for a consideration equal to the face amount of the debenture. |

*Explanation.*—The term ' Debenture ' includes any interest coupons attached thereto, but the amount of such coupons shall not be included in estimating the duty.

*Exemption.*

A debenture issued by an incorporated company or other body corporate in terms of a registered mortgage deed, duly stamped in respect of the full amount of debentures to be issued thereunder, whereby the company or body borrowing makes over, in whole or in part, their property to trustees for the benefit of the debenture-holders: provided that the debentures so issued are expressed to be issued in terms of the said mortgage deed.

See also BOND (No. 15), and SECTIONS 8 and 55."

<sup>1</sup> Section 3 (ii) was virtually repealed by sec. 2 of the Indian Stamp (Amendment) Act, 1912 (1 of 1912). It has since been repealed by the Repealing and Amending Act, 1914 (10 of 1914), Sch. II.

(iv) For Article No. 43 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

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| <p>“ 43. NOTE OR MEMORANDUM sent by a Broker or Agent to his principal intimating the purchase or sale on account of such principal—</p> <p>(a) of any goods exceeding in value twenty rupees ;</p> <p>(b) of any stock or marketable security exceeding in value twenty rupees.</p> | <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px;">Two annas.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px;">Subject to a maximum of ten rupees, one anna for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof of the value of the stock or security.”</td> </tr> </table> | Two annas. | Subject to a maximum of ten rupees, one anna for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof of the value of the stock or security.” |
| Two annas.   |  |            |   |
| Subject to a maximum of ten rupees, one anna for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof of the value of the stock or security.”  |  |            |   |

(v) In Article No. 59, in the second column, for the words “Three-quarters of ” the words “ One-and-a-half times ” and in the *Exemption*, for the word “ three-quarters ” each time it occurs the words “ one-and-a-half ” shall be substituted.

(vi) In Article No. 62, in the second column, for the word “ One-quarter,” where it occurs opposite clauses (a) and (b). the word “ One-half ” shall be substituted.

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ACT No. VII OF 1910.<sup>1</sup>

[4th March, 1910.]

An Act further to amend the Court-fees Act, 1870.

VII of 1870. WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Court-fees Act, 1870; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Court-fees (Amendment) Act, 1910. Short title.

VII of 1870. 2. In Schedule I to the Court-fees Act, 1870, as amended by the Amendment of Act VII, 1870, Schedule I.  
 VII of 1889. Succession Certificate Act, 1889, the following amendments shall be made, namely :—

(i) in Article 11, for the entries in the second and third columns, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

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| <p>When the amount or value of the property in respect of which the grant of probate or letters is made exceeds one thousand rupees, but does not exceed ten thousand rupees.</p> | <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px;">Two per centum on such amount or value.</td> </tr> </table> | Two per centum on such amount or value. |
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<sup>1</sup> For Statement of Objects and Reasons, see Gazette of India, 1910, Pt. V, p. 34; and for Proceedings in Council, see *ibid.*, 1910, Pt. VI, pp. 117 and 163, dated 12th March, 1910 and 9th March, 1910, respectively.