

INDIAN FOREST (EAST PUNJAB AMENDMENT) ACT, 1948

322 me-Indian Forat (East Punjab Amendment) Act, 1948 The Indian Forest (East Punjab Amendment) Act, 1948 ActNo. iof1948 Received the assent of His Excellency the Governor on the 1st April, 1948, and was first published in the East Punjab Government Gætte Extraordinary, dated the 3rd April, 1948. Legislative History Amended in art the A tationof laws Order 1950. An Act to amend the Indian Forest in its application to East Punjab. Whereas it is expedient to amend the Indian Forest Act, 1927, in its application to East Punjab, in the manner hereinafter appearing, it is hereby enacted as follows:- NOTE Statement ofObjects and Reasons. - Doubt has been expressed whether the word "carts" as used in sections 52, 53 and 54, Indian Forest Act, 1927, includes vehicles other than two wheeled counuy carts. As cases have arisen where vehicles other than counü•y carts have been used in committing forest offences, the words "carts" is being replaced by the more general expression ' 'vehicles" so as to remove the doubt regarding the liability ofall or any ofthe ve- hicles so used, to seizure and confiscation under the aforesaid sections. (East Punjab Gaëtte Extraordinary dated the 5th March, 1948)

1. Short title and extent - (1) This Act may be called The Indian Forest (East Punjab Amendment) Act, 1948.(2) It extends to the whole of.[Punjab] 2. Amendment ofSections 92, 53 and 55 ofAct, XVI of 1927.- The IndianForest Act, 1927, shall, in application to [Punjab], be amended as follows:- In sections 52, 53 and 55 of the said Act, for the word "carts", wherever it occurs, the word "vehicle" shall be substitUted. I. Substittned for the wor& "East Punjab" by AdQtMionofLaws 1950

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