

WEST BENGAL STATE LAWS (EXTENSION TO COOCH BEHAR) ACT, 1950

West Bengal Act XXX of 1950 THE WEST BENGAL STATE LAWS (EXTENSION TO COOCH BEHAR) ACT, 1950. T Passed by the 1b' est Bengal Legislature.] [Assent of the President was first published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 20th April, 1950.] An Act to provide for the extension of certain laws to Cooch Behar. WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the extension of certain laws to the territories comprised in the merged State of Cooch Behar (in this Act referred to as Cooch Behar) ; It is hereby enacted as follows: — 1. This Act may be called the West Bengal State Laws Short titis. (Extension to Cooch Behar) Act, 1950. 2. (1) The Acts specified in the Schedule are hereby Extension of lows. extended to, and shall be in force in, Cooch Behar. (2) All rules, orders, regulations, by-laws, delegations and appomtments made, all notifications, directions and instructions issued, all forms prescribed and all schemes and instruments framed or executed under the Acts specified in the Schedule shall, as far as may be, apply to Cooch Behar

3. If immediately before the commencement of this Repeal of Act there is in force in Cooch Behar an Act, Ordinance, correspond- Regulation or other law corresponding to an Act specified ing in the Schedule, such corresponding law shall upon the commencement of this Act stand repealed.(1) The repeal by section 3 of any corresponding law Savings. 4. in force in Cooch Behar immediately before the commence- ment of this Act shall not affect— (a) the previous operation of any such law, Or (b) any penalty, forfeiture Or punishment incurred in respect of any offence committed against any such law, or (c) any investigation, legal proceeding or remedy in respect of any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment, and any such investigation, legal proceeding or remedy may be instituted, continued or enforced and any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment may be imposed as if this Act had not been passed. (2) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (1) anything done or any action taken including any rule, order, regula- tiou, by-law, delegation or appointment made, any notifica- tion, direction or instruction issued, any -form prescribed, Price—Indian, annas _2 ; English, 3d- 2 The West Bengal Stmte Laws (Extension to Cooch Behar) Act, 1950. [West Ben. Act XXX of 1950.] (Sections 5, 6 and the Schedüle.) Powers of Courts and Other authorities for pur- poses of facilitating ap plication of laws. Removal of difficul- ties. any scheme or instrument framed or •executed, any certificate, batent, permit or licence granted or registration effected, under such corresponding shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provision of the Act as now extended to Cooch Behar, and shall continue in force accordingly unless and uutil superseded by anything done or any action taken under the said Act

5. For the purpose of facilitating the application of any Act specified in the Schedule any Court or other authority may construe such Act with such alterations, not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt it to the before the Court or other authority

6. If any difficulty arises in giving eféct to any provi- sions of this Act or of any Act extended to Cooch Behar by this Act the State Government, as occasion may require, may by order do anything which appears to the State Govern- ment to be necessary for the purpose of removing tLe diffeuity.Year. 1919 1930 1930 1940 1948 1948 WBGP-5011-2690A-4,500 Number. (2) XXXII The Schedule. [See section 2 (1).1 Short title. (3) Acts. The Bengal Primary Education Act, 1919. The Bengal Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1930. The Bengal (Rural) Primary Education Act, 1930. The Bengal Co-operative Societies Act, 1940. The West Bengal Factories and Mines (Control of Dismantling) Act, 1948. The West Bengal Black Marketing Act, 1948: