

27 OF 1926.

TO AMEND THE LAW WITH REGARD TO STAMP DUTIES. A.D. 1926.

MALCOLM STEVENSON.]

[May 31, 1926.

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BE it enacted:—

1. This Law may be cited as the Stamp (Amendment) Law, 1926, and shall be read as one with the Stamp Law, 1923, (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Law), and the Principal Law and this Law may together be cited as the Stamp Laws, 1923 and 1926. Short title.

2. The Principal Law, section 2, is hereby amended by the insertion after the word "mentioned" of the words "on or before the execution thereof." Amendment of Law 31 of 1923, sec. 2.

3. The Principal Law, section 5 (1), is hereby repealed. Repeal of Law 31 of 1923, sec. 5 (1).

4. The Principal Law, section 18, is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "and a penalty of five pounds" and of the words "Provided that the High Commissioner may remit the increased duty and the whole or any part of the penalty payable on stamping the document." Amendment of Law 31 of 1923, sec. 18.

5. The Principal Law, section 20 (1), is hereby amended by the insertion in line 3 after the word "until" of the word "double." Amendment of Law 31 of 1923, sec. 20 (1).

6. The Principal Law, section 21, is hereby repealed and in place thereof the following section shall have effect:— Repeal of Law 31 of 1923, sec. 21 and substitution of new section.

21. Every document executed out of Cyprus by any person, whether sufficiently stamped or not under the Law of the country in which such document was executed, shall not be treated as executed or brought into force within Cyprus until it has been duly stamped with the proper Cyprus stamp duty. Documents executed out of Cyprus.

7. The Schedule to the Principal Law is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the following words:— Amendment of Schedule to Law 31 of 1923.

Affidavit or solemn declaration in writing not otherwise by Law or Rules of Court provided for . . . . . 3s.

*Repealed by Law 1/1940*

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