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[Act No.2 OF 1969]¹

[Received the assent of the President of India on 9-2-1969 and was published in R.H.P. Extra, dt.1-4-1969, p.303-304]

Amended, repealed or otherwise affected by-

A.O.1973, published in R.H.P. Extra., dt.20-1-1973, p.91-112.

An Act to amend the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (16 of 1908) in its application in Himachal Pradesh.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Himachal Pradesh in the Nineteenth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. **Short title, extent and commencement.**-(1) This Act may be called the Indian Registration (Himachal Pradesh Amendment) Act, 1968.

(2) It extends to the whole of the ²[State of Himachal Pradesh].

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Repeal and Savings.**-(1) The Indian Registration (Punjab Amendment) Act, 1941 (8 of 1941) and the Indian Registration (Punjab Amendment) Act, 1961 (19 of 1961), (hereinafter referred to as the said Acts), as in force in the territories added to the Union territory of Himachal Pradesh by sub-section(1) of section 5 of the Punjab Re-organisation Act, 1966 (31 of 1966), are here repealed and the amendments made in the principal Act by the said Act, shall cease to have operation in the said territories.

(2) Nothing contained in sub-section(1) shall affect-

- (a) the previous operation of the said Acts or anything duly done or suffered thereunder; or
- (b) any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred under the said Act; or
- (c) any penalty, forfeiture or punishment, incurred in respect of any offence committed against the said Acts; or
- (d) any investigation, legal proceeding or remedy in respect of any such right, privilege, obligation, liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment as aforesaid;

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continued or enforced and any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment may be imposed as if the said Acts has not been repealed.

3. **Insertion of new section 18-A.**-In the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (16 of 1908) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), after section 18, the following section shall be inserted, namely-

18-A. Documents for registration to be accompanied by a true copy.-Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the registering officer shall refuse to register any document presented to him for registration unless such document is accompanied by a true copy thereof.

1. For statement of objects and Reasons see R.H.P. Extra dated 9.12.1968 Page-1235

2. Subs. for "Union Territory of H.P." by A.O. 1973.

4. **Amendment of section 19.**-In section 19 of the principal Act, for the words "a true translation", the words "two copies of the true translation" shall be substituted.

5. **Amendment of section 52.**-In section 52 of the principal Act, for clause(c) of sub-section(1), the following clause shall be substituted, namely-

"(c) Subject to the provisions contained in section 62, a copy of every document admitted to registration shall, without un-necessary delay be pasted in the book appropriated therefor according to the order of admission of the document."

6. **Amendment of section 62.**-In section 62 of the principal Act, for sub-section(1), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely-

"(1) When a document is presented for registration under section 19, a copy of the translation shall be pasted in the register of documents of the nature of the original, and the second copy of the translation, together with the true copy referred to in section 19, shall be filed in the registration office."

7. **Amendment of section 69.**-In section 69 of the principal Act, in sub-section(1), after clause(b), the following clause shall be inserted, namely-

"(bb) providing for the grant of licences to document writers, the revocation of such licences, the terms and conditions subject to which, and the authority by whom such licences shall be granted and generally for all purposes connected with the writing of the documents to be presented for registration."

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER REGISTRATION ACT, 1908

Simla-2, the 8th January, 1970

No.17-1/67-Rev.I.-In exercise of the powers vested in him under section 3 of the Punjab official Languages Act, 1960, read with S.O. 3370 F.2/6/66-UTL (i), dated the 1st November, 1966, the Administrator, (Lieutenant Governor), Himachal Pradesh, is pleased to exclude the documents, presented for registration at the Registration offices in the Pradesh, from the purview of the said Act and to order that the documents written in language other than Hindi be also accepted for registration.

Simla-4, the 22nd February, 1949

No.66.97-21/48.-In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Registration Act No.XVI of 1908, as applied to Himachal Pradesh, the Chief Commissioner, Himachal Pradesh, is pleased to appoint the Director of Land Records, Himachal Pradesh, as ex-officio Inspector General of Registration for the territories of Himachal Pradesh.

Simla-2, the 23rd July, 1988

NOTIFICATION

No.Rev.22-560/57--In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Governor, Himachal Pradesh, is pleased to appoint the Joint Director/Deputy Director of Land Records in the State of Himachal Pradesh as ex-officio Inspector of Registration.

By Order

S.K. CHAUHAN
SECRETARY (REVENUE) TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH

Government of Himachal Pradesh Revenue Department
(Stamp-Registration)