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The following Acts of Parliament received the assent of the President on
~ the 26th September, 1973, and are hereby published for general information :—
~ ACT No. LXVII oF 1973

An Act to amend the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) Order, 1972

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) Order,
1972 (P.O. No. 10 of 1972) for the purposes hereinafter appearing ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1, Short title and commencement.—(1) This Act may be called the Life
Insurance (Nationalisation) (Amendment) Act, 1973.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. General amendment of P.O. No. 10 of 1972.—In the Life Insurance
jationalisation) Order, 1972 (P.O. No. ro of 1972), hereinafter referred to as

the said Order, for the words “ Central Government”, wherever occurring, the
words “Federal Government” shall be substituted.

3. Amendmeat of Article 22, P.O. No. 10 of 1972.—In the said Order, in
Article 22, after clause (4), the following new clause (5) shall be added, namely :—

“(5) Any amount due to the Corporation in pursuance of an order of
the Tribunal under clause (z) or an order of the High Court under
section 106 of the Act inay be set off against any compensation,
debt, liability or any money due by the Corporation to the insurer
or its shareholders or directors under the provisions of this Order,
including the amount of compensation payable under Article 39.”.

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ACT No. LXVII oF 1973

An Act to provide for the punishment of persons found guilty of acts of abrogation or subversion of a Constitution or of high treason

WHEREAS it is necessary to provide for the punishment of persons found guilty of acts of abrogation or subversion of a Constitution or of high treason ;
It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(i) This Act may be called the High Treason (Punishment) Act, 1973.

(2) It extends to the whole of Pakistan.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. Punishment for high treason, etc.—A person who is found guilty—

(a) of having committed an act of abrogation or subversion .of a Constitution in force in Pakistan at-any time since the twenty-third day of March, 1966, or

(b) of high treason as defined in Article 6 of the Constitution, shall be punishable with death or imprisonment for life.

Procedure.—No court shall take cognizance of an offence punishable

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under this Act except upon a complaint in writing made by a person authorised ~~ by the Federal Government in this behalf.

ACT No. LXIX oF 1973

An Act further to amend the Companies Act, 1913

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), for the purposes hereinafter appearing ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) This Act may be called the Companies (Amendment) Act, 1973.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. General amendment, Act VII of 1913.-In Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, for the words “Central Government” wherever occurring the words “Federal Government” shall be substituted. .

3. Amendment of section 248, Act VI of 1913.

248, for sub-section (5) the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(5) Any person may inspect the documents kept by the registrar on payment of such fees as may be appointed by the Federal Government,

not exceeding one rupee for each inspection, and any person may
require a certificate of incorporation or certificate of commencement
of business of any company, or a copy or extract of any other docu-
ment or any part of any other document, to be certified by the
Registrar on payment for the certificate, certified copy or extract, of