# 1957 No. 1532

## The Sierra Leone (House of Representatives) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1957

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| *Made* - - - - | *23rd August*, 1957 |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *29th August*, 1957 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *On a day to be appointed under Section* 1 (3)* |

At the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of August, 1957

**Present,**

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890(**a**), or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Citation, construction and commencement*

**1.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the Sierra Leone (House of Representatives) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1957, and shall be construed as one with the Sierra Leone (House of Representatives) Order in Council, 1956(**b**), hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Order".

(2) The Principal Order and this Order may be cited together as the Sierra Leone (House of Representatives) Orders in Council, 1956 and 1957.

(3) This Order shall be published in the Gazette and shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Governor by Proclamation in the Gazette, which date shall not be earlier than the day after the day upon which this Order shall have been laid before both Houses of Parliament.

*Amendment of the Principal Order*

**2.** Section 13 of the Principal Order is hereby amended—

(*a*) by the deletion of paragraph (*c*) and the substitution therefor of the following paragraph:—

"(*c*) is under sentence of death or is serving, or has within the immediately preceding five years completed the serving of, a sentence of imprisonment (by whatever name called), without the option of a fine, of or exceeding twelve months imposed in any part of Her Majesty's dominions and has not received a free pardon; or"; and

(*b*) by the deletion of paragraph (*d*).

**3.** Paragraph (*g*) of subsection (3) of section 14 of the Principal Order is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "paragraphs (*c*) and (*d*) of section 13" and the substitution therefor of the words "paragraph (*c*) of section 13".

*W. G. Agnew.*

* 19.9.57. (a) 53 & 54 Vict. c. 37. (b) S.I. 1956/1893 (1956 II, p. 2961).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

The purpose of this Order is to amend the Sierra Leone (House of Representatives) Order in Council, 1956, by removing from section 13 of that Order the provision that a person possessed of professional qualifications, who has been disqualified from practising his or her profession, is disqualified for membership of the House.

The Order also provides for amendment of the provisions as to disqualification on conviction for crime.

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## COURTS

## 1957 No. 279

# The West African Court of Appeal (Amendment) Order in Council, 1957

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| *Made* - - - - | *22nd February*, 1957 |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *28th February*, 1957 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *6th March*, 1957 |

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of February, 1957

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf by the British Settlements Acts, 1887 and 1945(**a**), the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890(**b**), or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Citation, construction and commencement*

**1.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the West African Court of Appeal (Amendment) Order in Council, 1957, and shall be construed as one with the West African Court of Appeal Orders in Council, 1948 to 1956(**c**).

(2) The West African Court of Appeal Orders in Council, 1948 to 1956, and this Order may be cited together as the West African Court of Appeal Orders in Council, 1948 to 1957.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on the sixth day of March, 1957.

*Amendment of Order of* 1948

**2.** Section 3 of the West African Court of Appeal Order in Council, 1948 (as amended by section 3 of the West African Court of Appeal

(a) 50 & 51 Vict. c. 54 and 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 7.
(b) 53 & 54 Vict. c. 37.
(c) S.I. 1948/1330 (Rev. VIII, p. 390: 1948 I, p. 1361), S.I. 1955/1821, 1956/1700 (1955 II, p. 3168; 1956 II, p. 2979).