



## GOLD COAST.

No. 7 OF 1937.

Assented to in His Majesty's Name in so far as the provisions hereof relate to the Colony, and enacted by me in so far as the provisions hereof relate to Ashanti and the Northern Territories, this 1st day of April, 1937.

GEO. E. LONDON

*Governor's Deputy.*No. 7 of  
1935.Date of  
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ment.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Courts Ordinance, 1935

[5th April, 1937.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the Gold Coast, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council so far as the provisions hereof relate to the Colony, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Courts (Amendment) Ordinance, 1937, and shall be read as one with the Courts Ordinance, 1935 (hereinafter called "the Principal Ordinance") and the Principal Ordinance and this Ordinance may together be cited as the Courts Ordinances 1935 to 1937.

Amendment  
of section  
43 of No. 7  
of 1935.

2. Section 43 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended:—

- (1) By the addition of the words "or both" at the end of paragraph (a) of sub-section (1);
- (2) By the insertion of the words "or both such fine and such imprisonment" between the word "months" and the word "except" in line 6 of sub-section (2).



*The Courts (Amendment) Ordinance, 1937.*

No. 7 of  
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3. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the following section immediately after section 58 :—

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Insertion  
of new  
section 58A  
in No. 7 of  
1935.

“ Reserva-  
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58A. In addition to and without prejudice to the right of appeal conferred by this Ordinance any Provincial Commissioner may reserve for consideration by the Supreme Court on a case to be stated by him, any question of law which may arise on the hearing of any civil suit or matter, and may give any judgment or decision subject to the opinion of the Supreme Court, and the Supreme Court shall have power to hear and determine any such question.”

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This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council, and in so far as the provisions hereof relate to the Colony, is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

H. H. MALM  
*Clerk of the Legislative Council.*

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