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EAST AFR. PROT.
No 43743

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Governor No.
Order 533

(Subject.)

1908
3 Nov

Ordinance No 12 of 1908
Wireless Telegraphy
Submits

Last previous Paper.
for 21091

~~Mr. King~~
~~Mr. Johnson~~

(Minutes)

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Section 13

[I have sent copy of Ord.
to Sec. of Public Works]

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Order sent to C.O.S. & Co.

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Governor's Office,

Nairobi,

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

November 3rd 1908.

No. 623
(incl. 2)

My Lord,

For 21091
Ordinance
14 copies
Memorandum

With reference to Your Lordship's telegram of the 2nd of July last I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and 12 printed copies of an Ordinance to provide for the Regulation of Wireless Telegraphy, to which I have assented in the name of His Majesty.

2. An explanatory Memorandum by the Acting Crown Advocate giving the reasons for the enactment of this Ordinance is also enclosed.

I have the honour to be,
With the highest respect,
My Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient,
humble servant,



H.M. PRINCIPAL SECRETARY OF STATE
FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

INCLOSURE No 2

In Despatch No. 333 of 2nd July 1908

MEMORANDUM.

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The reason for introducing this Ordinance was that certain representations were put forward by the Italian Government at the end of 1907 to establish a Radio-Telegraphic Station at Lamu. This was agreed to by H.M. Government, the draft Ordinance after the first reading was sent home to the Colonial Office for approval before the second reading and later on His Excellency was instructed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to proceed with the bill. The Ordinance has been drafted from the English Wireless Telegraphy Act 1904. The alterations made in this Ordinance from the English Act will be seen in the attached Schedule. I think that this is an Ordinance which His Excellency can properly assent to in His Majesty's name.

Sd/-

CROWN ADVOCATE.

SECTION

REMARKS.

- 1 (1) Section 1 sub-section (1) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1904 deleting the words "or as heard any British ship".
- (2) Section 1 sub-section (2) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1904 substituting Governor for Postmaster General.
- (3) ~~Section~~ Section 1 sub-section (3) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1904. substituting "Offence" for "misdemeanour" and "this Ordinance" for "summary jurisdiction Acts" and deleting "to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds" and substituting "Governor" in the last line for "Postmaster General, the Admiralty, the Army Council or the Board of Trade".
- (4) Section 1 sub-section (4) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1904. Substituting "Governor" for "Justice of the Peace" as well as for "Postmaster General, the admiralty, the Army Council or the Board of Trade".
- (5) Section 1 sub-section (6) of the Act substituting "Governor" for "Postmaster General" and deleting "with consent of the Treasury".
- (6) Section 1 sub-section (7) of the Act substituting "Indian Telegraph Act 1885" for "Telegraph Acts 1863 to 1904".

2. Section 3 (4) of the Act substituting "protectors" for "territorial" and "Governor" for "Postmaster General".

3. New matter for definition.

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