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**An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the law relating to Sheriffs in the Colony and Protectorate.**

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1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Sheriffs Ordinance, and shall apply to the Colony and Protectorate.

Short title.

2. The Governor may, as he thinks fit, appoint Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Under Sheriffs, Assistant Under Sheriffs, Bailiffs and Assistant Bailiffs, for the Colony and Protectorate, or any province or district thereof, and such officers may lawfully execute the office of Sheriff within the Colony, Protectorate, province or district in respect of which they are appointed, and all such officers shall have the same powers and protection as the Sheriff.

Appointment of Sheriffs.

3. Unless and until any such appointments are made—

Sheriffs of the Colony and Protectorate.

(1) the Commissioner of Police shall be the Sheriff of the Colony;

(2) the Commissioners of the Northern, South-Western and South-Eastern Provinces shall be respectively the Sheriffs of those provinces;

(3) the District Commissioner of every district in the Protectorate shall be the Deputy Sheriff of that district.