No. 10 of 1933.

A LAW TO AMEND THE REGISTRATION OF CLUBS Law, 1930.

A.D. 1933. 10 of 1933.

R. E. STUBBS, Governor.

[6th February, 1933.

BE it enacted:

- 1. This Law may be cited as the Registration of Clubs short title. (Amendment) Law, 1933, and shall be read as one with the Registration of Clubs Law, 1930, (hereinafter called 10 of 1930. "the Principal Law").
- 2. The definition of the expression "Club" in section 2 Amendment of the Principal Law is hereby amended by the deletion of the of the word "educational".

Principal Law.

3. Section 5 of the Principal Law is hereby amended Amendment as follows:-

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- (a) By the deletion of sub-section (1) and by the Law. substitution therefor of the following sub-section:
 - "(1) The secretary of every club shall on or before the 1st June in every year or, in the case of a new club, at least one month before the date of opening, make application in the prescribed form to the Registrar for registration."
- (b) By the deletion in sub-section (2) of the words "a statement signed by him that there is kept upon the club premises a book containing the names and addresses of the club members, and a record of the latest payment of their subscription" and by the substitution therefor of the words "a list containing the names and addresses of the club members or prospective members as the case may be and the date of the last payment of their subscription, if any".
- 4. The following section is hereby inserted immediately Insertion of after section 5 of the Principal Law:-

"Power to registration.

5A. The Registrar shall refuse to register any Principal club which, in his opinion, is an unlawful association within the meaning of section 61 of the Cyprus Criminal Code, 1928 to 1932, or has been formed for any other unlawful purpose."

new section 5A in the

Amendment of section 6 of the Principal Law. 5. Section 6 of the Principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion after the word "registered" of the words "for a period expiring on the 30th June next following the date of registration".

Repeal of section 7 of the Principal Law and substitution of new section.

- 6. Section 7 of the Principal Law is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—
- "Power to strike off the register.
- 7. The Registrar may upon complaint being made to him in writing by a Police officer not below the rank of Inspector and after full enquiry, strike a club off the register on any of the following grounds:—
 - (a) that the club has ceased to exist, or that the number of members is less than twenty;
 - (b) that it is not conducted in good faith as a club;
 - (c) that it is an unlawful association within the meaning of section 61 of the Cyprus Criminal Code, 1928 to 1932, or that it is kept or habitually used for any other unlawful purpose;
 - (d) that there is frequent drunkenness on the club premises;
 - (e) that illegal sales of intoxicating liquor by retail have taken place on the club premises;
 - (f) that persons who are not members or guests of members are habitually admitted to the club premises."

New section 7A inserted in the Principal Law.

- 7. The Principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion therein of the following section immediately after section 7:—
- "Right of appeal to the Governor in Council.
- 7A. The secretary or committee of any club which the Registrar has refused to register or has struck off the register may within twenty-one days appeal to the Governor in Council whose decision thereon shall be final and conclusive,"

8. The Principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion Addition of the following section immediately therein of section 8:-

after new section to the Principal Law.

"Books of names and addresses of members and guests to be kept.

8a. There shall be kept upon the club premises:-

- (a) a book containing the names and addresses of the members of the club, and
- (b) a book containing the name and address of every person introduced as a guest to the club and the name of the member by whom he has been introduced."
- 9. Section 12 of the Principal Law and any Rules of Repeal of Court made thereunder are hereby repealed.

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10. All certificates of registration issued under the Saving. Principal Law before the enactment of this Law shall be valid for a period of three months only from the date of commencement of this Law and every club so registered shall make a fresh application for registration to the Registrar in the prescribed form within two months therefrom and the Registrar shall deal with it in the manner prescribed by this Law for the registration of a new club:

Provided that no further fee shall be payable by any such club in respect of the period ending the 30th June. 1933.

This Law came into operation on 10th February, 1933.