



# PARLIMEN MALAYSIA



## **BILL**

**Police ( Amendment ) 1960**

**D.R.18/1960**

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## A BILL

*intituled*

An Act to amend the Police Ordinance, 1952.

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BE IT ENACTED by the Duli Yang Maha Mulia Seri Paduka Baginda Yang di-Pertuan Agong with the advice and consent of the Dewan Negara and Dewan Ra'ayat in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Police (Amendment) Act, 1960. Short title.

2. Section 2 of the Police Ordinance, 1952 (hereinafter in this Act called "the principal Ordinance") is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the definition of "arms" appearing therein the following new definition: Amendment  
of section 2.  
14 of 1952.

"auxiliary police officer" means any person appointed to serve in the Auxiliary Police under Part VIIIA of this Ordinance;".

3. Part VI of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by inserting therein, immediately after section 40 thereof, the following new section: New  
section 40A.

"Curfew.

40A. (1) A Chief Police Officer may, if he considers it necessary in the interest of public security, by order require every person within such area of the State as may be prescribed in the order to remain within doors between such hours as may be specified therein, unless such person is in possession of a written permit in that behalf issued by—

(a) a Chief Police Officer;

(b) a police officer not below the rank of Sub-Inspector; or

(c) any public officer authorised in writing in that behalf by such Chief Police Officer.

(2) A Chief Police Officer making an order under sub-section (1) of this section shall cause notice thereof to be given in such manner as he may consider sufficient to bring it to the notice of all persons liable to be affected thereby.

(3) No order under this section shall remain in force for more than twenty-four hours from the making thereof:

Provided that the Minister may on or before the expiration of any such order direct that the order shall



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continue in force for such further period not exceeding fourteen days as he may specify and, upon the making of any such direction the order shall continue in force for such further period.

(4) Any order or direction under this section shall come into force on the day on which it is made, and shall then continue in force according to the provisions of this section."

New  
Part VIIIA.

4. The following new Part is inserted in the principal Ordinance immediately after Part VIII thereof:

"PART VIIIA  
AUXILIARY POLICE

Appoint-  
ment of  
auxiliary  
police  
officers.

69A. (1) The Chief Police Officer of any State, or any police officer authorised by him in that behalf, may, with or without written engagement, appoint or promote any person to serve in the Auxiliary Police as a subordinate auxiliary police officer with the honorary rank of sub-inspector, sergeant-major, sergeant or corporal or as an auxiliary police constable, and may prescribe the area in which he shall serve.

(2) The Commissioner of Police, with the concurrence of the Minister, may on behalf of the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, appoint or promote any person to serve in the Auxiliary Police as a gazetted auxiliary police officer with the honorary rank of superintendent, deputy superintendent or assistant superintendent, or as a superior auxiliary police officer with the honorary rank of inspector, and may prescribe the area in which he shall serve.

Regula-  
tions.

69B. (1) Police Regulations may provide for all or any of the following matters—

- (a) the appointment of and the oath or declaration to be taken by auxiliary police officers;
- (b) the terms of engagement, powers and privileges of auxiliary police officers;
- (c) the uniforms and equipment of, the arms to be carried by and the training and discipline of auxiliary police officers;
- (d) the duties, responsibilities and powers of auxiliary police officers;
- (e) any other matter necessary or expedient for carrying out the purposes of this Part.

(2) Rules may provide for the pensions, allowances and gratuities which shall be payable to auxiliary police officers injured in the discharge of their duties under

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this Ordinance, or to the personal representative, widow or children of an auxiliary police officer who dies as a result of injuries received in the discharge of his duties under this Ordinance.

(3) The provisions of section 73 of this Ordinance shall apply to pensions, allowances and gratuities payable to auxiliary police officers.”

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The above Bill is designed to amend the Police Ordinance, 1952, in order—

- (a) to provide for the appointment, conditions of service, etc., of auxiliary police officers (*clauses 2 and 4*);
- (b) to provide a power of curfew (*clause 3*).

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