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FRIDAY, 14 FEBRUARY, 1930.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 20th day of *January*, 1930.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS, by an Order in Council bearing date the first day of November, 1928, and known as the West African Court of Appeal Order in Council 1928, as amended by a further Order in Council bearing even date with this Order, provision has been made for the establishment of a Court called the West African Court of Appeal for the hearing and determining of appeals from the Colonies of the Gold Coast, Sierra Leone, and the Gambia, the Protectorates of Sierra Leone and the Gambia, the Northern Territories of the Gold Coast, and the British Sphere of Togoland:

And whereas, it is expedient that further provision should be made for regulating appeals from the West African Court of Appeal to His Majesty in Council:

It is hereby ordered by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of all the powers in that behalf in His Majesty vested, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, as follows:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the West African (Appeal to Privy Council) Order in Council, 1930."

(2) On the commencement of this Order, the Order in Council bearing date the second day of March 1909 (regulating appeals from the Supreme Court of the Gold Coast Colony to

His Majesty in Council), and the Orders in Council bearing date respectively the fifteenth day of February 1909, and the sixteenth day of December 1912 (regulating appeals from the Supreme Court of the Colony of Sierra Leone or the Circuit Court of the Protectorate of Sierra Leone to His Majesty in Council) shall be and the same are hereby revoked and repealed without prejudice to anything lawfully done thereunder or to the continuation and conclusion thereunder of any appeal to His Majesty in Council pending at the commencement of this Order.

2. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires:—

"Appeal" means Appeal to His Majesty in Council;

"His Majesty" includes His Majesty's heirs and successors;

"Judgment" includes decree, order, sentence, or decision;

"Court" means either the full Court or one or more Judges of the West African Court of Appeal, according as the matter is one which under the hereinbefore recited Orders in Council or under the Rules and Practice of the said Court, or under Article 7 of this Order, properly appertains to a full Court or to one or more Judges.

"Said Territories" means the Colonies and other Territories in West Africa mentioned in the preamble to this Order.

"Record" means the aggregate of papers relating to an Appeal (including the plead-