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LOK SABHA

The following Bills were introduced in Lok Sabha on the 23rd April, 1984:—

BILL NO. 36 OF 1984

A Bill to amend the National Security Act, 1980, in its application to the State of Punjab and the Union territory of Chandigarh.

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Thirty-fifth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the National Security (Amendment) Act, 1984.

Short
title and
commence-
ment.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 5th day of April, 1984.

2. The National Security Act, 1980 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) shall, in its application to the State of Punjab and the Union territory of Chandigarh, have effect subject to the amendments specified in sections 3 to 5.

Amend-
ment of
Act
65 of 1980
in its appli-
cation to
Punjab and
Chandi-
garh.

Amend-
ment of
section 3.

3. In sub-section (4) of section 3 of the principal Act, in the proviso,—

(a) for the words “ten days”, the words “fifteen days” shall be substituted;

(b) for the words “fifteen days”, the words “twenty days” shall be substituted.

Amend-
ment of
section 8.

4. In section 8 of the principal Act, in sub-section (1), for the words “ten days”, the words “fifteen days” shall be substituted.

Insertion
of new
section
14A.

5. In the principal Act, after section 14, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

Circum-
stances in
which per-
sons may
be detained
for periods
longer
than three
months
without
obtaining
the
opinion
of Advisory
Boards.

‘14A. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing provisions of this Act, any person in respect of whom an order of detention has been made under this Act at any time before the 3rd day of April, 1985 may be detained without obtaining the opinion of the Advisory Board for a period longer than three months, but not exceeding six months, from the date of his detention where such person had been detained with a view to preventing him from acting, in any disturbed area, in any manner prejudicial to—

(a) the defence of India; or

(b) the security of India; or

(c) the security of the State; or

(d) the maintenance of public order; or

(e) the maintenance of supplies and services essential to the community.

Explanation 1.—The provisions of the *Explanation* to sub-section (2) of section 3 shall apply for the purposes of this sub-section as they apply for the purposes of that sub-section.

Explanation 2.—In this sub-section, “disturbed area” means any area which is for the time being declared by notification under section 3 of the Punjab Disturbed Areas Act, 1983, or under section 3 of the Chandigarh Disturbed Areas Act, 1983, to be a disturbed area.

32 of 1983.
33 of 1983

(2) In the case of any person to whom sub-section (1) applies, sections 10 to 13 shall have effect subject to the following modifications, namely:—

(a) in section 10, for the words “shall, within three weeks”, the words “shall, within four months and two weeks” shall be substituted;

(b) in section 11,—

(i) in sub-section (1), for the words “seven weeks”, the words “five months and three weeks” shall be substituted;

(ii) in sub-section (2), for the words "detention of the person concerned", the words "continued detention of the person concerned" shall be substituted;

(c) in section 12, for the words "for the detention", at both the places where they occur, the words "for the continued detention" shall be substituted;

(d) in section 13, for the words "twelve months", the words "two years" shall be substituted.

5 of 1984.

6. (1) The National Security (Amendment) Ordinance, 1984, is hereby repealed.

Repeal
and
saving.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the principal Act, as amended by the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the principal Act, as amended by this Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The activities of the extremist and terrorist elements in the "disturbed areas" of Punjab and Chandigarh have been a matter of serious concern. These persons have been indulging in violent activities and terrorist methods, including threats to persons involved in the investigation and prosecution of cases. To enable the Administration to deal effectively with such elements in these "disturbed areas", and to enable them to take preventive action, the President promulgated on the 5th April, 1984, the National Security (Amendment) Ordinance, 1984 (5 of 1984).

2. The Ordinance amended the National Security Act, 1980 in its application to the State of Punjab and the Union territory of Chandigarh—

(a) to increase from ten days to fifteen days the maximum period within which grounds of detention may in exceptional circumstances be communicated to the detenu,

(b) to provide in certain cases for detention of persons without obtaining the opinion of the Advisory Board for a period of more than three months but not exceeding six months from the date of their detention and to provide also in such cases for a longer maximum period of detention, and

(c) to make the necessary consequential amendments in the Act.

3. The Bill seeks to replace the above Ordinance.

NEW DELHI;
The 12th April, 1984.

P. C. SETHI.

BILL NO. 37 OF 1984

A Bill further to amend the Punjab Commercial Crops Cess Act, 1974.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Thirty-fifth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Punjab Commercial Crops Cess (Amendment) Act, 1984. Short title.

2. In the Punjab Commercial Crops Cess Act, 1974, in section 3, in sub-section (1), for the figures "1983-84", the figures "1988-89" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 3 of Punjab Act 14 of 1974.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Commercial Crops Cess Act, 1974, imposing a Cess on Crops of Chillies, Cotton, Mustard Seeds, Potatoes, Rape (Sharshaf, Taramira, Toria), Sugarcane, Tomatoes, Orchards and Vine-yards, at the rate of Rs. 6 per acre on irrigated lands and Rs. 3 on unirrigated lands, was enacted for five years from Kharif Crop of Agricultural year 1974-75 to Rabi 1978-79, in order to meet the expenditure on the Fifth Five Year Plan. With a view to meet the financial need of the State Government during the Sixth Five Year Plan the Act was continued for another five years from Kharif Crop of Agricultural Year 1978-79, to Rabi 1983-84. The existing term will expire after Rabi 1983-84. Keeping in view the tight financial position of the State, it has been considered desirable that the Act may be continued for a further period of five years, namely from Kharif Crop of Agricultural year 1984-85 to Rabi Crop of 1988-89. Hence this Bill.

NEW DELHI;
The 11th April, 1984.

RAO BIRENDRA SINGH.

SUBHASH C. KASHYAP,
Secretary-General.