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MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1962  
(1962, No. 30)

Merchant Shipping (Jurisdiction of Magistrates' Courts) Order, 1964

Commencement : 2nd April, 1964

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 401 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1962 and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consultation with the Attorney-General of the Federation and Minister of Justice, I hereby make the following Order—

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Jurisdiction of Magistrates' Courts) Order, 1964 and shall apply throughout the Federation.

Citation and application.

2. A magistrates' court shall have power to try any offence created by the various sections of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1962 set out in the Schedule to this Order.

Jurisdiction of Magistrates' Court.

3. The jurisdiction conferred by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation of any jurisdiction or power otherwise conferred upon such a magistrates' court.

Saving of other jurisdiction.

SCHEDULE

Sections :	12,	15,	30,	35,	103,	107-110,	117,	119,
	126,	127,	130,	133-135,	147,	148,	155,	157,
	158,	172,	179,	185,	190,	209,	233,	242,
	247,	254,	257,	258,	266,	282,	292,	314,
	332,	359,	360,	361,	363,	364,	405 and 420.	

MADE at Lagos this 13th day of February, 1964.

R. A. NJOKU,  
Federal Minister of Transport

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The effect of this Order is to confer upon Magistrates' Courts such additional powers as may be necessary to enable them to try certain offences created by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1962.