

**THE OATHS ACT (AMENDMENT AND RESTRICTED
APPLICATION) DECREE 1967**



Decree No. 37

[2nd August 1967]

Commence-
ment.

THE FEDERAL MILITARY GOVERNMENT hereby decrees as follows:—

1.—(1) The Oaths Act 1963 is amended to the extent set out in the Schedule hereto, and so amended, shall in so far as it provides for matters in respect of which provision is made in the Oaths Edict 1967 of Lagos State cease to apply to the Lagos State.

Application
of Oaths Act
to Lagos
State
restricted.
1963 No. 23.

(2) Accordingly, any provision in any law having effect in Lagos State (other than any law which relates to matters within the Exclusive or Concurrent Legislative Lists) requiring the taking of any oath shall be construed as requiring the taking of that oath in accordance with the provisions of the said Oaths Edict 1967.

2. This Decree may be cited as the Oaths Act (Amendment and Restricted Application) Decree 1967 and shall apply throughout the Federation.

Citation and
extent.

SCHEDULE

Amendments to Oaths Act 1963

Section 1 (1).

Section 3 (3)

For the word "same" there shall be substituted the word "second".

Section 10

In subsection (1) delete the words "this Act in the Federal territory or, as the case may be, of".

Delete subsection (3).

Section 16 (1)

Delete the words "to the extent of the legislative power of Parliament and no further" and substitute the words "in so far as other provision to the contrary is not made by any state acting within the scope of its legislative authority".

MADE at Lagos this 2nd day of August 1967.

MAJOR-GENERAL Y. GOWON,
*Head of the Federal Military Government,
Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces,
Federal Republic of Nigeria*

**THE INTERIM ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCILS (AMENDMENT)
(NO. 2) DECREE 1967**



Decree No. 38

[See section 2 (2)]

Commence-
ment.

THE FEDERAL MILITARY GOVERNMENT hereby decrees as follows :—

1. In section 3 (2) of the Interim Administrative Councils (Amendment) Decree 1967 (which prohibits appointment of judges by an interim administrative council) there shall be added after the words "High Court" at the end of the subsection the words " , or as the case may be, of the Sharia Court of Appeal".

Restriction
on power of
Interim
Council to
appoint
judges of
Sharia Court
of Appeal.

2.—(1) This Decree may be cited as the Interim Administrative Councils (Amendment) (No. 2) Decree 1967 and shall apply throughout Nigeria.

Citation,
application
and
commence-
ment.

(2) This Decree shall be deemed to have come into force on 31st May 1967.

MADE at Lagos this 2nd day of August 1967.

MAJOR-GENERAL Y. GOWON,
*Head of the Federal Military Government,
Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces,
Federal Republic of Nigeria*