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ACT No. XXIII OF 1946

[PASSED BY THE INDIAN LEGISLATIVE]

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 16th November, 1946)

An Act further to amend the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934

11 of 1934 **W**HEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the purposes hereinafter appearing ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Reserve Bank of India (Amendment) Act, 1946.

2. Section 31 of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, shall be renumbered as sub-section (1) of that section and to the section as so renumbered the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

XXVI of 1931 “(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, no person in ~~British~~ ^[the Provinces] India other than the Bank or, as expressly authorised by this Act, the Central Government shall make or issue any promissory note expressed to be payable to the bearer of the instrument.”

3. The Bearer Promissory Notes (Prohibition of Issue) Ordinance, 1946, is hereby repealed. XVII of 1946

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