**CRIM][NAL CODE,1960 (ACT 29)**

**(AS AT JANUARY 1997)**

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**Allowing houses etc. in town to be used for drumming.**

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or refuses to prod uce his licence he shall i n addition to any other penalty be liable to a fine not exceed ing two hundred thousand cedis.

1. (1) Every occupier of any house, building, yard, or other place situate

in any town, who, without a licence in writing from the Minister for a local authority permits any persons to assemble and beat or play or dance therein to

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any drum, gong, tom-tom, or other similar instrument of music, shall be liable

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* 1. A constable may enter any such house, building, yard or other

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place where any persons may be so assembled, and warn them to depart and

seize and carry away all such drums, gongs, tom-toms, or other instruments, which shall be forfeited.

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**Drnmming etc.,near**

**Court during sitting.**

**Drumm ing with intent to challenge** or **insult.**

**Throwing rnbbish in street.**

* 1. Whoever, after being so warned, does not depart forthwith (except the persons actually dwelling in the house or building), may be apprehended, without warrant, by any constable or person acting in his aid, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten thousand cedis.

1. Whoever duri ng the sitting of a Court, and after being warned by a constable or officer of the Court to desist, beats or plays any drum, gong, tom­ tom, or other instrument, or makes any loud noise of any kind within a radius of three hundred yards from the place where such sitting is held, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding forty thousa nd cedis.
2. Whoever beats a drum with intent to challenge or provoke any other person to commit a breach of the peace, or with intent to ins ult or annoy any other person, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred tho usand cedis.

*Nuisances and Obstructions in Streets, and the like*

1. Whoever does any of the following acts shall be liable to a fine not exceed ing two hundred thousand cedis, namely -

in any town places, or causes or permits to be placed, any

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carrion, filth, dirt, refuse, or rubbish, or any offensive or otherwise unwholesome matter, on any street, yard, enclosure, or open space, except at such places as may be set apart by the local authority or the health officer for that purpose; or

I **Nuisances.** (2) i n any town commits a nuisance in any public place or

I open space, or in any place being an appurtenance of or

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adjoi ni ng a d wel l ing-house; or

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