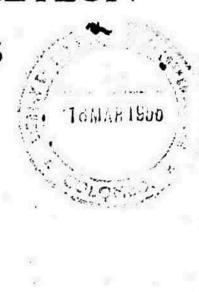
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BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Representatives of Ceylon in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Bills of Exchange sho (Amendment) Act, No. 5 of 1955.

Short title.

2. The Bills of Exchange Ordinance is hereby amended, in Part III thereof, by the insertion, immediately after section 83, of the following new section which shall have effect as section 83A of that Ordinance:—

Insertion of new section 83A in Chapter 68.

Application of sections 76 to 82 to drafts drawn by a bank on itself. 83A. Sections 76 to 82, both inclusive, of this Ordinance shall apply to a banker's draft as if that draft were a cheque.

For the purposes of this section, the expression "banker's draft" means a draft payable on demand drawn by or on behalf of a bank upon itself, whether payable at the head office or some other office of the bank.