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AN ACT TO AMEND THE COURTS ORDINANCE.

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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 Courts (Amendment) Act, No. 10 of 1953.

Short title.

2. The Fifth Schedule to the Courts Ordinance (inserted by Ordinance No. 34 of 1947) is hereby amended in rule 3 as follows:—

Amendment of the Fifth Schedule to Chapter 6.

- (1) by the omission of paragraph (1);
- (2) by the re-numbering of paragraphs (2) and (3) thereof as paragraphs (1) and (2) respectively; and
- (3) by the substitution, for re-numbered paragraph (1), of the following paragraph:—
 - "(1) The provisions of paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of section 7, section 9, subsections (2) and (3) of section 10, and sections 11, 13, 14, 18 and 19 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, No. 17 of 1948, shall apply in the case of any inquiry by a Disciplinary Committee in like manner as they apply in relation to an inquiry by a Commission referred to in that Act; and accordingly the Committee shall have and may exercise all the powers conferred on a Commission by the aforesaid provisions."