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AN ACT TO AMEND THE KANDYAN MARRIAGE AND
DIVORCE ACT, No. 44 OF 1952.

[Date of Assent: July 8, 1954.]

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 Kandyan Marriage and Divorce (Amendment) Act, No. 34 of 1954.

Short title.

2. Section 1 of the Kandyan Marriage and Divorce Act, No. 44 of 1952, (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Act"), is hereby amended by the substitution, for all the words from "and shall come" to the end of that section, of the following :—

Amendment of
section 1 of
Act No. 44 of
1952.

"and the provisions of this Act, other than section 47, shall come into operation on such date (hereinafter referred to as "the appointed date") as the Minister may appoint by Order published in the *Gazette*, and section 47 shall come into operation when this Act becomes an Act of Parliament."

3. Section 47 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the addition, at the end thereof, of the following sub-section :—

Amendment of
section 47 of
the principal
Act.

"(4) Rules may be made by the Minister and approved by the Senate and the House of Representatives, and notification of such approval may be published, under this section before the appointed date, but where any rules are so made and approved and notification of such approval is so published, those rules shall not come into force until the appointed date."