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AN ACT TO AMEND THE HOLIDAYS 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 Holidays (Amendment) Act, No. 39 of 1956.

Short title.

2. The First Schedule to the Holidays Ordinance, as amended by Act, No. 40 of 1951, is hereby amended as follows:—

Amendment of  
the First  
Schedule to  
Chapter 135.

- (1) by the substitution, for the words and figure "January 1 and the day following.", of the word and figure "January 1.";
- (2) by the substitution, for the words "The Sinhalese and Tamil New Year's Day and the four days following.", of the words "The Sinhalese and Tamil New Year's Day and the three days following.";
- (3) by the substitution, for the word and figure "July 1", of the word and figures "June 30"; and
- (4) by the addition, at the end of that Schedule, of the following:—  
"The day following Christmas Day.  
December 31."