

COMPOUNDING OFFENCES.⁽¹⁾

4 OF 1901.

TO ENABLE COMMISSIONERS OF DISTRICTS TO COMPOUND CERTAIN
OFFENCES.

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1. This Law may be cited as the Compounding of Offences Law, Short title.
1901.

2. When any person is reasonably suspected of having committed any of the following offences:

Power to
Commis-
sioners to
compound
certain
offences.

(a.) The offence of having gathered olives before the date fixed by the Commissioner of the District for the gathering thereof contrary to section 3 of The Olives Law, 1899;

(b.) The offence of having gathered carobs before the date fixed by the Commissioner of the District for the gathering thereof contrary to section 37 of the Field Watchmen Law, 1896;⁽²⁾

(c.) Any offence under the Roads Protection Law, 1885;

(d.) Any offence under the Village Roads Law, 1900;

83 of the Police
Law of 1878.

the Commissioner of the District may compound the offence by accepting from him a payment in money not exceeding the maximum penalty by law provided for the offence.

See Law
25 of 1926

3. On receipt of the money the Commissioner shall give an acknowledgment under his hand, showing the amount received, the particulars of the offence compounded, and the person in respect of whose offence the composition has been made.

Commissioner
to give
acknow-
ledgment.

4. After the giving of the acknowledgment by the Commissioner of the District no proceedings shall be taken against the person whose offence has been so compounded in respect of that offence; and the production of the acknowledgment before any Court of Justice shall be sufficient evidence that the offence has been compounded under this Law.

No pro-
ceedings after
acknow-
ledgment.

CONFISCATION OF LAND, *see* IMMOVABLE PROPERTY AND
LAND.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES, *see* ANIMALS, AND PUBLIC HEALTH.

CONVICTS, *see* PRISONS AND PRISONERS.

⁽¹⁾ And *see* pp. 253, 278, 400, 406.

⁽²⁾ Repealed by 16 of 1923.