

Power to Committee or council to recover costs of audit from defaulting member thereof in certain circumstances.

16. Where any committee or council has under any of the provisions of this Law defrayed from the funds of any church, monastery or independent monastery the fee of any auditor and the expenses of, and incidental to,—

- (a) any investigation of the affairs, or
- (b) any audit of the accounts, or
- (c) any investigation of the affairs and audit of the accounts,

of such church, monastery or independent monastery, the committee or council concerned shall be entitled to recover the amount so defrayed, with costs, by civil proceedings instituted before a competent Court from the member or members of the committee or council who may be shown by the report of the auditor to have been in default.

Penalty for false representation or statement in auditor's report.

17. If any auditor in any report required by and submitted under the provisions of this Law wilfully makes a representation or statement false in any material particular knowing the same to be false, he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to imprisonment for six months or to a fine of fifty pounds or to both.

No. 26 OF 1937.

A LAW TO AMEND THE DISTRICT COUNCILS  
(MEJLISSES IDARE) LAW, 1936.

H. R. PALMER,]  
*Governor.*

[30th September, 1937.

BE it enacted:—

Short title.

1. This Law may be cited as the District Councils (Mejlisses Idaré) Amendment Law, 1937, and shall be read as one with the District Councils (Mejlisses Idaré) Law, 1936, (hereinafter called "the Principal Law"), and the Principal Law and this Law may together be cited as the District Councils (Mejlisses Idaré) Laws, 1936 and 1937.

43 of 1936.

Amendment of section 2 of Law 43 of 1936.

2. Section 2 of the Principal Law is hereby amended by the deletion of paragraph (c) from sub-section (1) thereof and by the substitution therefor of the following paragraph:—