

The Land Dues (Rounding off to Decimal Coins) Ordinance, 1961 (East Pakistan Ordinance)

(Ordinance NO. XVII OF 1961)

An Ordinance to round off certain land dues to convenient decimal coins. ¹♣

WHEREAS it is necessary to round off arrears of certain land dues as well as future demands on account of such land dues in a manner that payment thereof may be conveniently made in terms of decimal coinage;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the Presidential Proclamation of the seventh day of October, 1958, and having received the previous instructions of the President, the Governor of East Pakistan is pleased, in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf, to make and promulgate the following Ordinance, namely:-

**Short title,
extent and
commencement**

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the ²[* * *] Land Dues (Rounding off to Decimal Coins) Ordinance, 1961.

(2) It extends to the whole of Bangladesh.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

[Omitted]

2. [Definitions.- Omitted by section 3 and the Second Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision And Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).]

**Mode of
conversion
of land
dues
expressed
in old coins
into new
coins**

3. All sums payable to the Government as land revenue, rent or fee on account of use and occupation of land, or as premium or selami on account of settlement of land, or as interest or damages on arrears of such land revenue, rent, fee, premium or selami, and all amounts payable to the Bangladesh as costs of any legal proceeding for recovery of such sums, under any law for the time being in force or any contract or any order, declaration or decree of a Court which were outstanding and unpaid at the