

# The Foodgrains Supply (Prevention of Prejudicial Activity) Ordinance, 1979

( Ordinance NO. XXVI OF 1979 )

**An Ordinance to provide for special measures for prevention of prejudicial activity relating to the storage, movement, transshipment, supply and distribution of foodgrains.**

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for special measures for prevention of prejudicial activity relating to the storage, movement, transshipment, supply and distribution of foodgrains;

AND WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render immediate action necessary;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 93 of the Constitution of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, the President is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:-

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| <b>Short title</b>                          | 1. This Ordinance may be called the Foodgrains Supply (Prevention of Prejudicial Activity) Ordinance, 1979.  |
| <b>Ordinance to override all other laws</b> | 2. This Ordinance shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in the Industrial Relations Ordinance, 1969 (XXIII of 1969), or in any other law for the time being in force.   |
| <b>Offences</b>                             | 3. (1) A person shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine which may extend to taka five thousand, or with both, if he engages in any activity prejudicial to the storage, movement, transshipment, supply and distribution of foodgrains.<br><br>(2) A person shall be deemed to have engaged in an activity prejudicial to the storage, movement, transshipment, supply and distribution of foodgrains, if he- |