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**An Ordinance to control vagrancy and to provide for the repatriation to their own chiefdoms of natives convicted before certain Courts in the Protectorate.** 17 of 1934.

[7TH DECEMBER, 1934.]

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Protectorate Vagrancy Ordinance, and shall apply to the Protectorate. Short title.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—  
“Native Court” means a Court of a Native Chief as constituted by the Native Courts Ordinance. Interpretation.  
Cap. 8.

3. Any native belonging by native law or custom to one chiefdom who remains in any part of another chiefdom without regular employment for more than twenty-one days and without any members of the chiefdom in which he is then resident being willing to answer for him in accordance with native law or custom, or who fails to give a satisfactory account of his means of subsistence, shall be deemed an idle and disorderly person and shall be liable on summary conviction by a Native Court to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one month. Native continuously unemployed deemed a vagrant.