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PART III—Acts of the West Bengal Legislature.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

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NOTIFICATION

No. 1873-L.—29th July, 1997.—The following Act of the West Bengal Legislature, having been assented to by the Governor, is hereby published for general information:—

## West Bengal Act XIV of 1997

THE WEST BENGAL MINORITIES' COMMISSION  
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 1997.

[Passed by the West Bengal Legislature.]

[Assent of the Governor was first published in the *Calcutta Gazette, Extraordinary*, of the 29th July, 1997.]

*An Act to amend the West Bengal Minorities' Commission Act, 1996.*

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the West Bengal Minorities' Commission Act, 1996, for the purpose and in the manner hereinafter appearing;

West Ben.  
Act XVI of 1996.

It is hereby enacted in the Forty-eighth Year of the Republic of India, by the Legislature of West Bengal, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the West Bengal Minorities' Commission (Amendment) Act, 1997.

(2) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint.

2. In sub-section (2) of section 3 of the West Bengal Minorities' Commission Act, 1996,—

(1) in clause (f), for the words "not exceeding five," the words "not exceeding nine," shall be substituted;

Short title and commencement.

Amendment of section 3 of West Ben. Act XVI of 1996.