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I ASSENT,

(State Seal)

RAJA YUSSUF,
Sultan of Perak

14th August, 1961.

An Enactment to adopt the provisions of the Guardianship of Infants Act, 1961, to persons professing the Muslim religion within the State.

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WHEREAS Parliament has pursuant to paragraph (b) of Clause (1) of Article 76 of the Federal Constitution made a law with respect to guardianship of infants for the purpose of promoting uniformity of the laws of two or more States and applying, *inter alia*, to persons professing the Muslim religion:

AND WHEREAS such law shall not, pursuant to Clause (3) of the said Article 76, come into operation in the State until it has been adopted by a law made by the Legislature of the State:

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ENACTED by the Legislature of the State of Perak as follows:

1. This Enactment may be cited as the Guardianship of Infants (Adoption) Enactment, 1961. Short title.

2. The Guardianship of Infants Act, 1961, is hereby adopted by this Enactment and applied to persons professing the Muslim religion: Adoption of Guardianship of Infants Act, 1961.

Provided that:

(a) nothing in the said Act which is contrary to the Muslim religion or the custom of the Malays shall apply to any person under the age of eighteen years who professes the Muslim religion and whose father professes or professed at the date of his death that religion or, in the case of an illegitimate child, whose mother so professes or professed that religion; and

(b) in the case of any other person, the provisions of the said Act, so far as they are contrary to the Muslim religion, shall cease to apply to such person upon his professing the Muslim religion

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if at the date of such professing he has completed his age of eighteen years or, if not having completed such age, he professes the Muslim religion with the consent of the person who under this Act is the guardian of the person of the infant.

Passed this 7th day of July, 1961.

[S.U. Pk. (C) 6601/56; P.S.U.K. Pk. (C) 4535/61.]

OSMAN BIN MOHD. SHAM,
Clerk of the Assembly, Perak