



**The Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals)  
(Amendment) Act, 1981**

Act 12 of 1981

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*Dated Lucknow, May 28, 1981*

IN pursuance of the provisions of clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of the Uttar Pradesh Uchcha Nyayalaya (Letters Patent Appeal Samapti) (Sanshodhan) Adhiniyam, 1981 (Uttar Pradesh Adhiniyam Sankhya 12 of 1981), as passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature and assented to by the President on May 12, 1981:

**THE UTTAR PRADESH HIGH COURT (ABOLITION OF LETTERS  
PATENT APPEALS) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1981**

(U. P. ACT NO. 12 OF 1981)

*(As passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature)*

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**ACT**

*further to amend the Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals) Act, 1962*

IT IS HEREBY enacted in the Thirty-Second Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals) (Amendment) Act, 1981.

2. For section 5 of the Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals) Act, 1962, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

Substitution of section 5 of U.P. Act 14 of 1962.

Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals in certain other cases.

“5. (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in clause 10 of the Letters Patent of Her Majesty, dated March 17, 1866 read with clauses 7 and 17 of the U. P. High Courts (Amalgamation) Order, 1948, or in any other law, no appeal arising from an application or proceeding, instituted or commenced whether prior or subsequent to the commencement of the Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals) (Amendment) Act, 1981, shall lie to the High Court from a judgment or order of one judge of the High Court, made in the exercise of jurisdiction conferred by Article 226 or Article 227 of the Constitution, in respect of any judgment, order or award —

(a) of a tribunal, court or statutory arbitrator made or purported to be made in the exercise or purported exercise of jurisdiction under any Uttar Pradesh Act or under any Central Act, with respect to any of the matters enumerated in the State List or the Concurrent List in the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution, or

(b) of the Government or any officer or authority, made or purported to be made in the exercise or purported exercise of appellate or revisional jurisdiction under any such Act.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), all appeals of the nature referred to in that sub-section pending before the High Court immediately before the commencement of the Uttar Pradesh High Court (Abolition of Letters Patent Appeals) (Amendment) Act, 1981, shall be heard and disposed of as if that sub-section had not been enacted.”

By order,  
G. B. SINGH,  
Sachiv.