



The Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945

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**THE GREATER BOMBAY LAWS AND THE BOMBAY HIGH COURT  
(DECLARATION OF LIMITS) ACT, 1945.**

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† BOMBAY ACT No. XVII OF 1945.<sup>1</sup>

[THE GREATER BOMBAY LAWS AND THE BOMBAY HIGH COURT (DECLARATION OF LIMITS) ACT, 1945.]

[15th August 1945]

Amended by Bom. 52 of 1947.

“ “ “ 8 of 1950.\*

Adapted and modified by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950.

Amended by Bom. 57 of 1956.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend the limits of the City of Bombay by including therein some portion of the Bombay Suburban District ; AND WHEREAS it is necessary to constitute the whole of the said area into an area hereinafter called the Greater Bombay ;

AND WHEREAS clause 11 of the Letters Patent of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay dated the 28th December 1865 provides that the said High Court shall have and exercise ordinary original civil jurisdiction within such local limits as may from time to time be declared and prescribed by any law made by the Governor of Bombay in Council ; AND WHEREAS under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1935, the Provincial Legislature of Bombay is competent to declare and prescribe the local limits of such jurisdiction ;

AND WHEREAS the Governor of Bombay has assumed to himself under the Proclamation dated the 4th November 1939 issued by him under section 93 of the Government of India Act, 1935, the powers vested by or under the said Act in the Provincial Legislature ;

<sup>1</sup> This Act was repealed and re-enacted except section 9 and Schedule E by Bom. 52 of 1947, s. 2. For the Statement, see *Bombay Government Gazette*, 1945, Pt. V, page 147.

\* Section 7 of Bom. 8 of 1950 reads as under :—

7. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing provisions of this Act and the inclusion Pending of the areas specified in Part III of Schedule A to the said Act in Greater Bombay but save as proceedings expressly provided by the provisions of the Bombay Municipal (Extension of Limits) Act, 1950—

(1) all proceedings pending immediately before the date on which this Act comes into force in any civil or criminal court, or before any tribunal, public authority, or officer, shall be continued in that court, or before that tribunal, authority or officer as if this Act had not been passed and that court, tribunal, officer or authority shall have for the purposes of the said proceedings, all jurisdiction and powers which it or he had immediately before the day on which this Act comes into force ;

(2) an appeal or application for revision in respect of any proceedings so pending in any court, or before any tribunal, authority or officer shall be to the court, tribunal, officer or authority which would have appellate or revisional jurisdiction, as the case may be, and that court, tribunal, authority or officer, shall entertain and dispose of the appeal or application as if the proceedings were instituted in that court or before that tribunal, authority or officer before the day on which this Act comes into force ;

(3) all applications for the execution or enforcement of a decree or order of any court, tribunal, authority or officer passed immediately before the day on which this Act comes into force and all other applications arising out of such decree or order shall be made to and disposed of by such court, tribunal, authority or officer, as if this Act had not been passed ;

Provided that if in consequence of this Act, any such court, tribunal, authority or officer has been superseded or has ceased to exist, such proceeding or any appeal or revisional application or any other applications in such proceeding shall lie to or be disposed of by such authority as the State Government directs.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the said powers, the Governor of Bombay is pleased to make the following Act :—

Short title  
and com-  
mencement

1. (1) This Act may be called the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945.

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

Definitions.

2. In this Act,—

(1) " City of Bombay " means the area within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court immediately before the commencement of this Act ;

(2) " Greater Bombay " means the areas for the time being specified in Schedule A ;

(3) " High Court " means the High Court of Judicature at Bombay ;

(4) " Letters Patent " means the Letters Patent of the High Court dated the 28th December 1865 ;

(5) " Schedule " means a Schedule appended to this Act.

Extension of  
enactments  
to Greater  
Bombay.

3. (1) Such provisions, or such parts of the provisions,—

(a) of any enactment relating to any of the matters enumerated in Lists II and III in the Seventh Schedule to <sup>2</sup>[the Constitution, made by any authority in India, or]

(b) of any notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law issued, made or prescribed under any enactment of the class referred to in clause (a),

as were in force immediately before the commencement of this Act in the area comprised in the City of Bombay (in whatever manner described, whether a City of Bombay, Town of Bombay, Town and Island of Bombay, Islands of Bombay and Kolaba, Presidency-town, Presidency-town of Bombay, Collectorate of Bombay or otherwise) but not in the other areas comprised in Greater Bombay are hereby declared to be in force in all the areas comprised in Greater Bombay, and all references to the said City, in whatever manner described, in the said provisions of the enactments, notifications, orders, schemes, rules, forms and by-laws shall be deemed to be references to Greater Bombay.

(2) Nothing in sub-section (1) shall—

(a) apply to any provisions made by or under the enactments specified in Schedule B and Schedule C ;

(b) affect the right of any competent authority to repeal, amend or cancel any enactment, notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law referred to in sub-section (1).

<sup>1</sup> This word was substituted for the word " Provincial " by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950.

<sup>2</sup> These words were substituted for the words and figures " the Government of India Act, 1935, made by any authority in British India, or " by Bom. 57 of 1956, s. 2.

[3A. (1) Such provisions, or such parts of the provisions,—

(a) of any enactment relating to any of the matters enumerated in Lists II and III in the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution, or

(b) of any notification, order, scheme, rule, form or bye-law issued, made or prescribed under any enactment of the class referred to in clause (a),

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as were in force immediately before the date of the commencement of the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) (Amendment) Act, 1956, in the area comprised in Greater Bombay before that date, are hereby declared to be in force in all the areas comprised in Part IV of Schedule A on and after that date ; and accordingly all references on or after that date to Greater Bombay in the said provisions of the enactments, notifications, orders, schemes, rules, forms and bye-laws shall be deemed to be references to the areas comprised in Part IV of Schedule A after that date.

(2) Nothing in sub-section (1) shall—

(a) apply to any provisions made by or under the enactments specified in Schedules B and C,

(b) affect the right of any competent authority to repeal, amend or cancel any enactment , notification, order, scheme, rule, form or bye-law referred to<sup>7</sup> in sub-section (1).]

4. (1) The enactments mentioned in Schedule D and all notifications, orders, schemes, rules, forms and by-laws made, issued or prescribed thereunder shall cease to apply to, or to be in force in the areas specified in <sup>2</sup>[Parts II, III and IV]] of Schedule A.

Certain enactments not to be in force in the added areas.

1 Section 3A was inserted by Bom. 57 of 1956, s. 3.

2 These words and figures were substituted for the word and figure " Part II " by Bom. 8 of 1950 s. 2.

3 These words and figures were substituted for the words and figures " Parts II and III " by Bom. 57 of 1956, s. 4.

(2) Nothing in sub-section (1) shall affect—

(a) the right of any competent authority to direct that any enactment, notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law referred to in the said sub-section shall apply to or be in force in the areas referred to in the said sub-section or to make, issue or prescribe any notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law under any such enactment ; or

(b) the operation of any such enactment, notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law before the commencement of this Act ; or

(c) any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred under any such enactment, notification, order, scheme, rule, form or by-law before the commencement of this Act.

Bom. V of 1879. **14A.** Notwithstanding anything contained in the Bombay Land Revenue Code, 1879, and in any order or notification made or issued thereunder— Alteration of limits of certain villages.

Bom. VIII of 1950.

(a) the lands specified in Part I of Schedule E shall, on and from the date of the coming into force of the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) (Amendment) Act, 1950, be excluded from the limits of the village of Majas in the Bombay Suburban District and shall be included in and form part of the village of Goregaon ;

(b) the lands specified in Part II of the said Schedule shall, on and from the said date, be excluded from the limits of the village of Marol in the Bombay Suburban District and shall be included in and shall form part of the village of Parajpur ;

(c) the lands specified in Part III of the said Schedule shall, on and from the said date, be excluded from the limits of the village of Marol in the Bombay Suburban District and shall be constituted a new village to be called the village of Maroshi.

**5.** (1) The High Court shall have and exercise ordinary original civil jurisdiction within the areas for the time being comprised in Greater Bombay. Declaration of limits of jurisdiction of the High Court.

(2) Save as otherwise provided in this Act, nothing in sub-section (1) shall affect—

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(a) the jurisdiction of the High Court as a Court of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty under clauses 32 and 33 of the Letters Patent or under the Territorial Waters Jurisdiction Act, 1878, or otherwise exercisable by it in connection with prize matters or other maritime questions arising in India ;

(b) any right or liability of any Government or any local authority or person, except in regard to the exercise of jurisdiction and any legal consequences thereof.

Pending  
proceedings.

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act all proceedings pending in any court in <sup>1</sup>[the area specified in Parts I and II of Schedule A] and all other proceedings of whatever nature pending before any public officer, <sup>2\*</sup> \*  
\* \* \* at the date of the commencement of this Act (including proceedings where an appeal or an application for revision lies or will lie from a decision made or to be made), <sup>3</sup>[if such other proceedings are pending in any of the areas <sup>4</sup>[specified in Parts I and II of Schedule A] or are pending in respect of any such areas] shall be disposed of by such authority as the <sup>5</sup>[State] Government may direct and in the absence of such direction any such proceeding shall be continued and disposed of as if this Act had not been passed.

Amendment  
of entries in  
Schedules A  
and C.

7. (1) The <sup>6</sup>[State] Government may, from time to time, with the concurrence of the High Court by notification in the *Official Gazette*, add to, alter or amend the entries in Schedule A, so far as may be necessary in consequence of reclamation, encroachment by sea, submergence of water-course or other alterations of sea limits or correct mistakes in the said Schedule and the said Schedule shall, on the issue of such notification, be deemed to be amended accordingly.

(2) The <sup>6</sup>[State] Government may, from time to time, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, add to, alter or amend the entries in Schedule C and the said Schedule shall on the issue of such notification be deemed to be amended accordingly.

Definitions  
in Central  
Acts relating  
to certain  
matters.

8. In all Central Acts and Regulations relating to any of the matters enumerated in Lists II and III in the Seventh Schedule to the Government of India Act, <sup>26</sup> 1935, passed before the commencement of this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(1) "City of Bombay" shall mean the area within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court immediately before the commencement of this Act;

(2) "Presidency town of Bombay", "town of Bombay", "town and island of Bombay" and "Presidency town" when used with reference to the Province of Bombay, or "Greater Bombay" shall mean the areas for the time being specified in Schedule A.

Amendments  
of certain  
enactments.

<sup>9</sup>[9. The enactments specified in the second column of Schedule F shall be amended in the manner and to the extent specified in the third column thereof.]

## SCHEDULE A.

*Areas comprised in Greater Bombay.*

[See section 2 (2).]

### Part I.

1. The Town and Island of Bombay.
2. The limits of the Port of Bombay as defined in the Government Notification in the Political Department, No. 6204, dated the 6th June 1930, issued under section 5 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908.

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1908.

<sup>1</sup> These words were substituted for the original by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 4.

<sup>2</sup> The words "in or in respect of any of the areas comprised in Greater Bombay" were deleted by Bom. 52 of 1947, s. 2 and Schedule.

<sup>3</sup> These words were inserted, *ibid.*

<sup>4</sup> This word was substituted for the word "Provincial" by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950.

<sup>5</sup> This section was inserted by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 5.

## Part II.

1. The limits of the municipal boroughs of Bandra, Parle-Andheri and Kurla and of the municipal districts of Ghatkopar-Kirol and Juhu.

2. The undermentioned 28 villages of the Bombay Suburban District :—

- |               |                 |                  |                    |
|---------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Bandivali. | 8. Brahmanwada. | 15. Devnar.      | 22. Maravali.      |
| 2. Chembur.   | 9. Mandala.     | 16. Borle.       | 23. Mogre.         |
| 3. Vadawli.   | 10. Mankhurd.   | 17. Mahul.       | 24. Shahar.        |
| 4. Ambivali.  | 11. Man Budruk. | 18. Anik.        | 25. Nanala.        |
| 5. Chakala.   | 12. Mulgaon.    | 19. Kole-Kalyan. | 26. Saki.          |
| 6. Trombay.   | 13. Vesava.     | 20. Marol.       | 27. Asalpe (Asap). |
| 7. Bapnala.   | 14. Madh.       | 21. Mohili.      | 28. Kondivate.     |

## [Part III.

The undermentioned villages of the Bombay Suburban District :—

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|--|--|
| 1. Bhandup.  | 8. Parajapur (as constituted by section 4A of this Act). |
| 2. Chendavli.  | 9. Paspoli.  |
| 3. Hariali.  | 10. Pawai.   |
| 4. Kanjur.   | 11. Tirandaj.  |
| 5. Kopri (near Pawai).                               | 12. Tungve.  |
| 6. Majas (as constituted by section 4A of this Act.) | 13. Vikhroli.  |
| 7. Oshivra.  | 14. Vyaroli.]  |

## [Part IV.

The undermentioned villages of the Thana District :—

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|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. Akse.        | 13. Goregaon.     | 25. Mulund.   |
| 2. Akurli.      | 14. Kaneri.       | 26. Nahur.    |
| 3. Arey.        | 15. Kandivli.     | 27. Pahadi.   |
| 4. Borivali.    | 16. Kurar.        | 28. Poisar.   |
| 5. Charkhop.    | 17. Klerbad.      | 29. Sai.      |
| 6. Chinchavali. | 18. Magathane.    | 30. Shimpoli. |
| 7. Dahisar.     | 19. Malad.        | 31. Tulshi.   |
| 8. Darivli.     | 20. Malavni.      | 32. Wadhawan. |
| 9. Dindoshi.    | 21. Mandapeshwar. | 33. Valnai.   |
| 10. Eksar.      | 22. Manori.       | 34. Yerangal. |
| 11. Gundgaon.   | 23. Marve.        |               |
| 12. Gorai.      | 24. Maroshi.      |               |

LXVII of 1948. Provided that for the purposes of section 43-C of the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural lands Act, 1948, the expression " Greater Bombay " in the said section shall not be deemed to include the villages specified in part IV of this schedule. ]

[Note.—The limits of the above areas comprising Greater Bombay are shown by a purple line on three plans signed by the Secretary to Government, Home Department, one of which is deposited with the Prothonotary of the High Court, one with the Municipal Commissioner for Greater Bombay and the third with the Secretary to Government, Home Department.]

\* Part III was inserted by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 6 (i).

\* Part IV was inserted by Bom. 57 of 1956, s. 5.

\* This Note was substituted for the original, by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 6 (ii).



## [SCHEDULE B.

*Enactments which are not affected by this Act.*

[See section 3 (2).]

Year. 1	No. 2	Short title. 3
<b>Bombay Acts.</b>		
1876	II	The Bombay City Land Revenue Act, 1876.
1898	I	The City of Bombay Municipal Investment Act, 1898.
1915	IV	The Bombay City Survey Act, 1915.]

## SCHEDULE C.

*Enactments which are not affected by this Act.*

[See section 3 (2).]

Year. 1	No. 2	Short title. 3
<b>Central Acts.</b>		
1899	II	The Indian Stamp Act, 1899.
3*	*	* * *
<b>Bombay Acts</b>		
3*	*	* * *
1925	VI	The Bombay Betting Tax Act, 1925.
1925	VIII	The Bombay Securities Contracts Control Act, 1925.
1929	VII	The Bombay Maternity Benefit Act, 1929.
1932	II	The Bombay Finance Act, 1932.
1932	XV	The Bombay Weights and Measures Act, 1932.
3*	*	* * *
3*	*	* * *

**All Central Ordinances.**

<sup>1</sup> This Schedule was substituted for the original, by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 8.

<sup>2</sup> The figures and words " 1939 XXV. The Defence of India Act, 1939 " were deleted by Bom. 52 of 1947, s. 2 and Schedule.

<sup>3</sup> These entries were deleted by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 9.

## SCHEDULE D.

Enactments which shall cease to apply to or be in force in the areas <sup>1</sup>[specified  
in Parts II, III and IV of Schedule A.]

[See section 4 (I).]

Year.	No.	Short title
1	2	3
<b>Central Acts.</b>		
1869	XIV	The Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869.
1871	I	The Cattle-trespass Act, 1871.
1887	IX	The Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887.
1920	V	The Provincial Insolvency Act, 1920.

**Bombay Acts.**

1867	VII	The Bombay District Police Act, 1867.
<sup>2</sup> [1889	I	The Bombay Village Sanitation Act, 1889.]
1890	IV	The Bombay District Police Act, 1890.
<sup>3</sup> [1892	I	The Bombay District Vaccination Act, 1892.]
1905	I	The Bombay Court of Wards Act, 1905.
1906	II	The Mamlatdars' Courts Act, 1906.
<sup>4</sup> [1930	XXV	The Bombay Local Fund Audit Act, 1930.]

<sup>5</sup>[SCHEDULE E.

(See section 4A.)

Lands.

PART I.

Survey Number.	Hissa No.	Area.	
		A. G.	As.
13	2 part	9 36	0
15	...	1 25	4
16	1	4 8	0
16	2 part	34 32	0
17	...	5 0	0
18	...	3 18	4
19	1	70 36	0
19	2	0 11	0

<sup>1</sup> These words, figures and letter were substituted for the words, figure and letter " specified in Part II of Schedule A " by Bom. 57 of 1956, s. 6.

<sup>2</sup> These entries were inserted by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 10.  
The amendments made in the various enactments, have been continued in force by Bom. 5 of 1947, s. 2.

<sup>3</sup> Schedules E and F were inserted by Bom. 8 of 1950, s. 11.

Survey No.	Hissa No.	Area.		
		A.	Gs.	As.
20	...	1	0	12
21	...	1	11	12
22	...	1	9	4
23	...	60	20	0
24	...	5	15	0
25	...	0	1	4
26	...	5	9	0
27	...	58	1	0
28	1	6	38	0
28	2	42	14	0
29	...	1	14	0
30	...	3	1	4
31 part	...	3	21	0
32 part	...	0	5	0
34	1 part	3	38	0
35	...	2	34	0
38	...	0	6	0
40	3 part	0	34	0
40	4 part	27	25	0

## PART II.

Survey No.	Hissa No.	Area.		
		A.	Gs.	As.
169 part	...	25	30	0
170 part	...	3	34	0
171 part	...	6	28	0
172 part	...	9	16	0
173	...	6	36	0
174	...	2	5	0
175	...	8	13	0
176	...	6	23	0
177	...	16	4	0
178 part	...	1	33	0
190 part	...	30	30	0
191	...	2	7	8
Total		110	34	8
Road		2	10	0
Pipe Line		3	0	
Grand Total		113	4	8

## PART III.

Survey No.	Hissa No.	Area.		
		A.	Ga.	As.
169 part	...	521	0	0
170 part	...	5	10	0
171. part	...	3	0	0
172 part	...	0	8	0
178 part	...	7	6	0
179	...	6	10	0
180	...	4	13	0
181	...	1	20	0
182	...	4	26	0
183	...	8	28	0
184	...	6	10	0
185	...	20	16	0
186	...	8	23	0
187	...	8	6	0
188	...	3	15	0
189	...	2	35	0
190 part	...	175	21	0
Total		787	7	4
Tank		1	10	0
Pipe Line		3	7	0
Road		5	10	0
Grand Total		796	34	4

## SCHEDULE F.

(See section 9.)

*Enactments amended.*

Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
Bom. VIII of 1867	The Bombay Village Police Act, 1867.	[ In section 23, for the words and figures " Parts II and III " the words and figures " Parts II, III and IV " shall be substituted. ]
Bom. I of 1877	The Bombay Vaccination Act, 1877.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In the long title, the preamble, sections 1, 20 and 21 and in the marginal note to section 20 for the words " the City of Bombay " the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>2. In section 3 for the words " divide the City of Bombay " the words " divide Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>3. In section 7, for the words " the City of Bombay " at both places where they occur and for the words " the City ", the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>4. In section 15, for the words " Child was born out of the City of Bombay or his birth has not been registered in the said City ", the words " birth of the child has not been registered in Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>5. In Schedule D, for the words " in the City " the words " in Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> </ol>

Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
Bom. I of 1889	... The Bombay Village Sanitation Act, 1889.	In section 2 for the words " the City of Bombay " the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.
Bom. V of 1890	... The Bombay Municipal Servants Act, 1890.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In the preamble, in sub-section (2) of section 1 and in clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 3, for the words " the City of Bombay " the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>2. In section 2, in sub-section (2), for the words " affects the City of Bombay ", the words " affects Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>3. In section 6, for the words " be entitled to receive in the City of Bombay ", the words " be entitled to receive in Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> </ol>
Bom. I of 1892	... The Bombay District Vaccination Act, 1892.	In clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 2 and in section 17 for the words " the City of Bombay " the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.
Bom. III of 1901	... The Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In the preamble, sub-section (2) of section 1 and in sub-section (2A) of section 83, for the words " the City of Bombay ", the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.</li> <li>2. In section 22, the proviso to sub-section (1) shall be deleted.</li> <li>3. In section 56, in clause (h), the words and figures " or, as the case may be, section 29 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902 " shall be deleted.</li> <li>4. In section 86, the words, brackets and figures " in respect of the areas specified in Part II of Schedule A to Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945, of the Chief Presidency Magistrate or in respect of other areas " shall be deleted.</li> </ol>
Por. IV of 1902	... The City of Bombay Police Act, 1902.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In section 9A— (a) for sub-section (2) the following shall be substituted, namely:— “(2) The State Government may require the Municipal Commissioner, the Collector or any other authority to recover, either in whole or in part, the cost of such additional police and, where the Municipal Commissioner is required to recover such cost an additional sum not exceeding three per cent. of the amount of such costs, generally from all persons who are inhabitants of the area to which such notification applies or specially from any particular section or sections, or class or classes of such persons and in such proportions as the State Government may direct.”</li> </ol>

(b) sub-section (4) shall be deleted;

Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
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Bom.  
VIII  
of  
1950.

Bom.  
III of  
1901.

Bom.  
XVIII  
of  
1925.

(c) in sub-section (7)—

- (i) for the words, brackets and figures " or by the municipality under sub-section (3) or (4)" the words, brackets and figures " under sub-section (3) or by a municipality outside the City of Bombay under the provisions of this section as in force before the coming into force of the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) (Amendment) Act, 1950", shall be substituted ;
- (ii) the words and figures " or section 51 of the Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901, or section 65 of the Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, 1925 as the case may be " shall be deleted.

2. In section 45—

(a) for sub-section (2) the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(2) The Chief Presidency Magistrate may require the Municipal Commissioner, the Collector or any other authority to recover, either in whole or in part, such amount and, where the Municipal Commissioner is required to recover such amount, an additional sum not exceeding three per cent. of such amount generally from all persons who are inhabitants of any particular area or specially from any particular section or sections, or class or classes of such persons, and in such proportions as the Chief Presidency Magistrate may direct."

(b) sub-section (4) shall be deleted ;

(c) in sub-section (6)—

- (i) for the words, brackets and figures " or by the municipality under sub-section (3) or (4)", the words, brackets and figures " under sub-section (3) or by a municipality outside the City of Bombay under the provisions of this section as in force before the coming into operation of the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) (Amendment) Act, 1950" shall be substituted ;
- (ii) the words and figures " or section 51 of the Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901, or section 65 of the Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, 1925, as the case may be ", shall be deleted.

3. In section 46, in sub-section (1), the words, brackets and figures " under sub-sections (2) to (4) of " shall be deleted.

4. In section 111-A for the words " the City of Bombay or of any other local authority in the Greater Bombay" the words " Greater Bombay " shall be substituted.

Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
Bom. I of 1915 ...	The Bombay Town Planning Act, 1915.	In sub-section (1) of section 4, sub-section (2) of section 10, sub-section (1) of section 26, sub-section (3) of section 43 and sub-section (3) of section 45 for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.
Bom. XV of 1920 ...	The City of Bombay Primary Education Act, 1920.	In the long title, the preamble, sub-section (2) of section 1, and in sub-section (1) of section 3, for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.
Bom. VI of 1923 ...	The Bombay Local Boards Act, 1923.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In sub-section (2) of section 1 and in section 107 for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.</li> <li>2. In section 19, the proviso to sub-section (1) shall be deleted.</li> </ol>
Bom. V of 1925 ...	The Bombay Prevention of Adulteration Act, 1925.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In the long title, the preamble, sub-section (3) of section 1, and clause (b) of section 2, for the words "the City of Bombay", the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.</li> <li>2. In section 6, in sub-section (2), for the words "the City of Bombay" at both the places the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.</li> </ol>
Bom XVIII of 1925	The Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, 1925.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In section 15, the proviso to sub-section (1) shall be deleted.</li> <li>2. In section 71, in clause (i) the words "or as the case may be, section 29 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902" shall be deleted.</li> <li>3. In section 105, in sub-section (2) for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.</li> <li>4. In section 110, in sub-section (1) for the words "Chief Presidency Magistrate in respect of the areas specified in Part II of Schedule A to the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945, or of the District Magistrates in respect of other areas", the words "District Magistrate" shall be substituted.</li> <li>5. In Schedule I the heading "Bombay Suburban" and the entries "Bandra and Kuria" shall be deleted.</li> </ol>
Bom. XXV of 1930 ...	The Bombay Local Fund Audit Act, 1930.	In the long title, the preamble and in section 2, for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.
Bom. II of 1932 ...	The Bombay Finance Act, 1932.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In section 20-- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) (a) In clause (ii) the words "Kuria, Bandra" shall be deleted;</li> <li>(b) To clause (ii), the words "and the limits formerly included in the municipal boroughs of Bandra, Parle-Anderi, Ghatkopar-Kiroi and Kuria" shall be added.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>

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Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
		<p>(2) For clause (iii) the following shall be substituted, namely :— “(iii) The limits formerly included in the municipal district of Juhu.”</p> <p>(3) In clause (iv)— (a) the word “Chembur” shall be deleted ; (b) to clause (iv) the following shall be added, namely :— “The limits formerly included in notified area of Chembur, and.”</p>
		<p>2. In section 21—</p> <p>(1) (a) In sub-section (1), in clause (a), after the word “City of Bombay” the words “and in the limits formerly included in the municipal boroughs of Bandra, Parle-Andheri, Ghatkopar-Kirol and Kurla,” shall be substituted ;</p> <p>(2) In sub-section (1), in clause (a), and in sub-section (2) for the words and figures “City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888” the words “Bombay Municipal Corporation Act” shall be substituted ;</p> <p>(3) In sub-section (7), for the words and figures “the City of Bombay the general tax levied under section 143 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888” the words “the City of Bombay and in the limits formerly included in the municipal boroughs of Bandra, Parle-Andheri, Ghatkopar-Kirol and Kurla the general tax levied under section 143 of the Bombay Municipal Corporation Act” shall be substituted.</p>
		<p>In section 27—</p> <p>(1) In sub-section (1), in clauses (a), (b) and (c) for the words and figures “City of Bombay Municipal Act 1888” the words “Bombay Municipal Corporation Act” shall be substituted ;</p> <p>(2) In clause (c) of sub-section (1) for the word “Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay” the words “Municipal Commissioner for Greater Bombay” shall be substituted ;</p> <p>(3) In sub-section (1), and in sub-section (1A), for the words “the City of Bombay” the words “Greater Bombay” shall be substituted ;</p> <p>(4) In clause (c) of sub-section (1), for the words “Corporation of the City of Bombay” the words “Corporation of Greater Bombay” shall be substituted.</p>
Bom. VI of 1933	... The Bombay Village Panchayats Act, 1933.	<p>1. In section 2 for the words “the City of Bombay” the words “Greater Bombay” shall be substituted.</p> <p>2. Chapter VIII-A shall be deleted.</p>
Bom. LXI of 1947	... The Bombay Primary Education Act, 1947.	<p>In section 1, in sub-section (2) for the words “the City of Bombay” the words “Greater Bombay” shall be substituted.</p>



Number and year.	Short title.	Amendments.
Bom. LXIX of 1948.	The Bombay Housing Board Act, 1948.	In section 34, in clause (a) of sub-section (1) for the words "the City of Bombay" the words "Greater Bombay" shall be substituted.
Bom. LXXIX of 1948.	The Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948.	<p>In Schedule I—</p> <p>(a) for item No. 1 the following shall be substituted, namely :—</p> <p>"1. 'Greater Bombay';</p> <p>(b) the following items shall be deleted :—</p> <p>" 11. The Bandra Municipal area.</p> <p>12. The Parle Andheri Municipal Borough.</p> <p>13. The Ghatkopar-Kiroli Municipal area.</p> <p>15. The Kurla Municipal Area."</p>

**BOMBAY ACT No. VIII OF 1950.<sup>1</sup>**

[THE GREATER BOMBAY LAWS AND THE BOMBAY HIGH COURT (DECLARATION OF LIMITS) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1950.]

\* [3rd April 1950]

**An Act to amend the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945.**

WHEREAS steps are being taken to extend the limits of the area subject to the authority of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay and other municipal authorities charged with carrying out the municipal government of the City of Bombay to Greater Bombay ;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to extend the limits of Greater Bombay so as to include therein certain areas ;

AND WHEREAS it is necessary and expedient to amend the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945, for the said purpose ;

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1945.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) (Amendment) Act, 1950.

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

2-6. [The amendments made by sections 2-6 have been incorporated in the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945 (Bom. XVII of 1945).]

7. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing provisions of this Act and the inclusion of the areas specified in Part III of Schedule A to the said Act in Greater Bombay but save as expressly provided by the provisions of the Bombay Municipal (Extension of Limits) Act, 1950—

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(1) all proceedings pending immediately before the date on which this Act comes into force, in any civil or criminal court, or before any tribunal, public authority, or officer, shall be continued in that court, or before that tribunal, authority or officer as if this Act had not been passed and that court, tribunal, officer or authority shall have for the purposes of the said proceedings, all jurisdiction and powers which it or he had immediately before the day on which this Act comes into force ;

(2) an appeal or application for revision in respect of any proceedings so pending in any court or before any tribunal, authority or officer shall be to the court, tribunal, officer or authority which would have appellate or revisional jurisdiction, as the case may be, and that court, tribunal, authority or officer,

<sup>1</sup> For Statement of Objects and Reasons, see *Bombay Government Gazette*, 1950, Part V, pp. 49-50.

shall entertain and dispose of the appeal or application as if the proceedings were instituted in that court or before that tribunal, authority or officer before the day on which this Act comes into force ;

(3) all applications for the execution or enforcement of a decree or order of any court, tribunal, authority or officer passed immediately before the day on which this Act comes into force and all other applications arising out of such decree or order shall be made to and disposed of by such court, tribunal, authority or officer, as if this Act had not been passed :

Provided that if in consequence of this Act, any such court, tribunal, authority or officer has been superseded or has ceased to exist, such proceeding or any appeal or revisional application or any other applications in such proceeding shall lie to or be disposed of by such authority as the State Government directs.

8-11. [*The amendments made by sections 8-11 have been incorporated in the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945 (Bom. XVII of 1945).*]