

## FIRST PART

### LAWS AND DECREES

LAW No. 8 of 18 June 1963.

Law delegating to the Government the power to issue a Military Penal Code applicable in time of Peace and War and a Military Criminal Procedure Code.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC

TAKING NOT of the approval of the National Assembly;

HEREBY PROMULGATES

the following law:

#### Article 1.

The Government is hereby delegated the power to issue a Military Penal Code applicable in time of Peace and War and a Military Criminal Procedure Code within six months from the date of the entry into force of this law, and in accordance with the binding recommendations of the Commission mentioned in the following article.

#### Article 2.

A Special Commission is hereby appointed for the preparation of a draft Military Penal Code applicable in time of Peace and War and a draft Military Criminal Procedure Code. The Commission shall consist of:

- 15 Deputies of the National Assembly;
- 10 Experts.

#### Article 3.

This law shall enter into force on the day following the date of its publication in the Official Bulletin.

This law shall be included in the Official Compilation of Laws and published in the Official Bulletin.

All persons shall be required to observe it and cause others to observe it as a law of the Republic.

Mogadishu, 18 June 1963.

**Aden Abdulla Osman**

*The Prime Minister*

**ABDI-RASCID ALI SHERMARKE**