

craft shall be carried out in accordance with the rules provided for by the Code of Civil Procedure save in special cases provided for by international treaties and conventions.

Seizure shall be recorded in the special register of aircraft.

Article 24. — In case of damage caused on land through the crash of a foreign aircraft or a Lebanese aircraft whose owner is domiciled abroad, or in the event of a foreigner contravening the provisions of this Law, the local Public Authorities or the officials mentioned in article 63 of this Law may call on the Public Security Forces to detain the aircraft for 72 hours to enable the Judge of the Peace of the area to visit the spot and determine the extent of damage.

The Judge may then order an immediate deposit of the estimated amount of damages and expenses together with fines in case of contravention. If a deposit or guarantee for the same is not produced he shall order the seizure of the aircraft pending settlement of the case.

Article 25. — The Ministry of Public Works may order the confiscation of any national or foreign aircraft not fulfilling the conditions prescribed by this Law or the decrees and decisions issued for its implementation or if its pilot has infringed such provisions.

Article 26. — Confiscation of aircraft may only be ordered in the cases prescribed by the existing laws and regulations or those subsequently enacted.

CHAPTER III

FLYING

SUB-CHAPTER I

FLYING RIGHTS

Article 27. — Foreign military aircraft may not fly