

LAOS

LAW TO PROVIDE CONTINUITY OF LEGISLATION ENACTED PRIOR TO CONSTITUTION.¹

WE, SOMDET PHRACHAO SISAVANG VONG, KING OF LAOS

In consideration of the Constitution of the Kingdom of Laos of May 11, 1947 and its amendments as published on September 14, 1949;

In consideration of the French-Laotian General Convention and the Annexed Conventions of July 19, 1949 and February 8, 1950;

In consideration of the Royal Decree No. — of June 14, 1950 pertaining to the reorganization of the Council of Hosana Luang and determining the competencies of the Ministries of the Kingdom;

In consideration of the Royal Decree of February 12, 1950 pertaining to the appointment of the members of the Royal Government;

In consideration of the Law No. 83 of January 19, 1951 pertaining to the validity of regulations issued prior to the publication of the Constitution of the Kingdom;

And upon deliberation and adoption on the part of the National Assembly;

And upon hearing the Council of the King;

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Article 1. Throughout the entire territory of the Kingdom of Laos, the Law No. 83 of January 19, 1951, pertaining to the validity of regulations issued prior to the publication of the Constitution of the Kingdom, is made public.

Article 2. Our Prime Minister is responsible for the execution of this Decree.

Luang-Prabang, February 10, 1951.

Law No. 83 of January 19, 1951 pertaining to the validity of regulations issued prior to the publication of the Constitution of the Kingdom, made public pursuant to the Royal Decree No. 33 of February 10, 1951.

Only Article. As a temporary measure, the regulations of any kind which have been applied in the territory of the Kingdom, in accordance with the Law, before the Constitution of the Kingdom was made public, will continue to be valid. In their application, the transfers of competencies carried out pursuant to the General Convention of July 19, 1949 and of the Interstate Conventions of December 26, 1950

¹ English text supplied by the Government of Laos.