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**THE ANDHRA PRADESH (ANDHRA AREA) DISTRICT
POLICE ACT, 1989***

ACT No. 12 OF 1989.

[25th April, 1989.]

An Act to amend the Andhra Pradesh
(Andhra Area) District Police Act,
1859.

Be it enacted by the Legislative
Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh
in the Fortieth Year of the Republic of
India as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Short title
Andhra Pradesh (Andhra Area) District and commence-
Police (Amendment) Act, 1989. ment.

(2) It shall come into force on
such date as the State Government may,
by notification in the Andhra Pradesh
Gazette, appoint.

*Received the assent of the Governor on the 24th April,
1989. For Statement of Objects and Reasons, please see the
Andhra Pradesh Gazette, Part-IV A, Extraordinary, dated the
21st March, 1989 at Page 4.



Amendment of section 1. Act XXIV of 1959.

2. In the Andhra Pradesh (Andhra Area) District Police Act, 1959 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), in section 1, for the definition 'Superior Police' the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"Superior Police":- the expression "Superior Police" shall mean the Director General of Police, the Inspector General of Police, Deputy Inspector General of Police, Commissioner of Police, District Superintendent of Police, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Assistant Superintendent of Police and Deputy Superintendent of Police".

Substitution of the words 'Inspector General of Police' for 'Inspector General of Police'

3. Throughout the principal Act, except in section 1, for the words "Inspector General of Police", wherever it occurs, the words "Director General of Police" shall be substituted.

Insertion of new section 5-A

4. After section 5 of the principal Act, the following new section shall be inserted, namely:-

"Appointment of Commissioner, Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners.

5-A (1) Where in any General Police District, an area is declared as metropolitan area as defined in clause (K) of section 2 of the Code of

Central Act II of 1974. Criminal Procedure, 1973, the Government may appoint a Commissioner of Police for the said area and he shall, in such metropolitan area exercise, the same powers and perform the same functions as are exercisable and Performable by the District Superintendent of Police under this Act.



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(2) The Government may also appoint such number of Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners as they may deem necessary for the metropolitan area referred to in sub-section (1) to assist the Commissioner.

