

197. Every police officer shall give immediate information to the Village Council, Judicial Council, Island Council and District Council of an offence coming to his knowledge which has been committed against this Regulation or any rules or bye-laws made thereunder and shall assist all members and servants of the Village Council, Judicial Council, Island Council and District Council in the exercise of their lawful authority.

198. Every Village Council, Judicial Council, Island Council and District Council shall classify and preserve its records in the manner prescribed.

199. Every Village Council, Judicial Council, Island Council and District Council shall on an application made to it by any person interested, allow inspection of its records and grant certified copies thereof on payment of the prescribed fee.

200. The provision of the Court Fee Act, 1870 shall not apply to any proceedings before a Judicial Council

201. (i) If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions of this Regulation, the Administrator may by order published in the Official Gazette make such provisions not inconsistent with the provisions of this Regulation as appears to him to be necessary or expedient for removing of that difficulty:

Provided that no such order shall be made after expiry of two years from the commencement of this Regulation.

(ii) Every order made under this section shall as soon as may be after it is made, be laid before each House of Parliament.

202. (i) The Administrator may, subject to the condition of previous publication by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Regulation.

(ii) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for

(a) the manner in which assets and liabilities of a Village Council which has ceased to exist shall be disposed of under subsection(iii) of section 6;

(b) the preparation, revision and publication of the electoral rolls of members of Village Council and the particulars which it shall contain and the manner in which it shall be revised under section 8.

(c) the meetings of the Village Council and notice of such meetings under sub-section (iii) of section 9;

(d) the manner in which seats reserved for women shall be rotated amongst different constituencies under sub-section (v) of section 11;