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## PART III.—Acts of the West Bengal Legislature

### GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

##### NOTIFICATION

1622L.—4th August, 1969. — The following Act of the West Bengal Legislature, having been passed by the Governor, is hereby published for general information:—

### West Bengal Act XI of 1969 THE WEST BENGAL LAND REFORMS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1969.

[Passed by the West Bengal Legislature.]

[Assent of the Governor was first published in the Calcutta Gazette, Extraordinary, of the 4th August, 1969.]

An Act to amend the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955 for the purpose and in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted in the Twentieth Year of the Republic of India, by the Legislature of West Bengal, as follows:—

Short title and duration.

1. (1) This Act may be called the West Bengal Land Reforms (Amendment) Act, 1969.

(2) It shall remain in force for one year.

Insertion of new section 21A in West Ben. Act X of 1956.

2. In Chapter III of the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955, after section 21, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

“Temporary stay of proceedings for termination of cultivation by bargadars.

21A. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Chapter,—

(a) all applications made under section 18 for the termination of cultivation by bargadars,

(b) all appeals preferred under section 19 against orders made on such applications, and



*The West Bengal Land Reforms (Amendment) Act, 1969.*

(Section 3.)

(c) all proceedings commenced under sub-section (2) of section 20 for execution of orders for termination of cultivation by *bargadars*,

which are pending before the appropriate authority at the date of commencement of the West Bengal Land Reforms (Amendment) Act, 1969, or which may be so made, preferred or commenced after such date but before the expiry of the said Act, shall be stayed for the period during which the said Act continues in force."

Repeal and savings.

3. (1) The West Bengal Land Reforms (Amendment) Ordinance, 1969, is hereby repealed.

West Ben.  
Ord. III  
of 1969.

(2) Anything done or any action taken under the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955, as amended by the West Bengal Land Reforms (Amendment) Ordinance, 1969, shall be deemed to have been validly done or taken under the said Act, as amended by this Act as if this Act had commenced on the 7th day of April, 1969.

By order of the Governor,  
K. K. CHAKRABARTI,  
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal