No. 4 of 1936.

A Law to amend the Elementary Education Laws, 1933 and 1935.

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[23rd January, 1936.

Governor.

BE it enacted:

Short title.

18 of 1933 1 of 1935 1. This Law may be cited as the Elementary Education (Amendment) Law, 1936, and shall be read as one with the Elementary Education Laws, 1933 and 1935, (hereinafter called "the Principal Law"), and the Principal Law and this Law may together be cited as the Elementary Education Laws, 1933 to 1936.

Repeal of section 42(1) (e) of Law 18 of 1933.

Insertion of new section 42A in Law 18 of 1933. 2. Paragraph (e) of section 42 (1) of the Principal Law is hereby repealed.

3. The Principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion immediately after section 42 of the following section:—

"Power to close school on outbreak of disease. 42A.—(1) The Senior Medical Officer may at any time by notification in writing direct the closing of any school when in his opinion the outbreak of an infectious or contagious disease renders such closing advisable, and thereupon such school shall be closed and shall remain closed until the Senior Medical Officer revokes the notification.

(2) Any person acting in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a fine of fifty pounds, and in case of a continuing offence to a further fine of five pounds for each day during which the offence continues."

Amendment of section 69 of Law 18 of 1933.

4. Section 69 of the Principal Law is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "and shall be applied for the purposes of education".

Amendment of section 70 (5) (b) of Law 18 of 1933.

5. Section 70 (5) (b) of the Principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion immediately after the words "school purpose" of the words "or educational purpose".