

SUPPLEMENT No. 2

TO

THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 3981 OF 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1956. LEGISLATION.

THE STATUTE LAWS OF CYPRUS

No. 28 of 1956.

A LAW TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE LAW.

CAP. 14. 6 of 1953

JOHN HARDING,] Governor.

[21st September, 1956. 39 of 1954, 27 of 1955.

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus as follows :-

1. This Law may be cited as the Criminal Procedure (Amend- Short title, ment) Law, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Criminal Cap. 14. Procedure Law (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Law"). 39 of 1954

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2. Section 138 of the principal Law (as amended by section 15 Amendment of Law 6 of 1953) is hereby amended by the addition at the end of section 138 of the thereof of the following new sub-section :-

principal

"(3) If it appears to the Chief Registrar that any notice of appeal against a conviction, purporting to be on a ground of appeal which involves a question of law alone, does not show any substantial ground of appeal, the Chief Registrar may, instead of proceeding as in sub-section (1) of this section provided, refer the appeal to the Supreme Court for summary determination, and, where the case is so referred, the Supreme Court may, if they consider that the appeal is frivolous or vexatious, and can be determined without adjourning the same for a full hearing, dismiss the appeal summarily, without calling on any persons to attend the hearing or to appear for the Attorney-General thereon".

> A. F. J. REDDAWAY, Acting Administrative Secretary.

21st September, 1956.