

THE LAW REPORTS ACT, 1875

ACT NO. XVIII OF 1875

[13th October, 1875]

An Act for the improvement of Law Reports.

Preamble [*Repealed by the Government of India
(Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937.*]

Short title	1. This Act may be called the Law Reports Act, 1875.
Local extent	It extends to the whole of ¹ [Bangladesh].
Commencement	² [And it shall come into force at once].
Authority given only to authorized reports	2. [<i>Repealed by the Repealing Act, 1876 (Act No. XII of 1876).</i>]
Authority of judicial decisions	3. No Court shall be bound to hear cited, or shall receive or treat as an authority binding on it, the report of any case decided ³ [* * *] by ⁴ [the Supreme Court], other than a report published under the authority of ⁵ [Government].
	4. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to any judicial decision any further or other authority than it would have had if this Act had not been passed.

¹ The words "Bangladesh" was substituted, for the word "Pakistan" by section 3 and 2nd Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision and Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).

² Third paragraph of section 1 was substituted, for the original third paragraph by section 3 and 2nd Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision and Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).

³ The words "on or after the said day" were omitted by section 3 and 2nd Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision and Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).

⁴ The words "the Supreme Court" were substituted, for the words "any High Court" by section 3 and 2nd Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision and Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).

⁵ The word "Government" was substituted, for the words "a Provincial Government" by section 3 and 2nd Schedule of the Bangladesh Laws (Revision and Declaration) Act, 1973 (Act No. VIII of 1973).