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PART III

Laws, Regulations and Rules passed thereunder.

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR,
CIVIL SECRETARIAT—DEPARTMENT OF LAW, JUSTICE AND
PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS.

(Legislation Section)

Srinagar, the 16th May, 2018.

The following Ordinance as promulgated by the Governor on
16th May, 2018 and is hereby published for general information :—

**THE JAMMU AND KASHMIR CRIMINAL LAW
(AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2018**

(Ordinance No. III of 2018)

[16th May, 2018.]

Promulgated by the Governor in the Sixty-ninth Year of the Republic
of India.

An Ordinance to amend the Ranbir Penal Code, Samvat 1989, Code of Criminal Procedure, Samvat 1989 and the Evidence Act, Samvat 1977.

Whereas, the State Legislature is not in session and the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 91 of the Constitution of Jammu and Kashmir, the Governor is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance :—

CHAPTER I

Preliminary

1. *Short title, extent and commencement.*—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Jammu and Kashmir Criminal Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

CHAPTER II

Amendment to the Ranbir Penal Code

2. *Amendment of section 166A, Act XII of Samvat, 1989.*—In the State Ranbir Penal Code (hereafter in this Chapter refer to as the “Penal Code”), in section 166 A, in clause (c) for the words, figures and letters, “section 376B, section 376C, section 376D”, the words, figures and letters “section 376AB, section 376B, section 376C, section 376D, section 376DA, section 376DB”, shall be substituted.

3. *Amendment of section 228A, Act XII of Samvat, 1989.*—In section 228A of the Penal Code in sub-section (1), for the words, figures and letters, “376A, 376B, 376C, 376D”, the words, figures and letters “376A, 376AB, 376B, 376C, 376D, 376DA, 376DB”, shall be substituted.

