

[MAHARASHTRA ACT No. XXXIX OF 1959]¹

THE LEPERS (BOMBAY UNIFICATION) ACT, 1959

This Act Stands Repealed by Virtue of The Amendment of the Lepers (Maharashtra Repeal) Act, 1983 (Mah. XL of 1983, Section 2) which came in force on 26th January 1984, Repealing the Lepers Act, 1898 (Act No. III of 1898).

Section 3 of Mah. XL of 1983 reads as under :—

3. . For the removal of any doubts, it is hereby declared that on and from the date of commencement of this Act, any persons detained in any leper asylum in any part of the State of Maharashtra under the repealed Act shall stand discharged, and any restrictions put on any of them by or under that Act on their movements to or from any local area or from following any trade or calling shall also stand annulled.

¹ For Statement of Objects and Reasons, see *Bombay Government Gazette*, Part V, page 534.

