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CHAPTER 111

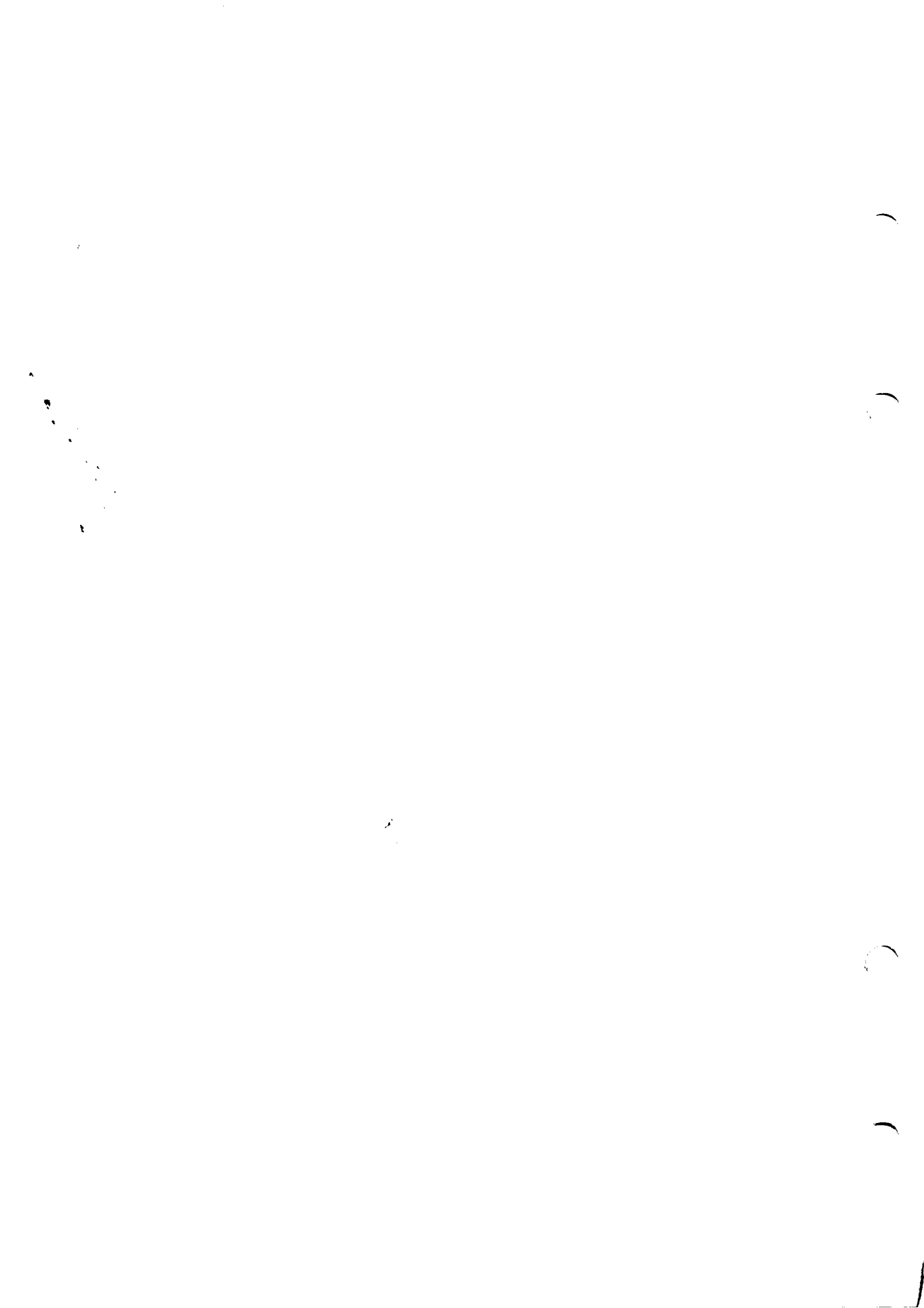
DISAFFECTED AND DANGEROUS
PERSONS

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SCHEDULE



DISAFFECTED AND DANGEROUS PERSONS ACT

**An Act to provide for the removal to, and the confinement in,
particular localities of disaffected or dangerous persons** 10 of 1953
S.99/59

Commencement: 29th July 1953

1. This Act may be cited as the Disaffected and Dangerous Persons Act. Short title

2. (1) Whenever it shall be made to appear to the Minister on the written information of the Commissioner of Police that there is reasonable cause for believing that it is necessary for the peace or good order of Brunei that a warrant should be issued under subsection (2) of this section in respect of any person, he may issue a warrant substantially in the form of the Schedule hereto, and shall cause such person to be brought before him and shall thereupon examine such person and record in writing any statement that such person shall make. Arrest and
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(2) After examining any person, and recording any statement he may wish to make, as provided for by subsection (1), and on making such enquiries as he may deem necessary, it shall be lawful for the Minister with the approval of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan in Council, by warrant under his hand to order, upon such conditions and for such term as he may deem fit, the removal to any locality which may be specified in the warrant, and to prohibit the movement beyond the limits of such locality, of such person if he believes him to be disaffected or otherwise dangerous to the peace or good order of Brunei, and upon the issue and by virtue of such warrant such person may be arrested and removed in custody to the locality specified therein.

(3) Any person in respect of whom a warrant has been issued under subsection (2) who goes beyond the limits specified in such warrant without permission of an officer duly authorised by the Minister in that behalf, or fails to conform with the conditions in which such warrant was issued or such permission granted, may be arrested without warrant by any police officer, and shall be guilty of an offence: Penalty, a fine of \$8,000 and imprisonment for 12 months.

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3. (1) The Minister may require any person in respect of whom a warrant has been issued under subsection (2) of section 2 to deposit in such place as the Minister may direct such pledge of cash or of such movable property as may be specified by the Minister as a guarantee that he will remain within the limits specified by such warrant for the term specified by such warrant, that he will conform with the conditions on which such warrant is issued, and that, if permission is granted to leave such limits by an officer duly authorised by the Minister in that behalf, he will conform with the conditions on which such permission is granted, and if such guarantee is in any manner broken the pledge shall be forfeited to the Government: Provided that the Minister may at his discretion reduce the amount of such pledge or may return the whole or part of such pledge to the depositor thereof.

(2) Any person aggrieved by an order made by the Minister under this section may appeal to His Majesty in Council whose decision shall be final. Provided that His Majesty in Council may refuse to entertain any such appeal until any pledge which has been required by the Minister has been duly deposited.

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Disaffected and Dangerous Persons Act, Cap. 111. Section 2 (1)

To the Commissioner of Police and all other Police Officers:

Whereas it has been made to appear to me by written information that there is reasonable cause for believing that the restriction to one locality in Brunei of (*name*) is necessary for the peace and good order of Brunei:

This is to direct you the said Commissioner of Police and all other Police Officers to arrest the said and bring him before me with all convenient speed.

Given under my hand this day of 19.....

Minister

