

ORISSA ORDINANCE No. III OF 1953
THE ORISSA DISTRICT BOARDS AND LOCAL
BOARDS (CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT)
ORDINANCE, 1953

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AN
ORDINANCE

TO CONTROL AND MANAGE DISTRICT BOARDS AND
 LOCAL BOARDS IN THE STATE OF ORISSA

WHEREAS it is expedient to take over control and management of District Boards and Local Boards in the State of Orissa ;

AND WHEREAS the Legislature of the State of Orissa is not in session ;

AND WHEREAS the Governor of Orissa is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action to take over control and management of District Boards and Local Boards in the State of Orissa in the manner hereinafter appearing ;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution, the Governor of Orissa is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :—

Short title
and commencement

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Orissa District Boards and Local Boards (Control and Management) Ordinance, 1953.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Cancellation
of extension
of terms of
office of
members.

2. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Bihar and Orissa Local Self-Government Act, 1885 or the Rules made thereunder or the Madras Local Board Act, 1920 or the Sambalpur Local Self-Government Act, 1939, the State Government may, at any time by an order notified in the Gazette, direct the cancellation of extension of terms of office of the members of the District Boards and Local Boards including the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman or the President and Vice-President.

Bengal Act
III of 1886.
Madras Act
XIV of 1920
Orissa Act
VI of 1939.

(2) When such cancellation is made or where the terms of office of such members have expired by efflux of time, the State Government shall, as soon as may be, appoint a Special Officer for a period not exceeding two years to exercise the powers, discharge the duties and perform the functions of the District Board or the Local Board as the case may be and its Chairman and the Vice-Chairman or the President and the Vice-President and the Executive Officer, if any.

The 27th December 1953

S. FAZL ALI
Governor of Orissa