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TO PROVIDE FOR THE DETENTION OF PRISONERS SUFFERING FROM CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTIOUS DISEASE AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THEIR SENTENCES.

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Short title.

1. This Law may be cited as the Infectious Diseases (Prisoners) Law.

Power to detain prisoners.

2. Where any person suffering from any contagious or infectious disease comes lawfully into the custody of any police officer, or is detained in any prison under the warrant of a court of criminal jurisdiction, and the District Medical Officer certifies that his liberation would be dangerous to the public health, he may be detained for medical treatment in any hospital or asylum for such period after the date when he would otherwise have been released as the District Medical Officer may certify to be necessary for the cure of the disease, or until the District Medical Officer certifies that he may be allowed to be at large without danger to the public health:

Provided that no person shall be detained under this Law for any period exceeding three months on any one occasion.

Escaping from detention.

3. Any person so detained under this Law who leaves the place where he is detained without the written permission of the officer in charge of the place may be arrested without warrant, and shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction thereof to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Regulations.

4. The Governor in Council may from time to time make Regulations for the discipline, good order, medical treatment, and well-being of persons detained under this Law.