

ASSAM ACT I OF 1936.

THE CATTLE-TRESPASS (ASSAM AMENDMENT) ACT, 1936.

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An Act further to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, in
its application to Assam.

Whereas it is expedient further to amend the
Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, in its application to
Assam in the manner hereinafter appearing; I of 1871.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title,

1. This Act may be called the Cattle-
trespass (Assam Amendment) Act, 1936.

Application of
Act.

2. The Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, herein^{I of 1871.}
after referred to as the said Act, shall
in its application to Assam, be amended
in the manner hereinafter provided.

Insertion of
new section 32 in
Act I of 1871.

3. After section 31 of the said Act the
following section shall be inserted,
namely:—

Power for
Magistrate of
the District to
appoint Chair-
man or Presi-
dent of a Muni-
cipal or Local
Board or a
village authori-
ty to discharge
the functions of
an officer under
Section 14.

“32. (1) The Magistrate of the District may
appoint, for the purposes of this Act, a Chairman
or President, as the case may be, of a Municipal
or Local Board or a village authority constituted
under the Assam Local Self-Government Act,
1915, or the Assam Rural Self-Government Act,
1926, to discharge the functions of an officer
appointed under section 14 of this Act in respect
of cattle impounded within the area subject to
the jurisdiction of such Board or authority:

Provided that a Chairman or President so
appointed may, by general or special order,
delegate all or any of his functions under sections
14, 15, 16 and 17 to any member of such Board
or authority, or in the case of a Local or
Municipal Board also, to an overseer, sub-overseer,
surveyor or sub-surveyor, or with the approval
of the Magistrate of the District, to any other
employee of the Board; and may at any time
withdraw the same.

(2) A Chairman or President so appointed, or
a member or employee to whom the Chairman or
President may have delegated his functions, shall
not, directly or indirectly, purchase any cattle at
a sale under this Act.”

Price Indian 1 anna].

English 1d.].