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Dated Lucknow, August 21, 2025

IN pursuance of the provisions of clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of the Uttar Pradesh Nirsan Adhiniyam, 2025 (Uttar Pradesh Adhiniyam Sankhya 5 of 2025) as passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature and assented to by the Governor on August 21, 2025. The Vidhayi Anubhag-1 is administratively concerned with the said Adhiniyam.

THE UTTAR PRADESH REPEALING ACT, 2025

(U.P. ACT no. 5 of 2025)

[As passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature]

AN

ACT

to repeal certain enactments that have become redundant and obsolete in the present times and to revive an enactment.

IT IS HEREBY enacted in the Seventy-sixth year of the Republic of India as follows :—

Short title and
commencement

1. (1) This Act may be called the Uttar Pradesh Repealing Act, 2025.

(2) Save as otherwise provided, it shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from the 28th day of May, 2025.

Repeal of
certain
enactments

2. (1) The enactments specified in the Schedule of this Act are hereby repealed.

(2) In the Schedule to the Uttar Pradesh Repealing Act, 2022 (U.P. Act no. 18 of 2022), the entry specified at serial number 7 thereto is hereby repealed for the purpose of wholly reviving the Uttar Pradesh Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1966 (U.P. Act no. 30 of 1966) from the date of its repeal.

Savings

3. The repeal by this Act of any enactment specified in the Schedule below shall not,—

(a) affect any other enactment in which the repealed enactment has been applied, incorporated or referred to;

(b) affect the validity, invalidity, effect or consequences of anything already done or suffered or any right, title, obligation or liability already acquired, accrued or incurred, or any remedy or proceeding in respect thereof, or any release or discharge of or from any debt, penalty, obligation, liability, claim or demand, or any indemnity already granted; or the proof of any past Act or thing;

(c) affect any principle or rule of law, or established jurisdiction, form or course of pleading, practice or procedure, or existing usage, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, office or appointment, notwithstanding that the same respectively may have been in any manner affirmed or recognized or derived by, in or from any enactment hereby repealed;

(d) revive or restore any jurisdiction, office, custom, liability, right, title, privilege, restriction, exemption, usage, practice, procedure or other matter or thing not now existing or in force;

affect the audit, examination, accounting, investigation, inquiry or any other action taken or to be taken in relation thereto by any authority and such audit, examination, accounting, investigation, inquiry or action could be taken, and, or continued as if the said enactments are not repealed by this Act.

SCHEDULE

[See sub-section (1) of Section 2]

Acts being repealed

Sl. No.	Name of the Act	U.P. Act No.
1	The Agra University (Supplementary) Act, 1952	3 of 1953
2	The Agra University (Amendment) Act, 1954	25 of 1954
3	The Allahabad University (Amendment) Act, 1957	5 of 1958
4	The Lucknow University (Amendment) Act, 1957	6 of 1958
5	The Gorakhpur University (Amendment) Act, 1958	23 of 1958
6	The Varanaseya Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya (Amendment) Act, 1958	24 of 1958
7	The Agra University (Amendment) Act, 1958	26 of 1958
8	The Uttar Pradesh Universities Act, 1959	11 of 1959
9	The Uttar Pradesh Universities Act, 1961	13 of 1961
10	The Gorakhpur Vishwavidyalaya (Amendment) Act, 1962	24 of 1962
11	The Uttar Pradesh Universities (Appointment of Vice-Chancellors) (Amendment and Validation) Act, 1966	6 of 1966
12	The Kanpur and Meerut Universities (Sanshodhan) Adhiniyam, 1966	31 of 1966
13	The Uttar Pradesh Universities (Amendment) Act, 1971	19 of 1971
14	The Varanaseya Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya (Amendment) Act, 1972	21 of 1972
15	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 1982	9 of 1982
16	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 1985	22 of 1985
17	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 1992	2 of 1992
18	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 1997	10 of 1997
19	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2004	24 of 2004
20	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Second Amendment) Act, 2004	30 of 2004
21	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2006	4 of 2006
22	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Second Amendment) Act, 2006	22 of 2006
23	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Third Amendment) Act, 2006	42 of 2006
24	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2007	42 of 2007
25	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Second Amendment) Act, 2007	14 of 2008

26	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2008	18 of 2008
27	The Mohammad Ali Jauhar University (Amendment) Act, 2007	10 of 2014
28	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Second Amendment) Act, 2014	12 of 2014
29	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2014	22 of 2014
30	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2015	12 of 2015
31	The Uttar Pradesh Higher Education Services Commission (Amendment) Act, 2016	6 of 2016
32	The Uttar Pradesh Ministers' (Salaries, Allowances and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Act, 2016	22 of 2016
33	The Amity University Uttar Pradesh (Amendment) Act, 2016	25 of 2016
34	The Mohammad Ali Jauhar University (Amendment) Act, 2016	28 of 2016
35	The Uttar Pradesh Braj Planning and Development Board (Amendment) Act, 2017	3 of 2017

Repeal and
Saving

4. (1) The Uttar Pradesh Repealing Ordinance, 2025 is hereby repealed.

U.P. Ordinance
no. 4 of 2025

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the provisions of the Ordinance referred to in sub-section (1) shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provisions of this Act as if the provisions of this Act were in force at all material times.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill is one of those periodical measures by which enactments which have become redundant and obsolete in the present times, are repealed. On recommendation of the State Law Commission, it has been decided to repeal 35 amending Acts, which have become redundant and obsolete in present times and retention whereof as separate Acts is unnecessary, after obtaining the consent of the Administrative Departments related therewith. Apart from this, in order to ensure smooth supply of essential goods and services to the general public there has been felt a need to partially repeal the Uttar Pradesh Repealing Act, 2022 (U.P. Act No. 18 of 2022) with a view to revive the Uttar Pradesh Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1966 (U.P. Act No. 30 of 1966).

In view of the above, it has been decided to introduce a repealing Bill in the second session, of the year 2025, of the State Legislature.

Since the State Legislature was not in session and immediate legislative action was necessary to implement the aforesaid decision, the Uttar Pradesh Repealing Ordinance, 2025 (U.P. Ordinance no. 4 of 2025) was promulgated by the Governor on 28th May, 2025.

This Bill is introduced to replace the aforesaid Ordinance.

By order,
ATUL SRIVASTAVA,
Pramukh Sachiv

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