

**THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (PUNJAB
AMENDMENT) ACT 2020
(IV of 2020)**

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**An
Act**

further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

It is necessary further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) for the purposes hereinafter appearing.

Be it enacted by Provincial Assembly of the Punjab as follows:

1. Short title and commencement.— (1) This Act may be cited as the Code of Criminal Procedure (Punjab Amendment) Act 2020.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment in section 14A of the Act V of 1898.— In the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), in section 14A, in subsection (2), for the “full stop” at the end, a “comma” shall be substituted, and thereafter, the following expression shall be added:

“forests, mines and minerals, food adulteration, food safety, encroachments on public lands or lands owned by the Government, canal and drainage, dangerous driving and violation of route permits, safety and design of buildings, land use and municipal services.”.

¹This Act was passed by Provincial Assembly of the Punjab on 11 May 2020; assented to by the Governor of the Punjab on 18 May 2020; and, was published in the Punjab Gazette (Extraordinary), dated: 20 May 2020, pp.4057.